

**Inland navigation vessels - Work boats, ship's  
boats and lifeboats**

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## Foreword

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This European Standard shall be given the status of a national standard, either by publication of an identical text or by endorsement, at the latest by July 2009, and conflicting national standards shall be withdrawn at the latest by July 2009.

This document supersedes EN 1914:1997.

The previous standard was designed for ship's boats on inland vessels but is being used more frequently for rescue service lifeboats and maritime construction company work boats. This is reflected in this revision in the title, in the scope and in the requirements.

This standard specifies requirements for ship's boats covered in § 10.05 of the Rhine Vessel Inspection Order and in Article 10.05 of Annex II of Directive 2006/87/EC.

## Amendments

The following amendments have been made to EN 1914:1997:

- a) normative references have been updated to reflect the current state of the art regarding motors;
- b) definitions have been made clearer;
- c) requirements and test provisions have been separated and aligned with each other;
- d) electrically-powered boats have been included;
- e) flame-retarding requirements have been made more concrete;
- f) test provisions have been revised.

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## 1 Scope

This European Standard applies to boats according to Annex II of Directive 2006/87/EC that are used on inland navigation vessels as work boats, ship's boats and lifeboats. It also applies to boats that are used on inland waterways

- as life-saving vessels if no special life-saving equipment is specified for the area of use, or
- for the transport of a limited number of persons or relatively small working loads in the construction site area and over comparatively short distances.

This standard does not apply to recreational craft according to Directive 94/25/EC.

## 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.

EN ISO 6185 (all Parts), *Inflatable boats*

EN ISO 8665, *Small craft — Marine propulsion reciprocating internal combustion engines — Power measurements and declarations (ISO 8665:2006)*

EN ISO 11592, *Small craft less than 8 m length of hull — Determination of maximum propulsion power rating (ISO 11592:2001)*

IMO Resolution MSC.61 (67), *International code for application of fire test procedures*<sup>1)</sup>

ISO 2768-1, *General tolerances — Part 1: Tolerances for linear and angular dimensions without individual tolerance indications*

ISO 20712-1, *Water safety signs and beach safety flags — Part 1: Specifications for water safety signs used in workplaces and public areas*

## 3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

### 3.1

#### **boat**

work boat, ship's boat or lifeboat used for transportation, rescue, recovery and work

### 3.2

#### **work boat**

boat for the transportation of persons and working loads and for operational working tasks in construction site areas

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