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1 Scope

This document applies to new bedding articles, e.g. quilts, of all kinds and sizes, which are solely filled with feathers and/or down.

This document does not apply to:

- sleeping bags;
- clothing;
- furniture, cushions.

It lays down definitions (see also EN 1885), tolerances for sizes, materials, performance requirements, sampling, reference to test methods, marking and labelling.

2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 1167	<i>Feather and down – Method of test for measuring the sizes of quilts filled with feather and/or down</i>
EN 1883	<i>Feather and down – Sampling in view of tests</i>
EN 1885:1998	<i>Feather and down – Terms and definitions</i>
EN 12130	<i>Feather and down – Test methods – Determination of the filling power (massic volume)</i>
EN 12131	<i>Feather and down - Test methods - Determination of the quantitative composition of feather and down (manual method)</i>
EN 12132-1	<i>Feather and down – Methods of testing the down proof properties of fabrics – Part 1: Rubbing test</i>
EN 12132-2	<i>Feather and down – Methods of testing the down proof properties of fabrics – Part 2: Impact test</i>
EN 12934:1999	<i>Feather and down – Composition labelling of processed feathers and down for use as sole filling material</i>
EN 12935	<i>Feather and down – Hygiene and cleanliness requirements</i>
EN 13088	<i>Manufactured articles filled with feather and down – Method for the determination of a filled product's total mass and of the mass of the filling</i>
EN 20139	<i>Textiles – Standard atmospheres for conditioning and testing (ISO 139:1973)</i>
EN 20187	<i>Paper, board and pulps – Standard atmosphere for conditioning and testing and procedure for monitoring the atmosphere and conditioning of samples (ISO 187:1990)</i>
EN 23758	<i>Textiles – Care labelling code using symbols (ISO 3758:1991)</i>
EN ISO 105-B02	<i>Textiles – Tests for colour fastness – Part B02: Colour fastness to artificial light: Xenon arc fading lamp test (ISO 105-B02:1994)</i>
EN ISO 105-C06	<i>Textiles – Tests for colour fastness – Part C06: Colour fastness to domestic and commercial laundering (ISO 105-C06: 1994)</i>
EN ISO 105-D01	<i>Textiles – Tests for colour fastness – Part D01: Colour fastness to dry cleaning (ISO 105-D01: 1993)</i>
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EN ISO 105-E04	<i>Textiles – Tests for colour fastness – Part E04: Colour fastness to perspiration (ISO 105-E04: 1994)</i>