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**Personal flotation devices –
Part 9: Test methods (ISO 12402-9:2006)
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Persönliche Auftriebsmittel –
Teil 9: Prüfverfahren (ISO 12402-9:2006)
Englische Fassung DIN EN ISO 12402-9:2006-12

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National foreword

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DIN EN ISO 12402 consists of the following parts, under the general title "Personal flotation devices":

- *Part 1: Lifejackets for seagoing ships — Safety requirements*
- *Part 2: Lifejackets, performance level 275 — Safety requirements*
- *Part 3: Lifejackets, performance level 150 — Safety requirements*
- *Part 4: Lifejackets, performance level 100 — Safety requirements*
- *Part 5: Buoyancy aids (level 50) — Safety requirements*
- *Part 6: Special purpose lifejackets and buoyancy aids — Safety requirements and additional test methods*
- *Part 7: Materials and components — Safety requirements and test methods*
- *Part 8: Accessories — Safety requirements and test methods*
- *Part 9: Test methods*
- *Part 10: Selection and application of personal flotation devices and other relevant devices*

The DIN Standards corresponding to the International Standards referred to in clause 2 and in the bibliography of the EN are as follows:

ISO 105-E02	DIN EN ISO 105-E02
ISO 105-X12	DIN EN ISO 105-X12
ISO 139	DIN EN 20139
ISO 2768-1	DIN EN ISO 2768-1
ISO 3386-1	DIN EN ISO 3386-1
ISO 9227	DIN 50021
ISO 12401	DIN EN 1095
ISO 12402-1	DIN EN ISO 12402-1
ISO 12402-2	DIN EN ISO 12402-2
ISO 12402-3	DIN EN ISO 12402-3
ISO 12402-4	DIN EN ISO 12402-4
ISO 12402-5	DIN EN ISO 12402-5
ISO 12402-6	DIN EN ISO 12402-6
ISO 12402-7	DIN EN ISO 12402-7
ISO 12402-8	DIN EN ISO 12402-8
ISO 12402-10	DIN EN ISO 12402-10

Amendments

This standard differs from DIN EN 393:1994-05, DIN EN 393/A1:1998-06, DIN EN 395:1994-05, DIN EN 395/A1:1998-06, DIN EN 396:1994-05, DIN EN 396/A1:1998-06, DIN EN 399:1994-05 and DIN EN 399/A1:1998-06 as follows:

- a) Test methods regarding personal flotation devices have been combined, extended or deleted.
- b) A survey regarding the classification of personal flotation devices has been included.
- c) The construction and assembly of reference vests has been described in the context of the test subject selection.
- d) The standard has been editorially revised.

Previous editions

DIN 7874: 1981-05, 1983-07, 1989-07	DIN EN 395/A1: 1998-06
DIN 7928: 1987-01	DIN EN 396: 1994-05
DIN 7929: 1987-01	DIN EN 396/A1: 1998-06
DIN EN 393: 1994-05	DIN EN 399: 1994-05
DIN EN 393/A1: 1998-05	DIN EN 399/A1: 1998-06
DIN EN 395: 1994-05	

National Annex NA (informative)

Bibliography

DIN 50021, *Spray tests with different sodium chloride solutions* (DIN EN ISO 9227 supersedes DIN 50021 which has been withdrawn in October 2006)

DIN EN 1095, *Deck safety harness and safety line for use on recreational craft — Safety requirements and test methods*

DIN EN 20139, *Textiles — Standard atmospheres for conditioning and testing*

DIN EN ISO 105-E02, *Textiles — Tests for colour fastness — Part E02: Colour fastness to sea water (ISO 105-E02:1994)*

DIN EN ISO 105-X12, *Textiles — Tests for colour fastness — Part X12: Colour fastness to rubbing (ISO 105-X12:2001)*

DIN EN ISO 3386-1, *Polymeric materials, cellular flexible — Determination of stress-strain characteristic in compression — Part 1: Low-density materials (ISO 3386-1:1986)*

DIN ISO 2768-1, *General tolerances — Tolerances for linear and angular dimensions without individual tolerance indications*