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d.c. earthing switches**

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This part 4 is to be used in conjunction with EN 50123-1:1995, Railway applications - Fixed installations - D.C. switchgear - Part 1: General.

Annexes designated "normative" are part of the body of the standard.
Annexes designated "informative" are given for information only.
In this standard, annex A is normative and annex B is informative.

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1 Scope

This Part of EN 50123 specifies requirements for outdoor d.c. switch-disconnectors, disconnectors and earthing switches for use in outdoor fixed installations of traction systems.

NOTE 1: EN 50121-5 specifies requirements for electromagnetic compatibility (EMC).

NOTE 2: EN 50126 specifies requirements for dependability.

NOTE 3: In this document the word "unit" means " switch-disconnector and/or disconnector and/or earthing switch" as defined in 3.1.3, 3.1.4 and 3.1.5 of EN 50123-1:1995.

2 Normative references

This European Standard incorporates by dated or undated reference, provisions from other publications. These normative references are cited at the appropriate places in the text and the publications are listed hereafter. For dated references, subsequent amendments to or revisions of any of these publications apply to this European Standard only when incorporated in it by amendment or revision. For undated references the latest edition of the publication referred to applies (including amendments).

The normative references given in EN 50123-1:1995 apply with the following additions:

EN 50123-2	1995	Railway applications - Fixed installations - D.C. switchgear Part 2: D.C. circuit breakers
EN 50123-6	1998	Railway applications - Fixed installations - D.C. switchgear Part 6: D.C. switchgear assemblies
EN 50125	series	Railway Applications - Environmental conditions for equipment
EN 60129	1994	Alternating current disconnectors and earthing switches (IEC 60129:1986)
EN 60529	1991	Degrees of protection provided by enclosures (IP Code) (IEC 60529:1989)
EN 60694	1996	Common specifications for high-voltage switchgear and controlgear standards (IEC 60694:1996)
HD 588.1 S1	1991	High voltage test techniques - Part 1: General definitions and test requirements (IEC 60060-1:1989)

3 Definitions

The definitions given in EN 50123-1:1995 apply.