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- a) deletion of reference to EU Directive 67/548/EEC of June 27, 1967 in order to take into account the latest Regulation in force (see [3]);
- b) Subclause 6.2 – updating of risk and safety labelling according to EU Regulation [3] and its latest Adaptations to Technical Progress).

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Introduction

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- 1) this document provides no information as to whether the product may be used without restriction in any of the Member States of the EU or EFTA;
- 2) it should be noted that, while awaiting the adoption of verifiable European criteria, existing national regulations concerning the use and/or the characteristics of this product remain in force.

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NOTE 2 This product is a biocide and needs to comply with the relevant legislation in force. In the European Union, at the time of publication, this legislation is REGULATION (EU) No 528/2012 [2]).

1 Scope

This European Standard is applicable to chlorine dioxide generated on site for treatment of water intended for human consumption. It describes the characteristics for chlorine dioxide and specifies the composition and the corresponding test methods for chlorine dioxide. It gives information on its use in water treatment. It also determines the rules relating to safe handling and use of chlorine dioxide generated on site (see Annex B).

2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN ISO 3696, *Water for analytical laboratory use — Specification and test methods (ISO 3696)*

ISO 3165, *Sampling of chemical products for industrial use — Safety in sampling*

ISO 6206, *Chemical products for industrial use — Sampling — Vocabulary*

3 Description

3.1 Identification

3.1.1 Chemical name

Chlorine dioxide.

3.1.2 Synonym or common name

None.

3.1.3 Relative molecular mass

67,46.

3.1.4 Empirical formula

ClO₂.

3.1.5 Chemical formula

O=Cl=O (resonance structure).

3.1.6 CAS Registry Number ¹⁾

10049-04-4.

3.1.7 EINECS reference ²⁾

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1) Chemical Abstracts Service Registry Number.

2) European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances.