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- Part 3: Handles, primarily for Tilt and Turn, Tilt-First and Turn-Only hardware

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In comparison with the previous edition, the following technical modifications have been made:

- EN 13126-3 is now independent from EN 13126-1; all necessary information is included without the need of any further information from EN 13126-1;
- several editorial changings in the wording were made for a better understanding;
- terms 3.5 'locking mechanism', 3.6 'non-key-operated locking mechanism', 3.15 'sample' and 3.16 'test rig' were added and term 3.6 'key-operated locking mechanism' was modified for better understanding;
- in 4.1, the classification system changed completely; former digits 1 (Category of use), 4 (Fire resistance), 5 (Safety in use) and 8 (Application) were deleted; former digit 2 changed into box 1 (Durability), former digit 3 changed into box 2 (Mass), former digit 6 changed into box 3 (Corrosion resistance), former digit 9 changed into box 4 (Test sizes); former digit 7 changed into box 5 (Security against burglar attack) and a new box 6 (Key related security) was added;
- in 4.2, new Grades for the number of cycles are defined; H1 (5 000), H2 (10 000) and H3 (20 000), see also 5.4;
- in 4.10, a new example was added for the new classification;
- in 5.4, new Grades for the number of cycles are defined; H1 (5 000), H2 (10 000) and H3 (20 000) in accordance with 4.2 established;
- in 5.4, the number of cycles were adapted to the newly defined Grades for the durability;
- in 5.10.6, the subclause 'Locking variations / key related security' was modified in accordance with 4.7 (requirement in grade 2 changed from ' ≤ 99 ' into ' ≥ 25 and ≤ 99 ');
- in Clause 6, the title has been modified to “...and preparation for the test”;
- in Clause 8, a new clause was added regarding marking with information from the current version of EN 13126-1.

The EN 13126 series, *Building hardware — Hardware for windows and door height windows — Requirements and test methods* consists of the following parts:

- *Part 1: Requirements common to all types of hardware;*
- *Part 2: Window fastener handles;*
- *Part 3: Handles, primarily for Tilt and Turn, Tilt-First and Turn-Only hardware;*
- *Part 4: Espagnolettes;*
- *Part 5: Devices that restrict the opening of windows and door height windows;*
- *Part 6: Variable geometry stay hinges (with or without a friction stay);*
- *Part 7: Finger catches;*
- *Part 8: Requirements and test methods for Tilt and Turn, Tilt-First and Turn-Only hardware;*
- *Part 9: Hardware for horizontal and vertical pivot windows;*
- *Part 10: Arm-balancing systems;*
- *Part 11: Top hung projecting reversible hardware;*
- *Part 12: Side hung projecting reversible hardware;*
- *Part 13: Sash balances;*
- *Part 14: Sash fasteners;*
- *Part 15: Rollers for horizontal sliding and hardware for sliding folding windows;*
- *Part 16: Hardware for Lift and Slide windows;*
- *Part 17: Hardware for Tilt and Slide windows;*
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Introduction

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1 Scope

This part of the EN 13126 series specifies the requirements and test procedures for durability, strength, security and functionality of handles.

This document is applicable to Tilt and Turn, Tilt-First and Turn-Only hardware for use on windows and door-height windows.

Handles can also be used on other opening types, e.g. on In-line Sliding, Tilt and Slide, Sliding Folding, horizontal and vertical-pivoting windows.

This document is not applicable to:

- a) operation devices, door handles for door latches and door locks (for this, refer to EN 1906);
- b) handles with handle length > 170 mm (refer to Figure B.1).

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 1627, *Pedestrian doorsets, windows, curtain walling, grilles and shutters - Burglar resistance - Requirements and classification*

EN 1670, *Building hardware - Corrosion resistance - Requirements and test methods*

3 Terms and definitions

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

ISO and IEC maintain terminology databases for use in standardization at the following addresses:

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

3.1

handle

operating device with or without click mechanism, and where applicable with locking mechanism, with which the window hardware can be mechanically operated

3.2

window handle

operating mechanism with which the window hardware can be mechanically operated and a spindle that serves as the connecting element

3.3

geared-handle

operating mechanism with which the window hardware can be mechanically operated and a connector or fork that serves as the connecting element

3.4

click mechanism

assembly of components to position the handle in the defined click positions that correspond with the Tilt and Turn hardware's operation positions