



IECEX Certificate of Conformity

INTERNATIONAL ELECTROTECHNICAL COMMISSION IEC Certification System for Explosive Atmospheres

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Applicant: **CORTEM S.p.A**
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Equipment: **Socket and Plug, series PYN and SPYN**

Optional accessory:

Type of Protection: **Plug: Ex eb, Ex tb; Socket: Ex db, Ex eb, Ex tb**

Marking: Plug
Ex eb IIC T6...T3 Gb
Ex tb IIC T85°C...T140°C Db

Socket
Ex db eb IIC T6...T3 Gb
Ex tb IIC T85°C...T140°C Db

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Manufacturer: **CORTEM S.p.A**
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Manufacturing
locations:

This certificate is issued as verification that a sample(s), representative of production, was assessed and tested and found to comply with the IEC Standard list below and that the manufacturer's quality system, relating to the Ex products covered by this certificate, was assessed and found to comply with the IECEx Quality system requirements. This certificate is granted subject to the conditions as set out in IECEx Scheme Rules, IECEx 02 and Operational Documents as amended

STANDARDS :

The equipment and any acceptable variations to it specified in the schedule of this certificate and the identified documents, was found to comply with the following standards

[IEC 60079-0:2017](#) Explosive atmospheres - Part 0: Equipment - General requirements
Edition:7.0

[IEC 60079-1:2014-06](#) Explosive atmospheres - Part 1: Equipment protection by flameproof enclosures "d"
Edition:7.0

[IEC 60079-31:2022-01](#) Explosive atmospheres – Part 31: Equipment dust ignition protection by enclosure "t"
Edition:3.0

[IEC 60079-31:2013](#) Explosive atmospheres - Part 31: Equipment dust ignition protection by enclosure "t"
Edition:2

[IEC 60079-7:2017](#) Explosive atmospheres - Part 7: Equipment protection by increased safety "e"
Edition:5.1

This Certificate **does not** indicate compliance with safety and performance requirements other than those expressly included in the Standards listed above.

TEST & ASSESSMENT REPORTS:

A sample(s) of the equipment listed has successfully met the examination and test requirements as recorded in:

Test Report:

[IT/IMQ/ExTR21.0003/01](#)

Quality Assessment Report:

[IT/CES/QAR06.0002/16](#)



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EQUIPMENT:

Equipment and systems covered by this Certificate are as follows:

The PYN Series sockets and plugs Series SPYN are suitable for cable connection in potentially explosive areas. Sockets are made in "Ex eb db" and "Ex tb" execution while plugs are made in "Ex eb" and "Ex tb" execution.

Models with rated current of 16A and 32A

The switching of the circuit is performed by rotating the plug, when full inserted in the socket.

A mechanical interlock system ensures that plug and socket can be energized only when they are engaged and interlocked.

The equipment is composed by a metallic body (aluminum alloy or stainless steel) complete with two threaded entries, a threaded cover and a coupling that contains the socket with an insulated part in which are inserted electrical receptacles and the female pins.

The coupling is mounted to the socket outlet body, by means of two threaded joints complete with a cover (bayonet type) and gasket. One of these threaded joints is sealed to the socket outlet body.

The plug is composed by a cylindrical metallic body (aluminum alloy or stainless steel) with one cover fixed by two screws.

The cover of the plug has a threaded entry suitable for cable connection by means of cable gland.

A ring (bayonet type) complete with gasket is located on the plug body guaranteeing the mechanical coupling and IP protection degree with the socket-outlet once inserted.

The internal part, which hold male-pins, is made by a polymeric material that realize the insulation.

The geometry of this internal part has been designed according to IEC 60079-7.

Models with rated current of 63A and 125A

They are screwed on a box (CCA-03E) already IECEX certified which contains magnetoelectric switch or disconnecter.

The switching of the circuit is performed by acting on external handle (series M-0...) already IECEX certified, placed on the side of the box in which the socket is screwed.

A mechanical interlock system ensures that plug and socket can be connected/disconnected only when they are not energized.

A plastic ring (complete with gasket) is located on the plug body to guarantee the mechanical coupling and the degree of protection with the socket once coupled.

The socket enclosure is made of aluminum alloy or stainless steel. It has an insulated part in which are inserted electrical receptacles and the female pins.

The plug body is made of aluminum alloy or stainless steel. It has a threaded entry suitable for cable connection by means of cable gland.

The internal part, which hold male-pins, is made by a polymeric material that realize the insulation.

The geometry of this internal part has been designed according to IEC 60079-7.

Ratings, ambient temperature ranges, temperature class and maximum surface temperatures are detailed in Annex to Certificate.

Full details in Annex to Certificate.

Trade mark: CORTEM, ELFIT, CORTEM GROUP

SPECIFIC CONDITIONS OF USE: YES as shown below:

After de-energizing, delay 30 minutes before opening

Do not open when an explosive atmosphere is present

The cap of the socket shall be properly installed when plug and socket are not mated.

Use screws of quality A2-70 with tensile strength of at least 700 N/mm²

Flameproof joints are not intended to be repaired

Use cable with minimum rated continuous operating temperature of:

- 80°C for 16A model
- 100°C for 32A model
- 75°C for 63A model
- 120°C for 125A model



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DETAILS OF CERTIFICATE CHANGES (for issues 1 and above)

Issue 1

- Addition of new range (125A) with same mechanical design as for 63A
- Addition of new ranges (16A and 32A) with new mechanical design (which is different from 63A)
- Range of ambient temperature has been extended to -60°C
- Name of Series has been changed (now PYN / SPYN)
- Possibility of use enclosure GUB-03 has been removed (for 63A and 125A)
- Standard update (IEC 60079-31 Ed. 3.0)

Annex:

[IECEX IMQ 21.0003 X issue No. 1 Annex_1.pdf](#)

Annex to: IECEx IMQ 21.0003X issue No. 1
Applicant: CORTEM S.p.A.
Apparatus: Socket and Plug
Series PYN and SPYN



General description

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Models with rated current of 16A and 32A

The switching of the circuit is performed by rotating the plug, when full inserted in the socket.

A mechanical interlock system ensures that plug and socket can be energized only when they are engaged and interlocked.

The equipment is composed by a metallic body (aluminum alloy or stainless steel) complete with two threaded entries, a threaded cover and a coupling that contains the socket with an insulated part in which are inserted electrical receptacles and the female pins.

The coupling is mounted to the socket outlet body, by means of two threaded joints complete with a cover (bayonet type) and gasket. One of these threaded joints is sealed to the socket outlet body.

The plug is composed by a cylindrical metallic body (aluminum alloy or stainless steel) with one cover fixed by two screws.

The cover of the plug has a threaded entry suitable for cable connection by means of cable gland.

A ring (bayonet type) complete with gasket is located on the plug body guaranteeing the mechanical coupling and IP protection degree with the socket-outlet once inserted.

The internal part, which hold male-pins, is made by a polymeric material that realize the insulation.

The geometry of this internal part has been designed according to IEC 60079-7.

Models with rated current of 63A and 125A

They are screwed on a box (CCA-03E) already IECEx certified which contains magnetoelectric switch or disconnecter.

The switching of the circuit is performed by acting on external handle (series M-0...) already IECEx certified, placed on the side of the box in which the socket is screwed.

A mechanical interlock system ensures that plug and socket can be connected/disconnected only when they are not energized.

A plastic ring (complete with gasket) is located on the plug body to guarantee the mechanical coupling and the degree of protection with the socket once coupled.

The socket enclosure is made of aluminum alloy or stainless steel. It has an insulated part in which are inserted electrical receptacles and the female pins.

The plug body is made of aluminum alloy or stainless steel. It has a threaded entry suitable for cable connection by means of cable gland.

The internal part, which hold male-pins, is made by a polymeric material that realize the insulation.

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Model identification

Socket

DIGITS		①	②	③	④
PYN	Description Socket				
	Description				
2	2P+E				
3	3P+E				
4	3P+N+E				
	Description				
16	Rated current (A)				
32	Rated current (A)				
63	Rated current (A)				
125	Rated current (A)				
	Description				
B	Blue				
R	Red				
G	Yellow				
N	Black				
NN	Black (version 690V)				
RR	Red (version 440 to 460V)				
GR	Grey				
GRR	Grey in version > 250V				

Plug

DIGITS		①	②	③	④
SPYN	Description Plug				
	Description				
2	2P+E				
3	3P+E				
4	3P+N+E				
	Description				
16	Rated current (A)				
32	Rated current (A)				
63	Rated current (A)				
125	Rated current (A)				
	Description				
B	Blue				
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NN	Black (version 690V)				
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Ratings:

Maximum rated voltage: 690 V
Rated current: 16 A or 32 A or 63 A or 125 A
Rated frequency: 50 Hz or 60 Hz

Protection degree: IP66 (according to IEC 60079-0 and IEC 60529)

Temperature class and Maximum surface temperature:

Tamb ranges:

from -60°C to +55°C (or +49°C) *for 125A model*

from -60°C to +60°C *for other models*

Temperature class and Maximum surface temperature:

T6 and T85°C *for 16A and 63A models*

T4 and T100°C *for 32A model*

T4 and 134°C *for 125A model and Tamb of 49°C*

T3 and 140°C *for 125A model and Tamb of 55°C*

Installation conditions:

Cable entry devices shall have at least an IP 66 degree of protection, EPL (Gb and Db) and following operating temperature range:

- From -60°C to 80°C for 16A model
- From -60°C to 100°C for 32A model
- From -60°C to 75°C for 63A model
- From -60°C to 120°C for 125A model

In addition:

For socket enclosure:

They shall be certified according to IEC 60079-0, IEC 60079-1 and IEC 60079-31 standards.

For plug:

They shall be certified according to IEC 60079-0, IEC 60079-7 and IEC 60079-31 standards.

Unused cable entries shall be closed through a blanking element with the same characteristics as reported for cable entry devices.

Warning:

"Do not open when energized" is written in relief on lid of the enclosure.

"Do not open when energized" is written in relief on the cover of the socket.

"See installation instruction document" on the marking plate

"Warning – Attention to electrostatic charges. Clean only with a wet cloth or antistatic products" on the cap of the socket or can be in relief on it

When non-conductive paint is used:

"Warning – Attention to electrostatic charges. Clean only with a wet cloth or antistatic products" on each enclosure

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Specific conditions of use (X):

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Flameproof joints are not intended to be repaired

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- 75°C for 63A model
- 120°C for 125A model

Routine tests:

The manufacturer shall carry out the routine test prescribed at clauses 27 of the IEC 60079-0.

The routine overpressure test shall be carried out on the socket with the static method (clause 15.2.3.2 of IEC 60079-1 standard) at:

- 17.5 for 10 s for 16A and 32A models
- 19 bar for 10 s for 63A and 125A models

The manufacturer shall carry out the dielectric routine test prescribed at clause 7.1 of the IEC 60079-7 standard, the applied voltage shall be at least at $(1\ 000 + 2U)$ Vac or 1 500 Vac, whichever is greater, where "U" is the r.m.s. working voltage.

Alternatively, the test shall be carried out at 1.2 times the test voltage, but maintained for at least 100 ms.