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Preface

This Standard was prepared by the Standards Australia Committee CS-028, Solar Water Heaters, to supersede AS 5389(Int)—2013, *Solar heating and cooling systems — Calculation of energy consumption.*

After consultation with stakeholders in both countries, Standards Australia and Standards New Zealand decided to develop this Standard as an Australian Standard rather than an Australian/New Zealand Standard.

The objective of this Standard is to provide a method for calculating energy consumption and determining the comfort performance of space heating and cooling systems and ventilator systems. It uses a combination of test results for component performance, mathematical models of representative buildings, and parameters for comfort condition. It includes methodologies for —

(a) calculating annual purchased energy use;

(b) calculating displaced purchased energy relative to reference heating and cooling devices; and

(c) determining comfort performance.

Statements in notes expressed in mandatory terms in text to tables are deemed to be requirements of this Standard.

The terms “normative” and “informative” have been used in this Standard to define the application of the appendices to which they apply. A “normative” appendix is an integral part of a Standard, whereas an “informative” appendix is only for information and guidance.

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