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SAFETY –**

**Part 2-113: Particular requirements for ~~cosmetic and~~ beauty care
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In this Redline version, a vertical line in the margin shows where the technical content is modified by amendment 1. Additions are in green text, deletions are in strikethrough red text. A separate Final version with all changes accepted is available in this publication.

IEC 60335-2-113 has been prepared by IEC technical committee 61: Safety of household and similar electrical appliances.

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This part 2 is to be used in conjunction with the latest edition of IEC 60335-1 and its amendments. It was established on the basis of the fifth edition (2010) of that standard.

NOTE 1 When “Part 1” is mentioned in this standard, it refers to IEC 60335-1.

This part 2 supplements or modifies the corresponding clauses in IEC 60335-1, so as to convert that publication into the IEC standard: Safety requirements for cosmetic and beauty care appliances incorporating lasers and intense light sources.

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 in Part 1 is to be adapted accordingly.

NOTE 2 The following numbering system is used:

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- 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.

NOTE 3 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.

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INTRODUCTION

It has been assumed in the drafting of this International Standard that the execution of its provisions is entrusted to appropriately qualified and experienced persons.

This standard recognizes the internationally accepted level of protection against hazards such as electrical, mechanical, thermal, fire and radiation of appliances when operated as in normal use taking into account the manufacturer's instructions. It also covers abnormal situations that can be expected in practice and takes into account the way in which electromagnetic phenomena can affect the safe operation of appliances.

This standard takes into account the requirements of IEC 60364 as far as possible so that there is compatibility with the wiring rules when the appliance is connected to the supply mains. However, national wiring rules may differ.

If an appliance within the scope of this standard also incorporates functions that are covered by another part 2 of IEC 60335, the relevant part 2 is applied to each function separately, as far as is reasonable. If applicable, the influence of one function on the other is taken into account.

When a part 2 standard does not include additional requirements to cover hazards dealt with in Part 1, Part 1 applies.

NOTE 1 This means that the technical committees responsible for the part 2 standards have determined that it is not necessary to specify particular requirements for the appliance in question over and above the general requirements.

This standard is a product family standard dealing with the safety of appliances and takes precedence over horizontal and generic standards covering the same subject.

NOTE 2 Horizontal and generic standards covering a hazard are not applicable since they have been taken into consideration when developing the general and particular requirements for the IEC 60335 series of standards. For example, in the case of temperature requirements for surfaces on many appliances, generic standards, such as ISO 13732-1 for hot surfaces, are not applicable in addition to Part 1 or this part 2 standard. This does not apply to IEC 60825-1, except where specified in this part 2 standard.

An appliance that complies with the text of this standard will not necessarily be considered to comply with the safety principles of the standard if, when examined and tested, it is found to have other features that impair the level of safety covered by these requirements.

An appliance employing materials or having forms of construction differing from those detailed in the requirements of this standard may be examined and tested according to the intent of the requirements and, if found to be substantially equivalent, may be considered to comply with the standard.

HOUSEHOLD AND SIMILAR ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES – SAFETY –

Part 2-113: Particular requirements for ~~cosmetic and~~ beauty care appliances incorporating lasers and intense light sources

1 Scope

This clause of Part 1 is replaced by the following.

This International Standard deals with the safety of ~~cosmetic and~~ beauty care appliances incorporating lasers or **intense light sources** for household and similar purposes, where their operation relies on contact with the skin, their **rated voltage** being not more than 250 V.

NOTE 101 Battery-operated appliances and other d.c. supplied appliances are within the scope of this standard. Dual supply appliances, either mains-supplied or battery-operated, are regarded as **battery-operated appliances** when operated in the battery mode.

This standard covers appliances with a light emitting surface less than 25 cm². Appliances with a light emitting surface equal to or greater than 25 cm² are within the scope of IEC 60335-2-27.

Appliances not intended for normal household use but which nevertheless may be a source of danger to the public such as appliances intended to be used in beauty salons and similar premises are also within the scope of this standard.

Appliances covered by the scope of this standard include but are not limited to:

- appliances for control of hair growth;
- appliances for skin and beauty care incorporating lasers or intense light sources (ILS).

NOTE 102 Appliances incorporating lasers or **intense light sources (ILS)** either heat up hair follicles or skin tissue to produce thermal effects or to produce photo-biological effects from specific wavelengths.

As far as is practicable, this standard deals with the common hazards presented by appliances that are encountered by all persons in and around the home. However, in general, it does not take into account:

- persons (including children) whose physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge prevents them from using the appliance safely without supervision or instruction;
- children playing with the appliance.

NOTE 103 Attention is drawn to the fact that in many countries additional requirements are specified by the national health authorities.

NOTE 104 This standard does not apply to

- appliances for medical purposes (IEC 60601);
- appliances for skin or hair care (IEC 60335-2-23);
- appliances for nail hardening;
- appliances for skin exposure to optical radiation with a light emitting surface equal to or greater than 25 cm² (IEC 60335-2-27).

2 Normative references

This clause of Part 1 is applicable except as follows:

Addition:

IEC 60825-1:2014, *Safety of laser products – Part 1: Equipment classification and requirements*

IEC 62471:2006, *Photobiological safety of lamps and lamp systems*

ISO 7010:2019, *Graphical symbols – Safety colours and safety signs – Registered safety signs*

ISO 14155, *Clinical investigation of medical devices for human subjects – Good clinical practice*

3 Terms and definitions

This clause of Part 1 is applicable except as follows.

Addition:

Additional terms and definitions given in IEC 60825-1:2014 and IEC 62471:2006 are also applicable.

3.1.9 Replacement: normal operation

use of the appliance applied in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions

3.101 accessible emission limit

AEL

maximum accessible emission permitted within a particular class of laser product ~~or ILS risk group~~

Note 1 to entry: **Accessible emission limit** is hereinafter referred to as **AEL**.

Note 2 to entry: Wherever the text refers to "emission level not exceeding the **AEL**" or similar wording, it is implicit that the accessible emission is determined following the measurement criteria specified in Clause 5 of IEC 60825-1:2014 ~~or Clause 5 of IEC 62471:2006~~.

3.102 Class 1C laser product

laser product that during operation does not permit **stray optical radiation** in excess of the **AEL** of Class 1 for applicable wavelengths and emission durations

3.103 Void embedded laser

~~laser that emits radiation within the **AEL** of **Class 3R laser products**, **Class 3B laser products** or **Class 4 laser products**, and that is incorporated in an appliance classified in a lower class~~

3.104 good contact

state that is established when the applicator is positioned at the target skin so that the skin acts to effectively prevent **stray optical radiation** ~~exposure in excess of the ocular **MPE**~~

emission in excess of the **AEL** for Class 1 laser products or the emission limits for the exempt group for intense light sources

~~Note 1 to entry: Hazardous radiation emission refers to levels in excess of the ocular **MPE**.~~

3.105

intense light source

source of intense broadband non-laser light which emits optical radiation exceeding that of the exempt group, and that is intended to cause a thermal or photo-chemical effect to the target tissue

Note 1 to entry: **Intense light sources** are hereinafter referred to as **ILS**.

Note 2 to entry: **ILS** may incorporate continuously emitting or pulsed xenon light bulbs, incandescent bulbs, LEDs or similar.

3.106

risk group

lamp classification according to IEC 62471

3.107

stray optical radiation

optical energy that is unintentionally emitted from the applicator, including scattered, reflected, and leakage radiation

3.108 Void

~~**maximum permissible exposure**~~

~~level of optical radiation to which, under normal circumstances, persons may be exposed without suffering adverse effects~~

~~Note 1 to entry: **Maximum permissible exposure** is hereinafter referred to as **MPE**.~~

3.109

swivel connection

means for connecting the **supply cord** so that the appliance can be rotated continuously without twisting the cord

4 General requirement

This clause of Part 1 is applicable.

5 General conditions for the tests

This clause of Part 1 is applicable except as follows.

5.2 Addition:

*The additional test of 25.14 for **hand-held appliances** is carried out on a separate appliance.*

5.101 *Beauty care appliances are tested as a **motor-operated appliance**.*

5.102 *Where a test specification requires testing on skin or artificial skin, the artificial skin shall be similar in softness, heat capacity and reflection conditions of human skin.*

NOTE Suitable material for the artificial skin is silicone rubber with a thickness of 10 mm [e.g., (Wacker Chemie AG Elastosil RT 604, A/B) mix ratio = 9:1 with 0,6 % colour (Max Factor Creme Puff Compact Powder – 41 Medium Beige) and 6 % scattering material (Sigma Aldrich Chemical Co. AL203)]¹.

For appliances with interlock system using a capacitive detection, the artificial skin shall also be similar in dielectric constant condition of human skin.

6 Classification

This clause of Part 1 is applicable.

7 Marking and instructions

This clause of Part 1 is applicable except as follows.

7.1 Addition:

Appliances shall also be marked with the following, if applicable:

- a warning that intense visible and invisible optical radiation emitted from the device may cause eye injury;
- indication to avoid eye exposure;
- ~~symbol ISO 7000-1329 (2004-01)~~, for **Class 1C laser product** appliances;
 - sign shown in Figure 101; or
 - warning sign ISO 7010-W004 (2019-07) and the substance of the following:
Laser radiation. Follow instructions. Class 1C laser product.
- ~~symbol~~ warning sign ISO 7010-W027 (2011-05), for appliances incorporating an **ILS**;
- symbol ISO 7000-0790 (2004-01) to indicate the need to consult the user manual.

7.6 Addition:

	[symbol ISO 7000-1329 (2004-01)]	laser beam
	[warning sign ISO 7010-W004 (2019-07)]	Warning: Laser beam
	[symbol warning sign ISO 7010-W027 (2011-05 2019-07)]	Warning; Optical radiation

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7.12 Addition:

The instructions shall include the substance of the following warnings, if applicable:

WARNING. Possible eye injury (potentially leading to loss of vision) or skin injury if instructions are not followed. Read and follow the instructions.

WARNING. Only use disposable and consumable materials recommended by the manufacturer.

WARNING. Damage of the skin may occur after prolonged or repeated surface application on one site.

WARNING. Misuse can lead to eye damage. Protect the eye from exposure. Do not use the appliance over the eye lids or close to the eye.

WARNING. Do not override the safety mechanisms inherent to the device.

WARNING. If taking a photosensitizing medication or herbal remedy, seek medical advice prior to application of the appliance as use may harm the skin.

The instructions shall include the substance of the following, if applicable:

- do not use the appliance in areas where skin integrity has been impaired (for example, in the presence of burns, lesions, blisters, scars, cuts, open wounds, active skin disease, recent sun tan or sun burn, and/ or infection);
- this appliance is not intended for the treatment of medical conditions. Medical advice should be sought to address, for example, moles, skin rash, itchy skin, skin fungus or infection, skin bumps, or skin tags;
- indications for how to use on various skin colour pigmentations, hair colours and hair thicknesses;
- these appliances are not to be used on children;
- avoid over-usage which includes excessive passes, stacking of pulses and/or increased frequency of use;
- verify that there is no visible damage to the emission optic or the appliance housing. If there is damage, do not use appliance;
- a description of how to test the skin reaction prior to the full area treatment;
- a description of how to prepare the skin before application, e.g. by applying lotions or removal of make-up;
- information concerning handling, disinfection, cleaning, care and storage of the device;
- information on use in the presence of injectable filler and toxins;
- a list of possible side effects, including blistering, pain, and scarring;
- when to seek medical advice prior to or during a use cycle;
- white or grey hair cannot be epilated;
- how to prepare the hair prior to use.

The instructions of appliances that use disposable parts or consumable materials shall list these products and give advice on the safe disposal of them after use.

For appliance incorporating lasers, the instructions shall additionally provide specific information about:

- the maximum laser output delivered to the skin;
- the ~~embedded laser~~ laser product class, wavelength/s, pulse duration, pulse repetition rate, output radiant power or radiant energy;
- irradiance in W/m^2 or radiant exposure in J/m^2 for each output setting of the device;
- the anticipated effects of the laser radiation on the skin, ~~for a Class 1C laser product appliance that contains an embedded laser;~~

- repairs and, if applicable, recommended replacement components and accessories compatible with the product.

For appliances incorporating **ILS** the instructions shall additionally provide specific information about:

- the appliance optical output, wavelength range, pulse duration, pulse repetition rate, output irradiance or radiance;
- repairs and, if applicable, recommended replacement components and accessories that are compatible with the product, including lamps, timers, reflectors, and filters.

If ~~symbol ISO 7000-1329~~ warning sign ISO 7010-W004, sign shown in Figure 101 or ~~symbol~~ warning sign ISO 7010-W027 (2019-07) is used, its meaning shall be explained.

7.14 Addition:

The ~~outer diameter of symbol ISO 7000-1329~~ height of the triangle in warning sign ISO 7010-W004, height of the sign shown in Figure 101, and the height of the triangle in ~~symbol~~ warning sign ISO 7010-W027 (2019-07) shall be at least 10 mm.

7.15 Addition:

Warnings on the housing shall be permanently fixed, legible, and clearly visible during use, maintenance, and service. They shall be so positioned that they can be read without the necessity for human exposure to laser radiation in excess of the **AEL** for **Class 1 laser product** or optical radiation in excess of the ~~AEL~~ emission limits of the exempt group.

8 Protection against access to live parts

This clause of Part 1 is applicable.

9 Starting of motor-operated appliances

This clause of Part 1 is not applicable.

10 Power input and current

This clause of Part 1 is applicable.

11 Heating

This clause of Part 1 is applicable except as follows.

11.2 Addition:

Appliances intended to be used on a stand or attached to a support are placed to give the most unfavourable results.

11.7 Replacement:

Appliances without a timer are operated

- for 30 min, for **hand-held appliances** and appliances with hand-held applicators;
- until steady conditions are established, for other appliances.