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- 5.4 Note on twin motors added.
- 5.5 Reference to 4.3 instead of duplication of text.
- 5.7 New subclause on marking of shaft inclination or declination.

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Part 7: Classification of types of construction, mounting arrangements and terminal box position (IM Code)

1 Scope

This part of IEC 60034 specifies the IM Code, a classification of types of construction, mounting arrangements and the terminal box position of rotating electrical machines.

Two systems of classification are provided as follows:

- Code I (see Clause 4): An alpha-numeric designation applicable to machines with end-shield bearing(s) and only one shaft extension.
- Code II (see Clause 5): An all-numeric designation applicable to a wider range of types of machines including types covered by Code I.

The type of machine not covered by Code II is fully described in words.

The relationship between Code I and Code II is given in Annex A.

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3.1

type of construction

arrangement of machine components with regard to fixings, bearing arrangement and shaft extension

[SOURCE: IEC 60050-411:1996, 411-43-34]

3.2

mounting arrangement

orientation on site of the machine as the whole with regard to shaft alignment and position of fixings

[SOURCE: IEC 60050-411:1996, 411-43-35]