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**Household and similar electrical
appliances—Safety**

**Part 2.25: Particular requirements for
microwave ovens including combination
microwave ovens**



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AS/NZS 60335.2.25:2011**HOUSEHOLD AND SIMILAR ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES –
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The objective of this Standard is to provide manufacturers, designers, regulatory authorities, testing laboratories and similar organizations with safety requirements designed to give the user protection against hazards that might occur during normal operation and abnormal operation of the appliance and which may be used as the basis for approval for sale or for connection to the electricity supply mains in Australia and New Zealand

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The principal changes in this edition as compared with the 2002 edition of AS/NZS 60335.2.25 are as follows (minor changes are not listed):

- the scope is extended by microwave ovens on board ships and Annex BB contains requirements and test specifications for microwave ovens on board ships;
- the scope and the requirements for the instructions are modified for better separation between “household and similar use” and “commercial use”;
- the scope is modified so that this International Standard does not take into account persons whose capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge prevents them from using the appliance safely without supervision or instruction and children playing with the appliance;
- the intended use is defined for clarification;
- the door endurance test is rationalised;
- the replacement of 22.103, 22.104 and 22.105 allows interlock systems with at least one concealed door interlock as well as alternative interlock systems without concealed door interlock;
- the tests on electronic door interlock systems and similar are defined for clarification;
- the pollution degree of combination microwave ovens is defined for clarification;
- the thickness requirement for sheaths of visibly glowing heating elements of combination microwave ovens is defined for clarification;
- there is an editorial correction of Clause 19 of Annex AA.

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This part 2 has to be used in conjunction with the latest edition of AS/NZS 60335.1 *Household and similar electrical appliances – Safety – Part 1: General requirements* and its Amendments. It was established on the basis of AS/NZS 60335.1:2002.

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