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## **Light gauge metal containers — Capacities and related cross-sections — Part 3: Open-top cans for drinks**

*Réipients métalliques légers — Capacités et sections transversales associées — Partie 3: Boîtes serties pour boissons*

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# Foreword

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International Standard ISO 3004/3 was prepared by Technical Committee ISO/TC 52, *Light gauge metal containers*.

This second edition cancels and replaces the first edition (ISO 3004/3-1981), of which it constitutes a technical revision.

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# Light gauge metal containers — Capacities and related cross-sections —

## Part 3: Open-top cans for drinks

### 0 Introduction

Light gauge metal open-top containers for food and drinks, covered by ISO 3004, are grouped as follows:

Part 1: Open-top cans for general food.

Part 2: Open-top cans for meat and products containing meat for human consumption.

Part 3: Open-top cans for drinks

Part 4: Open-top cans for edible oil.

Part 5: Open-top cans for fish and other fishery products.<sup>1)</sup>

Part 6: Open-top cans for milk.

Vent-hole cans for milk are covered in ISO/TR 8610, *Light gauge metal containers — Round vent-hole cans with soldered ends for milk and milk products — Capacities and related diameters*.

### 1 Scope and field of application

This part of ISO 3004 lays down:

- a) a recommended range of filling volumes with related diameters for round cans for carbonated drinks;

- b) a recommended range of capacities with related diameters for round cans for non-carbonated drinks.

Carbonated drinks include all carbonated drinks.

Non-carbonated drinks include non-carbonated drinks ready for use except

- milk and drinks with milk;
- concentrated products;
- syrups.

All can measurements in this part of ISO 3004 are given in accordance with the requirements laid down in ISO 90/1.

### 2 References

ISO 90/1, *Light gauge metal containers — Definitions and determination methods for dimensions and capacities — Part 1: Open-top cans*.

ISO 1361, *Light gauge metal containers — Open-top cans — Round cans — Internal diameters*.

1) At present at the stage of draft. (Revision of ISO/TR 7423-1982 and ISO/TR 7670-1982.)

3 Capacities and related cross-sections

3.1 Cans for carbonated drinks

Table 1 — Filling volumes and related diameters of round cans

Nominal filling volume  ml	Nominal diameter  mm	Opening diameter mm		
		Straight-walled cans	Necked-in cans	Tolerance
200	52 <sup>1)</sup>	52,6		± 0,3 for all diameters
200	60	59,9	57,0	
250	60	59,9	57,0	
250	65	65,4	62,5	
275	65	65,4	62,5	
296	60	59,9	57,0	
330	65	65,4	62,5	
355	65	65,4	62,5	
355	63		59,9	
375	65	65,4	62,5	
473	65	65,4	62,5	
500	65	65,4	62,5	
500	68		65,4	
750	83	83,3		
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1) If specifications in ISO 90/1 and ISO 1361 were strictly applied, this diameter should be 53 mm but because the tolerances for carbonated drinks cans are subject to review, this diameter is given as 52 mm.