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In the development of a fully international standard, it has been necessary to take into consideration the differing requirements resulting from practical experience in various parts of the world and to recognize the variation in national electrical systems and wiring rules.

In this part 2-8, The "in some countries" notes regarding differing national practices are contained in the following subclauses elements:

- Table 1, items 113 and 114
- 14.7.4, note 101
- 16.2.1
- 27.2.101 27.2.3.1
- annex CC
- table DD.1.2.1, note 1
- table DD.6, note 1
- H.26.9

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1 Scope and normative references

This clause of part 1 is replaced applicable as follows:

Replacement:

- **1.1** This part 2-8 applies to electrically operated water valves for use in, on or in association with equipment for household and similar use that may use electricity, gas, oil, solid fuel, solar thermal energy, etc. or a combination thereof, including heating, air-conditioning and similar applications. The equipment may use electricity, gas, oil, solid fuel, solar thermal energy, etc., or a combination thereof.
- **1.1.1** This part 2-8 applies to the inherent safety, to the operating values, operating times and operating sequences where such are associated with equipment—protection safety, and to the testing of automatic electrical controls devices used in, on or in association with, household and similar equipment.
- **1.1.2** This part 2-8 contains requirements for electrical features of water valves and requirements for mechanical features of valves that affect their intended operation.

This part 2-8 is also applicable to electrically operated water valves for appliances within the scope of IEC 60335.

Electrically operated valves for equipment not intended for normal household use but which may nevertheless be used by the public, such as equipment intended to be used by laymen in shops, in light industry and on farms, are within the scope of this part 2-8.

This part 2-8 does not apply to:

- electrically operated water valves of nominal connection size above DN 50;
- electrically operated water valves for admissible nominal pressure rating above 1,6 MPa;
- food dispensers;
- detergent dispensers;
- steam valves;
- electrically operated water valves designed exclusively for industrial applications.
- **1.1.2** Throughout this part 2-8, where it can be used unambiguously, the term:
- "valve" is used to denote an electrically operated water valve (including actuator and valve body assembly);
- "actuator" means "electrically operated mechanism or prime mover";
- "valve body" means "valve body assembly";
- "equipment" includes "appliance" and "control system".

- **1.1.3** This part 2-8 also applies to actuators and to valve bodies which are designed to be fitted to each other.
- **1.1.4** This part 2-8 applies to individual valves, valves utilized as part of a system and valves mechanically integral with multi-functional controls having non-electrical outputs.

NOTE Attention is drawn to the fact that, in many countries, additional test requirements and by-laws have been established by the water authorities or companies.

1.5 Normative references

This clause of part 1 is applicable except as follows:

Addition:

IEC 60335 (all parts), Household and similar electrical appliances – Safety

IEC 60730-1:2010, Automatic electrical controls - Part 1: General requirements

ISO 7-1:1994, Pipe threads where pressure-tight joints are made on the threads – Part 1: Dimensions, tolerances and designation

ISO 65:1981, Carbon steel tubes suitable for screwing in accordance with ISO 7-1

ISO 228-1:1994, Pipe threads where pressure-tight joints are not made on the threads – Part 1: Dimensions, tolerances and designation

ISO 630:1995, Structural steels – Plates, wide flats, bars sections and profiles

ISO 1179:1981, Pipe connections threaded to ISO 228-1 for plain end steel and other metal tubes in industrial applications

ISO 1179-1, Connections for general use and fluid power – Ports and stud ends with ISO 228-1 threads with elastomeric or metal-to-metal sealing – Part 1:Threaded ports

ISO 4144:1979, Pipework – Stainless steel fittings threaded in accordance with ISO 7-1

ISO 4400:1994, Fluid power systems and components – Three-pin electrical plug connectors with earth contact – Characteristics and requirements

ISO 6952:1994, Fluid power systems and components – Two-pin electrical plug connectors with earth contact – Characteristics and requirements

2 Definitions

This clause of part 1 is applicable, except as follows:

2.2 Definitions of types of control according to purpose