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sodium pour la génération électrochimique de chlore
au moyen d'électrolyseurs à membrane

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menschlichen Gebrauch - Natriumchlorid zur
elektrochemischen Erzeugung von Chlor vor Ort
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- a) Modification of 7.3 on transportation regulations and labelling, adding the sentence “The user must be aware of the incompatibilities between transported products.”;
- b) Modification of 7.4 on marking. The requirements of marking are also applied to the accompanying documents;
- c) Modification of Table 1 for the quantity of $[\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6]^{4-}$ in commercial product;
- d) Modification of moisture content in Table 2, to be in line with EN 973 and EN 16401.

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1 Scope

This document is applicable to sodium chloride intended for on-site electrochlorination of water intended for human consumption using membrane cells. It describes the characteristics and specifies the requirements and the corresponding test methods for sodium chloride (see Annex B). It gives information on its use in water treatment.

2 Normative references

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EN 14805:2008, *Chemicals used for treatment of water intended for human consumption - Sodium chloride for on site electrochlorination using non-membrane technology*

EN ISO 3696, *Water for analytical laboratory use - Specification and test methods (ISO 3696)*

ISO 2479, *Sodium chloride for industrial use — Determination of matter insoluble in water or in acid and preparation of principal solutions for other determinations*

ISO 2480, *Sodium chloride for industrial use — Determination of sulphate content — Barium sulphate gravimetric method*

ISO 2482, *Sodium chloride for industrial use — Determination of calcium and magnesium contents — EDTA complexometric methods*

ISO 2483, *Sodium chloride for industrial use — Determination of the loss of mass at 110 degrees C*

ISO 3165, *Sampling of chemical products for industrial use — Safety in sampling*

ISO 6206, *Chemical products for industrial use — Sampling — Vocabulary*

ISO 6227, *Chemical products for industrial use — General method for determination of chloride ions — Potentiometric method*

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