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1 Scope

This document specifies noise limits, noise measurement methods and hearing protection for marine cranes, including electro-hydraulic cylinder luffing cranes, electro-hydraulic wire rope luffing cranes and electric wire rope luffing cranes.

This document is applicable to the noise assessment of marine cranes and for the protection of their operators.

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 3746, *Acoustics — Determination of sound power levels and sound energy levels of noise sources using sound pressure — Survey method using an enveloping measurement surface over a reflecting plane*

ISO 3828, *Shipbuilding and marine structures — Deck machinery — Vocabulary and symbols*

ISO 4306-1, *Cranes — Vocabulary — Part 1: General*

IEC 61672-1, *Electroacoustics — Sound level meters — Part 1: Specifications*

3 Terms and definitions

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- IEC Electropedia: available at <http://www.electropedia.org/>

3.1

operating console

location at which the crane's operator activates the motions of the crane

3.2

engine room

location inside the crane's structure that contains the drives, *power units* (3.5) and *drive mechanisms* (3.6)

3.3

structure exterior

exterior of the crane tower body and boom structure