

MARKING OF ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT FOR DUST AND GAS EXPLOSIVE-ENDANGERED AREAS

EX POSTER



Notified body		Ex-mark						Equipment sub group dust		Maximum allowed surface temperature		Equipment protection level (EPL)				
Notified body	Country	Code No.	Flammable material	Classification of the explosive endangered areas			per EC directive 2014/34/EU	Equipment group	Equipment category	Protection methods	Symbol	Marking	Protection concept	Zone	IEC CENELEC FM/UL/ISA/CSA	Application
				IEC/CENELEC	US NEC 505	US NEC 500										
TÜV NORD	Germany Hannover Essen	0032 0044	Dusts	Are continuously present, for long periods or frequently	Zone 20	Zone 20	Class II/III Division 1	II	1D	Ex t _a /I _b /I _c Ex t _a /I _b /I _c AEx t _a /I _b /I _c Ex t _a /I _b /I _c	Ex	Ex/AEx AEx Ex	-	20 / 21 / 22 20 / 21 / 22 Class II/III, Div. 1/2	EN 60079-0 IEC 60079-0/US ISA 61241-0 US FM 3600/ CA CSA C22.2 No. 60079-0	All applications
PTB	Germany	0102		Are likely to occur	Zone 21	Zone 21		II	2D or 1D							
DEKRA EXAM	Germany	0158		Are unlikely to occur by whirled dust, if they do, though only rarely or only for a short time	Zone 22	Zone 22	Class II/III Division 2	II	3D or 2D or 1D							
FSA	Germany	0588														
BAM	Germany	0589														
IBExU	Germany	0637														
INERIS	France	0080														
LCIE	France	0081														
KEMA	Netherlands	0344														
SP	Sweden	0402														
LOM	Spain	0163														
BASEEFA	Great-Britain	0600														
SCS	Great-Britain	0518														
• IEC (2007) and CENELEC (2009)																
Equipment groups to IEC/CENELEC to NEC 505																
Group III*			Class II/III													
Dust explosive atmosphere			Dust explosive atmosphere													
Sub groups			Sub groups													
IIIA	flamable fluffs		Class III													
IIIB	non-conductive dust		Class II Group G													
IIIC	conductive dust		Class II Group F													
			Class II Group E													
fibers/fluffs non-conductive dust carbonaceous dust metal dust																
Equipment group and equipment protection level (EPL)																
To Atex 2014/34/EU			To IEC (2007) and CENELEC (2009)													
Group	Equipment category	EPL	Sufficient security													
Mines susceptible to firedamp																
Group I			Group II													
Mines susceptible to firedamp			Gas explosive atmosphere													
Sub groups			Sub groups													
Methane			IIA	Mining	-	Mining	I	M1	M2 or M1							
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To Atex 2014/34/EU			To IEC (2007) and CENELEC (2009)													
Group	Equipment category	EPL	Sufficient security													
Mines susceptible to firedamp																
II	M1	Ma	during rare malfunctions until de-energizing of the equipment													
II	M2	Mb														
Gas explosive atmosphere																
II	1G	Ga	Zone 0													
II	2G	Gb	Zone 1													
II	3G	Gc	Zone 2													
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Group	Equipment category	EPL	Sufficient security													
Mines susceptible to firedamp																
II	1G	Ma	during rare malfunctions until de-energizing of the equipment													
II	2G	Mb														
Gas explosive atmosphere																
II	1G	Ga	Zone 0													