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Foreword

This European Standard (EN 14035-5:2006) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 212 "Fireworks", the secretariat of which is held by NEN.

This European Standard shall be given the status of a national standard, either by publication of an identical text or by endorsement, at the latest by August 2006, and conflicting national standards shall be withdrawn at the latest by August 2006.

This standard is one of a series of standards as listed below.

EN 14035-1, Fireworks - Part 1: Terminology

EN 14035-2, Fireworks - Part 2: Categorisation

EN 14035-3, Fireworks - Part 3: Aerial wheels - Specification and test methods

EN 14035-4, Fireworks - Part 4: Bangers and banger batteries - Specification and test methods

EN 14035-5, Fireworks - Part 5: Batteries and combinations - Specification and test methods

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EN 14035-17, Fireworks - Part 17: Ground spinners - Specification and test methods

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EN 14035-20, Fireworks - Part 20: Jumping crackers - Specification and test methods

EN 14035-21, Fireworks - Part 21: Jumping ground spinners - Specification and test methods

EN 14035-22, Fireworks - Part 22: Mines - Specification and test methods

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EN 14035-24, Fireworks - Part 24: Novelty matches - Specification and test methods

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- EN 14035-33, Fireworks Part 33: Spinners Specification and test methods
- EN 14035-34, Fireworks Part 34: Table bombs Specification and test methods
- EN 14035-35, Fireworks Part 35: Throwdowns Specification and test methods
- EN 14035-36, Fireworks Part 36: Wheels Specification and test methods
- EN 14035-38, Fireworks Part 38: Shot tubes Specification and test methods

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1 Scope

This European Standard specifies requirements for the construction, performance, primary packaging and labelling of batteries and combinations and the corresponding test methods. It is applicable to fireworks which are classified as batteries and combinations in categories 2 and 3 according to EN 14035-2.

It is applicable to category 2 batteries and combinations containing elements, each corresponding to a type of firework listed in EN 14035-2 and which conform to the relevant requirements of categories 1 and 2.

It is applicable to category 3 batteries and combinations containing elements, each corresponding to a type of firework listed in EN 14035-2 and which conform to the relevant requirements of categories 1, 2 and 3.

It is not applicable to banger batteries and flash banger batteries, which are specified in EN 14035-4 and EN 14035-12 respectively.

NOTE 1 The elements (types of firework) that can be included in a battery or combination are specified in Clause 4.

It is not applicable to batteries and combinations containing pyrotechnic composition that includes any of the following substances:

- arsenic or arsenic compounds;
- mixtures containing a mass fraction of chlorates greater than 80 %;
- mixtures of chlorates with metals;
- mixtures of chlorates with red phosphorus;
- mixtures of chlorates with potassium hexacyanoferrate(II);
- mixtures of chlorates with sulfur;
- mixtures of chlorates with sulfides;
- lead or lead compounds;
- mercury compounds;
- white phosphorus;
- picrates or picric acid;
- potassium chlorate with a mass fraction of bromates greater than 0,15 %;
- sulfur with an acidity, expressed as mass fraction of sulfuric acid, greater than 0,002 %;
- zirconium with a particle size of less than 40 μ m.

NOTE 2 In EN 14035-2, batteries and combinations are classified as follows:

- brief description:

— battery: assembly including several elements, each of the same type and corresponding to one of the types of firework listed in EN 14035-2, with one point of ignition;

- combination: assembly including several elements, not all of the same type, each corresponding to one of the types of firework listed in EN 14035-2, with one point of ignition;

- principal effects: as for the individual elements.

Schemes for type testing of batteries and combinations and batch testing of batteries and combinations are specified in Annex A and Annex B respectively.

2 Normative references

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

EN 14035-1:2003, Fireworks — Part 1: Terminology

EN 14035-2, Fireworks — Part 2: Categorisation

EN 61672-1, Electroacoustics — Sound level meters — Part 1: Specifications (IEC 61672-1:2002)

EN 61672-2, Electroacoustics — Sound level meters — Part 2: Pattern evaluation tests (IEC 61672-2:2003)

EN ISO 845, Cellular plastics and rubbers — Determination of apparent (bulk) density (ISO 845:1988)

EN ISO 868, Plastics and ebonite — Determination of indentation hardness by means of a durometer (Shore hardness) (ISO 868:2003)

EN ISO 2439, Flexible cellular polymeric materials — Determination of hardness (indentation technique) (ISO 2439:1997 including Technical Corrigendum 1:1998)

ISO 2859-1, Sampling procedures for inspection by attributes — Part 1: Sampling schemes indexed by acceptance quality limit (AQL) for lot-by-lot inspection

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this European Standard, the terms and definitions given in EN 14035-1:2003 apply.



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