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## **European foreword**

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This standard provides a process for managing risks associated with medical devices. Because this standard describes an ongoing process applicable in part or in all to the Essential Requirements of Directive 93/42/EEC on medical devices, it is not meaningful to link individual clauses of the standard to specific corresponding Essential Requirements.

Compliance with all the requirement clauses in this standard will ensure that general aspects of medical devices related to patient risk and safety have been addressed. For particular medical devices or for particular safety aspects, additional specific requirements may need to be complied with in order to meet the essential requirements. With respect to users of medical devices and third persons, additional specific requirements from other EU Directives may need to be complied with in order to meet Essential Requirement 1. Relevant harmonized standards may also be used for these purposes.

The risk management processes described in this standard could establish the need for collection of clinical or other experimental data for risk-benefit evaluation purposes. It does not describe how this has to be carried out. Relevant harmonized standards may be used for this purpose.

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7.2	Clause 8 9.3 Clause 10	
7.3	7.2.4.3 7.2.4.3.2 7.2.4.3.2 g) 7.2.4.3.5	



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7.6	5.2.3 f)	
8.1	Clause 9 Clause 10	
8.3 (Design)	5.1 7.2.4.2	
8.3 (Manufacturing, Packaging)	Clause 8 Clause 9 10.1 10.2 11.2 m)	
8.4	9.1.1	
8.5	8.1 9.2	
8.6	9.2 Clause 10	
8.7	Clause 11	EN ISO 14630:2012, 11.2 f)
9.1	5.1 a) 5.2.3 e) 7.2.4.3.10	See specific standards product requirements for the device part
9.2 (Risk of injury)	5.1 7.2.4.1	
9.2 (Magnetic fields)	5.2.2 f) 5.2.3 g) 7.2.4.3.7	
9.2 (Aging)	5.2.1 e) 5.2.2 a) 7.1 7.2.4.3.10	
9.3	11.2.1 l)	

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13.3 l)	11.2.1 l)	
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13.4	11.3 a), d)	
13.5	Clause 11	
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13.6 e)	11.2 b), e), i), j), k), m)	
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## Foreword

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- *Part 1: General requirements*
- *Part 2: Local regulatory guidance*

## **ISO 12417-1:2015(E)**

### **Introduction**

This part of ISO 12417 was prepared in order to provide minimum requirements for vascular device-drug combination products (VDDCPs).

Only issues related to vascular devices combined with drug(s), wherein the drug serves an ancillary function of the VDDCP are covered by this part of ISO 12417.

It was impossible, when writing this part of ISO 12417, to take into consideration all future and emerging technologies. VDDCPs using such technologies will need to be evaluated following the basic requirements of this International Standard. Testing beyond the scope of this part of ISO 12417 might also be necessary to characterize these device systems. Consideration shall be given to the failure modes of the VDDCP and their effects on the performance in deciding what testing will be appropriate.

For issues related to the primary mode of action (PMOA) of the vascular VDDCP, the reader might find it useful to consider a number of other International Standards (see Bibliography).



# Cardiovascular implants and extracorporeal systems — Vascular device-drug combination products —

## Part 1: General requirements

### 1 Scope

This part of ISO 12417 specifies requirements for vascular device-drug combination products (VDDCPs) based upon current technical and medical knowledge. VDDCPs are medical devices with various clinical indications for use in the human vascular blood system. A VDDCP incorporates, as an integral part, substance(s) which, if used separately, can be considered to be a medicinal substance or product (drug substance, drug product) but the action of the medicinal substance is ancillary to that of the device and supports the primary mode of action (PMOA) of the device. With regard to safety, this part of ISO 12417 outlines requirements for intended performance, design attributes, materials, design evaluation, manufacturing, sterilization, packaging, and information supplied by the manufacturer. For implanted products, this International Standard should be considered as a supplement to ISO 14630, which specifies general requirements for the performance of non-active surgical implants. This International Standard should also be considered as a supplement to relevant device-specific standards, such as the ISO 25539-series specifying requirements for endovascular devices. Requirements listed in this part of ISO 12417 also address VDDCPs that are not permanent implants.

**NOTE** Due to variations in the design of combination products covered by this part of ISO 12417 and due to the relatively recent development of some of these combination products, acceptable standardized *in vitro* test results and clinical study results are not always available. As further scientific and clinical data become available, appropriate revision of this part of ISO 12417 might be necessary.

Delivery systems or parts of the delivery system are included in the scope of this part of ISO 12417, if they comprise an integral component of the vascular device and if they are drug-covered (e.g. drug-covered balloon catheters and drug-covered guidewires).

Devices whose PMOA is to provide a conduit for delivery of a drug, are excluded from the scope of this part of ISO 12417 (e.g. infusion catheters), unless they contain a drug component that is intended to have an ancillary action to the device part (e.g. antimicrobial coated infusion catheter).

Procedures and devices used prior to and following the introduction of the VDDCP (e.g. balloon angioplasty devices) are excluded from the scope of this part of ISO 12417 if they do not affect the drug-related aspects of the device.

This part of ISO 12417 is not comprehensive with respect to the pharmacological evaluation of VDDCPs. Some information on the requirements of different national and regional authorities is given in [Annex B](#).

Absorbable components of VDDCPs (e.g. coatings) are addressed by this part of ISO 12417 in their connection with drug-related aspects of the device. Degradation and other time-dependent aspects of absorbable implants and coatings are not completely addressed by this part of ISO 12417.

**NOTE** See also ISO/TS 17137 and ASTM F3036-13.

This part of ISO 12417 does not address issues associated with viable or non-viable biological materials such as tissues, cells, or proteins.

This part of ISO 12417 does not address issues associated with active surgical implants (i.e. implants that require power not generated by the human body or gravity).

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