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Part 2:

### **Numerical method for frames**

Performance thermique des fenêtres, portes et fermetures — Calcul du coefficient de transmission thermique —

Partie 2: Méthode numérique pour les encadrements





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#### **Foreword**

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This International Standard is one of a series of standards on methods for the design and evaluation of the thermal performance of building equipment and industrial installations.

This second edition cancels and replaces the first edition (ISO 10077-2:2003), which has been technically revised. The main changes compared to the previous edition are given in the following table:

Clause	Changes
5.1	Clarified use of measured data.
5.4	Added calculation rules for roller shutter boxes and added new figure.
5.5	Added calculation rules for extensions of window frame profiles and new added figure.
Annex A	Added Table A.2 — Thermal conductivity of timber species.
Annex A	Added Table A.3 — Typical emissivities of metallic surfaces.
Annex B	Added Table B.2 for roller shutter boxes.
C.2	Added calculation rules for the combination of frame constructions with insulating glazing units (IGU) and Figure C.3 showing a representative metal spacer incorporated in an IGU.
Annex D	Updated Figures D.1 to D.10 for frame sections.

ISO 10077 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Thermal performance of windows, doors and shutters* — *Calculation of thermal transmittance*:

- Part 1: General
- Part 2: Numerical method for frames

#### Introduction

ISO 10077 consists of two parts. The method in this part of ISO 10077 is intended to provide calculated values of the thermal characteristics of frame profiles, suitable to be used as input data in the calculation method of the thermal transmittance of windows, doors and shutters given in ISO 10077-1. It is an alternative to the test method specified in EN 12412-2. In some cases, the hot box method is preferred, especially if physical and geometrical data are not available or if the profile is a complicated geometrical shape.

Although the method in this part of ISO 10077 basically applies to vertical frame profiles, it is an acceptable approximation for horizontal frame profiles (e.g. sill and head sections) and for products used in sloped positions (e.g. roof windows). For calculations made with the glazing units in place, the heat flow pattern and the temperature field within the frame are useful by-products of this calculation.

This part of ISO 10077 does not cover building façades and curtain walling. These are covered in ISO 12631<sup>1)</sup> or EN 13947.

<sup>1)</sup> To be published.