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## Information about the Explosive Atmospheres Directive (ATEX) 2014/34/EU

The new directive regarding equipment in potentially explosive atmospheres [2014/34/UE](#) is effective from March 2014 and replaces the previous 94/9/CE.

The equipment manufactured by WIKA Instruments Italia **are excluded from the field of application of the directive 2014/34/EU since they do not present potential sources of ignition in themselves** as defined in the Article 1 Par.1 and Article 2 Par.1

Therefore, **the marking “ATEX” is not needed for the following products:**

- Needle valves and Process Instrumentation Manifolds
- Monoflanges
- Ball Valves
- Accessories like brackets, adapters, fittings and tubing

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