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FprEN 13243:2014 (E)**Foreword**

This document (EN 13243:2015) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 242 "Safety requirements for passenger transportation by rope", the secretariat of which is held by AFNOR.

This European Standard shall maintain the status of a National Standard, either with the publication of an identical text or by recognition up to July 2015, and any opposing National Standards shall be withdrawn by July 2015.

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This document is intended to replace EN 13243:2004.

This document has been prepared under a mandate given to CEN by the European Commission and the European Free Trade Association, and supports essential requirements of EU Directive 2000/9/EC.

For the relationship with EU Directive 2000/9/EC, see informative Annex ZA, which is an integral part of this document.

With respect to EN 13243:2004, the following significant amendments have been made:

- In section 1, additions have been added with respect to worker protection and the transported persons.
- In section 1, the reference to relevant publications, e.g. EN 61508 (all parts) has been added for complex electronics and embedded software.
- In section 3, terms and definitions have been removed because the reference to EN 1907 is sufficient.
- In 4.1.3, the process to determine the requirements for electrical equipment has been added by means of a schematic representation of the process for risk reduction.
- In 4.2.2, the risk categories have been revised with regard to the current principles.
- The content and structure of 4.2.3 have been adjusted to the new reference system of the EN ISO 13849 1 standard due to the withdrawal of EN 954 1 by the end of 2011. The requirements of the requirement classes have been revised accordingly.
- In 4.2.3.14, Table 1 has been added on the basis of EN ISO 13849 1.
- In 4.2.3.15, Table 2 has been added on the basis of EN ISO 13849 1.
- In 4.3, the requirements for safety-related application software have been added with the presentation of the development process of the software (V diagram).
- In 6.4, reference has been made to the reference standard EN ISO 13850, with respect to the requirements of emergency stop devices.
- In 8.2.2, the requirement for test devices has been defined more precisely.
- In Annex A, the definitions of the risk categories have been updated and parameters P1 and P2 have been added with respect to the possibility of avoiding hazardous situations.
- In Annex B, the assignment of performance levels as specified in EN ISO 13849 1 and the safety integrity level (SIL) as specified in EN 61508 (all parts) to requirement classes is shown in a table.

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- In the old Annex C, the examples for assigning the requirement classes have been removed.
- In Annex C, the table for indicating devices has been updated.
- In the old Annex D, Deviation A of Italy has been removed.
- In Annex D, the table with examples of the level of fault detection (FG) has been added.
- Old Annex ZA has been updated.
- The bibliography has been updated.

This document forms part of the standards programme approved by the CEN/TC 242 . This programme includes the following standards:

- EN 1907 — *Terminology*;
- EN 12929 (all parts)— *General requirements*;
- EN 12930 — *Calculations*;
- EN 12927 (all parts) — *Ropes*;
- EN 1908 — *Tensioning devices*;
- EN 13223 — *Drive systems and other mechanical equipment*;
- EN 13796 (all parts) — *Carriers*;
- EN 13243 — *Electrical equipment other than for drive systems*;
- EN 13107 — *Civil engineering works*;
- EN 1709 — *Precommissioning inspection, maintenance and operational checks*;
- EN 1909 — *Recovery and evacuation*
- EN 12397 — *Operation*;
- EN 12408 — *Quality assurance*;

This series of standards forms a complete set with regard to the design, production, erection, maintenance and operation of any cableway installation designed to carry persons.

In respect of ski-tows, the drafting of this standard has been guided by the works of the International Organisation for Transportation by Rope (OITAF).

According to the CEN-CENELEC Internal Regulations, the national standards organisations of the following countries are bound to implement this European Standard: Belgium, Bulgaria, Denmark, Germany, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Estonia, Finland, France, Greece, Ireland, Iceland, Italy, Croatia, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxemburg, Malta, the Netherlands, Norway, Austria, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Sweden, Switzerland, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Czech Republic, Turkey, Hungary, United Kingdom and Cyprus.

FprEN 13243:2014 (E)**1 Scope**

This European standard specifies safety requirements for electrical devices (including application software, apart from those in drive systems) on cableway installations designed to carry persons. This standard is applicable to the various types of cableway installations and takes into account their environment. It does not apply to complex electronics and embedded software.

For complex electronics and embedded software, reference is made to the relevant publications e.g. EN 61508 (all parts).

Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) is not covered in this standard; cableways and their components should comply with general requirements for EMC.

For electrical devices which are part of drive systems, the requirements of those sections listed in the scope of EN 13223 as relating to drive systems should be observed.

This standard contains requirements for the prevention of accidents and protection of workers without prejudice to the application of national regulations. National regulations of a legal nature in regards to building or regulations or that are designed to protect particular groups of people, remain unaffected.

It does not apply to cableway installations for the transportation of goods by rope or to lifts.

2 Normative references

The following references, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this standard and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the reference document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 1709, *Safety requirements for cableway installations designed to carry persons — Precommissioning inspection, maintenance, operational inspection and checks*

EN 1907, *Safety requirements for cableway installations designed to carry persons — Terminology*

EN 1908, *Safety requirements for cableway installations designed to carry persons — Tensioning devices*

EN 1909, *Safety requirements for cableway installations designed to carry persons — Recovery and evacuation*

EN 12397, *Safety requirements for cableway installations designed to carry persons — Operation*

EN 12408, *Safety requirements for cableway installations designed to carry persons — Quality control*

EN 12927 (all parts), *Safety requirements for cableway installations designed to carry persons — Ropes*

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EN 13107, *Safety requirements for cableway installations designed to carry persons — Civil engineering works*

EN 13223, *Safety requirements for cableway installations designed to carry persons — Drive systems and other mechanical equipment*

EN 13796 (all parts), *Safety requirements for cableway installations designed to carry persons — Carriers* EN 50110 (all parts), *Operation of electrical installations* EN 50272-2, *Safety requirements for secondary batteries and battery installations – Part 2: Stationary batteries*

EN 60204-1, *Safety of machinery — Electrical equipment of machines — Part 1: General requirements (IEC 60204-1)*

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