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- *Part 1: OSB, particleboards and fibreboards;*
- *Part 2: Plywood;*
- *Part 3: Solid wood panels;*

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- a) modification of the thickness range and of the values for single-layer panels given at Table 2 in conjunction with changes in EN 13353;
- b) modification the thickness ranges and of the values for multi-layer panels given at Table 3 in conjunction with changes in EN 13353;
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1 Scope

This document provides information on the characteristic values for use in designing structures incorporating wood-based panels. The characteristic values given are as defined in EN 1995-1-1.

This document includes the characteristic values of the mechanical properties and of the raw density for solid-wood panels complying with EN 13353:2022 technical classes SWP/1 S, SWP/2 S, SWP/3 S.

2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements 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 789, *Timber structures - Test methods - Determination of mechanical properties of wood based panels*

EN 1058, *Wood-based panels - Determination of characteristic 5-percentile values and characteristic mean values*

EN 1156, *Wood-based panels - Determination of duration of load and creep factors*

EN 1995-1-1, *Eurocode 5: Design of timber structures - Part 1-1: General - Common rules and rules for buildings*

EN 13017-1, *Solid wood panels - Classification by surface appearance - Part 1: Softwood*

EN 13017-2, *Solid wood panels - Classification by surface appearance - Part 2: Hardwood*

3 Terms and definitions and symbols

3.1 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

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- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <https://www.iso.org/obp>
- IEC Electropedia: available at <https://www.electropedia.org/>

3.1.1 characteristic values

3.1.1.1 characteristic strength value

population 5-percentile value obtained from the results of tests with a duration of 300 s at an equilibrium moisture content of the test pieces relating to a temperature of 20 °C and a relative humidity of 65 %

3.1.1.2 characteristic stiffness value

either the population 5-percentile or the mean value obtained of tests with a duration of 300 s at an equilibrium moisture content of the test pieces relating to a temperature of 20 °C and a relative humidity of 65 %

Note 1 to entry: The stiffness values given in the Tables are mean values as these are most commonly used in design. Annex A explains how to calculate the 5-percentile value.