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SEARCH AND RESCUE (SART) -
OPERATIONAL AND PERFORMANCE
REQUIREMENTS, METHODS OF TESTING
AND REQUIRED TEST RESULTS (IEC 61097
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Marine search and rescue (SART) -
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methods of testing and required test results
(IEC 61097-1:2007)**

Systeme mondial de détresse
et de sécurité en mer (GMDSS) -
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et sauvetage maritime (SART) -
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Prüfverfahren und geforderte
Prüfergebnisse
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Foreword

The text of document 80/479/FDIS, future edition 2 of IEC 61097-1, prepared by IEC TC 80, Maritime navigation and radiocommunication equipment and systems, was submitted to the IEC-CENELEC parallel vote and was approved by CENELEC as EN 61097-1 on 2007-08-01.

This European Standard supersedes EN 61097-1:1993.

The main changes with respect to EN 61097-1:1993 are listed below:

- some amendments to bring the standard up to date with newer IMO resolutions and ITU recommendations. In particular, in 1995, the IMO adopted new performance standards for the SART in resolution A.802 (19) which replaced those of resolution A.697 (17). This new resolution introduced a new requirement for the SART to be provided with a pole arrangement. In 2006, the ITU-R revised recommendation M.628 to permit the optional use of circular polarisation with the SART;
- the Introduction has been deleted as it was of historical interest only;
- Annex A, which contained details of the parts of the EN 61097 series of standards, has been deleted;
- Annex B, which contained a Bibliography, has been deleted and the information moved into the normative references.

The following dates were fixed:

- latest date by which the EN has to be implemented
at national level by publication of an identical
national standard or by endorsement (dop) 2008-05-01
- latest date by which the national standards conflicting
with the EN have to be withdrawn (dow) 2010-08-01

Annex ZA has been added by CENELEC.

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Annex ZA (normative)

Normative references to international publications with their corresponding European publications

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

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

<u>Publication</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>EN/HD</u>	<u>Year</u> ²⁾
IEC 60936-1	- ¹⁾	Maritime navigation and radiocommunication equipment and systems - Radar - Part 1: Shipborne radar - Performance requirements - Methods of testing and required test results	EN 60936-1	2000 ²⁾
IEC 60945	- ¹⁾	Maritime navigation and radiocommunication equipment and systems - General requirements - Methods of testing and required test results	EN 60945	2002 ²⁾
IMO Resolution A.222 (VII)	- ¹⁾	Performance standards for navigational radar equipment	-	-
IMO Resolution A.477 (XII)	- ¹⁾	Performance standards for radar equipment	-	-
IMO Resolution A.530 (13)	- ¹⁾	Use of radar transponders for search and rescue purposes	-	-
IMO Resolution A.694 (17)	- ¹⁾	General requirements for shipborne radio equipment forming part of the global maritime distress and safety system (GMDSS) and for electronic navigational aids	-	-
IMO Resolution A.802 (19)	- ¹⁾	Performance standards for survival craft radar transponder for use in search and rescue operations	-	-
IMO SOLAS 1974 Amendments	1988	Amendments concerning Radiocommunications for the Global maritime distress and safety system (GMDSS)	-	-
ITU-R Recommendation M.628-4	- ¹⁾	Technical characteristics for search and rescue radar transponders	-	-
ITU-R Report 1036-1	- ¹⁾	Frequencies for homing and locating in the global maritime distress and safety system (GMDSS)	-	-

¹⁾ Undated reference.

²⁾ Valid edition at date of issue.

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