

SCHEDULE 1

PART II

MINIMUM GENERAL REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING SIGNBOARDS

1 Intrinsic features

(1.1) The shape and colours of signboards are set out in paragraph 3, in accordance with their specific object (signboards indicating a prohibition, a warning, a mandatory action, an escape route, an emergency or fire-fighting equipment).

(1.2) Pictograms must be as simple as possible and should contain only essential details.

(1.3) The pictograms used may be slightly different from or more detailed than those shown in paragraph 3, provided that they convey the same meaning and that no difference or adaptation obscures the meaning.

(1.4) Signboards are to be made of shock and weather-resistant material suitable for the surrounding environment.

(1.5) The dimensions and colorimetric and photometric features of signboards must be such that they can be easily seen and understood.

2 Conditions of use

(2.1) Signboards are in principle to be installed at a suitable height and in a position appropriate to the line of sight, taking account of any obstacles, either at the access point to an area in the case of a general hazard, or in the immediate vicinity of a specific hazard or object and in a well-lit and easily accessible and visible location.

Without prejudice to the provisions of Directive [89/654/EEC](#), phosphorescent colours, reflective materials or artificial lighting should be used where the level of natural light is poor.

(2.2) The signboard must be removed when the situation to which it refers ceases to exist.

3 Signboards to be used

(3.1) Prohibitory signs

Intrinsic features:

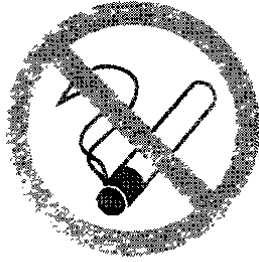
- round shape
- black pictogram on white background, red edging and diagonal line (the red part to take up at least 35% of the area of the sign).

Signs to be used:

No smoking

No smoking

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No smoking

Smoking and naked flames forbidden
Smoking and naked flames forbidden



Smoking and naked flames forbidden

No access for pedestrians
No access for pedestrians



No access for pedestrians

Do not extinguish with water
Do not extinguish with water



Do not extinguish with water

Not drinkable
Not drinkable



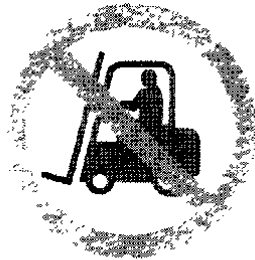
Not drinkable

No access for unauthorised persons
No access for unauthorised persons



No access for
unauthorised persons

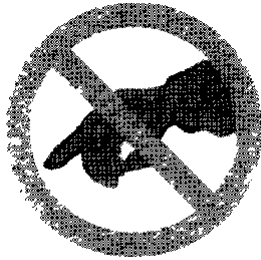
No access for industrial vehicles
No access for industrial vehicles



No access for industrial
vehicles

Do not touch
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Do not touch

(3.2) *Warning signs*

Intrinsic features:

- triangular shape
- black pictogram on a yellow background with black edging (the yellow part to take up at least 50% of the area of the sign).

Flammable material or high temperature⁽¹⁾

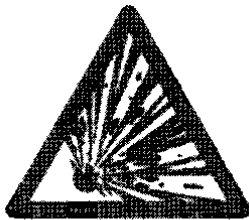
Flammable material or high temperature



Flammable material
or high temperature^(a)

Explosive material

Explosive material



Explosive material

Toxic material

Toxic material

(1) In the absence of a specific sign for high temperature.



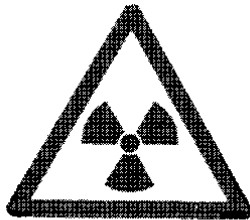
Toxic material

Corrosive material
Corrosive material



Corrosive material

Radioactive material
Radioactive material



Radioactive material

Overhead load
Overhead load



Overhead load

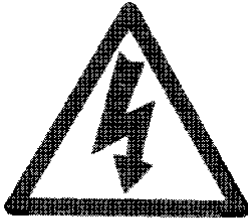
Industrial vehicles
Industrial vehicles

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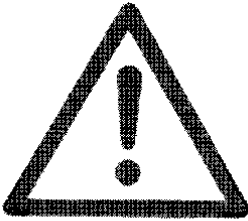
Industrial vehicles

Danger: electricity
Danger: electricity



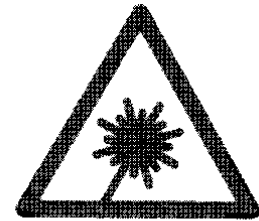
Danger: electricity

General danger
General danger



General danger

Laser beam
Laser beam



Laser beam

Oxidant material
Oxidant material

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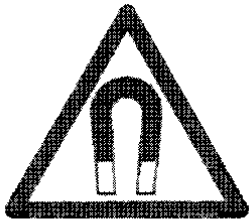
Oxidant material

Non-ionizing radiation
Non-ionizing radiation



Non-ionizing radiation

Strong magnetic field
Strong magnetic field



Strong magnetic field

Obstacles
Obstacles



Obstacles

Drop
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Drop

Biological risk(2)
Biological risk



Biological risk(a)

Low temperature
Low temperature



Low temperature

Harmful or irritant material(3)
Harmful or irritant material



Harmful or irritant
material(b)

(3.3) Mandatory signs

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- (2) Pictogram laid down in Council Directive [90/679/EEC](#) of 26 November 1990 on the protection of workers from the risks related to exposure to biological agents at work (Seventh individual Directive within the meaning of Article 16(1) of Directive [89/391/EEC](#)) OJNo. L 374, 31.12.1990, p. 1.
 - (3) The background to this sign may exceptionally be amber if justified in order to differentiate it from a similar road safety sign.

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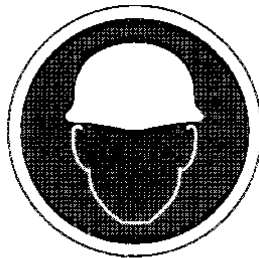
- round shape
- white pictogram on a blue background (the blue part to take up at least 50% of the area of the sign).

Eye protection must be worn
Eye protection must be worn



Eye protection
must be worn

Safety helmet must be worn
Safety helmet must be worn



Safety helmet
must be worn

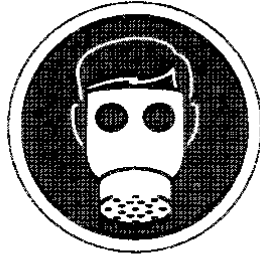
Ear protection must be worn
Ear protection must be worn



Ear protection
must be worn

Respiratory equipment must be worn
Respiratory equipment must be worn

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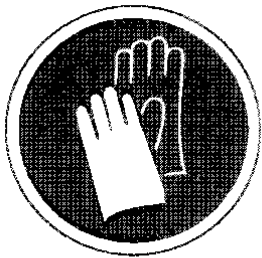
Respiratory equipment
must be worn

Safety boots must be worn
Safety boots must be worn



Safety boots
must be worn

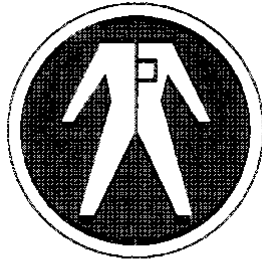
Safety gloves must be worn
Safety gloves must be worn



Safety gloves
must be worn

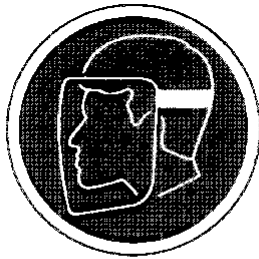
Safety overalls must be worn
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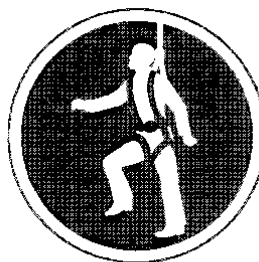
Safety overalls
must be worn

Face protection must be worn
Face protection must be worn



Face protection
must be worn

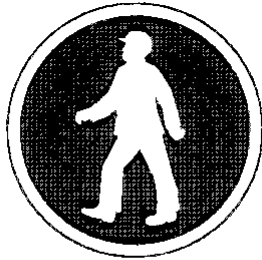
Safety harness must be worn
Safety harness must be worn



Safety harness
must be worn

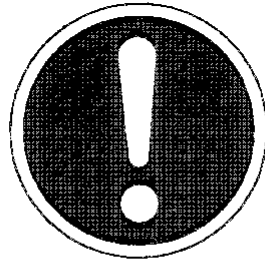
Pedestrians must use this route
Pedestrians must use this route

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Pedestrians must
use this route

General mandatory sign (to be accompanied where necessary by another sign)
General mandatory sign (to be accompanied where necessary by another sign)



General mandatory sign
(to be accompanied where
necessary by another sign)

(3.4) *Emergency escape or first-aid signs*

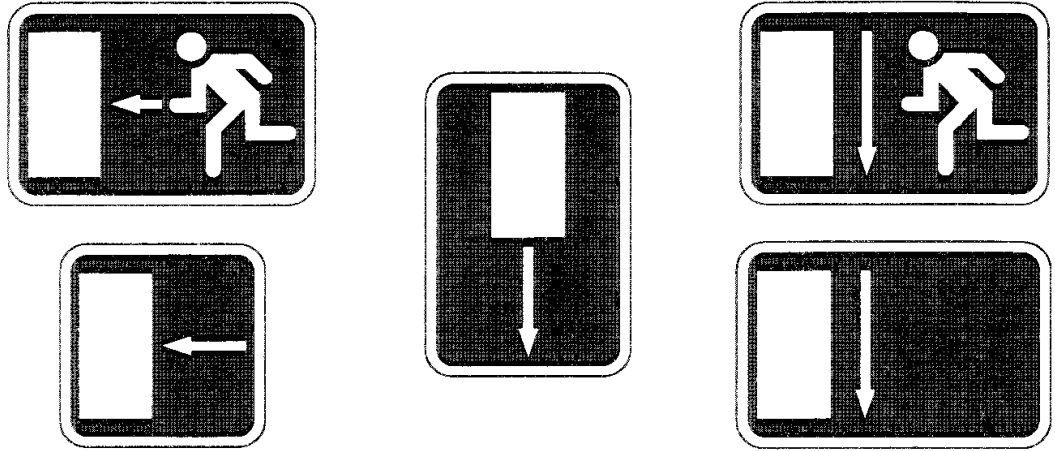
Intrinsic features:

- rectangular or square shape
- white pictogram on a green background (the green part to take up at least 50% of the area of the sign).

Emergency exit/escape route

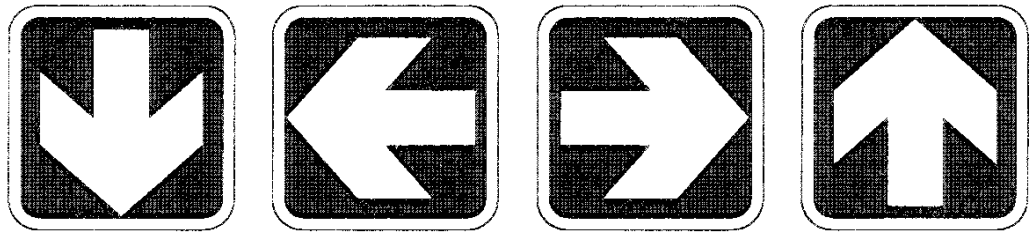
Emergency exit/escape route

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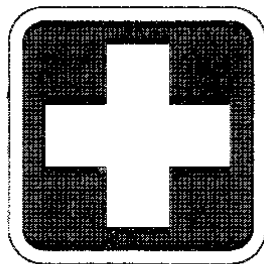
Emergency exit/escape route

This way (supplementary information sign)
This way (supplementary information sign)



This way
(supplementary information sign)

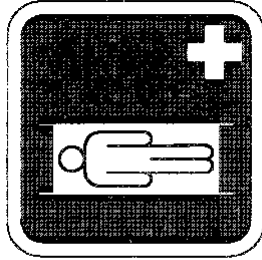
First-aid post
First-aid post



First-aid post

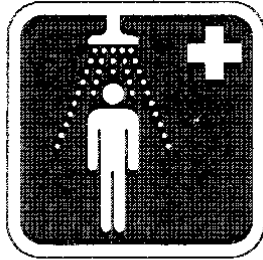
Stretcher
Stretcher

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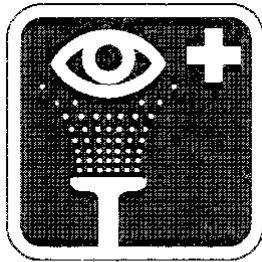
Stretcher

Safety shower
Safety shower



Safety shower

Eyewash
Eyewash



Eyewash

Emergency telephone for first-aid or escape
Emergency telephone for first-aid or escape



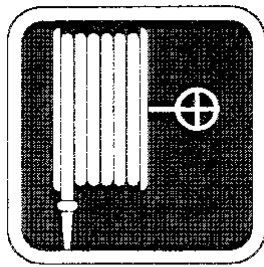
Emergency telephone for first-aid or escape

(3.5) *Fire-fighting signs*

Intrinsic features:

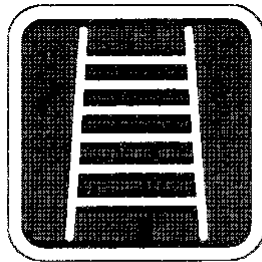
- rectangular or square shape
- white pictogram on a red background (the red part to take up at least 50% of the area of the sign).

Fire hose
Fire hose



Fire hose

Ladder
Ladder



Ladder

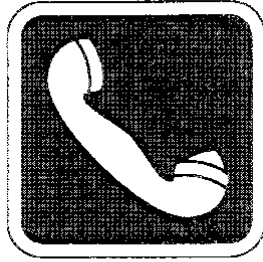
Fire extinguisher
Fire extinguisher



Fire
extinguisher

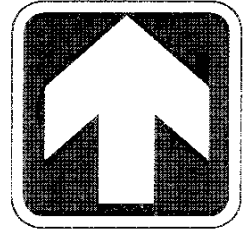
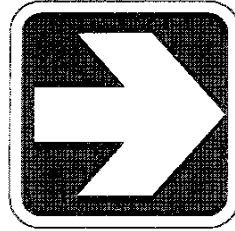
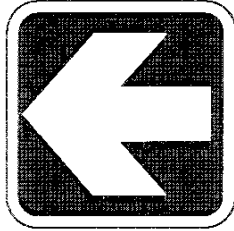
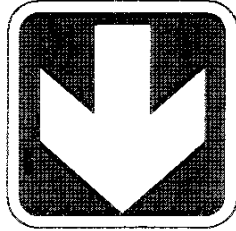
Emergency fire telephone
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Emergency fire
telephone

This way (supplementary information sign)
This way (supplementary information sign)



This way
(supplementary information sign)