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Foreword

This document (EN 1837:1999+A1:2009) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 169 "Light and lighting", the secretariat of which is held by DIN.

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Introduction

To illuminate visual tasks within and/or at machines integral lighting systems (built in or at machines) can be required. These integral lighting systems require special characteristics that allow both safe use and efficient performance of the visual task by the operator during operation and service.

1 Scope

This standard specifies the parameters of integral lighting systems designed to provide illumination in and/or at both stationary and mobile machines to enable the safe use of the machine and the efficient performance of the visual task within and/or at the machine to be carried out.

This standard does not specify lighting systems mounted on the machine to specifically illuminate visual tasks outside the machine. The function and requirements of these systems are specified in the European Standard dealing with the lighting of work places. This European Standard is under preparation.

This standard does not establish additional requirements for the operation of lighting systems

- in severe conditions (extreme environmental conditions such as freezer applications, high temperatures, etc.);
- subject to special rules (e.g. explosive atmospheres);
- where the transmittance is reduced by environmental conditions, such as smoke, splashing, etc.

2 Normative references

- The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the last edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.
- A1) deleted text (A1)
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- A EN 1838, Lighting applications Emergency lighting
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- [A] EN 12464-1:2002, Light and lighting Lighting of work places Part 1: Indoor work places
- EN 12464-2, Light and lighting Lighting of work places Part 2: Outdoor work places &
- [A] EN 12665:2002, Light and lighting Basic terms and criteria for specifying lighting requirements [A]
- EN ISO 12100-1:2003, Safety of machinery Basic concepts, general principles for design Part 1: Basic terminology, methodology (ISO 12100-1:2003)

EN ISO 12100-2:2003, Safety of machinery – Basic concepts, general principles for design – Part 2: Technical principles (ISO 12100-2:2003) [A]



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