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Foreword

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1 Scope

This European Standard specifies the requirements, test methods, marking, information supplied by the manufacturer and packaging for lanyards. Lanyards conforming to this European Standard are used as connecting elements or components in personal fall protection systems (i.e. restraint systems, work positioning systems, rope access systems, fall arrest systems and rescue systems).

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 362, *Personal protective equipment against falls from a height — Connectors*

EN 363:2008, *Personal fall protection equipment — Personal fall protection systems*

EN 364:1992, *Personal protective equipment against falls from a height — Test methods*

EN 365, *Personal protective equipment against falls from a height — General requirements for instructions for use, maintenance, periodic examination, repair, marking and packaging*

EN 892, *Mountaineering equipment — Dynamic mountaineering ropes — Safety requirements and test methods*

EN ISO 9227, *Corrosion tests in artificial atmospheres — Salt spray tests (ISO 9227:2006)*

ISO 1835, *Short link chain for lifting purposes — Grade M (4), non-calibrated, for chain slings etc.*

ISO 2232, *Round drawn wire for general purpose non-alloy steel wire ropes and for large diameter steel wire ropes — Specifications*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this European Standard, the terms and definitions given in EN 363:2008 and the following definitions apply.

3.1
lanyard
flexible connecting element or component of a personal fall protection system with at least two terminations, with or without a length adjustment device

NOTE 1 This includes round slings.

NOTE 2 A lanyard may be made, for example, from synthetic fibre rope or webbing, wire rope or chain.

3.2
termination
part of a lanyard for connecting to other elements or components of a personal fall protection system

NOTE A termination may be, for example, a spliced eye, a sewn loop, or a metal ring.

3.3
personal fall protection system
assembly of components for protection against falls from a height, including a body holding device and an attachment system, which can be connected to a reliable anchorage point