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Foreword

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This second edition cancels and replaces the first edition (ISO 18113-3:2009), which has been technically revised.

The main changes are as follows:

— Updated text to reflect changes in regulations and provide examples for clarity;

— Added information pertaining to unique device identifier-device identifier (UDI);

— Updated the Bibliography.

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Introduction

Manufacturers of in vitro diagnostic (IVD) instruments for professional use, supply users with information to enable the safe use and expected performance of their devices. The type and level of detail varies according to the intended uses and country-specific regulations.

The International Medical Device Regulators Forum (IMDRF) encourages convergence of the evolution of regulatory systems for medical devices at the global level. Eliminating differences among regulatory jurisdictions can allow patients earlier access to new technologies and treatments. This document provides a basis for harmonization of labelling requirements for IVD instruments for professional use.

This document is concerned solely with information supplied with IVD instruments and equipment intended for professional use. It is intended to be used in conjunction with ISO 18113-1, which contains the general requirements for information supplied by the manufacturer and definitions of general labelling concepts.

This document is intended to support the essential labelling requirements of all the IMDRF[5] partners, as well as other countries that have or plan to enact labelling regulations for IVD medical devices.

For IVD instruments for professional use that are intended to be used as a system with reagents provided by the same manufacturer, this document is also intended to be used together with ISO 18113-1 and ISO 18113-2.

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In vitro diagnostic medical devices — Information supplied by the manufacturer (labelling) —

Part 3: In vitro diagnostic instruments for professional use

1 Scope

This document specifies requirements for information supplied by the manufacturer of in vitro diagnostic (IVD) instruments intended for professional use.

This document also applies to apparatus and equipment intended to be used with IVD instruments for professional use.

This document can also be applicable to accessories.

This document does not apply to:

a) instructions for instrument servicing or repair;

b) IVD reagents, including calibrators and control materials for use in control of the reagent;

c) IVD instruments for self-testing.

2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements 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.

ISO 14971, *Medical devices — Application of risk management to medical devices*

ISO 15223-1, *Medical devices — Symbols to be used with information to be supplied by the manufacturer — Part 1: General requirements*

ISO 18113-1, *In vitro diagnostic medical devices — Information supplied by the manufacturer (labelling) — Part 1: Terms, definitions and general requirements*

IEC 61010-1, *Safety requirements for electrical equipment for measurement, control and laboratory use — Part 1: General requirements*

IEC 61010-2-101, *Safety requirements for electrical equipment for measurement, control and laboratory use — Part 2-101: Particular requirements for in vitro diagnostic (IVD) medical equipment*

IEC 61326-2-6, *Electrical equipment for measurement, control and laboratory use — EMC requirements — Part 2-6: Particular requirements — In vitro diagnostic (IVD) medical equipment*

IEC 62366-1, *Medical devices — Part 1: Application of usability engineering to medical devices*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in ISO 18113-1 apply.

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— ISO Online browsing platform: available at https://www.iso.org/obp

— IEC Electropedia: available at https://www.electropedia.org/

4 Essential requirements

The requirements of ISO 18113-1 apply.

5 Labels and marking

5.1 General

The requirements of IEC 61010-1, IEC 61010-2-101 and IEC 61326-2-6 concerning labels and marking apply.

For the use of symbols, the requirements of ISO 15223-1 apply.

When including on the labelling any language regarding the manufacturer's liability in the case of damage or injury resulting from any use or malfunction of the device, the laws or regulations in the jurisdiction of use should be taken into consideration.

The labelling shall not contain any disclaimers related to the safety and performance of the device for its intended purpose that are incompatible with the obligations of the manufacturer to design and manufacture a product that is safe and performs as intended throughout its expected lifetime. The laws and regulations in the jurisdiction of use should be taken into consideration.

5.2 Identification of the IVD instrument

5.2.1 IVD instrument name

The name or trade name of the IVD instrument shall be given.

When the name does not uniquely identify the IVD instrument, an additional means of identification shall also be given.

EXAMPLES Catalogue number, commodity number.

5.2.2 Serial number

A unique serial number shall be given for IVD instruments.

All instruments covered by the IEC 61010 series require serial numbers.

Where serial numbers are not practical for apparatus, equipment or accessories intended to be used with IVD instruments, a batch code may be used instead.

EXAMPLE A primary sample receptacle would be assigned a batch code.

5.2.3 In vitro diagnostic use

Regulations can require the IVD use of the instrument to be indicated.

EXAMPLES The words "for in vitro diagnostic use" or graphical symbol: "in vitro diagnostic medical device".

NOTE In some countries, authorities having jurisdiction can set local requirements for the content of the intended use statement. For example, in the United States, an indication is given that the device is intended for IVD use.

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