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Question:
EN 13819-1, clause 5.2 reads: In order to assign a nominal size designation to each earplug, the dimensions of that part or those parts of the earplug that are intended to seal the ear canal are assessed using a gauge comprising a set of circular holes.
Which flanges shall seal the circular hole?

Solution:
At least that flange showing the smallest and that one with the largest diameter shall seal one circular hole.