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Foreword

This document (EN 50636-2-92:2014) has been prepared by CLC/TC 116 "Safety of motor-operated electric tools".

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EN 60335-2-92:2014 includes the following significant technical changes:

- rewording of some clauses;
- alignment to the European Machinery Directive 2006/42/EC;
- alignment to EN 60335-1:2012.

This document is to be used in conjunction with EN 60335-1:2012 "*Household and similar electrical appliances — Safety — Part 1: General requirements*".

When "Part 1" is mentioned in this standard, it refers to EN 60335-1:2012.

This document supplements or modifies the corresponding clauses in Part 1, so as to convert that publication into the European Standard "*Particular requirements for **pedestrian-controlled** walk-behind mains operated scarifiers and aerators*".

Where a particular subclause of Part 1 is not mentioned in this document, that subclause applies as far as is relevant. Where this standard states "addition", "modification" or "replacement", the relevant text in Part 1 is to be adapted accordingly.

Compliance with the relevant clauses of Part 1 together with this document provides one means of conforming to the specified essential health and safety requirements of the Directive.

This European Standard follows the overall requirements of EN ISO 12100.

Warning: Other requirements arising from other EU Directives can be applicable to the products falling within the scope of this European Standard.

The following numbering system is used:

- subclauses, notes, tables and figures that are numbered starting from 101 are additional to those in Part 1;
- additional annexes are lettered AA, BB, etc.;

Note In this European Standard the following print types are used:

- requirements proper: in roman type;
- *test specifications: in italic type;*
- explanatory matter: in smaller roman type.

Words in **bold** in the text are defined in Clause 3. When a definition concerns an adjective, the adjective and the associated noun are also in bold. Common modifications are indicated by a vertical line in the left margin of the text.

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For the relationship with EU Directive(s) see informative Annex ZZ, which is an integral part of this document.

Introduction

This document is a type C standard as stated in EN ISO 12100.

The machinery concerned and the extent to which hazards, hazardous situations and events are covered is as indicated in the scope of this document.

When provisions of this type C standard are different from those which are stated in type A or B standards, the provisions of this type C standard take precedence over the other standards, for machines which have been built and designed to the provisions of this type C standard.

1 Scope

This clause of Part 1 is replaced by the following.

This European Standard specifies safety requirements and their verification for the design and construction of **pedestrian controlled** walk-behind mains operated scarifiers and aerators, hereinafter referred to as 'machine(s)', which are designed for re-generating lawns by, for instance, combing out grass, thatch and moss or cutting vertically into the lawn face using **tines** which rotate about a horizontal axis. This standard applies in conjunction with Part 1.

NOTE 1 Lawn scarifiers are also known as lawn rakes.

This European Standard does not apply to non-powered scarifiers and aerators, battery powered scarifiers and aerators, vertical axis scarifiers and aerators or those aerators which cut into the soil by means of a reciprocating motion and ride-on machines.

This European Standard does not apply to

- lawnmowers (EN 60335-2-77);
- lawn trimmers (EN 60335-2-91);
- lawn edge trimmers (EN 60335-2-91);
- lawn edgers, flail mowers, sickle-bar mowers or agricultural mowers.

This European Standard is not applicable to aerators/scarifiers which are manufactured before the date of publication of this document.

This European Standard deals with all the significant hazards presented by **pedestrian-controlled lawn scarifiers and lawn aerators** when they are used as intended and under conditions of misuse which are reasonably foreseeable.

NOTE 2 Combustion engine machines are covered by EN 13684.

2 Normative references

This clause of Part 1 is applicable except as follows.

Addition:

EN 60335-1:2012, *Household and similar electrical appliances — Safety — Part 1: General requirements (IEC 60335-1:2010, modified)*

EN ISO 354:1993, *Acoustics — Measurement of sound absorption in a reverberation room (ISO 354:2003)*

EN ISO 2758:2003, *Paper — Determination of bursting strength (ISO 2758:2001)*

EN ISO 3744:2010, *Acoustics — Determination of sound power levels and sound energy levels of noise sources using sound pressure — Engineering methods for an essentially free field over a reflecting plane (ISO 3744:2010)*

EN ISO 4871:2009, *Acoustics — Declaration and verification of noise emission values of machinery and equipment (ISO 4871:1996)*

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