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### Foreword

This European Standard has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 112 "Wood-based panels", the secretariat of which is held by DIN.

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This standard is intended to be used in conjunction with ENV 1995-1-1.

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Annex A is informative.

## 1 Scope

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

This standard includes the characteristic values of both the mechanical properties and density for the panels set out below:

- OSB/2, OSB/3 and OSB/4, complying with EN 300;
- Particleboard, P4, P5 P6, P7 complying with EN 312 Parts 4 to 7;
- Hardboard, HB.HLA2 complying with EN 622-2;
- Medium board, MBH.LA2 complying with EN 622-3;
- MDF.LA and MDF.HLS complying with EN 622-5.

Characteristic values for plywood, solid wood panels, laminated veneer lumber (LVL) and cement bonded particleboards will be provided in one or more further parts of this standard.

## 2 Normative references

This European Standard incorporates, by dated or undated reference, provisions from other publications. These normative references are cited at the appropriate places in the text and the publications are listed hereafter. For dated references, subsequent amendments to or revisions of any of these publications apply to this European Standard only when incorporated in it by amendment or revision. For undated references, the latest edition of the publication referred to applies (including amendments).

EN 300, *Oriented Strand Boards (OSB) — Definitions, classification and specifications.*

EN 312-4, *Particleboards — Specifications — Part 4: Requirements for load-bearing boards for use in dry conditions.*

EN 312-5, *Particleboards — Specifications — Part 5: Requirements for load-bearing boards for use in humid conditions.*

EN 312-6, *Particleboards — Specifications — Part 6: Requirements for heavy duty load-bearing boards for use in dry conditions.*

EN 312-7, *Particleboards — Specifications — Part 7: Requirements for heavy duty load-bearing boards for use in humid conditions.*

EN 323, *Wood-based panels — Determination of density.*

EN 622-2, *Fibreboards — Specifications — Part 2: Requirements for hardboards.*

EN 622-3, *Fibreboards — Specifications — Part 3: Requirements for medium boards.*

EN 622-5, *Fibreboards — Specifications — Part 5: Requirements for dry process boards (MDF).*

EN 789, *Timber structures — Test methods — Determination of mechanical properties of wood-based panels.*

EN 1058, *Wood based panels — Determination of characteristic values of mechanical properties and density.*

ENV 1995-1-1 *Eurocode 5 - Design of timber structures — Part 1-1: General rules and rules for buildings.*