

# BFCL.010 Classes and groups of balloons

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For the purpose of this Annex, balloons shall be categorised in the following classes and groups:

1. "hot-air balloon" class:
  1. group A: envelope capacity up to 3 400 m<sup>3</sup> (120 069 ft<sup>3</sup>);
  2. group B: envelope capacity between 3 401 m<sup>3</sup> (120 070 ft<sup>3</sup>) and 6 000 m<sup>3</sup> (211 888 ft<sup>3</sup>);
  3. group C: envelope capacity between 6 001 m<sup>3</sup> (211 889 ft<sup>3</sup>) and 10 500 m<sup>3</sup> (370 804 ft<sup>3</sup>);
  4. group D: envelope capacity of more than 10 500 m<sup>3</sup> (370 804 ft<sup>3</sup>);
2. "gas balloon" class;
3. "mixed balloon" class;
4. "hot-air airship" class.

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