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## MEDICAL ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT –

### Part 2-45: Particular requirements for the safety of mammographic X-ray equipment and mammographic stereotactic devices

#### SECTION 1: GENERAL

The clauses and subclauses of this section of the General Standard apply except as follows:

#### 1 Scope and object

This clause of the General Standard applies except as follows:

##### 1.1 Scope

*Addition:*

This Particular Standard contains requirements for the safety of X-RAY EQUIPMENT designed for mammography and MAMMOGRAPHIC STEREOTACTIC DEVICES. The safety requirements for the X-RAY GENERATOR and its sub-assemblies form an integral part of this standard.

##### 1.2 Object

*Replacement:*

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- 1 to formulate appropriate design and manufacturing requirements for the safety of mammographic X-RAY EQUIPMENT and MAMMOGRAPHIC STEREOTACTIC DEVICES, reflecting the particular characteristics and circumstances of use of such equipment;
- 2 to establish particular requirements to ensure safety and to specify methods for demonstrating compliance with those requirements.

NOTE 1 Requirements for reproducibility, linearity, constancy and accuracy are given because of their relationship to the quality and quantity of the IONIZING RADIATION produced and are confined to those considered necessary for safety.

NOTE 2 Both the levels for compliance and the tests prescribed to determine compliance reflect the fact that the safety of HIGH-VOLTAGE GENERATORS is not sensitive to small differences in levels of performance. The combinations of LOADING FACTORS specified for the tests are therefore limited in number but chosen from experience as being appropriate in most cases. It is considered important to standardize the choice of combinations of LOADING FACTORS so that comparison can be made between tests performed in different places on different occasions. However, combinations other than those specified could be of equal technical validity.

NOTE 3 The safety philosophy on which this standard is based is described in the introduction to the General Standard and in IEC 60513.

NOTE 4 Concerning RADIOLOGICAL PROTECTION it has been assumed in the preparation of this standard that MANUFACTURERS and USERS do accept the general principles of the International Commission on Radiological Protection (ICRP) as stated in ICRP 60, 1990, paragraph 112,<sup>1)</sup> namely:

"(a) No practice involving exposures to radiation should be adopted unless it produces sufficient benefit to the exposed individuals or to society to offset the radiation detriment it causes. (The justification of a practice.)

(b) In relation to any particular source within a practice, the magnitude of individual doses, the number of people exposed and the likelihood of incurring exposures where these are not certain to be received should all be kept as low as reasonably achievable, economic and social factors being taken into account. This procedure should be constrained by restrictions on the doses to individuals (dose constraints), or the risks to individuals in the case of potential exposures (risk constraints), so as to limit the inequity likely to result from the inherent economic and social judgements. (The optimisation of protection.)

(c) The exposure of individuals resulting from the combination of all the relevant practices should be subject to dose limits, or to some control of risk in the case of potential exposures. These are aimed at ensuring that no individual is exposed to radiation risks that are judged to be unacceptable from these practices in any normal circumstances. Not all sources are susceptible of control by action at the source and it is necessary to specify the sources to be included as relevant before selecting a dose limit. (Individual dose and risk limits.)"

NOTE 5 Most of the requirements on X-RAY EQUIPMENT and its sub-assemblies for protection against IONIZING RADIATION are given in the Collateral Standard IEC 60601-1-3.

This standard does, however, deal with some aspects of RADIOLOGICAL PROTECTION, mainly those that depend upon the supply, control and indication of electrical energy from the HIGH-VOLTAGE GENERATOR.

NOTE 6 It is recognized that many of the judgements necessary to follow the ICRP general principles have to be made by the USER and not by the MANUFACTURER of the EQUIPMENT.

### 1.3 Particular standards

Addition:

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This Particular Standard, hereinafter referred to as "this standard", amends and supplements a set of IEC publications, hereinafter referred to as "General Standard", consisting of IEC 60601-1: 1988, *Medical electrical equipment – Part 1: General requirements for safety*, its amendments 1 (1991) and 2 (1995) and all Collateral Standards. <https://standards.iteh.ai/catalog/standards/sist-en-60601-2-45-2002>

The numbering of sections, clauses and subclauses of this standard corresponds to that of the General Standard. The changes to the text of the General Standard are specified by the use of the following words:

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Subclauses or figures which are additional to those of the General Standard are numbered starting from 101, additional annexes are lettered AA, BB, etc., and additional items aa), bb), etc.

<sup>1)</sup> ICRP Publication 60: *Recommendations of the International Commission on Radiological Protection (Annals of the ICRP Vol. 21 No 1-3, 1990)*. Published by Pergamon Press.

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A requirement of this standard replacing or modifying requirements of the General Standard takes precedence over the original requirements concerned.

### 1.3.101 Related International Standards

IEC 60601-2-28:1993, *Medical electrical equipment – Part 2: Particular requirements for the safety of X-ray source assemblies and X-ray tube assemblies for medical diagnosis*

IEC 60664-1:1992, *Insulation coordination for equipment within low-voltage systems – Part 1: Principles, requirements and tests*

IEC 60788:1984, *Medical radiology – Terminology*

IEC 61223-3-2:1996, *Evaluation and routine testing in medical imaging departments – Part 3-2: Acceptance tests – Imaging performance of mammographic X-RAY EQUIPMENT*

ISO 497:1973, *Guide to the choice of series of preferred numbers and of series containing more rounded values of preferred numbers*

## 2 Terminology and definitions

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This clause of the General Standard applies, except as follows:

Associated conditions qualifying the usage of certain terms are given in 2.102.

- a) In this standard unless otherwise indicated:
  - values of X-RAY TUBE VOLTAGE refer to peak values, transients being disregarded;
  - values of X-RAY TUBE CURRENT refer to average values.
- b) The electric power in the high-voltage circuit mentioned in 6.8.2 a) 3) and 6.8.2 a) 4) is calculated according to the formula:

$$P = f U I$$

where

$P$  is the electric power;

$f$  is the factor depending on the waveform of the X-RAY TUBE VOLTAGE, selected as below and is:

- a) 0,95 for SIX-PEAK HIGH-VOLTAGE GENERATORS; or
- b) 1,00 for TWELVE-PEAK HIGH-VOLTAGE GENERATORS and CONSTANT POTENTIAL high-voltage generators; or
- c) for other HIGH-VOLTAGE GENERATORS, the most appropriate value, 0,95 or 1,00, chosen according to the waveform of the X-RAY TUBE VOLTAGE, with a statement of the value selected;

$U$  is the X-RAY TUBE VOLTAGE;

$I$  is the X-RAY TUBE CURRENT.

## 2.101 Additional definitions

In this standard, terms printed in SMALL CAPITALS are used in accordance with their definitions either in the General Standard, in this standard, in IEC 60788 or in other IEC standards referenced in annex AA.

NOTE Attention is drawn to the fact that, in cases where the concept addressed is not strongly confined to the definition given in one of the publications listed above, a corresponding term is printed in lower case letters.

An index of defined terms used in this standard is given in annex AA.

For the purposes of this standard, the following additional definitions apply.

**2.101.1** Not used.

### 2.101.2

#### **MAMMOGRAPHIC STEREOTACTIC DEVICE**

device for three-dimensional localization of a point within the breast, and for mechanically guided placement of a needle or position marker for such purposes as fine-needle aspiration, core biopsy and pre-surgical localization. The localization is based on radiographic images of an immobilized breast acquired at different known angles. Such a device may be a dedicated system or an ACCESSORY for mammographic X-RAY EQUIPMENT

### 2.101.3

#### **CORE BIOPSY GUN**

automatic needle device for performing core biopsy

### 2.101.4

#### **DIRECT FOCAL DISTANCE**

shortest distance from the X-RAY IMAGE RECEPTOR to the position of the FOCAL SPOT

## 2.102 Qualifying conditions for defined terms

### 2.102.1

#### **operating conditions for NOMINAL X-RAY TUBE VOLTAGE**

NOMINAL X-RAY TUBE VOLTAGE is defined in IEC 60788 (rm-36-03) as the highest permitted X-RAY TUBE VOLTAGE for specific operating conditions. In this standard, if specific operating conditions are not stated, it is to be assumed that the value referenced is unconditional and is thus the highest X-RAY TUBE VOLTAGE permitted for NORMAL USE of the item under consideration. Such a value cannot be higher, but is sometimes lower, than values permitted for certain separate sub-assemblies or parts of the item

### 2.102.2

#### **PERCENTAGE RIPPLE in CONSTANT POTENTIAL HIGH-VOLTAGE GENERATORS**

Unless otherwise stated, it is to be assumed that for a HIGH-VOLTAGE GENERATOR to be regarded as a CONSTANT POTENTIAL HIGH-VOLTAGE GENERATOR, the PERCENTAGE RIPPLE of its output voltage (under the relevant conditions) does not exceed 4

### 2.102.3

#### **RADIATION QUANTITY for NOMINAL SHORTEST IRRADIATION TIME**

The definition of NOMINAL SHORTEST IRRADIATION TIME refers to a required constancy of a RADIATION QUANTITY. In this standard the RADIATION QUANTITY concerned is AIR KERMA