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**Table ZA — Correspondence between this European Standard and Directive 93/42/EEC**

Clause(s)/sub-clause(s) of this EN	Essential Requirements (ERs) of Directive 93/42/EEC	Qualifying remarks/Notes
4	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7.1, 7.2, 9.2	The part of ER 1 relating to the risk of use error is not addressed in this European Standard. The part of ER 7.1 relating to results of biophysical and modelling research is not addressed by this European Standard.
5	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7.1, 9.1, 9.2	The part of ER 1 relating to the risk of use error is not addressed in this European Standard. The part of ER 7.1 relating to results of biophysical and modelling research is not addressed by this European Standard.
6	1, 2, 3, 4, 7.1, 7.2, 7.3, 7.4, 8.2, 9.1, 9.2	The part of ER 1 relating to the risk of use error is not addressed in this European Standard. The part of ER 7.1 relating to results of biophysical and modelling research is not addressed by this European Standard. The part of ER 7.4 relating to the regulatory provision for the verification of the medicinal product is not addressed in this European Standard.

7	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 6a. , 7.1, 7.2, 7.3	The part of ER 1 relating to the risk of use error is not addressed in this European Standard. The part of ER 7.1 relating to results of biophysical and modelling research is not addressed by this European Standard.
8	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7.1, 7.2, 7.3	The part of ER 1 relating to the risk of use error is not addressed in this European Standard. The part of ER 7.1 relating to results of biophysical and modelling research is not addressed by this European Standard.
9	3, 8.1, 8.3, 8.4, 8.5, 8.6, 8.7, 13.3	Via ISO 14630  The part of ER 13.3.a concerning the information on the authorized representative is not addressed in this European Standard.  The ER 13.3 f is only partly addressed in this European Standard: safety issue of single use.
10	3, 5, 7.2, 8.1, 8.3, 8.4, 8.5, 8.6, 8.7	Via ISO 14630
11	9.1, 13	The part of ER 13.3.a concerning the information on the authorized representative is not addressed in this European Standard.  The ER 13.3 f is only partly addressed in this European Standard: safety issue of single use. The part of ER 13.6.h) relating to single use is not addressed in this European Standard.  ER 13.6 q is not addressed in this European Standard.
NOTE Clauses 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and subclause 11.5 supplement and are dependent on the corresponding clauses of ISO 21534.		

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## Introduction

There are three levels of International Standard dealing with non-active surgical implants. These are as follows, with level 1 being the highest:

- level 1: general requirements for non-active surgical implants and instrumentation used in association with implants;
- level 2: particular requirements for families of non-active surgical implants;
- level 3: specific requirements for types of non-active surgical implant.

This International Standard is a level 3 standard and contains requirements applying specifically to knee joint replacements. The level 1 standard contains requirements that apply to all non-active surgical implants. It also indicates that there are additional requirements in the level 2 and level 3 standards.

The level 2 standards apply to more restricted sets or families of implants such as those designed for use in osteosynthesis, cardiovascular surgery or joint replacement.

To address all requirements, it is recommended that a standard of the lowest available level be consulted first.



# Non-active surgical implants — Joint replacement implants — Specific requirements for knee-joint replacement implants

## 1 Scope

This International Standard provides specific requirements for knee joint replacement implants. With regard to safety, this International Standard specifies requirements for intended performance, design attributes, materials, design evaluation, manufacture, sterilization, packaging, information supplied by the manufacturer and methods of test.

## 2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 7207-1, *Implants for surgery — Components for partial and total knee joint prostheses — Part 1: Classification, definitions and designation of dimensions*

ISO 14243-1, *Implants for surgery — Wear of total knee-joint prostheses — Part 1: Loading and displacement parameters for wear-testing machines with load control and corresponding environmental conditions for test*

ISO 14243-2, *Implants for surgery — Wear of total knee-joint prostheses — Part 2: Methods of measurement*

ISO 14243-3, *Implants for surgery — Wear of total knee-joint prostheses — Part 3: Loading and displacement parameters for wear-testing machines with displacement control and corresponding environmental conditions for test*

ISO 14630:—<sup>1)</sup>, *Non-active surgical implants — General requirements*

ISO 14879-1, *Implants for surgery — Total knee joint prostheses — Part 1: Determination of endurance properties of knee tibial trays*

ISO 21534:2007, *Non-active surgical implants — Joint replacement implants — Particular requirements*

## 3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document the terms and definitions of ISO 21534 and ISO 7207-1 together with the following apply.

### 3.1

#### **femoral component**

component of a total knee joint replacement intended to be secured to the femur to replace its articulating surfaces

NOTE These implants can be manufactured as one component or a set of components to be assembled by the user.

1) To be published. (Revision of ISO 14630:2005)