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<u>Publication</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>EN/HD</u>	<u>Year</u>
IEC 60601-1	2005	Medical electrical equipment - Part 1: General requirements for basic safety and essential performance	EN 60601-1	2006
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IEC/TR 60788	2004	Medical electrical equipment - Glossary of defined terms	-	-

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## ELECTRICAL AND LOADING CHARACTERISTICS OF X-RAY TUBE ASSEMBLIES FOR MEDICAL DIAGNOSIS

### 1 Scope

This International Standard applies to X-RAY TUBE ASSEMBLIES either with a rotating ANODE X-RAY TUBE or a stationary ANODE X-RAY TUBE, intended for use in medical diagnosis.

For an X-RAY TUBE HEAD, its X-RAY TUBE ASSEMBLY aspects are also within the scope.

This International Standard covers performance-related definitions and conditions of electrical and LOADING characteristics of X-RAY TUBE ASSEMBLIES in relation to their behaviour during and after energization and, where appropriate, methods of presentation and measurement of these characteristics. This International Standard is therefore relevant for the MANUFACTURER and the RESPONSIBLE ORGANIZATION.

NOTE "Measurement" in this standard is always related to practical use. Consequently, "measurement" is meant to consume only a negligible part of the life of the X-RAY TUBE ASSEMBLY.

### 2 Normative references

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IEC 60601-1:2005, *Medical electrical equipment – Part 1: General requirements for basic safety and essential performance*

IEC 60601-1-3:2008, *Medical electrical equipment – Part 1-3: General requirements for basic safety and essential performance – Collateral Standard: Radiation protection in diagnostic X-ray equipment*

IEC/TR 60788:2004, *Medical electrical equipment – Glossary of defined terms* (available only in English)

### 3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in IEC/TR 60788:2004, IEC 60601-1:2005 and IEC 60601-1-3:2008 and the following apply.

#### 3.1

##### **X-RAY TUBE VOLTAGE**

potential difference applied to an X-RAY TUBE between the ANODE and the CATHODE. Usually X-RAY TUBE VOLTAGE is expressed by its peak value in kilovolts (kV)

[IEC 60601-1-3:2008, 3.88]

#### 3.2

##### **NOMINAL X-RAY TUBE VOLTAGE**

highest permitted X-RAY TUBE VOLTAGE for SPECIFIC operating conditions

[IEC 60601-1-3:2008, 3.42]