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## Annex ZA (normative)

### Normative references to international publications with their corresponding European publications

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

NOTE 1 When an International Publication has been modified by common modifications, indicated by (mod), the relevant EN/HD applies.

NOTE 2 Up-to-date information on the latest versions of the European Standards listed in this annex is available here: [www.cenelec.eu](http://www.cenelec.eu).

<u>Publication</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>EN/HD</u>	<u>Year</u>
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IEC 60061-3	-	Lamp caps and holders together with gauges for the control of interchangeability and safety -- Part 3: Gauges	EN 60061-3	-
IEC 60068-2-75	2014	Environmental testing - Part 2-75: Tests - Test Eh: Hammer tests	EN 60068-2-75	2014
IEC 60081	-	Double-capped fluorescent lamps - Performance specifications	EN 60081	-
IEC 60112	2003	Method for the determination of the proof and the comparative tracking indices of solid insulating materials	EN 60112	2003
+ A1	2009		+ A1	2009
IEC 60155	-	Glow-starters for fluorescent lamps	EN 60155	-
IEC 60352-1	1997	Solderless connections -- Part 1: Wrapped connections - General requirements, test methods and practical guidance	EN 60352-1	1997
IEC 60399	-	Barrel thread for lampholders with shade holder ring	EN 60399	-
IEC 60529	1989	Degrees of protection provided by enclosures (IP Code)	EN 60529	1991
-	-		+ corrigendum May	1993
+ A1	1999		+ A1	2000
+ A2	2013		+ A2	2013
IEC 60598-1	-	Luminaires -- Part 1: General requirements and tests	EN 60598-1	-
IEC 60695-2-11	2000	Fire hazard testing -- Part 2-11: Glowing/hot-wire based test methods - Glow-wire flammability test method for end-products	-	-
IEC 60695-11-5	2016	Fire hazard testing - Part 11-5: Test flames - Needle-flame test method - Apparatus, confirmatory test arrangement and guidance	EN 60695-11-5	2017
ISO 4046-4	2016	Paper, board, pulps and related terms - Vocabulary - Part 4: Paper and board grades and converted products	-	-

**Annex ZZ**  
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**Relationship between this European standard and the safety objectives of Directive 2014/35/EU [2014 OJ L96] aimed to be covered**

This European standard has been prepared under a Commission's standardisation request relating to harmonised standards in the field of the Low Voltage Directive, M/511, to provide one voluntary means of conforming to safety objectives of Directive 2014/35/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 February 2014 on the harmonisation of the laws of the Member States relating to the making available on the market of electrical equipment designed for use within certain voltage limits [2014 OJ L96].

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**Table ZZ.1 – Correspondence between this European standard and Annex I of Directive 2014/35/EU [2014 OJ L96]**

Safety objectives of Directive 2014/35/EU	Clause(s) / sub-clause(s) of this EN	Remarks / Notes
<b>1. General conditions</b>		
a) the essential characteristics, the recognition and observance of which will ensure that electrical equipment will be used safely and in applications for which it was made, shall be marked on the electrical equipment, or, if this is not possible, on an accompanying document;	Clause 8	
b) the electrical equipment, together with its component parts, shall be made in such a way as to ensure that it can be safely and properly assembled and connected;	All clauses	
c) the electrical equipment shall be so designed and manufactured as to ensure that protection against the hazards set out in points 2 and 3 is assured, providing that the equipment is used in applications for which it was made and is adequately maintained.	See item 2 and 3 of this table	
<b>2. Protection against hazards arising from the electrical</b>		

<p><b>equipment</b></p> <p>Measures of a technical nature shall be laid down in accordance with point 1, in order to ensure that:</p>		
<p>a) persons and domestic animals are adequately protected against the danger of physical injury or other harm which might be caused by direct or indirect contact;</p>	<p>Clauses 4, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 16</p>	
<p>b) temperatures, arcs or radiation which would cause a danger, are not produced;</p>	<p>Clauses 11, 12, 14, 17 and 18</p>	
<p>c) persons, domestic animals and property are adequately protected against non-electrical dangers caused by the electrical equipment which are revealed by experience;</p>	<p>Clauses 4, 11, 14, 15 and 19</p>	
<p>d) the insulation is suitable for foreseeable conditions.</p>	<p>Clauses 9, 11, 15, 17 and 18</p>	
<p><b>3. Protection against hazards which may be caused by external influences on the electrical equipment</b></p> <p>Technical measures shall be laid down in accordance with point 1, in order to ensure that the electrical equipment:</p>	<p><b>STANDARD PREVIEW</b> (standards.iteh.ai)</p> <p><a href="https://standards.iteh.ai/catalog/standards/sist/dd812931-514b-447d-bd27-3a11d67b21c6/sist-en-60400-2018">SIST EN 60400:2018</a></p>	
<p>a) meets the expected mechanical requirements in such a way that persons, domestic animals and property are not endangered;</p>	<p>Clauses 8, 11, 15 and 19</p>	
<p>b) is resistant to non-mechanical influences in expected environmental conditions, in such a way that persons, domestic animals and property are not endangered;</p>	<p>Clauses 11, 13, 17 and 18</p>	
<p>c) does not endanger persons, domestic animals and property in foreseeable conditions of overload.</p>	<p>Clauses 11, 13 and 18</p>	

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- a) alignment with ISO/IEC drafting rules;
- b) renumbering of clauses, tables and figures.

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## LAMPHOLDERS FOR TUBULAR FLUORESCENT LAMPS AND STARTERHOLDERS

### 1 Scope

This document states the technical and dimensional requirements for lampholders for tubular fluorescent lamps and for starterholders, and the methods of test to be used in determining the safety and the fit of the lamps in the lampholders and the starters in the starterholders.

This document covers independent lampholders and lampholders for building-in, used with tubular fluorescent lamps provided with caps as listed in Annex A, and independent starterholders and starterholders for building-in, used with starters in accordance with IEC 60155, intended for use in AC circuits where the working voltage does not exceed 1 000 V r.m.s.

This document also covers lampholders for single-capped tubular fluorescent lamps integrated in an outer shell and dome similar to Edison screw lampholders (e.g. for G23 and G24 capped lamps). Such lampholders are tested in accordance with the following clauses and subclauses of IEC 60238: 9.4; 9.5; 9.6; 10.3; 11.7; 12; 13.2; 13.5; 13.6; 13.7; 14; 16.3; 16.4; 16.5 and 16.9.

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This document also covers lampholders which are integral with a luminaire or intended to be built into appliances. It covers the requirements for the lampholder only. For all other requirements, such as protection against electric shock in the area of the terminals, the requirements of the relevant appliance standard are applicable and tested after building into the appropriate equipment, when that equipment is tested according to its own standard. Lampholders for use by luminaire manufacturers only are not for retail sale.

This document also applies, as far as is reasonable, to lampholders and starterholders other than the types explicitly mentioned above and to lamp connectors.

Where the term "holder" is used in this document, both lampholders and starterholders are intended.

Where the term "bi-pin lampholder" is used, lampholders for wedged caps are also intended.

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