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standardite EN 29002 ja EN 46002
rakendamiseks in vitro kasutatavate
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In vitro diagnostic systems - Guidance on the application of EN 29001 and EN 46001 and of EN 29002 and EN 46002 for in vitro diagnostic medical devices

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for *in vitro* diagnostic medical devices**

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guide d'application des EN 29001 et
EN 46001, et EN 29002 et EN 46002 pour
les dispositifs médicaux de diagnostic *in vitro*

In-vitro-Diagnostik/Diagnostika; Leitfaden
für die Anwendung von EN 29001 und
EN 46001 sowie EN 29002 und EN 46002
für Medizinprodukte für die In-vitro-Di-
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Introduction

This European Standard has been prepared to give guidance to organizations providing in vitro diagnostic medical devices (IVDs) and wishing to comply with EN 29001 and EN 29002 and the particular requirements for medical devices in EN 46001 and EN 46002. This European Standard needs to be read in conjunction with the relevant standards with which compliance is sought. This European Standard is not a substitute for, or a supplement to, EN 29004 which has its own very distinct relationship with the EN 29000 series of standards.

This European Standard does not add any requirements to those in the EN 29000 series. Care should be taken that the guidance, which may suggest various methods of providing assurance, is not used in place of, or as additional requirements to those given in the EN 29000 series.

The aim of this European Standard is primarily to assist suppliers, purchasers and certification bodies to achieve a uniform interpretation of EN 29001 and EN 29002 and of EN 46001 and EN 46002 by presenting familiar concepts under the relevant clauses from these standards. It attempts to explain what should be done to fulfil customer needs and is not only a guide for quality assessors.

The combination of EN 29001 and EN 46001 and of EN 29002 and EN 46002 embrace the principles of Good Manufacturing Practice (GMP) which have been used in the medical device industry for a number of years.

1 Scope

This European Standard provides guidance on the implementation of EN 29001 and EN 46001 and of EN 29002 and EN 46002 as applied to the manufacturer of IVDs. It is aimed at affording a better understanding of the standards themselves as well as assistance in their use, either in implementing or evaluating such a quality system. The guidance given is not intended to be exhaustive, but to highlight important aspects to which attention should be drawn.

The adoption of systems other than those described in this European Standard is not to be regarded as a non-compliance with EN 29001 and EN 29002 and/or the particular requirements in EN 46001 and EN 46002.

2 Normative references

This European Standard incorporates by dated or undated reference, provisions from other publications. These normative references are cited at the appropriate places in the text and the publications are listed hereafter. For dated references, subsequent amendments to or revisions of any of these publications apply to this European Standard only when incorporated in it by amendment or revision. For undated references the latest edition of the publication referred to applies.

EN 29001 : 1987	Quality systems – Model for quality assurance in design/development, production, installation and servicing
EN 29002 : 1987	Quality systems – Model for quality assurance in production and installation
EN 29004 : 1987	Quality management and quality system elements – Guidelines
EN 46001 : 1993	Quality systems – Medical devices – Particular requirements for the application of EN 29001
EN 46002 : 1993	Quality systems – Medical devices – Particular requirements for the application of EN 29002

3 Definitions

For the purposes of this standard, the definitions given in EN 46001 : 1993 and EN 46002 : 1993 apply.

4 Guidance on quality system requirements

[refers to clauses 4 of EN 29001 : 1987 and EN 46001 : 1993 and to clauses 4 of EN 29002 : 1987 and EN 46002 : 1993]

4.1 Management responsibility

[refers to clauses 4.1 of EN 29001 : 1987 and EN 46001 : 1993 and to clauses 4.1 of EN 29002 : 1987 and EN 46002 : 1993]