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## INTERNATIONAL ELECTROTECHNICAL COMMISSION

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SAFETY –****Part 2-42: Particular requirements for commercial electric forced  
convection ovens, steam cookers and steam-convection ovens**

## FOREWORD

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This part of International Standard IEC 60335 has been prepared by IEC subcommittee 61E: Safety of electrical commercial catering equipment, of IEC technical committee 61: Safety of household and similar electrical appliances.

This fifth edition cancels and replaces the fourth edition published in 2000. It constitutes a technical revision.

The text of this part of IEC 60335 is based on the following documents:

| FDIS         | Report on voting |
|--------------|------------------|
| 61E/402/FDIS | 61E/414/RVD      |

Full information on the voting for the approval of this standard can be found in the report on voting indicated in the above table.

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 fourth edition (2001) 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 commercial electric forced convection ovens, steam cookers and steam-convection ovens.

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:

- 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.

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 of Part 1 concerns an adjective, the adjective and the associated noun are also in bold .

The committee has decided that the contents of this publication will remain unchanged until 2004. At this date, the publication will be

- reconfirmed;
- withdrawn;
- replaced by a revised edition, or
- amended.

The following differences exist in the countries indicated below.

- 6.1: Class 01 appliances are allowed (Japan).
- 6.2: For appliances intended to be installed in a kitchen, an appropriate degree of protection against harmful ingress of water is required according to their height of installation (France).
- 13.2: Leakage current limits are different (Japan).
- 16.2: Leakage current limits are different (Japan).
- Clause 21: For appliances intended to be installed in a kitchen, different values of impact energy are applicable according to the height of the impact point (France).

A bilingual version of this publication may be issued at a later date.

## 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.

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.

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.

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.

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## HOUSEHOLD AND SIMILAR ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES – SAFETY –

### Part 2-42: Particular requirements for commercial electric forced convection ovens, steam cookers and steam-convection ovens

#### 1 Scope

This clause of Part 1 is replaced by the following.

This International Standard deals with the safety of electrically operated commercial **forced convection ovens, steam cookers, steam-convection ovens** and, exclusive of any other use, **steam generators**, not intended for household use, their **rated voltage** being not more than 250 V for single-phase appliances connected between one phase and neutral and 480 V for other appliances.

NOTE 101 These appliances are used for example in restaurants, canteens, hospitals and commercial enterprises such as bakeries, butcheries, etc.

The electrical part of appliances making use of other forms of energy is also within the scope of this standard.

As far as is practicable, this standard deals with the common hazards presented by these types of appliances.

NOTE 102 Attention is drawn to the fact that

- for appliances intended to be used in vehicles or on board ships or aircraft, additional requirements may be necessary;
- in many countries additional requirements are specified by the national health authorities, the national authorities responsible for the protection of labour, the national water supply authorities and similar authorities;
- in many countries additional requirements are specified for pressure appliances.

NOTE 103 This standard does not apply to

- appliances designed exclusively for industrial purposes;
- appliances intended to be used in locations where special conditions prevail, such as the presence of a corrosive or explosive atmosphere (dust, vapour or gas);
- continuous process appliances for the mass production of food;
- microwave ovens (IEC 60335-2-90);

#### 2 Normative references

This clause of Part 1 is applicable.

#### 3 Definitions

This clause of Part 1 is applicable except as follows.

##### 3.1.4 Addition:

NOTE 101 The **rated power input** is the sum of the power inputs of all the individual elements in the appliance that can be on at one time; where there are several such combinations possible, that giving the highest power input is used in determining the **rated power input**.



### 3.1.9 Replacement:

#### normal operation

operation of the appliance under the following conditions

- Dry heat mode

The appliance is operated with all the shelves or the shelf trolley in position according to the manufacturer's instructions but with no load. The controls are set so that the mean value of the temperature over the **thermostat** cycle at the geometric centre of each usable space in the interior of the oven is maintained at  $220\text{ °C} \pm 4\text{ °C}$ . Stepped controls are set so that this temperature is  $220\text{ °C} \pm 15\text{ °C}$ .

For ovens that are unable to attain a temperature of  $220\text{ °C}$ , the controls are set at the maximum.

For ovens that are capable of attaining temperatures in excess of  $270\text{ °C}$ , the controls are set so that the mean value of the temperature is  $50\text{ °C} \pm 4\text{ °C}$  below the maximum temperature attainable.

- Steaming only mode

The appliance is operated in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions with all controls intended to be operated by the user adjusted to their maximum setting until reaching operating temperature. They are then readjusted, if possible, to the lowest setting that maintains that temperature.

Appliances with **steam generators** intended to be filled by hand or by a manually operated tap are filled to the **indicated level** on the **steam generator**.

Appliances with **steam generators** intended to be filled automatically are connected to a water supply having the pressure designated by the manufacturer. Where the manufacturer specifies a range of pressures, the pressure is adjusted to give the most unfavourable conditions.

The incoming water is maintained at

- $15\text{ °C} \pm 5\text{ °C}$  in the case of appliances intended for connection to a cold water supply;
- $60\text{ °C} \pm 5\text{ °C}$  or the temperature indicated in the instruction sheet, whichever is the higher, in the case of appliances intended for connection to a hot water supply only.

NOTE 101 If the appliance is intended for connection to either a hot or cold water supply, the temperature of the water is that which gives the most unfavourable results.

Lids, doors, and covers are in position and closed.

The **cooking compartment** of the appliance contains a water load, initially at  $15\text{ °C} \pm 5\text{ °C}$ , comprising  $0,5\text{ l/kg}$  of the manufacturer's declared maximum food load. The water load is evenly distributed between the shelves or pans.

NOTE 102 Since pans may be perforated to allow for circulation of steam, the water load may be contained in suitable containers evenly distributed over the shelves or pans.

- Combination mode

The appliance is operated as for the steaming only mode but with the forced convection fan/s and elements for heating the **cooking compartment** on and the temperature controls set as for the dry heat mode.

In all the above cases, motors incorporated in the appliance are operated in the intended manner under the most severe conditions that can be expected in normal use, taking into account the manufacturer's instructions.

### 3.101

#### forced convection oven

an appliance intended for the cooking of food by heated air that is circulated by mechanical means within the **cooking compartment**. The pressure within the **cooking compartment** does not differ significantly from atmospheric pressure

### 3.102

#### **steam cooker**

an appliance intended for the cooking of food only by means of direct steam contact. The pressure within the **cooking compartment** can exceed atmospheric pressure

### 3.103

#### **atmospheric steam cooker**

an appliance in which the pressure within the **cooking compartment** does not differ significantly from atmospheric pressure

### 3.104

#### **steam-convection oven**

an appliance intended for the cooking of food either by means of direct steam contact or by heated air circulated by mechanical means within the **cooking compartment** or by a combination of these two modes. The pressure within the **cooking compartment** does not differ significantly from atmospheric pressure

### 3.105

#### **rated pressure**

the maximum working pressure of **steam cookers** and **steam generators** assigned by the manufacturer to the pressurized parts of the appliance

### 3.106

#### **steam generator**

that part of the appliance designed specifically for the generation of steam for exclusive use in a **cooking compartment**

NOTE The **steam generator** may be either combined within the **cooking compartment**, remote from the **cooking compartment** but contained within the same casing or function as a separate unit providing steam for one or more **cooking compartments**.

### 3.107

#### **cooking compartment**

that part of the appliance in which the cooking or food heating process takes place

### 3.108

#### **indicated level**

a mark on the appliance or **steam generator** to indicate the maximum liquid level for correct operation

### 3.109

#### **installation wall**

a special fixed construction containing supply facilities for appliances installed in conjunction with it

## 4 General requirement

This clause of Part 1 is applicable except as follows.

## 5 General conditions for the tests

This clause of Part 1 is applicable except as follows.

**5.10 Addition:**

*Appliances intended for installation in a bank of other appliances and appliances intended to be fixed to an **installation wall** are enclosed to obtain protection against electric shock and harmful ingress of water equivalent to that obtained when installed in accordance with the instructions provided with the appliance.*

NOTE 101 Appropriate enclosures or additional appliances may be needed for test purposes.

**5.101** *Appliances are tested as **heating appliances**, even if they incorporate a motor.*

**5.102** *Appliances, when assembled in combination with or incorporating other appliances, are tested in accordance with the requirements of this standard. The other appliances are operated simultaneously in accordance with the requirements of the relevant standards.*

**6 Classification**

This clause of Part 1 is applicable except as follows.

**6.1 Replacement:**

Appliances shall be **class I** with respect to protection against electric shock.

*Compliance is checked by inspection and by the relevant tests.*

**7 Marking and instructions**

This clause of Part 1 is applicable except as follows.

**7.1 Addition:**

In addition, appliances shall be marked with

- the water pressure or range of pressures, in kilopascals (kPa), for appliances or **steam generators** intended to be connected to a water supply, unless this is indicated in the instruction sheet;
- the **rated pressure**, in kilopascals (kPa), on pressurized parts of the appliance.

**7.6 Addition:**

[symbol 5021 of IEC 60417-1]

equipotentiality

**7.12 Addition:**

The instructions of **steam cookers** and **steam-convection ovens** shall also include information with regard to the maximum food load in kilograms (kg).

The instructions of **steam cookers** shall include the substance of the following warning:

WARNING: Do not open drain cocks or other emptying devices until the pressure has been reduced to approximately atmospheric pressure.

If symbol 5021 of IEC 60417-1 is marked on the appliance its meaning shall be explained.