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Part 1: Requirements for materials, sterile barrier
systems and packaging systems (ISO 11607-1:2006,
including Amd 1:2014)

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Emballages des dispositifs médicaux stérilisés au stade
terminal - Partie 1: Exigences relatives aux matériaux,
aux systèmes de barrière stérile et aux systèmes
d'emballage (ISO 11607-1:2006, y compris Amd
1:2014)

Verpackungen für in der Endverpackung zu
sterilisierende Medizinprodukte - Teil 1:
Anforderungen an Materialien, Sterilbarrieresysteme
und Verpackungssysteme (ISO 11607-1:2006,
einschließlich Amd 1:2014)

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European foreword

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For relationship with EU Directive(s), see informative Annex ZA, Annex ZB, and Annex ZC, which are an integral part of this document.

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Table — Correlation between normative references and dated EN and ISO standards

| Normative references as listed in Clause 2 of the ISO standard | Equivalent dated standard | |
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| | EN | ISO or IEC |
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Annex ZA (informative)

Relationship between this European Standard and the essential requirements of Directive 93/42/EEC [OJ L 169] aimed to be covered

This European Standard has been prepared under a Commission's standardization request M/023 concerning the development of European standards relating to medical devices to provide one voluntary means of conforming to essential requirements of Council Directive 93/42/EEC of 14 June 1993 concerning medical devices [OJ L 169].

Once this standard is cited in the Official Journal of the European Union under that Directive and has been implemented as a national standard in at least one Member State, compliance with the normative clauses of this standard given in Table ZA.1 confers, within the limits of the scope of this standard, a presumption of conformity with the corresponding essential requirements of that Directive and associated EFTA regulations.

NOTE 1 Where a reference from a clause of this standard to the risk management process is made, the risk management process needs to be in compliance with Directive 93/42/EEC as amended by 2007/47/EC. This means that risks have to be reduced 'as far as possible', 'to a minimum', 'to the lowest possible level', 'minimized' or 'removed', according to the wording of the corresponding essential requirement.

NOTE 2 The manufacturer's policy for determining **acceptable risk** must be in compliance with Essential Requirements 1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11 and 12 of the Directive.

NOTE 3 This Annex ZA is based on normative references according to the table of references in the European foreword, replacing the references in the core text.

NOTE 4 When an Essential Requirement does not appear in Table ZA.1, it means that it is not addressed by this European Standard.

Table ZA.1 — Correspondence between this European Standard and Annex I of Directive 93/42/EEC [OJ L 169]

| Essential Requirements of Directive 93/42/EEC | Clause(s)/sub-clause(s) of this EN | Remarks/Notes |
|---|---------------------------------------|---|
| 8.1 | 6.1.1, 6.1.2, 6.1.4, 6.2.2 | E.R. 8.1 is covered only in respect of the function of the sterile barrier system(s) to protect the sterility of the device from the point of sterilisation to the point of use and to allow for aseptic presentation but only if the requirements of EN ISO 11607-2:2006/A1:2014 are met as well (Validation requirements for forming, sealing and assembling processes) |
| 8.3 | 4.4, 5.2, 6.1.2, 6.1.4, 6.1.6, 6.2.2, | E.R. 8.3 is covered only in |

| Essential Requirements of Directive 93/42/EEC | Clause(s)/sub-clause(s) of this EN | Remarks/Notes |
|---|--|--|
| | 6.3.1, 6.3.4, 6.3.5, 6.4.1, 6.4.2, 6.4.3, 6.4.6, 6.4.7 | respect of the function of sterile barrier system(s) to protect the sterility of the device from the point of sterilisation to the point of use and to allow for aseptic presentation but only if the requirements of EN ISO 11607-2:2006/A1:2014 are met as well (Validation requirements for forming, sealing and assembling processes) In this respect damage to the “protective packaging” is taken to mean damage to or loss of integrity of the sterile barrier system only. |
| 8.4 | 4.4, 5.3.1, 5.3.3, 5.3.5, 6.1.2, 6.1.4, 6.1.6, 6.2.2, 6.3.1, 6.3.4, 6.3.5, 6.4.1, 6.4.2, 6.4.3, 6.4.6, 6.4.7 | E.R. 8.4 is covered only in respect of the compatibility between the packaging and the selected sterilisation processes including packaging system performance testing and sterile barrier system stability testing, but only if the requirements of EN ISO 11607-2:2006/A1:2014 are met as well (Validation requirements for forming, sealing and assembling processes) |

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WARNING 2 — Other Union legislation may be applicable to the products falling within the scope of this standard.

Annex ZB (informative)

Relationship between this European Standard and the essential requirements of Directive 90/385/EEC [OJ L 189] aimed to be covered

This European Standard has been prepared under a Commission's standardization request M/432 to provide one voluntary means of conforming to essential requirements of Council Directive 90/385/EEC of 20 June 1990 on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to active implantable medical devices [OJ L 189].

Once this standard is cited in the Official Journal of the European Union under that Directive, compliance with the normative clauses of this standard given in Table ZB.1 confers, within the limits of the scope of this standard, a presumption of conformity with the corresponding essential requirements of that Directive and associated EFTA regulations.

NOTE 1 Where a reference from a clause of this standard to the risk management process is made, the risk management process needs to be in compliance with Directive 90/385/EEC as amended by 2007/47/EC. This means that risks have to be reduced 'as far as possible', 'to a minimum', 'to the lowest possible level', 'minimized' or 'removed', according to the wording of the corresponding essential requirement.

NOTE 2 The manufacturer's policy for determining **acceptable risk** must be in compliance with Essential Requirements 1, 4, 5, 8, 9 and 10 of the Directive.

NOTE 3 This Annex ZB is based on normative references according to the table of references in the European foreword, replacing the references in the core text.

NOTE 4 When an Essential Requirement does not appear in Table ZB.1, it means that it is not addressed by this European Standard.

Table ZB.1 — Correspondence between this European Standard and Annex I of Directive 90/385/EEC [OJ L 189]

| Essential Requirements of Directive 90/385/EEC | Clause(s)/sub-clause(s) of this EN | Remarks/Notes |
|--|---|---|
| 7 | 6.1.4, 6.1.6, 6.2.2, 6.3.1, 6.3.4, 6.3.5, 6.4.1, 6.4.2, 6.4.3, 6.4.6, 6.4.7 | E.R. 7 is covered only in respect of the function of sterile barrier system(s) to protect the sterility of the device from the point of sterilisation to the point of use and to allow for aseptic presentation but only if the requirements of EN ISO 11607-2:2006/A1:2014 are met as well (Validation requirements for forming, sealing and assembling processes) |

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