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International Standard IEC 60436 has been prepared by subcommittee 59A: Electric dishwashers, of IEC technical committee 59: Performance of household electrical appliances.

This edition constitutes a technical revision and includes the following significant technical changes with respect to the previous edition:

- a) Addition of a specification of the reference dishwasher G1222, addition of the microwave oven 752C, inclusion of standby/low power modes and updated cutlery and tableware items.
- b) Combined cleaning and drying: combining the cleaning and drying performance evaluations into one test, along with the energy and water consumption evaluation, prevents an opportunity for circumvention if tests were performed separately. A dishwasher can detect whether soil is present (cleaning evaluation) or not (drying evaluation) and adjust the cycle to favour performance; combining the tests addresses this.
- c) New dish load items: new dish load items were incorporated which reflect consumer use. New items are: stainless pots, coffee mugs, melamine plastic items, and glass bowl. The new load items provide different shapes which challenge a dishwasher water spray patterns and provide additional surfaces for soil removal assessment.
- d) Detergent: a new detergent “D” is specified which mirrors current tablet formulations available on the market. Detergent type D is phosphate free, with percarbonate instead of perborate bleach and more active enzymes.
- e) Repeatability and reproducibility improvements.
- f) Addition of annexes for the evaluation of soil sensing programmes, rinsing performance, dishwasher filtration and of an annex on the inlet water temperature influence on energy consumption.

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- A Document for Comment (59A/155/DC) was published May 2011. Review of responses (59A/164/INF) began during the Melbourne Australia meeting in October 2011.
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- A second Committee Draft (59A/175/CD) was published May 2013. Review of responses (59A/177/CC) began during the New Delhi India meeting in October 2013.
- Committee Documents for Vote (59A/183/CDV and 59A/184/CDV) were published June 2014. 59A/183/CDV (fragment 1) contained the complete edition 4, except for some Annex U content; 59A/184/CDV (fragment 2) contained additional Annex U content. Review of responses (59A/190b/RVC and 59A/191b/RVC for fragments 1 and 2) began during the Tokyo Japan meeting in October 2014.
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1 Scope

This International Standard applies to electric **dishwashers** for household and similar use that are supplied with hot and/or cold water.

The object is to state and define the principal performance characteristics of electric **dishwashers** for household and similar use and to describe the standard methods of measuring these characteristics.

This standard is concerned neither with safety nor with minimum performance requirements.

2 Normative references

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ISO 607, *Surface active agents and detergents – Methods of sample division*

ISO 80000-1:2009, *Quantities and Units – Part 1: General*

3 Terms, definitions and symbols

3.1 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

3.1.1

dishwasher

machine that cleans, rinses and dries **tableware** by chemical, mechanical, thermal, and electric means

Note 1 to entry: A **dishwasher** can have a specific drying **operation** at the end of the **programme**.

Note 2 to entry: Different **dishwasher** types are designated by manufacturers e.g. **free-standing**, **built-in** or **integrated**.

3.1.2

free-standing dishwasher

dishwasher which is intended to be installed without an enclosing structure