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INTRODUCTION

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LIVE WORKING – EYE, FACE AND HEAD PROTECTORS AGAINST THE EFFECTS OF ELECTRIC ARC – PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS AND TEST METHODS

1 Scope

This document is applicable to eye, face and head *protectors* used in work where there is a risk of exposure to an *electric arc* hazard.

Such *protectors* consist of one or several *devices* (e.g. *hood*, *goggles*, *balaclavas*, *face shields*, *helmets*, etc.), which might need to be combined together in order to give protection to eye, face and head for the intended use.

This document covers the performance requirements for *protectors* and single protective *devices* considering thermal, optical and mechanical hazards of an *electric arc*.

Because of the limitations of test apparatus at very high energy arcs, no *arc rating* above 4 100 kJ/m² (100 cal/cm²) can be assigned to *protectors*.

This document does not cover protection against electric shock, noise, the consequences of physical and mental shock and the toxic influences caused by an *electric arc*.

This document does not cover *protectors* for work intentionally using an *electric arc*, e.g. arc welding, plasma torch.

This document does not cover face-screens for the reduction of an electric field inside conductive clothing in accordance with IEC 60895.

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ISO 16321-1:2021, *Eye and face protection for occupational use – Part 1: General requirements*

ISO 16321-2:2021, *Eye and face protection for occupational use – Part 2: Additional requirements for protectors used during welding and related techniques*

ISO 16976 (all parts), *Respiratory protective devices – Human factors*

ISO 18526-2:2020, *Eye and face protection – Test methods – Part 2: Physical optical properties*

ISO 18526-3:2020, *Eye and face protection – Test methods – Part 3: Physical and mechanical properties*

3 Terms, definitions and symbols

3.1 Terms and definitions

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

ISO and IEC maintain terminological databases for use in standardization at the following addresses:

- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <https://www.iso.org/obp>
- IEC Electropedia: available at <http://www.electropedia.org/>

3.1.1

arc protection class

APC

<electric arc testing> class of *arc thermal protection* of a product tested in accordance with the box test method

Note 1 to entry: The *arc protection class* is characterized by the test energy level of arc exposure (arc energy and incident energy).

Note 2 to entry: The box test method defines two *arc protection classes* APC 1 and APC 2.

[SOURCE: IEC 60050-651:2022,651-27-03]

3.1.2 arc rating

<electric arc testing> quantity, attributed to a product, that describes the protective performance when tested in accordance with the open arc test

Note 1 to entry: The *arc rating* can be the *arc thermal performance value* (ATPV), the *breakopen threshold energy* (EBT) or the *incident energy limit* (ELIM).

Note 2 to entry: The *arc rating* values are expressed in kJ/m² (cal/cm²).

[SOURCE: IEC 60050-651:2022, 651-27-04]

3.1.3 arc thermal performance value

ATPV

<electric arc testing> quantity of *incident energy* attributed to a product that describes its properties of attenuating the thermal effect of energy generated by an open arc

Note 1 to entry: The ATPV of a product is calculated in principle using logistic regression analysis applied to the data points obtained from testing a sufficiently large set of test specimens. It is the value of *incident energy* at which the heat transfer through the test specimens is enough to reach the Stoll criteria with 50% probability.

Note 2 to entry: However, the ATPV attributed to a product in accordance with this document is either equal to or lower than the ATPV of the product calculated by taking only the Stoll criteria into account, depending on whether the tested specimen(s) fulfil also additional visual design and performance assessment criteria.

Note 3 to entry: Depending on further visual design and performance assessment criteria, the calculation of the value of the ATPV attributed to a product can be based on a smaller set of test specimens than needed for the determination of the ATPV by logistic regression analysis.

[SOURCE: IEC 60050-651:2022, 651-27-05, modified – The notes to entry have been added.]

3.1.4 arc thermal protection

<electric arc testing> degree of thermal protection offered against an *electric arc* under specific arc testing conditions indicated by either an *arc rating* or an *arc protection class*

[SOURCE: IEC 60050-651:2022, 651-27-06]

3.1.5 auto darkening filter

optical filter which varies the transmittance in the visible region of the spectrum depending on the presence of light emitted by an *electric arc*

Note 1 to entry: An *auto darkening filter* combines a *filter* with automatically adapting light transmittance with a passive UV and a passive IR *filter*. It varies the transmittance in the visible region of the spectrum, depending on the presence of light emitted by an *electric arc*. The luminous transmittance of the *auto darkening filter* has an initial high value (light state). After *ignition* of the arc, within a certain switching time, the luminous transmittance of the *filter* changes to a low value (dark state). *Auto darkening filters* include a (clear or tinted) cover plate and a (clear or tinted) inside plate.

Note 2 to entry: Luminous transmittance (shade), switching time, variations of luminous transmittance (homogeneity) and angle dependence are the main specific characteristics of an *auto darkening filter*.

3.1.6 balaclava

one-piece garment designed to fit closely over the entire head and to extend downwards to cover the neck, but leaving the area of the eyes and at most the area of the eyes, nose and mouth uncovered

[SOURCE: ISO/TR 11610:2004, 3.22, modified – The area of the head not covered has been specified.]