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Annex ZZ
(informative)

Relationship between this European Standard and the requirements of Commission Regulation (EC) No 278/2009

This European Standard has been prepared under a mandate given to CENELEC by the European Commission and the European Free Trade Association to provide a means of conforming to requirements of *Commission Regulation (EC) No 278/2009 of 6 April 2009 implementing Directive 2005/32/EC*[1] *of the European Parliament and of the Council with regard to ecodesign requirements for no-load condition electric power consumption and average active efficiency of external power supplies.*

Once this standard is cited in the Official Journal of the European Union under that Commission Regulation, compliance with the clauses of this standard given in Table ZZ.1 confers, within the limits of the scope of this standard, a presumption of conformity with the corresponding requirements of that and associated EFTA regulations.

Table ZZ.1 — Correspondence between this European Standard and Commission Regulation (EC) No 278/2009

Requirements of Commission Regulation (EC) No 278/2009	Clauses and subclauses of this EN
Article 3 - **Ecodesign requirements (Annex I, 2 Measurements)**	**6. Measurements**
Article 3 - **Ecodesign requirements (Annex II, 4 Information to be provided by manufacturers)**	**7. Test Report**
Article 5 - **Verification procedure for market surveillance purposes (Annex III)**	**6. Measurements**

WARNING — Other requirements and other EU Directives may be applicable to the product(s) falling within the scope of this standard.

[1] The Directive was subsequently replaced by Directive 2009/125/EC.

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Introduction

This European Standard was written in response to an EC mandate requesting the creation of a harmonised standard providing a reliable, accurate and reproducible method of measuring the no-load power consumption and determining the average efficiency of active modes for external power supplies, which takes into account the generally recognised state of the art measurement methods.

This standard makes extensive reference to EN 50564 *Electrical and electronic household and office equipment - Measurement of low power consumption,* which was also prepared under an EC mandate to support the ecodesign Directive. Other provisions are based on the test method published by the EPA and the Australian/NZ Standard AS/NZS 4665.1.

The methods defined in this standard are intended to cover no-load power consumption and average efficiency of active modes for a.c. - a.c. and a.c. – d.c. external power supplies.

The aim is to ensure this European Standard is compatible with the objectives of EU legislation for ecodesign. This standard is applicable to a wider range of products than EC Regulation No 278/2009.

1 Scope

This European Standard specifies methods of measurement of electrical power consumption, and the reporting of results, for external power supplies. This standard is applicable to external power supplies with a rated input voltage within the range 100 V a.c. to 250 V a.c. having a single output with a rated output power not exceeding 250 W and a rated output voltage not exceeding 230 V a.c. or 325 V d.c. The output voltage may be either at a fixed voltage, or at a voltage which is user selectable, or at a voltage that is automatically selectable by the external power supply so as to be compatible with one or more product-loads.

NOTE 1 This document has been written in particular to support EC Regulation No 278/2009 for the measurement of no-load condition electric power and average efficiency of active modes for external power supplies.

NOTE 2 This standard does not specify safety requirements for products nor safety precautions to be taken by those performing measurements. It does not specify minimum performance requirements, nor does it set maximum limits on power or energy consumption.

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 latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 50564:2011, *Electrical and electronic household and office equipment – Measurement of low power consumption (IEC 62301:2011, modified)*

IEC 60050-131:2002, *International Electrotechnical Vocabulary – Part 131: Circuit theory*

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