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For the relationship with EU Directive(s) see informative Annex ZZ, which is an integral part of this document.

1 Modifications to annexes

Replace *Annex ZA and Annex ZZ with the following.*

Annex ZA
(normative)

Normative references to international publications with their corresponding European publications

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies. However, for any use of this standard “within the meaning of Annex ZZ", the user must always check that any referenced document has not been superseded and that its relevant contents can still be considered the generally acknowledged state-of-art.

When the IEC or ISO standard is referred to in the IEC text standard, this must be understood as a normative reference to the parallel EN standard, as outlined below, including the foreword and the Annexes ZZ.

NOTE 1 The way in which referenced documents are cited in normative requirements determines the extent (in whole or in part) to which they apply.

NOTE 2 When an international publication has been modified by common modifications, indicated by (mod), the relevant EN/HD applies.

Publication	Year	Title	EN/HD and IEC/ISO	Year
IEC 60601-1	2005	Medical electrical equipment Part 1: General requirements for basic safety and essential performance	EN 60601-1	2006
+A1	2012		EN 60601-1/A1	2013
			EN 60601-1/A1/AC	2014
IEC 60601-1-2	2014	Medical electrical equipment Part 1-2: General requirements for basic safety and essential performance - Collateral standard: Electromagnetic disturbances - Requirements and tests	EN 60601-1-2	2015
IEC 60601-1-6	2010	Medical electrical equipment - Part 1-6: General requirements for basic safety and essential performance - Collateral standard: Usability	EN 60601-1-6	2010
+A1	2013		EN 60601-1-6/A1	2015
IEC 60601-1-8	2006	Medical electrical equipment - Part 1-8: General requirements for basic safety and essential performance - Collateral standard: General requirements, tests and guidance for alarm systems in medical electrical equipment and medical electrical systems	EN 60601-1-8	2007
+A1	2012		EN 60601-1-8/AC	2010
			EN 60601-1-8/A1	2015
IEC 62570	2014	Standard practice for marking medical devices and other items for safety in the magnetic resonance environment	EN 62570	2015

Annex ZZ
(informative)

Coverage of Essential Requirements of EU Directives

This European Standard has been prepared under a mandate given to CENELEC by the European Commission and the European Free Trade Association to provide a means of conforming to the Essential Requirements given in Annex I of EU Directive 93/42/EEC.

General Guidance:

Once this standard will be cited in the Official Journal of the European Union under that Directive, compliance with the clauses of this standard given in Table ZZ.1 confers, within the limits of the scope of this standard, a presumption of conformity with the corresponding Essential Requirements (ERs) of that Directive and associated EFTA regulations.

NOTE 1 The standard's scope is limited to the specific uses, environments, contexts, objective situations specifically indicated. It cannot provide for presumption of conformity in other conditions. Some clauses or subclauses may be not applicable due to the specific type of equipment under consideration.

NOTE 2 Only prescriptions contained in the normative parts of the text are relevant to the presumption of conformity of this standard. Informative parts may, however, support users to interpret such prescriptions correctly.

NOTE 3 Where a reference from a clause of this standard to the risk management process is made, the risk management process needs to be in compliance with Directive 93/42/EEC. This means that risks have to be reduced "as far as possible", "to a minimum", "to the lowest possible level", "minimized" or "removed", according to the wording of the corresponding essential requirement which must be interpreted and applied in such a way as to take account of technology and practice existing at the time of design and of technical and economical considerations compatible with a high level of protection of health and safety.

NOTE 4 The manufacturer's policy for determining **acceptable risk** must be in compliance with essential requirements 1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11 and 12 of the directive.

NOTE 5 For all parts of this standard that a) refer in their clauses to specific national legislation possibly exempting manufacturers from the thorough application of relevant provisions of this standard or b) link the completion of a relevant process/prescription to any discretional choice/power of manufacturers, the user of the standard should check that such clauses are in compliance with Directive 93/42/EEC.

NOTE 6 This Annex ZZ is based on Normative References according to Annex ZA, replacing the references in the core text.

WARNING: Other requirements and other EU Directives and Regulations may be applicable to the product(s) falling within the scope of this standard.

Table ZZ.1 – Relationship between Essential Requirements of Directive 93/42/EEC amended by 2007/47/EC, and Clauses and subclauses of this standard

No.	Essential Requirements	Coverage of EN 60601-2-33
I.	**GENERAL REQUIREMENTS**	
1.	General Guidance notes 1 - 6 shall be observed	
1	The devices must be designed and manufactured in such a way that, when used under the conditions and for the purposes intended, they will not compromise the clinical condition or the safety of patients, or the safety and health of users or, where applicable, other persons, provided that any risks which may be associated with their intended use constitute acceptable risks when weighed against the benefits to the patient and are compatible with a high level of protection of health and safety. This shall include:	If the manufacturer follows this standard in his design and manufacturing process, this European Standard gives a valuable set of technical requirements to assist in fulfilling this ER with regard to general [1)] X-ray radiation-related aspects of the clinical condition or the safety of patients, or the safety and health of users or, where applicable, other persons (refer to Clauses 4 to 13 of this collateral standard).
	- reducing, as far as possible, the risk of use error due to the ergonomic features of the device and the environment in which the device is intended to be used (design for patient safety), and	This European Standard provides requirements to minimize risks of use error for the following aspects: 201.12.4.101 Operating modes 201.7.9.2.101 (Instructions for use) w) About function 201.7.9.3.101 (Technical Description) a) controlled access area
	- consideration of the technical knowledge, experience, education and training and where applicable the medical and physical conditions of intended users (design for lay, professional, disabled or other users).	Covered only with respect to 201.7.9.2.101 (Instructions for Use) p) Recommended training: Only to be used by professional and licensed users.
2.	General Guidance notes 1 - 6 shall be observed	
2	The solutions adopted by the manufacturer for the design and construction of the devices must conform to safety principles, taking account of the generally acknowledged state of the art. In selecting the most appropriate solutions, the manufacturer must apply the following principles in the following order:	1st paragraph covered under the condition that 2nd paragraph (including the following 3 bullets) is taken into account. 2nd paragraph, including the following 3 bullets, are covered for hazardous outputs inherent to MR equipment, under the condition that - the manufacturer implements state of the art risk controls as reflected in 201.4, to 201.17, 202 - and EN ISO 14971 (2012) including its Annex ZA.

1) This standard is intended to provide a set of general specifications to be complemented by existing particular/device specific standards, or by other means, such as risk management.

No.	Essential Requirements	Coverage of EN 60601-2-33
	- eliminate or reduce risks as far as possible (inherently safe design and construction),	
	- where appropriate take adequate protection measures including alarms if necessary, in relation to risks that cannot be eliminated,	
	- inform users of the residual risks due to any shortcomings of the protection measures adopted.	
3	The devices must achieve the performances intended by the manufacturer and be designed, manufactured and packaged in such a way that they are suitable for one or more of the functions referred to in Article 1 (2) (a), as specified by the manufacturer.	MR equipment following the design rules set out by this European Standard is intended for medical diagnosis, as called out in Article 1 (2) (a).
4	The characteristics and performances referred to in Sections 1, 2 and 3 must not be adversely affected to such a degree that the clinical conditions and safety of the patients and, where applicable, of other persons are compromised during the lifetime of the device as indicated by the manufacturer, when the device is subjected to the stresses which can occur during normal conditions of use.	Covered in respect to Quality Assurance and Planned Maintenance, see 201.7.9.2.101 Instructions for Use q) quality assurance r) maintenance
5.	General Guidance notes 1 - 6 shall be observed	
5	The devices must be designed, manufactured and packed in such a way that their characteristics and performances during their intended use will not be adversely affected during transport and storage taking account of the instructions and information provided by the manufacturer.	No specific requirements in this standard.
6.	General Guidance notes 1 - 6 shall be observed	
6	Any undesirable side-effect must constitute an acceptable risk when weighed against the performances intended.	Covered for hazardous outputs inherent to MR equipment, see a) for physiologic effects due to electromagnetic field exposures: 201.12.4 Protection against hazardous output b) for acoustic noise: 201.9.6.2.1 Audible acoustic energy 201.7.9.2.101 d) Exposure to excessive acoustic noise
II.	**REQUIREMENTS REGARDING DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION**	
General Guidance notes 1 - 6 shall be observed		
7	**Chemical, physical and biological properties**	
7.1	The devices must be designed and manufactured in such a way as to guarantee the characteristics and performances referred to in Section I (3) on the 'General requirements'. Particular attention must be paid to:	Covered for the certain particular device characteristics of MR Equipment (see below)