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This Standard was prepared by the Australian members of the Joint Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand Committee TE-003, Electromagnetic Compatibility, to supersede AS/NZS 61000.6.4:2012, *Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC)—Part 6.4: Generic standards—Emission standard for industrial environments*.

The objective of this Standard is to provide emission requirements applies to electrical and electronic equipment intended for use within the environment existing at industrial locations.

After consultation with stakeholders in both countries, Standards Australia and Standards New Zealand decided to develop this Standard as an Australian Standard rather than an Australian/New Zealand Standard.

This document does not apply to equipment that falls within the scope of AS/NZS 61000.6-3.

The environments encompassed by this document cover both indoor and outdoor locations.

Emission requirements in the frequency range 9 kHz to 400 GHz are covered in this document and have been selected to provide an adequate level of protection of radio reception in the defined electromagnetic environment. No measurement needs to be performed at frequencies where no requirement is specified. These requirements are considered essential to provide an adequate level of protection to radio services.

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This Standard is an adoption with national modifications, and has been reproduced from, IEC 61000-6-4:2018, *Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC)— Part 6-4: Generic standards — Emission standard for industrial environments*. The modifications are additional requirements and are set out in [Appendix ZZ](#), which has been added at the end of the source text.

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FOREWORD

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This edition includes the following significant technical changes with respect to the previous edition:

- a) possible future requirements on DC ports;
- b) possible future radiated polarity specific emission limits within a FAR;
- c) the definition of which average detector is used for emission measurements at frequencies above 1GHz and that results using a peak detector are acceptable for all measurements;
- d) the definition of different EUT test arrangements.

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This document has been drafted in accordance with the ISO/IEC Directives, Part 2.

It forms Part 6-4 of the IEC 61000 series of standards. It has the status of a basic EMC publication in accordance with IEC Guide 107.

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General considerations (introduction, fundamental principles)
Definitions, terminology

Part 2: Environment

Description of the environment
Classification of the environment
Compatibility levels

Part 3: Limits

Emission limits
Immunity limits (insofar as they do not fall under the responsibility of the product committees)

Part 4: Testing and measurement techniques

Measurement techniques
Testing techniques

Part 5: Installation and mitigation guidelines

Installation guidelines
Mitigation methods and devices

Part 6: Generic standards

Part 9: Miscellaneous

Each part is further subdivided into several parts published either as International Standards or technical reports/specifications, some of which have already been published as sections. Others will be published with the part number followed by a dash and a second number identifying the subdivision. (example: IEC 61000-6-1).

ELECTROMAGNETIC COMPATIBILITY (EMC) –

Part 6-4: Generic standards – Emission standard for industrial environments

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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.

IEC 60050-161, *International Electrotechnical Vocabulary – Chapter 161: Electromagnetic compatibility*

IEC 61000-4-20:2010, *Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) – Part 4-20: Testing and measurement techniques – Emission and immunity testing in transverse electromagnetic (TEM) waveguide*

CISPR 11:2015, *Industrial, scientific and medical equipment – Radio-frequency disturbance characteristics – Limits and methods of measurement*
CISPR 11:2015/AMD1:2016