

Specification for

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National foreword

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The comma has been used throughout as a decimal marker. In British Standards it is current practice to use a full point on the baseline as the decimal marker.

Terms that have been defined in Appendix B are indicated in the text by upper case letters.

Cross-references. There is no corresponding British Standard for IEC 406:1975 “*Radiographic cassettes*”. The Technical Committee has reviewed the provisions of IEC 406, to which reference is made in clause 1 and 4.1, and has decided that they are acceptable for the purposes of this standard.

Additional information. The definitions of the terms used in the text of this standard are included in Appendix B.

For the convenience of users, additional definitions extracted from the draft IEC Chapter 882, “*Medical radiology*”, the terms of which are referred to in the definitions in Appendix B, are given in National appendix Z.

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