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## **Amendments**

This standard differs from DIN EN 131-4:2007-08 as follows:

- a) strength test of the ladder in position of use;
- b) classes “non-professional” use and “professional” use have been introduced;
- c) strength test and slidingtest of decking component have been modified.

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