

Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) No 626/2011 of 4 May 2011
supplementing Directive 2010/30/EU of the European Parliament
and of the Council with regard to energy labelling of air conditioners

Article 2

Definitions

In addition to the definitions set out in Article 2 of Directive 2010/30/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council⁽¹⁾, the following definitions shall apply:

- (1) ‘*air conditioner*’ means a device capable of cooling or heating, or both, indoor air, using a vapour compression cycle driven by an electric compressor, including air conditioners that provide additional functionalities such as dehumidification, air-purification, ventilation or supplemental air-heating by means of electric resistance heating and appliances that may use water (either condensate water that is formed on the evaporator side or externally added water) for evaporation on the condenser, provided that the device is also able to function without the use of additional water, using air only;
- (2) ‘*double duct air conditioner*’ means an air conditioner in which, during cooling or heating, the condenser or evaporator intake air is introduced from the outdoor environment to the unit by a duct and rejected to the outdoor environment by a second duct, and which is placed wholly inside the space to be conditioned, near a wall;
- (3) ‘*single duct air conditioner*’ means an air conditioner in which, during cooling or heating, the condenser or evaporator intake air is introduced from the space containing the unit and discharged outside this space;
- (4) ‘*rated capacity*’ (P_{rated}) means the cooling or heating capacity of the vapour compression cycle of the unit at standard rating conditions;
- (5) ‘*end-user*’ means a consumer buying or expected to buy an air conditioner;
- (6) ‘*point of sale*’ means a location where air conditioners are displayed or offered for sale, hire or hire-purchase.

Additional definitions for the purpose of Annexes II to VIII are set out in Annex I.

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(1) [OJ L 153, 18.06.2010, p. 1.](#)

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