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## **Elektriska apparater för detektering och mätning av syrgas – Prestandafordringar och provningsmetoder**

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Performance requirements and test methods*

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In this standard, Annexes A and B are informative.

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## 1 Scope

This European Standard specifies test methods and performance requirements for portable, transportable and fixed electrical apparatus for the measurement of the oxygen concentration in gas mixtures indicating up to 25 % (v/v).

In the case of inert gas purging (inertization), it applies also to apparatus with an oxygen measuring function for explosion protection.

NOTE The most commonly used oxygen sensors in commercial equipment for industrial application are:

- a) paramagnetic sensors;
- b) electrochemical sensors (aqueous and solid electrolytes).

This European Standard is applicable to oxygen alarm apparatus intended to measure reliably the oxygen concentration, to provide an indication, alarm or other output function, the purpose of which is to give a warning of a potential hazard and, in some cases, to initiate automatic or manual protective action(s), whenever the level exceeds or falls below a preselected alarm concentration.

It is applicable to apparatus, including integral sampling systems of aspirated apparatus, intended to be used for commercial and industrial safety applications.

It does not apply to external sampling systems, or to apparatus of laboratory or scientific type, or to medical equipment, or to apparatus used only for process control purposes.

## 2 Normative references

This European Standard incorporates by dated or undated references, provisions from other publications. These normative references are cited at the appropriate place in the text and the publications are listed hereafter. For dated references, subsequent amendments to or revisions of any of these publications apply to this European Standard only when incorporated in it by amendment or revision. For undated references the latest edition of the publication referred to applies.

EN 50270	1999	Electromagnetic compatibility - Electrical apparatus for the detection and measurement of combustible gases, toxic gases or oxygen
EN 50271	2001	Electrical apparatus for the detection and measurement of combustible gases, toxic gases or oxygen - Requirements and tests for apparatus using software and/or digital technologies
EN 60068-2-6	1995	Environmental testing - Part 2: Tests - Test Fc: Vibration (sinusoidal) (IEC 60068-2-6:1995 + corrigendum March 1995)