
**Fire resistance tests — Fire dampers for air
distribution systems —**

Part 3:
Guidance on the test method

*Essais de résistance au feu — Clapets résistant au feu pour systèmes de
distribution d'air —*

Partie 3: Lignes directrices sur la méthode d'essai



Foreword

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ISO 10294 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Fire-resistance tests — Elements of building construction*:

- *Part 1: Test method*
- *Part 2: Classification, criteria and field of application of test results*
- *Part 3: Guidance on the test method*
- *Part 4: Thermal release mechanism test*

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