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This second edition cancels and replaces the first edition published in 2012. This edition constitutes a technical revision.

This edition includes the following significant technical changes with respect to the previous edition:

- a) The material classes and exemption lists capabilities have been improved.
- b) The introduction and scope have new diagrams and information to give a better overview of the standard and identify what information is mandatory, optional or conditionally mandatory.
- c) Definitions have been added. Minimum requirements to be in conformance with the IEC 62474 standard are defined, including XML format as the officially accepted format. By defining an authority, list identity and list version, the standard format could be used for lists other than the IEC 62474 database.

- d) Terms have been aligned for consistency throughout the document. For example, the “IEC 62474 database” was previously referred to as “IEC 62474 database”, “IEC 62474”, “IEC 62474 Database”, “IEC 62474 DB”.
- e) The annexes have been removed as they are now contained within documents managed by the validation team 62474 (VT 62474). Annex A (Annex B in the previous edition) is provided for non-XML users as a reference only.

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INTRODUCTION

This document benefits the electrotechnical industry by establishing requirements for reporting of material declaration data, standardizing protocols, and facilitating the transfer and processing of data. Material declarations are used by the electrotechnical industry to track and declare specific product information used for compliance and/or environmentally conscious design (ECD) considerations. To simplify requirements across the supply chain and to improve economic efficiencies, it is important to standardize the exchange of product, product part, material and substance data, and provide requirements within material declarations.

IEC 62474 is made of two parts: this document, which contains requirements for material declarations and a database containing information such as a declarable substance list (DSL), exemption list and data exchange format (see Clause 8).

This document defines the two most common types of material declarations and their requirements:

- 1) Declaration for compliance – is always at a product level in reference to the list of declarable substances and declarable substance groups within the IEC 62474 declarable substance list (DSL).
- 2) Composition declaration – is the much more detailed product part level reporting down to individual substances contained within the IEC 62474 DSL.

The IEC 62474 database is maintained by the validation team (VT 62474) which updates information in the IEC 62474 database based on requirements specified in the IEC 62474 standard (see Clause 8).

By fulfilling the requirements of the IEC 62474 standard and based on the information from the IEC 62474 database, two types of declaration can be created as shown in Figure 1 below.

- a declaration for compliance which is the information required to determine product compliance with substance regulations and market needs (see 4.4);
- a composition declaration that is the information required to assess where declarable substances above threshold are contained in the product (see 4.5).

The transmission of information in the supply chain can be done in two modes:

- Distribution mode: The supplier provides material declaration data about their product(s) to a recipient.
- Requester/responder mode: The requester determines the type of material declaration(s) the responder will provide.

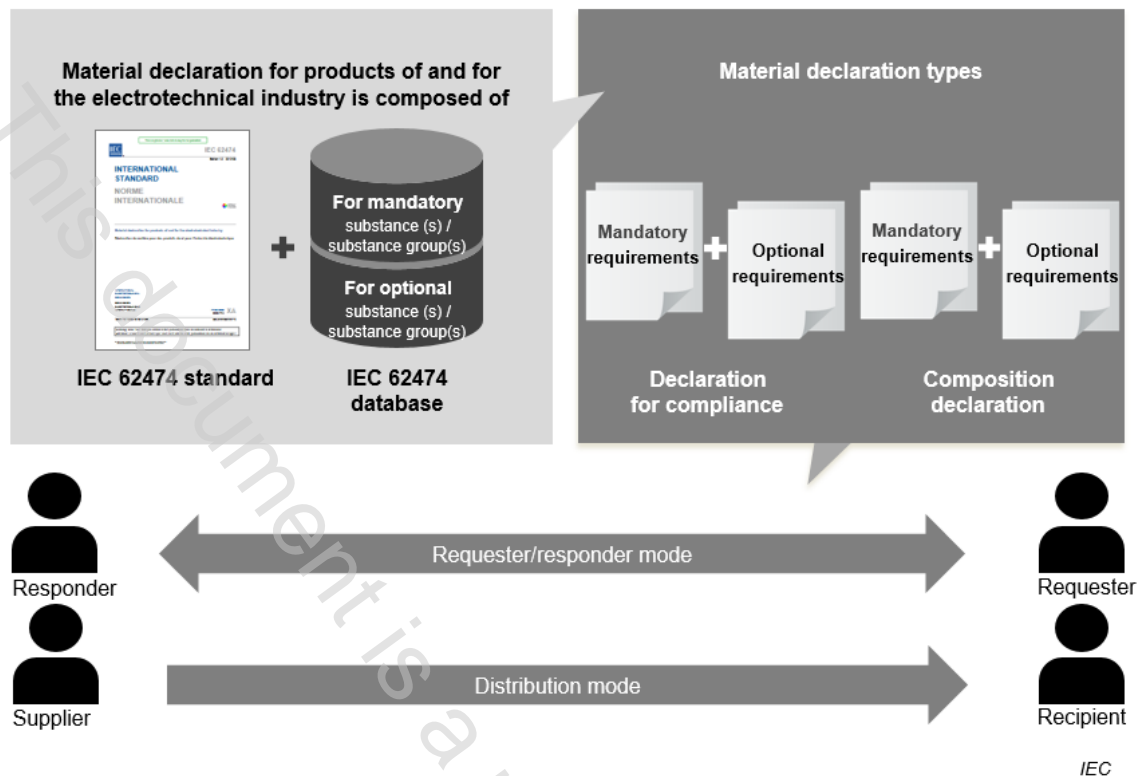


Figure 1 – IEC 62474 principles

The IEC 62474 principles are determined in the following clauses:

- Clause 4 specifies requirements for material declarations.
- Clause 5 specifies the criteria and thresholds for declarable substances (DSs), declarable substance groups (DSGs) and material classes in the IEC 62474 database.
- Clause 6 specifies the criteria for exemption lists in the IEC 62474 database.
- Clause 7 specifies the IEC 62474 database data format and exchange requirements with further information in Annex A (informative).
- Clause 8 specifies the IEC 62474 database maintenance process.