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Foreword

The text of the International Standard IEC 60745-2-13:2006, prepared by IEC SC 61F (transformed into IEC TC 116, Safety of hand-held motor-operated electric tools), together with the common modifications prepared by the Technical Committee CENELEC TC 61F (transformed into TC 116), was submitted to the CENELEC Unique Acceptance Procedure and was approved by CENELEC as EN 60745-2-13 on 2007-03-01.

A draft amendment (prAB), extending Annex ZZ to include the new MD 2006/42/EC, was submitted to the formal vote.

The combined texts were approved by CENELEC as a new edition of EN 60745-2-13 on 2009-06-01.

This European Standard supersedes EN 60745-2-13:2007.

The following dates were fixed:

- latest date by which the EN has to be implemented
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national standard or by endorsement (dop) 2009-12-29
- latest date by which the national standards conflicting
with the EN have to be withdrawn (dow) 2009-12-29

This standard is divided into two parts:

- Part 1: General requirements which are common to most hand-held electric motor operated tools (for the purpose of this standard referred to simply as tools) which could come within the scope of this standard;
- Part 2: Requirements for particular types of tools which either supplement or modify the requirements given in Part 1 to account for the particular hazards and characteristics of these specific tools.

This European Standard has been prepared under a mandate given to CENELEC by the European Commission and the European Free Trade Association and covers essential requirements of EC Directives 98/37/EC (Machinery Directive), amended by Directive 98/79/EC, and 2006/42/EC. See Annexes ZZA and ZZB.

Compliance with the clauses of Part 1 together with this Part 2 provides one means of conforming with the essential health and safety requirements of the Directives concerned.

CEN/TC 144 is producing standards for non-electric chain saws (EN 608).

Warning: Other requirements and other EC Directives can be applicable to the products falling within the scope of this standard.

This standard follows the overall requirements of EN ISO 12100-1 and EN ISO 12100-2.

This Part 2-13 is to be used in conjunction with EN 60745-1:2009. When this standard states "addition", "modification" or "replacement", the relevant text in Part 1 is to be adapted accordingly.

Subclauses, items, tables and figures which are additional to those in Part 1 are numbered starting from 101.

Subclauses, notes, tables and figures which are additional to those in IEC 60745-2-13:2006 are prefixed “Z”.

Annexes ZA, ZZA and ZZB have been added by CENELEC.

NOTE In this standard the following print types are used:

- requirements proper; in roman type
 - *test specifications: in italic type;*
 - explanatory matter: in smaller roman type.
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Endorsement notice

The text of the International Standard IEC 60745-2-13:2006 was approved by CENELEC as a European Standard with agreed common modifications.

Foreword to amendment A1

The text of document 116/17/FDIS, future amendment 1 to IEC 60745-2-13:2006, prepared by TC 116, Safety of hand-held motor-operated electric tools, was submitted to the IEC-CENELEC parallel vote and was approved by CENELEC as amendment A1 to EN 60745-2-13:2009 on 2010-12-01.

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This amendment to European Standard has been prepared under a mandate given to CENELEC by the European Commission and the European Free Trade Association and covers essential requirements of EC Directive 2006/42/EC. See Annex ZZ of EN 60745-2-13:2009.

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