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## Foreword

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The present document has been produced by ETSI in response to mandate M/284 issued from the European Commission under Directive 98/34/EC [i.1] as amended by Directive 98/48/EC [i.7].

The title and reference to the present document are intended to be included in the publication in the Official Journal of the European Union of titles and references of Harmonized Standard under the Directive 1999/5/EC [i.2].

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The requirements relevant to Directive 1999/5/EC [i.2] are summarized in annex A.

The present document is part 2 of a multi-part deliverable covering Electromagnetic compatibility and Radio spectrum Matters (ERM); Short Range Devices (SRD); Radio equipment in the frequency range 9 kHz to 25 MHz and inductive loop systems in the frequency range 9 kHz to 30 MHz, as identified below:

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**Part 2: "Harmonized EN covering the essential requirements of article 3.2 of the R&TTE Directive".**

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## Introduction

The present document is part of a set of standards developed by ETSI and is designed to fit in a modular structure to cover all radio and telecommunications terminal equipment within the scope of the R&TTE Directive [i.2]. The modular structure is shown in ETSI EG 201 399 [i.3].

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# 1 Scope

The present document applies to Short Range Devices (SRDs) transmitters and receivers as described in the scope of ETSI EN 300 330-1 [1].

The present document covers transmitters intended to operate in the frequency range as defined in the Commission Decision 2006/771/EC [i.4] on harmonization of the radio spectrum for use by short-range devices as amended by Commission Decision 2013/752/EU of 11 December 2013 [i.6] and the CEPT/ERC/REC 70-03 [i.5].

The document applies to:

- 1) Generic Short range Devices including transmitters operating in the range from 9 kHz to 25 MHz; and
- 2) inductive loop transmitters operating from 9 kHz to 30 MHz including Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) and EAS equipments operating in LF and HF ranges and for radio equipment including wireless power transfer (WPT) function in the same frequency range;
- 3) receivers of systems as defined by bullets 1 and 2;
- 4) these radio equipment types are capable of operating in the permitted frequency bands within the 9 kHz to 30 MHz range as specified in table 1:
  - either with a Radio Frequency (RF) output connection and dedicated antenna or with an integral antenna;
  - for all types of modulation;
  - with or without speech.

Table 1 shows a list of the frequency bands as designated to Short Range Devices by some European Commission Decisions and the CEPT/ERC/REC 70-03 [i.5] as known at the date of publication of the present document.

**Table 1: Frequency bands designated to Short Range Devices within 9 kHz to 30 MHz**

	Frequency Bands/frequencies	Applications
Transmit and Receive	9 kHz to 90 kHz	Inductive devices, Generic use
Transmit and Receive	90 kHz to 119 kHz	Inductive devices, Generic use
Transmit and Receive	119 kHz to 140 kHz	Inductive devices, Generic use
Transmit and Receive	140 kHz to 148,5 kHz	Inductive devices, Generic use
Transmit and Receive	148,5 kHz to 5 MHz	Inductive devices, Generic use
Transmit and Receive	400 kHz to 600 kHz	RFID only
Transmit and Receive	5 kHz to 30 MHz	Inductive devices, Generic use
Transmit and Receive	3 155 kHz to 3 400 kHz	Inductive devices, Generic use
Transmit and Receive	4 234 kHz	Inductive devices, Railway applications
Transmit and Receive	4 516 kHz	Inductive devices, Railway applications
Transmit and Receive	6 765 kHz to 6 795 kHz	Inductive devices, Generic use
Transmit and Receive	7 400 kHz to 8 800 kHz	Inductive devices, Generic use
Transmit and Receive	10 200 kHz to 11 000 kHz	Inductive devices, Generic use
Transmit and Receive	11 810 kHz to 15 310 kHz	RFID only
Transmit and Receive	12,5 MHz to 20 MHz	Inductive devices, Wireless healthcare
Transmit and Receive	13,553 MHz to 13,567 MHz	Inductive devices, Generic use
Transmit and Receive	26,957 MHz to 27,283 MHz	Inductive devices, Generic use
Transmit and Receive	27,095 MHz	Inductive devices, Railway applications

NOTE 1: It should be noted that table 1 represents the most widely implemented position within the European Union and the CEPT countries, but it should not be assumed that all designated bands are available in all countries.

NOTE 2: In addition, it should be noted that other frequency bands may be available in a country within the frequency range 9 kHz to 30 MHz covered by the present document.

NOTE 3: On non-harmonized parameters, national administrations may impose certain conditions such as the type of modulation, frequency, channel/frequency separations, maximum transmitter radiated power, duty cycle, and the inclusion of an automatic transmitter shut-off facility, as a condition for the issue of an Individual Rights for use of spectrum or General Authorization, or as a condition for use under "licence exemption" as it is in most cases for Short Range Devices.

The present document covers fixed stations, mobile stations and portable stations.

The present document is intended to cover the provisions of article 3.2 of Directive 1999/5/EC [i.2] (R&TTE Directive), which states that "... radio equipment shall be so constructed that it effectively uses the spectrum allocated to terrestrial/space radio communications and orbital resources so as to avoid harmful interference".

In addition to the present document, other ENs that specify technical requirements in respect of essential requirements under other parts of article 3 of the R&TTE Directive [i.2] may apply to equipment within the scope of the present document.

NOTE 4: A list of such ENs is included on the web site <http://www.newapproach.org>.

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## 2 References

### 2.1 Normative references

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- [1] ETSI EN 300 330-1 (V1.8.1) (12-2014): "Electromagnetic compatibility and Radio spectrum Matters (ERM); Short Range Devices (SRD); Radio equipment in the frequency range 9 kHz to 25 MHz and inductive loop systems in the frequency range 9 kHz to 30 MHz; Part 1: Technical characteristics and test methods".

### 2.2 Informative references

References are either specific (identified by date of publication and/or edition number or version number) or non-specific. For specific references, only the cited version applies. For non-specific references, the latest version of the reference document (including any amendments) applies.

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The following referenced documents are not necessary for the application of the present document but they assist the user with regard to a particular subject area.

- [i.1] Directive 98/34/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 22 June 1998 laying down a procedure for the provision of information in the field of technical standards and regulations.
- [i.2] Directive 1999/5/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 March 1999 on radio equipment and telecommunications terminal equipment and the mutual recognition of their conformity (R&TTE Directive).
- [i.3] ETSI EG 201 399 (V2.1.1): "Electromagnetic compatibility and Radio spectrum Matters (ERM); A guide to the production of candidate Harmonized Standards for application under the R&TTE Directive".

- [i.4] Commission Decision 2006/771/EC of 9 November 2006 on harmonisation of the radio spectrum for use by short-range devices as amended by Commission Decision 2008/432/EC.
- [i.5] CEPT/ERC/REC 70-03: "Relating to the use of Short Range Devices (SRD)".
- [i.6] Commission Decision 2013/752/EU of 11 December 2013 amending Decision 2006/771/EC on harmonisation of the radio spectrum for use by short-range devices.
- [i.7] Directive 98/48/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 July 1998 amending Directive 98/34/EC laying down a procedure for the provision of information in the field of technical standards and regulations.

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## 3 Definitions, symbols and abbreviations

### 3.1 Definitions

For the purposes of the present document, the terms and definitions given in Directive 1999/5/EC [i.2] and ETSI EN 300 330-1 [1] apply.

### 3.2 Symbols

For the purposes of the present document, the symbols given in ETSI EN 300 330-1 [1] apply.

### 3.3 Abbreviations

For the purposes of the present document, the abbreviations given in ETSI EN 300 330-1 [1] apply.

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## 4 Technical requirements specifications

### 4.1 Environmental conditions

#### 4.1.1 Environmental profile

The technical requirements of the present document apply under the environmental profile for operation of the equipment, which shall be declared by the provider. The equipment shall comply with all the technical requirements of the present document at all times when operating within the boundary limits of the declared operational environmental profile.

### 4.2 Conformance requirements

#### 4.2.1 Transmitter requirements

##### 4.2.1.1 Permitted range of operating frequencies

The permitted range of operating frequencies shall not exceed the limits specified in clause 7.3.3 of ETSI EN 300 330-1 [1].

##### 4.2.1.2 Limits for transmitters in the range from 9 kHz to 30 MHz

The maximum radiated field strength and RF carrier current shall not exceed the limits specified in clause 7.2.1.3 of ETSI EN 300 330-1 [1].

The maximum RF carrier current shall not exceed the limits specified in clause 7.2.2.3 of ETSI EN 300 330-1 [1].

##### 4.2.1.3 Limits for the permitted range of modulation bandwidth

The maximum range of modulation bandwidth shall not exceed the limits as specified in clause 7.4.3 of ETSI EN 300 330-1 [1].



#### 4.2.1.4 Transmitter spurious and out-of-band emissions

The transmitter unwanted emissions, i.e. spurious and out-of-band emissions, shall not exceed the limits specified in clauses 7.5.2.2, 7.5.2.4 or 7.5.3.2 and 7.5.4.2 of ETSI EN 300 330-1 [1].

### 4.2.2 Receiver requirements

#### 4.2.2.1 Adjacent channel selectivity - in band (receiver category 1 only)

The maximum adjacent channel selectivity of the equipment shall not be less than as stated in clause 8.1.3 of ETSI EN 300 330-1 [1].

#### 4.2.2.2 Blocking or desensitisation (receiver categories 1 or 2 only)

The maximum blocking limits of the equipment shall not be less than stated in clause 8.2.3 of ETSI EN 300 330-1 [1].

#### 4.2.2.3 Receiver spurious emissions

The receiver spurious emissions shall not exceed the limits specified in clauses 8.3.3.1 or 8.3.3.2 of ETSI EN 300 330-1 [1].

## 5 Testing for compliance with technical requirements

### 5.1 Environmental conditions for testing

Tests defined in the present document shall be carried out at representative points within the boundary limits of the declared operational environmental profile.

Where technical performance varies subject to environmental conditions, tests shall be carried out under a sufficient variety of environmental conditions (within the boundary limits of the declared operational environmental profile) to give confidence of compliance for the affected technical requirements.

### 5.2 Essential radio test suites

#### 5.2.1 Transmitter test suites

##### 5.2.1.1 Permitted range of operating frequencies

The test defined in clause 7.3.2 of ETSI EN 300 330-1 [1] shall be carried out.

##### 5.2.1.2 Permitted range of the modulation bandwidth

The test defined in clause 7.4.2 of ETSI EN 300 330-1 [1] shall be carried out.

##### 5.2.1.3 Emission limits for transmitters in the range from 9 kHz to 30 MHz

The tests defined in clauses 7.2.1.2, 7.2.2.2 or 7.2.3.2 of ETSI EN 300 330-1 [1] shall be carried out.

##### 5.2.1.4 Transmitter spurious and out-of-band emissions

The tests defined in clauses 7.5.2.1, 7.5.2.3, 7.5.3.1 or 7.5.4.1 of ETSI EN 300 330-1 [1] shall be carried out.

#### 5.2.2 Receiver test suites

##### 5.2.2.1 Adjacent channel selectivity (receiver category 1 only)

The test defined in clause 8.1.2 of ETSI EN 300 330-1 [1] shall be carried out.

##### 5.2.2.2 Blocking or desensitisation (receiver categories 1 or 2 only)

The test defined in clause 8.2.2 of ETSI EN 300 330-1 [1] shall be carried out.