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### **Extracorporeal systems for blood purification – Part 2: Extracorporeal blood circuit for haemodialysers, haemodiafilters and haemofilters (ISO 8637-2:2018)**

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## European foreword

This document (EN ISO 8637-2:2018) has been prepared by Technical Committee ISO/TC 150 "Implants for surgery" in collaboration with Technical Committee CEN/TC 205 "Non-active medical devices" the secretariat of which is held by DIN.

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## Introduction

This document is concerned with the extracorporeal blood circuit manufactured for single use and intended for use in conjunction with haemodialysers, haemodiafilters and haemofilters. The requirements specified in this document for the extracorporeal blood circuit will help to ensure safety and satisfactory function.

It was not found practicable to specify materials of construction. This document therefore requires only that materials have been tested and that the methods and results are made available upon request.

The dimensions of the connectors intended for connecting the extracorporeal blood circuit to a haemodialyser, haemodiafilter or haemofilter have been revised and specified to ensure compatibility with these devices, as specified in ISO 8637-1. The design and dimensions have been selected in order to minimize the risk of leakage of blood and ingress of air. Connectors with either fixed or loose locking shells are permitted.

This document reflects the consensus of physicians, manufacturers and other interested parties for devices that are approved for clinical use.



# Extracorporeal systems for blood purification —

## Part 2: Extracorporeal blood circuit for haemodialysers, haemodiafilters and haemofilters

### 1 Scope

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

This document specifies requirements for the blood circuit for devices used in extracorporeal blood filtration therapies such as, but not limited to, haemodialysis, haemodiafiltration, haemofiltration and transducer protectors (integral and non-integral) intended for use in such circuits.

This document does not apply to:

- haemodialysers, haemodiafilters or haemofilters;
- plasmafilters;
- haemoperfusion devices;
- vascular access devices;
- blood pumps;
- pressure monitors for the extracorporeal blood circuit;
- air detection devices;
- systems to prepare, maintain or monitor dialysis fluid;
- systems or equipment intended to perform haemodialysis, haemodiafiltration, haemofiltration or haemoconcentration.

NOTE 1 Requirements for haemodialysers, haemodiafilters, haemofilters and haemoconcentrators are specified in ISO 8637-1, and requirements for plasmafilters are specified in ISO 8637-3.

NOTE 2 Extracorporeal blood tubing sets can also be used for other extracorporeal therapies such as haemoperfusion, plasmafiltration and plasma adsorption.

### 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 7864, *Sterile hypodermic needles for single use — Requirements and test methods*

ISO 10993-1, *Biological evaluation of medical devices — Part 1: Evaluation and testing within a risk management process*

ISO 10993-4, *Biological evaluation of medical devices — Part 4: Selection of tests for interactions with blood*

ISO 10993-7, *Biological evaluation of medical devices — Part 7: Ethylene oxide sterilization residuals*

ISO 10993-11, *Biological evaluation of medical devices — Part 11: Tests for systemic toxicity*

ISO 80369-7, *Small-bore connectors for liquids and gases in healthcare applications — Part 7: Connectors for intravascular or hypodermic applications*

### 3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

ISO and IEC maintain terminological databases for use in standardization at the following addresses:

- IEC Electropedia: available at <https://www.electropedia.org/>
- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <https://www.iso.org/obp>

#### 3.1 air capture chamber

component intended to capture air and which can provide compliance to the blood circuit or allow pressure to be monitored

Note 1 to entry: Air capture chambers are also known as drip chambers, bubble traps or venous and arterial blood chambers.

#### 3.2 extracorporeal blood circuit

blood tubing and integral accessory tubing, including fluid and infusion tubing, for attaching the extracorporeal blood circuit to pressure monitors and integral components

EXAMPLE (Of integral components.) Air capture chambers and transducer protectors.

#### 3.3 fluid pathway

internal surfaces of the *extracorporeal blood circuit* (3.2)

#### 3.4 labelling

written, printed, graphic or electronic matter that is affixed to a medical device or any of its containers or wrappers, or accompanies a medical device and which is related to identification, technical description and use of that medical device, but excluding shipping documents

#### 3.5 pump segment

portion of the *extracorporeal blood circuit* (3.2) that is acted upon by the blood pump

#### 3.6 transducer protector pressure-transmitting sterile barrier

component of the *extracorporeal blood circuit* (3.2) that is intended to provide an interconnection between the extracorporeal blood circuit and the haemodialysis machine while allowing the pressure within the extracorporeal blood circuit to be measured by the machine

### 4 Requirements

#### 4.1 Biological safety

Parts of the device that are intended to come into direct or indirect contact with blood shall be evaluated for freedom from biological hazards, in accordance with 5.2. Attention is drawn to the need to establish whether national regulations or national standards governing toxicology and biocompatibility testing exist in the country in which the device is produced and, if applicable, in the countries in which the device is to be marketed.

## 4.2 Sterility

All fluid contacting surfaces of the device, and the mating surfaces of all connectors integral to the device, shall be sterile. Conformity shall be verified in accordance with [5.3](#).

## 4.3 Non-pyrogenicity

The blood pathway of the device shall be non-pyrogenic. Conformity shall be verified in accordance with [5.4](#).

## 4.4 Mechanical characteristics

### 4.4.1 Structural integrity

The device shall be capable of withstanding a positive pressure of 1,5 times the manufacturer's recommended maximum pressure above atmospheric pressure and a negative pressure not exceeding 700 mmHg (93,3 kPa below atmospheric pressure) or the highest obtainable negative pressure if at high elevation, when tested in accordance with [5.5.1](#).

### 4.4.2 Connectors to haemodialyser, haemodiafilter or haemofilter

**4.4.2.1** Except where the haemodialyser, haemodiafilter or haemofilter and the extracorporeal blood circuit are designed as an integral system, the dimensions of the connectors for the haemodialyser, haemodiafilter or haemofilter shall be as given in [Figure 1](#). Conformity shall be verified in accordance with [5.5.2](#).

**4.4.2.2** Connectors made of semi-rigid materials shall meet the performance requirements of ISO 80369-7.

### 4.4.3 Connectors to vascular access device

Except where the extracorporeal blood circuit and the vascular access device are an integral system, the dimensions of the connectors intended for connection to vascular access devices shall be a male 6 % (Luer) taper lock fitting (see ISO 80369-7). Connectors made of semi-rigid materials shall meet the performance requirements of ISO 80369-7. Conformity shall be verified in accordance with [5.5.3](#).

### 4.4.4 Connectors to ancillary components

All parts of the extracorporeal blood circuit intended for use with non-integral ancillary components, such as heparin lines, pressure-transducer lines, medication-administration lines and level-adjustment lines, shall terminate in fittings that meet the performance requirements of ISO 80369-7. Conformity shall be verified in accordance with [5.5.4](#).

### 4.4.5 Colour coding

The arterial patient-connection end shall be colour-coded red, and the venous patient-connection end shall be colour-coded blue. The coding shall be prominently displayed within 100 mm of the end of the tubing. Conformity to this requirement shall be verified in accordance with [5.5.5](#).