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Foreword

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This EN 60601-1-3 has been restructured and aligned to EN 60601-1:2006 and focussed on general requirements for RADIATION PROTECTION that apply to all diagnostic X-RAY EQUIPMENT. Requirements particular to specific equipment have been removed and will be covered in particular standards. For a description of the changes, see the mapping in Annex C.

This European Standard has been prepared under a mandate given to CENELEC by the European Commission and the European Free Trade Association and covers essential requirements of EC Directive 93/42/EEC. See Annex ZZ.

This European Standard constitutes a collateral standard to EN 60601-1:2006, hereafter referred to as the general standard.

In the 60601 series of publications, collateral standards specify general requirements for safety applicable to:

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- a specific characteristic of all MEDICAL ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT, not fully addressed in the general standard (e.g. alarm systems).

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- “clause” means one of the thirteen numbered divisions within the table of contents, inclusive of all subdivisions (e.g. Clause 7 includes Subclauses 7.1, 7.2, etc.);
- “subclause” means a numbered subdivision of a clause (e.g. 7.1, 7.2 and 7.2.1 are all subclauses of Clause 7).

References to clauses within this standard are preceded by the term “Clause” followed by the clause number. References to subclauses within this standard are by number only.

In this standard, the conjunctive “or” is used as an “inclusive or” so a statement is true if any combination of the conditions is true.

The verbal forms used in this standard conform to usage described in Annex H of the ISO/IEC Directives, Part 2. For the purposes of this standard, the auxiliary verb

- “shall” means that compliance with a requirement or a test is mandatory for compliance with this standard;
- “should” means that compliance with a requirement or a test is recommended but is not mandatory for compliance with this standard;
- “may” is used to describe a permissible way to achieve compliance with a requirement or test.

Clauses, subclauses and definitions for which a rationale is provided in informative Annex A are marked with an asterisk (*).

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IEC 62220-1	NOTE	Harmonized as EN 62220-1:2003 (not modified).

Annex ZA (normative)

Normative references to international publications with their corresponding European publications

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.

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

<u>Publication</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>EN/HD</u>	<u>Year</u>
IEC 60336	- ¹⁾	Medical electrical equipment - X-ray tube assemblies for medical diagnosis - Characteristics of focal spots	EN 60336	2005 ²⁾
IEC 60522	1999	Determination of the permanent filtration of X-ray tube assemblies	EN 60522	1999
IEC 60601-1	2005	Medical electrical equipment - Part 1: General requirements for basic safety and essential performance	EN 60601-1	2006
IEC/TR 60788	2004	Medical electrical equipment - Glossary of defined terms	-	-
ISO 497	- ¹⁾	Guide to the choice of series of preferred numbers and series containing more rounded values of preferred numbers	-	-

¹⁾ Undated reference.

²⁾ Valid edition at date of issue.

Annex ZZ
(informative)

Coverage of Essential Requirements of EC Directives

This European Standard has been prepared under a mandate given to CENELEC by the European Commission and the European Free Trade Association and within its scope the standard covers all relevant essential requirements as given in Annex I of the EC Directive 93/42/EEC.

Compliance with this standard provides one means of conformity with the specified essential requirements of the Directive concerned.

WARNING: Other requirements and other EC Directives may be applicable to the products falling within the scope of this standard.

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INTRODUCTION

The requirements in this collateral Standard concern protective measures to be taken by the MANUFACTURER in the design and construction of medical diagnostic X-RAY EQUIPMENT and its subassemblies. They relate to the application of the X-RADIATION generated, both deliberately and incidentally, in fulfilling the medical purpose of the EQUIPMENT. Additional measures are necessary to regulate the generation processes themselves. These are described in the general requirements for safety, IEC 60601-1, and, where appropriate, in particular requirements for the EQUIPMENT concerned. The second edition of this collateral standard is focused on general requirements for RADIATION PROTECTION. The aim of the revision was to restrict to those requirements that apply to all diagnostic X-RAY EQUIPMENT. In consequence, most of the clauses have been reduced compared with the first edition of this standard, owing to the exclusion of content specific to projection RADIOGRAPHY and RADIOSCOPY. Implementation shall be considered in the RISK MANAGEMENT process or by using particular standards.

The recommended principles governing the use of RADIATION for medical purposes, as stated in Publication 60 of the International Commission on Radiological Protection (ICRP)[17]¹⁾, Chapter 4, have been taken into account. The implementation of these principles is essentially determined in the prevailing circumstances at the point of use. It requires judgements to be made by the user and the establishment of measures and working practices part of which are connected with the construction of EQUIPMENT. The requirements in this collateral Standard are intended to be consistent with generally accepted good practice in the administration of X-RADIATION in medicine.

In some cases, the formulation of the requirements is deliberately designed to provide scope for accommodating local laws and regulations at the time of installation and commissioning. Several of the requirements include provisions for relevant technical information to be included in ACCOMPANYING DOCUMENTS.

RESPONSIBLE ORGANIZATIONS for medical diagnostic X-RAY EQUIPMENT should be aware that effective protection against IONIZING RADIATION requires the consideration of many aspects additional to the construction of the EQUIPMENT. Among these are the following:

- compatibility of components and correct installation of EQUIPMENT;
- the protective properties of rooms where X-RAY EQUIPMENT is installed;
- measures for monitoring and maintaining the safety and effectiveness of EQUIPMENT throughout its life, with particular attention to components that can deteriorate progressively with time and use;
- the need in appropriate circumstances for PROTECTIVE CLOTHING to be worn by staff and for suitable devices to be used to protect PATIENTS;
- the keeping of appropriate records concerning the usage of the EQUIPMENT and the results of tests, with systematic review and the application of corrective action when necessary;
- the training of staff in the principles of RADIATION PROTECTION and in the correct use of EQUIPMENT, including any PROTECTIVE DEVICES provided.

Further advice on these aspects can be found in ICRP Publications 33[15], 34[16], 60[17], 73[18], 85[21], 87[22] and 93[23].

Readers of this collateral standard are reminded that, in accordance with IEC 60601-1, Clause 5, all the test procedures described are TYPE TESTS, intended to be carried out in a dedicated testing environment in order to determine compliance. Tests to be carried out by MANUFACTURERS to ensure compliance during production or installation and tests for detecting non-compliance subsequently to delivery, are not included.

1) Figures in square brackets refer to the Bibliography.