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Household and similar electrical appliances - Safety

Part 2-7: Particular requirements for washing machines



National foreword

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Household and similar electrical appliances - Safety - Part 2-7: Particular requirements for washing machines (IEC 60335-2-7:2008, modified)

Appareils électrodomestiques et analogues - Sécurité -Partie 2-7: Règles particulières pour les machines à laver le linge (IEC 60335-2-7:2008, modifiée) Sicherheit elektrischer Geräte für den Hausgebrauch und ähnliche Zwecke - Teil 2-7: Besondere Anforderungen für Waschmaschinen (IEC 60335-2-7:2008, modifiziert)

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European foreword

The text of document 61/3564/FDIS, future edition 7 of IEC 60335-2-7, prepared by IEC Technical Committee 61, Safety of household and similar electrical appliances, was submitted to the IEC-CENELEC parallel vote.

A draft amendment was prepared by the Technical Committee CENELEC TC 61, Safety of household and similar electrical appliances. It was discussed during the meetings of CENELEC TC 61 in Malaga in June 2007, in Berlin in November 2007, in Kista in June 2008 and in London in December 2008, when it was decided to submit a draft for an amendment to the Unique Acceptance Procedure.

The combined texts were approved by CENELEC as EN 60335-2-7 on 2009-11-01.

This European Standard supersedes EN 60335-2-7:2003 + corr. July 2003 + A1:2004 + A2:2006.

The principal changes compared to EN 60335-2-7:2003 are as follows (minor changes are not listed):

- the text of some notes has been converted to normative text;
- the spillage test has been made applicable to all washing machines (15.2);
- additional requirements concerning the accessibility of mechanical release mechanisms have been added (22.105);
- requirements for washing machines employing an electrolyte, instead of detergent, have been introduced in Annex CC.

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(dop) 2010-11-01

 date on which national standards conflicting with the EN have to be withdrawn

(dow) 2014-11-01

This part 2 has to be used in conjunction with EN 60335-1, Household and similar electrical appliances – Safety – Part 1: General requirements. It was established on the basis of the 2002 edition of that standard. Amendments and revisions of Part 1 have also to be taken into account and the dates when such changes become applicable will be stated in the relevant amendment or revision of Part 1.

This part 2 supplements or modifies the corresponding clauses of EN 60335-1, so as to convert it into the European Standard: Safety requirements for electric washing machines.

When a particular subclause of Part 1 is not mentioned in this part 2, that subclause applies as far as is reasonable. When this standard states "addition", "modification" or "replacement", the relevant text of Part 1 is to be adapted accordingly.

NOTE 1 The following numbering system is used:

- subclauses, tables and figures that are numbered starting from 101 are additional to those in Part 1;
- unless notes are in a new subclause or involve notes in Part 1, they are numbered starting from 101, including those in a replaced clause or subclause;
- additional annexes are lettered AA, BB, etc.;
- subclauses, notes and annexes that are additional to those in the IEC standard are prefixed with the letter Z.

NOTE 2 The following print types are used:

- requirements: in roman type;
- test specifications: in italic type;
- notes: in small roman type.

Words in bold in the text are defined in Clause 3. When a definition concerns an adjective, the adjective and the associated noun are also in bold.

There are no special national conditions causing a deviation from this European Standard, other than those listed in Annex ZA to EN 60335-1.

There are no national deviations from this European Standard, other than those listed in Annex ZB to EN 60335-1.

p NOTE In this document, p is used in the margin to indicate instructions for preparing the printed version.

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The text of the International Standard IEC 60335-2-7:2008 was approved by CENELEC as a European Standard with agreed common modifications as given below.

Foreword to amendment A1

The text of document 61/4279/FDIS, future edition 1 of IEC 60335-2-7:2008/A1, prepared by IEC TC 61 "Safety of household and similar electrical appliances" was submitted to the IEC-CENELEC parallel vote and approved by CENELEC as EN 60335-2-7:2010/A1:2013.

A draft amendment, which covers common modifications to IEC 60335-2-7:2008/A1:2011, was prepared by CLC/TC 61 "Safety of household and similar electrical appliances" and approved by CENELEC.

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 latest date by which the national (dow) 2015-11-20 standards conflicting with this document have to be withdrawn

This amendment supplements or modifies the corresponding clauses of EN 60335-1:2012 and EN 60335-2-7:2010.

Endorsement notice

The text of the International Standard IEC 60335-2-7:2008/A1:2011 was approved by CENELEC as a European Standard with agreed common modifications.

In the Bibliography of EN 60335-2-7:2010, delete the following note:

ISO 13732-1 NOTE Harmonized as EN ISO 13732-1.

Foreword to amendment A11

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- latest date by which the national standards conflicting with (dow) 2014-11-21 this document have to be withdrawn

This amendment supplements or modifies the corresponding clauses of EN 60335-1:2012 and its amendments, EN 60335-2-7:2010 and EN 60335-2-7:2010/A1:2013.

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This standard covers the Principle Elements of the Safety Objectives for Electrical Equipment Designed for Use within Certain Voltage Limits (LVD - 2006/95/EC).

Foreword to amendment A2

This document (EN 60335-2-7:2010/A2:2019) consists of the text of IEC 60335-2-7:2008/A2:2016 prepared by IEC/TC 61 "Safety of household and similar electrical appliances", together with the common modifications prepared by CLC/TC 61 "Safety of household and similar electrical appliances".

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- latest date by which the national standards (dow) 2022-11-01 conflicting with this document have to be withdrawn

This amendment supplements or modifies the corresponding clauses of the standards below:

- EN 60335-1:2012 + A11:2014 + A13:2017 (Part 1)
- EN 60335-2-7:2010 + A1:2013 + A11:2013 (Part 2)

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