

**Wood based panels —  
Determination of  
formaldehyde content —  
Extraction method called the  
perforator method**

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## National foreword

This British Standard has been prepared under the direction of the Technical Sector Board for Building and Civil Engineering and is the English language version of EN 120 : 1992 *Wood-based panels — Determination of formaldehyde content — Extraction method called the perforator method*, published by the European Committee for Standardization (CEN).

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The principle of this method is technically equivalent to clause **15** of BS 1142 : 1989 *Specification for fibre building boards* and to clause **22** of BS 5669 *Particleboard : Part 1 : 1989 Methods of sampling, conditioning and test*, both of which will be withdrawn in due course.

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