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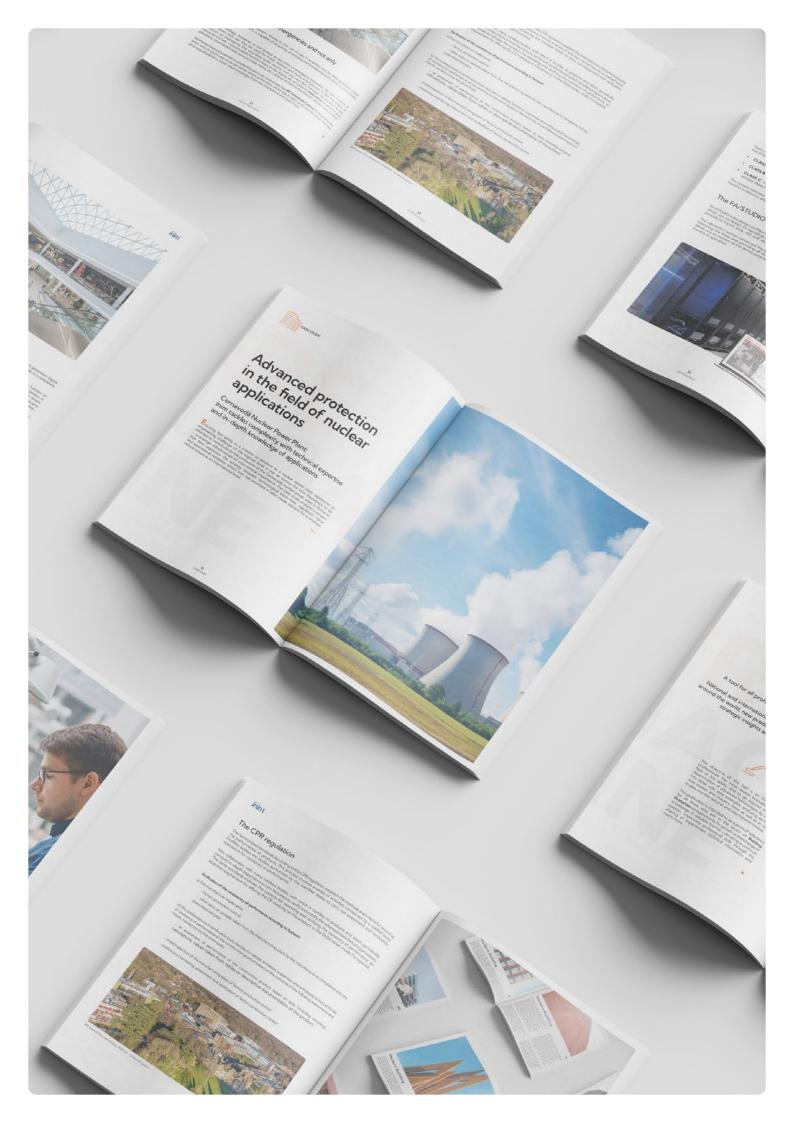
With knowledge of the value accredited to the first issue of the Inim Fire Magazine and with sincere gratitude for the attention received, we welcome you to this second edition. Even in this issue we want to continue to discuss with all the professionals in our industry, both with those who have followed us from the start and with those who meet us for the first time, by offering a selection of application cases that demonstrate the effectiveness of Inim solutions, important regulatory insights and an overview of the most significant events in which we have taken part. An invitation to stay connected, informed and inspired.

A look at the current market scenario shows a strongly growing trend: the acquisition of companies specialized in Fire & Safety systems by large industrial groups. Alongside legendary giants such as Honeywell, Bosch, Siemens and Johnson Controls, new multinational companies are emerging, like Halma Group and Jade Bird, which continue to expand their portfolio through strategic acquisitions.

If on the one hand this phenomenon testifies to the vitality of the sector and its ability to attract investment, on the other it leads to a progressive reduction in the number of independent companies active in the sector.

According to some estimates, the Fire & Safety market will grow at an average rate of 6% per year over the next five years. An expansion that finds impetus in two complementary directions: firstly, the regulatory evolution – technical and legal – that constantly raises the bar of safety standards; secondly, technological progress, which opens up new application scenarios, where intelligent and integrated management of fire safety takes on an increasingly central role.

Amongst the many technological challenges that emerge on the horizon, one of the most promising developments is undoubtedly represented by wireless technology, destined to occupy an increasingly strategic role in modern fire detection and alarm systems, thanks to its ability to respond with flexibility, reliability and speed to the needs of installation, expansion and intervention in complex or constrained contexts.





An unusual challenge

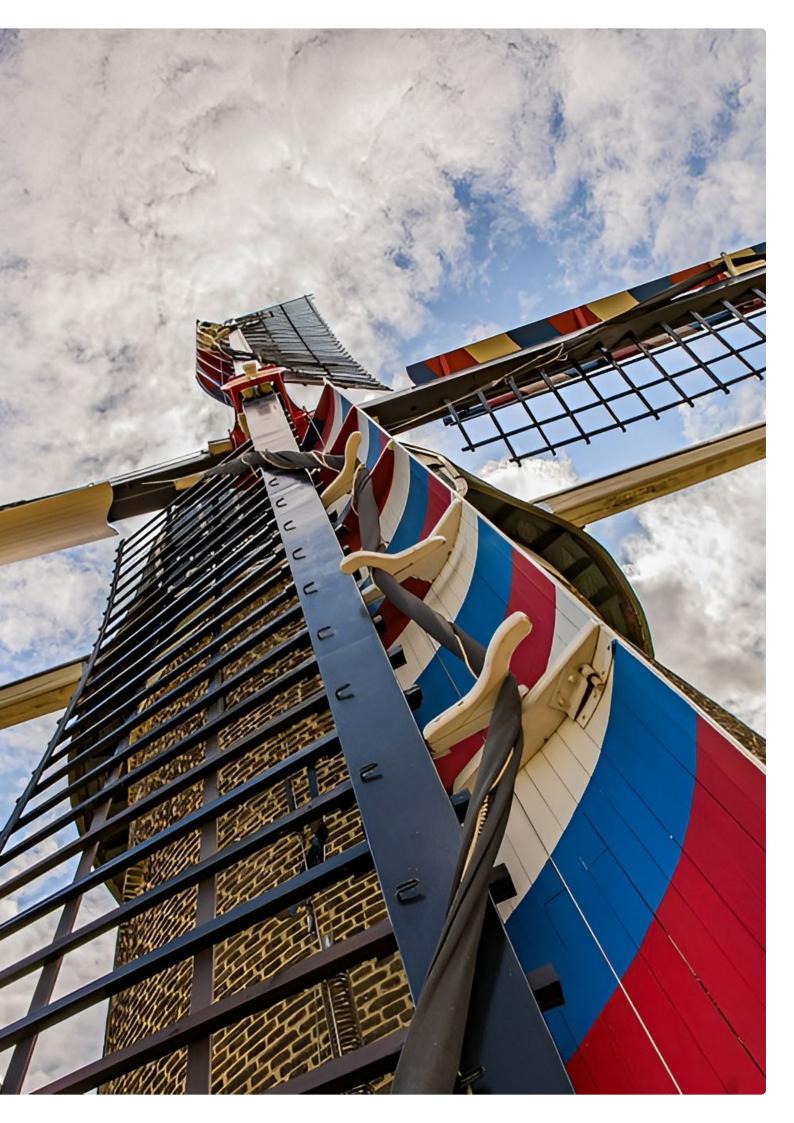
Inim fire protection at the service of one of the largest windmills in Europe, De Hompesche Molen.

De Hompesche Molen, located in Stevensweert in the Netherlands, is the tallest windmill in the province of Limburg, with a height of over 37 metres. Built in 1722, this impressive windmill played an important role in the grinding of grain for nearly three centuries and is today a popular tourist attraction.

Although its main function has changed, the windmill continues to hold monthly demonstrations of traditional milling, offering visitors a unique experience of Dutch agricultural and engineering history.

However, such an old yet still operational building presented significant safety challenges, especially with regard to fire prevention. Managing safety in an environment where flour dust can trigger false alarms or fuel potential fires required an innovative and advanced fire suppression system.

To address these critical issues and respond to these needs, a cutting-edge technological solution provided by Inim, a leader in the fire safety sector, was implemented.



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The De Hompesche Molen with its 37 meters of height

Built in a strategic position on a small hill, De Hompesche Molen makes the most of its exposure to the wind. Its majestic blades with a diameter of 26 metres, convert wind energy into rotary motion. This directly drives the central shaft and transfers motion to the millstones, making the daily processing of large quantities of grain possible.







The interior of De Hompesche Molen

Inside the windmill, the grain is fed into a hopper which conveys it slowly into the hole in the centre of the runner stone. Here, the two large round stones — one stationary and the other rotating — progressively grind the grain into flour. An ingenious, entirely mechanical process, rooted in the centuries-old milling tradition.



A stone milling mechanism.



The challenges of this historic site and Inim's solution

The windmill, with its majestic brick and wooden structure, required fire protection capable of meeting its specific needs. Flour dust, a natural product of milling, is extremely volatile and can pose a double risk for fire safety:

- Such fine dust makes it particularly difficult to rely on traditional smoke detection systems, which run the risk of being activated repeatedly thus generating false alarms. This posed a crucial challenge for the De Hompesche Molen, especially during operational demonstrations.
- Dust, which gradually accumulates in wall interspaces, hidden corners and on surfaces that are not easily accessible, can become a dangerous silent detonator. Such accumulation creates an ideal condition for the development of latent fires which, remaining hidden, can spread without being immediately detected.





In order to address these issues, it was necessary to use a highly reliable system and technology that specifically met the needs of the building structure.

The solution proposed by Inim was the use of the FA100 aspirating smoke detection system, specially designed for environments where specific detection is necessary.

The system, equipped with dust filters and advanced detection technology, offers a high tolerance to suspended particles, whilst ensuring responsive and reliable protection in the event of the outbreak of fire.

This installation not only improved the safety of the windmill, but also preserved the historical value of the structure, ensuring that monthly demonstrations and tours could continue without interruption.





In the FA100 system, pipes play a key role in the process of monitoring the protected environment. These pipes, made of plastic, are designed to continuously aspirate air from the monitored environments and convey it towards the control unit of the detector.

Sampling holes are positioned along the pipes, the number of which varies according to the required sensitivity class. The total length of the pipes can reach 160 metres, with a maximum distance of 100 metres between the furthest sampling hole and the detector.

Technical partners of this project



SmartSD, the Inim distributor for BENELUX, provided the logistical, technical and commercial support for the success of the project.



Bob de Vries Project Advisor

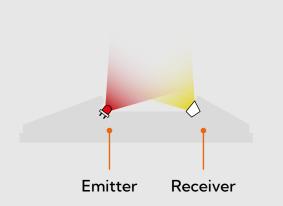
He has been collaborating with SmartSD since 2013 and closely follows Inim brand Fire & Safety products. Thanks to this fruitful collaboration, Inim is today among the reference brands in the security sector in Benelux countries.

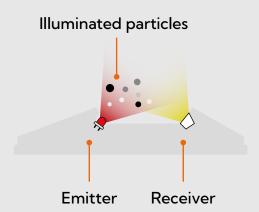


FA100 technology, measured reaction to particles

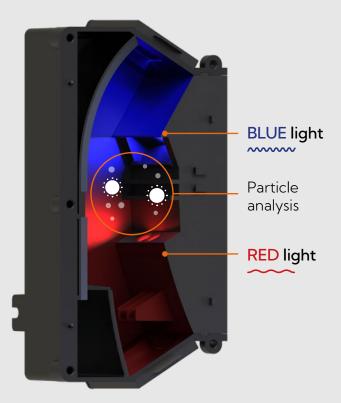
Aspirating smoke detectors with an optical detection system are based on the Tyndall effect, the detector continuously aspirates air and conveys it into the sampling chamber of the device.

Here there is a light source that illuminates the sampling chamber, a photoreceiver points at the same volume but, due to the labyrinth design of the chamber, does not receive the rays emitted by the light source. Any particles present inside the chamber will reflect the light beams of the source, diverting part of them towards the receiver. The detection of these light beams determines the alarm condition.





As you might expect, the aspirating smoke detector with a classic optical system will react indiscriminately to any type of particle, be it smoke, dust or steam.



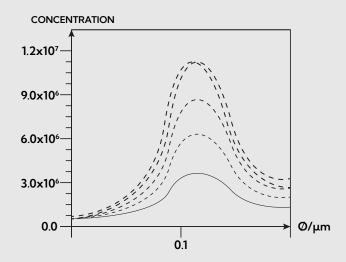
The key principle of this technology is based on two light sources at different wavelengths, one source in the infrared range (red light) and one in the visible range (blue light), the two sources are activated alternately.

Particles of different diameters deflect diverse frequencies differently, specifically particles larger than a micron reflect infrared light more and blue light less, on the contrary, particles smaller than a micron will reflect infrared light less and blue light more.

This combination allows the detector to discriminate between particles of different sizes, allowing the system to ignore larger particles, such as flour dust, which often cause false alarms in traditional systems.



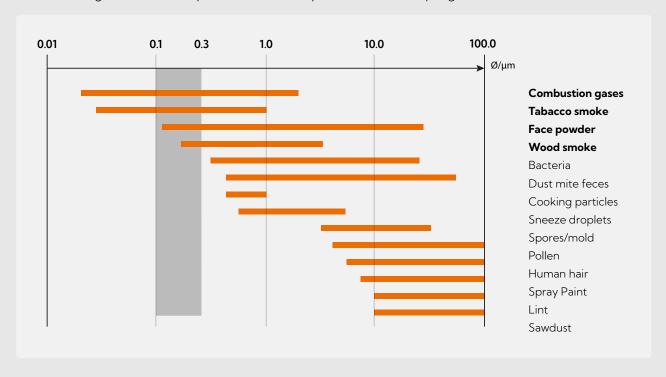
Particle analysis of the FA100 system



The diagram at the side shows the distribution of the diameter of the particles generated during combustion (in this specific case it is liquid fuel). It can be seen from the graph that combustion releases particles into the air that typically have a diameter of about 0.2 um.

By analyzing the diameter of the various contaminants that we can find in the air, we can deduce that the smoke produced by combustion is made up of particles with a diameter less than a micron, while the contaminants have dimensions greater than a micron.

Only smoke particles, typically smaller, trigger the detector. The dual light technology is capable of discriminating the size of the particulate matter present in the sampling chamber.



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Only smoke particles, which are typically smaller, trigger the detector, making the FA100 a high performance device suitable for locations where a greater degree of security is required.

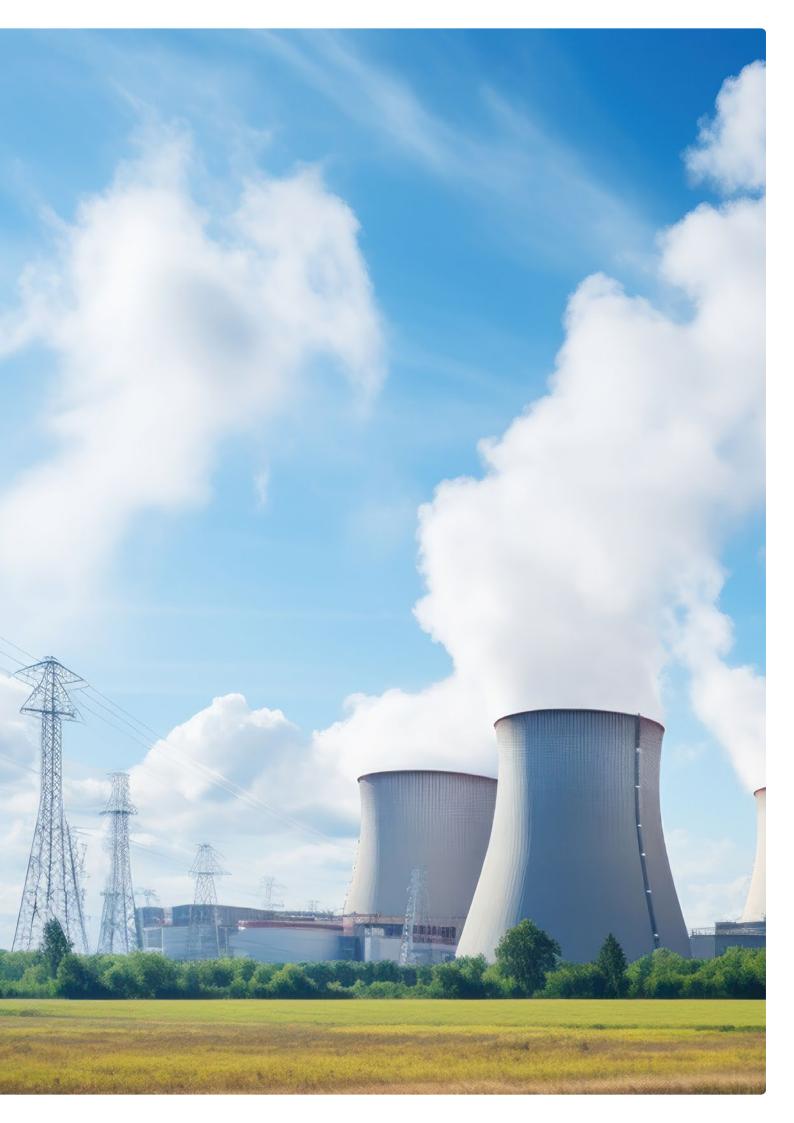


Advanced protection in the field of nuclear applications

Cernavodă Nuclear Power Plant: Inim tackles complexity with technical expertise and in-depth knowledge of applications

Ensuring fire safety in a context as sensitive as a nuclear power plant represents an engineering challenge of the highest level. It was an honour for Inim Electronics to be selected to contribute to the protection of the Cernavodă nuclear power plant in Romania – a strategic infrastructure of international importance. This case study analyses a project that best expresses the synergy between technological know-how, regulatory rigour and operational reliability, where Inim has provided a tailor-made solution for a strategic infrastructure at an international level.

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Fire protection in a nuclear power plant is not just a safety measure: it is an essential requirement for the protection and integrity of the installation, the safety of personnel and the safeguarding of the environment.

The operational complexity, combined with the presence of sensitive materials, requires an extremely high level of fire prevention and detection. This is the context in which is collocated the project developed in Romania at the Cernavodă power plant, situated on the shores of the Black Sea, where Inim Fire & Safety solutions were adopted.

The project took shape thanks to close and continuous cooperation between the technical team of the nuclear power plant, lnim's authorized distributor in Romania and lnim's technical office.

The design phase and definition of the plant were developed over a period of several months, through coordinated and multidisciplinary work, with the aim of ensuring full compliance with the most rigorous safety standards and maximum reliability in terms of operational continuity.





Plant context and operational criticalities

The Cernavodă nuclear power plant uses CANDU (Canadian Deuterium Uranium) reactors, which are characterized by high efficiency but also by strict active and passive protection requirements. In a context where continuity of operation is vital, a fire detection system cannot permit false alarms and much less interruptions. This is why the solutions adopted included multi-level functional tests, as well as redundant configurations and predictive diagnostics via the Cloud.

Technologies used and customization

For this international project, Previdia 216 control panels were chosen, integrated with advanced modules for distributed monitoring and real-time supervision. The system includes self-diagnostic capabilities, multi-loop support, redundant Ethernet interfaces and synchronization with EVAC and BMS systems to ensure immediate responses in the event of an emergency.

Each configuration has been validated according to tests required by the *EN 54-13 regulation and by the internal technical specification of the nuclear power plant, in an operating environment subject to continuous thermal and electromagnetic stress.



^{*} EN 54-13: EN 54-13 is a European standard of the EN 54 series, which concerns fire detection and alarm systems.





Certification, verification and documentation audits

The entire approval process required not only the handing over of the declaration of conformity and the CE and CPR certifications, but also precise traceability of tests. For each control panel a file was produced with evidence of the EMC measurements, tests in the climatic chamber and mechanical checks, in addition to the 48-hour burn-in required as a condition of acceptance before final delivery.

These were accompanied by further documentation activities required by nuclear site operating standards, including installation checklists, functional test reports on the complete network, individual calibration certificates and environmental compatibility declarations. Each document was processed according to the specific requirements of the purchaser and followed a shared validation process, simplifying the subsequent audit phase by the inspection body.

This approach ensured a level of transparency and control that has proven to be fundamental, especially in a context of high regulatory sensitivity and strong compliance constraints. The availability of a preconfigured and compliant documentation package also allowed us to speed up the system approval times and reduce the margins of uncertainty to a minimum.





International collaboration and advanced logistics

Logistics management was challenging in many ways: all components were pre-configured at Inim, packaged in controlled conditions and shipped with traceability at the request of the client.

The collaboration with the local partner included technical training activities in the local language, direct support during installation and assistance in the commissioning and integrated testing phases. This structured and synergic approach allowed us to fully respect the project deadlines and guarantee high quality standards in every step of the process.

In particular, the support also included system simulation sessions at the premises of the distributor, to anticipate any critical issues and ensure perfect mastery of the systems by the technical staff. The Inim team have also prepared customized video tutorials and remote support tools that have made the post-sales phases extremely fluid, also remotely.

From a logistical point of view, the possibility of managing loads progressively, with shipments planned according to installation batches, has allowed for high operational efficiency and a reduction in waste. This model, which can also be replicated in other highly complex contexts, demonstrates how integrated management of technology and logistics can represent a real competitive factor.

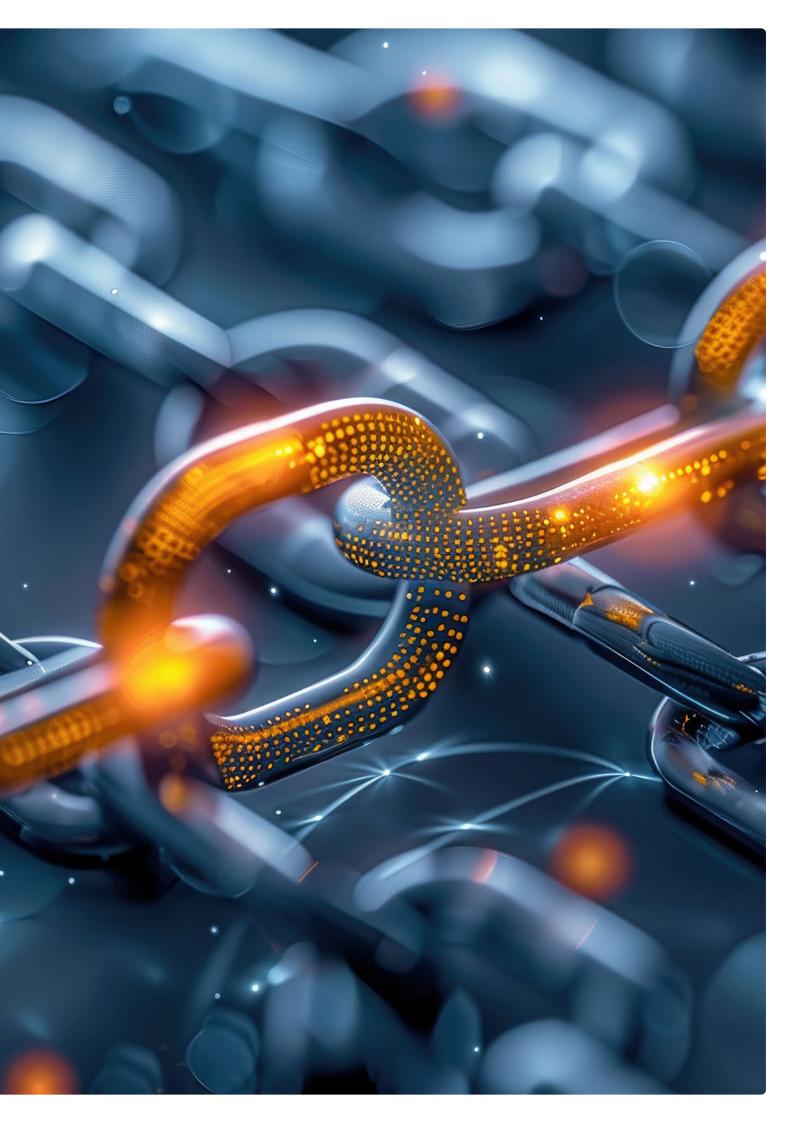




EN 54-13: Connected systems, guaranteed safety

The European standard that verifies compatibility and interconnection in IRAI systems

n the world of fire detection and alarm, it is not enough for every component to function correctly. It is essential that the entire system operates in a coherent and integrated manner. The EN 54-13 standard was created with this aim: to ensure compatibility between connected devices, guaranteeing a reliable and timely response in the event of an emergency.





The EN 54-13:2017 + A1:2019 standard is part of the framework of European standards dedicated to fire detection and alarm systems (IRAI), and applies to systems with devices interconnected via cable, optical fibre or wireless technologies. It also includes EVAC systems associated with fire protection systems.

This standard, although voluntary, is increasingly required in complex applications. It establishes test procedures and criteria to evaluate the correct functioning of the system under normal and fault conditions, also specifying standard environmental conditions to ensure repeatable and reliable results.

EN 54-13 is not a product standard but a system standard. It requires detailed documentation, verification of compatibility between components and the definition of operational sequences. Periodic maintenance is also planned to ensure the continuity of the performance of the system over time.

This assessment is essential especially in complex systems, with networked control panels or control panels integrated with EVAC systems, or in the presence of devices produced by different manufacturers. The standard requires a series of functional tests and a preliminary theoretical verification which must be documented in detail by a fire safety professional.

It is important to remember that the standard does not apply to externally connected systems, such as remote monitoring stations or Building Management Systems. Its objective is to guarantee the integrity of the detection and alarm system, thus improving the overall safety of the building.



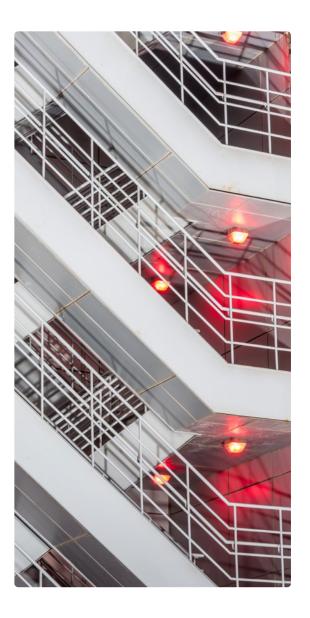


Required tests and testing criteria

To ensure compatibility and interconnectivity, the standard provides for a combination of theoretical and practical tests. These include: multiple device alarm activation tests, data transmission under partial failure conditions, and verification of the operating sequence and response in complex scenarios. Moreover, tests must be conducted under standardized environmental conditions (temperature, humidity, EMC) to ensure comparable results.

Appendix E: how to structure an alternative assessment

Appendix E of the standard provides a detailed flowchart for those intending to adopt an "alternative solution". This is especially useful for project designers who find themselves working with components from different manufacturers or in legacy installations. The verification includes the analysis of technical documentation, selected functional tests, acceptance criteria and collection of objective evidence, all of which must be included in the technical file of the system for possible verification by the competent authorities.







Origin and purpose of EN 54-13 standard

The EN 54-13 standard was born from the need to overcome the isolated vision of fire-fighting components to embrace a system approach. Introduced in 2005 and updated in 2017 with addendum A1 in 2019, it represents an essential reference to ensure that all the elements of the system – control panels, modules, detectors, interfaces, EVAC devices – are able to communicate with each other without loss of functional coherence, even in the event of a fault.



EN 54-13 is now strongly recommended in high-tech, high-risk environments such as airports, healthcare facilities, road and rail tunnels, data centres, government buildings and integrated industrial plants. In these contexts, the adoption of the standard ensures that interactions between systems do not generate operational ambiguities or delays in alarm management, factors that could compromise the effectiveness of the entire system.

In compliance with the EN 54-13 standard and in line with the expectations of a market increasingly attentive to documentation quality, Inim Electronics provides a complete set of certifications and technical declarations for the Previdia series that simplify the work of designers, installers and safety managers.

These documents not only certify regulatory compliance, but represent a real operational tool: they facilitate the drafting of the project, speed up the validation and installation phases, and offer objective guarantees during verifications and testing. Knowing that you can count on a platform that is certified at the system level—and not just for a single product—means working with greater security and reliability.

It is with this in mind that Inim intends not only to comply with the standard, but to concretely support those who create and manage complex systems every day, contributing to raising the standards of the entire sector.

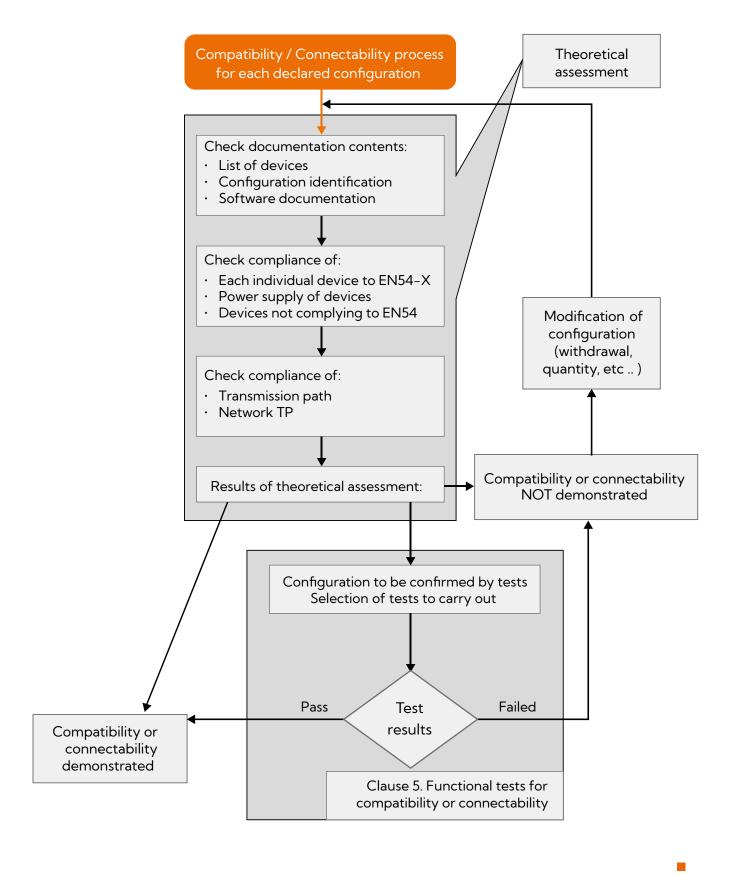


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Boasting over 15 years of experience in Inim products and solutions, Stefano participates in the activities of training bodies that deal with the drafting of reference standards in the fire sector.





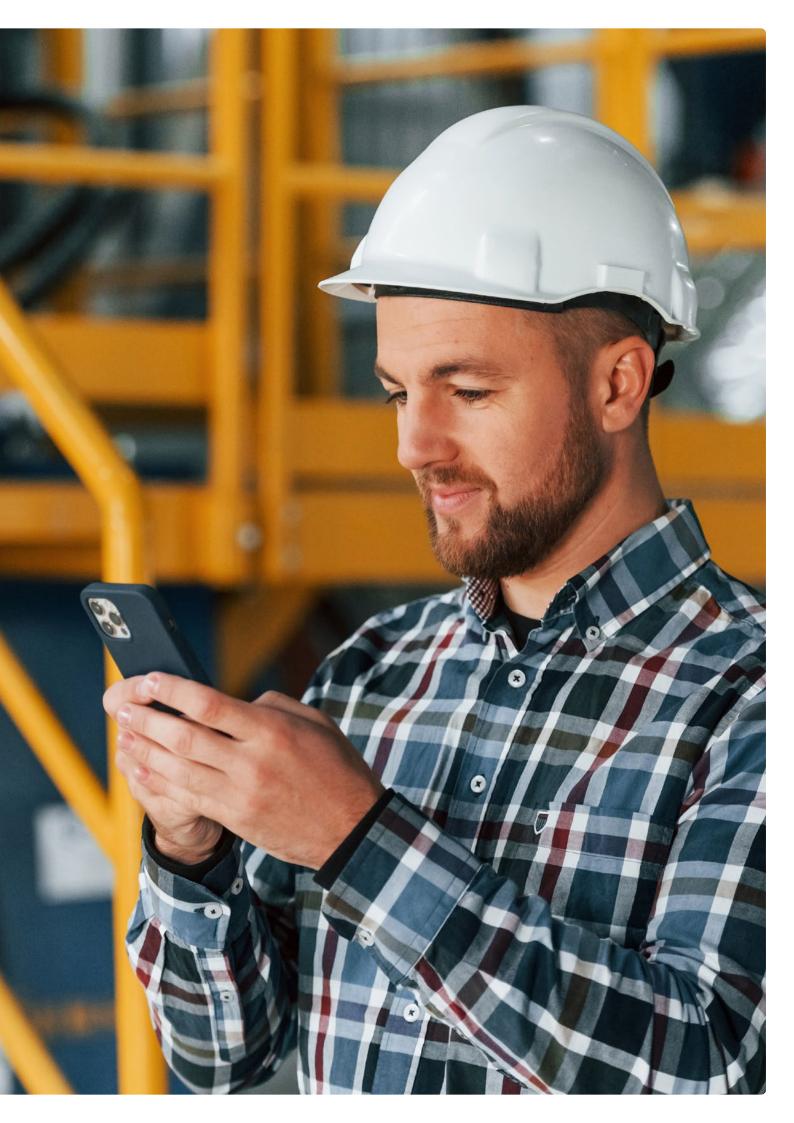


The advanced Walk Test function

Simplified and compliant system control thanks to Inim Fire Cloud integration

Among the most appreciated features by installers operating in the IRAI sector, the Walk Test of the Inim Fire App – the Application for managing fire systems from a smartphone – today represents an essential ally. Intuitive, complete and free, this function allows you to manage the periodic testing of systems in an advanced way.

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Solid support for every installer

In the past, the technician had to physically move between the various system points and the control panel in order to activate, perform and complete the tests manually. Now, thanks to the Inim Cloud infrastructure and the Inim Fire App, the process is completely digitalized and automated. In fact, the installer can check the status of the system in advance and receive a Maintenance Report with the updated list of points to be tested.



In the field, the procedure begins by selecting via the App the zones to be tested. The interface provides up-to-date details on the status of each zone (including any faults or bypassed devices), and allows the activation of the test mode with automatic synchronization on all control panels.

The points to be checked are clearly indicated and can be located via status LEDs. The technician can activate sounders, alarm buttons or I/O modules and receive real-time system feedback. Even non-wired points can be managed manually with a simple swipe.

The sounder test is automated and also includes the sound pressure level (SPL) measurement. At the end of the Walk Test – an essential test to verify the correct functioning of the motion detectors (PIR or dual technology) installed in the environment – the zones automatically exit test mode, and the Cloud stores all the results, making them available in the events log and in the final checklists, exportable to PDF.

It is also possible to denote visual anomalies such as damaged plastics, attach images, and produce complete reports with all the required documentation. All of these features – including STIPA, reverb times and notifications – are offered at no additional cost. The Inim Fire App thus represents a real example of how digitalization can simplify work in the field without sacrificing regulatory compliance and quality.



Customization of tests for each system

One of the advanced features of the Walk Test function is the ability to adapt the testing procedure to the specific needs of the system. Complex systems, distributed across multiple levels or featuring mixed wired and wireless configurations, can be selectively tested by zone, device type or point status. This allows the reduction of intervention times, by concentrating operations on truly critical areas and improving the traceability of maintenance operations.















Sound tests and acoustic requirements

To comply with the regulation, the system must meet minimum requirements for intelligibility and sound pressure. These values can be met by measuring parameters such as STIPA and SPL measurements.

The App allows these tests to be carried out directly from a mobile device, recording automatically the values detected for each zone.

These measurements are essential to ensure that voice evacuation messages are clearly audible and understandable even in noisy or very large premises.



Integration with the Events Log and documentation generation

All operations conducted via Walk Test are saved in the Events Log and can also be viewed remotely, thanks to the synergy with Inim Cloud. The installer can generate checklists in PDF or Excel format with just one click, attaching photos, notes and technical observations, useful for regulatory inspections.





Continuous optimization via feedback

The Inim R&D team periodically updates the Inim Fire App by introducing features suggested directly by installers. Among the most appreciated are the possibility of repeating just the failed tests, the creation of customized reports for the customer or installation, and the integration with internal geolocation systems for mapping the devices. This participatory approach is a clear sign of Inim's desire to support technicians in the field with useful tailor-made tools.

Obtain the Inim Fire App











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UL-EU certification: an international passport for Previdia Compact

Innovation, compliance and global trust: the strategic value of the new certification obtained by Inim

Each new certification is not only a milestone but a bridge towards new opportunities. It is with this in mind that Inim Electronics has accepted the UL-EU certification for the fire alarm control panels of the Previdia Compact series: not only as a declaration of conformity, but as a strategic lever to increase the presence of the brand in the most demanding markets on a global level.





A new standard for the Previdia series

Previdia Compact control panels officially obtained UL-EU certification in December 2024, applicable to all models produced starting from January 2025 in the 230Vac and 115Vac versions. This recognition joins the one already acquired for the Previdia Max series and for the Iris and Enea detectors, strengthening the international positioning of the entire range.

Why UL-EU really matters

The UL-EU certification is issued by an independent body that carries out periodic checks and audits directly in the production department. This continuous surveillance ensures that quality is not just a declared value, but is maintained over time. For many customers, especially in critical industries, the UL mark is synonymous with trust and reliability.

The path that led to the certification lasted over a year, the result of collaboration between the technical team at Inim and the UL laboratories. Environmental simulations, functional tests, risk analysis and verification of electrical diagrams have contributed to building a solid and documented technical file. A meticulous task that also led to internal optimizations in the project design processes.

With the UL-EU certification, Previdia Compact control panels are now ready to be installed in highly critical and regulated contexts, such as airports, hospitals, industries and strategic infrastructures. Easier access to markets such as North America, the Middle East and South East Asia represents a real opportunity to expand the presence of the Inim brand.

More than a certification: a strategy

In addition to the technical aspect, UL-EU represents a central element of Inim's growth strategy: strengthening the perceived value of the brand, participating in international tenders and talking with partners who ask for certified and measurable requirements. A step forward towards an increasingly integrated and global security market.









An international case study by UL Solutions

The path that led Inim Electronics to obtain UL-EU certification has aroused the interest of UL Solutions itself, which has decided to dedicate to the company an official in-depth analysis in the form of a case study.

In the document, UL explains how the collaboration with Inim has become a virtuous example of how certification can become not only a technical objective but also a strategic route to strengthen international competitiveness. It highlights how UL-EU certification has helped increase brand appeal, facilitate access to new regulated markets and accelerate the production process with greater efficiency.

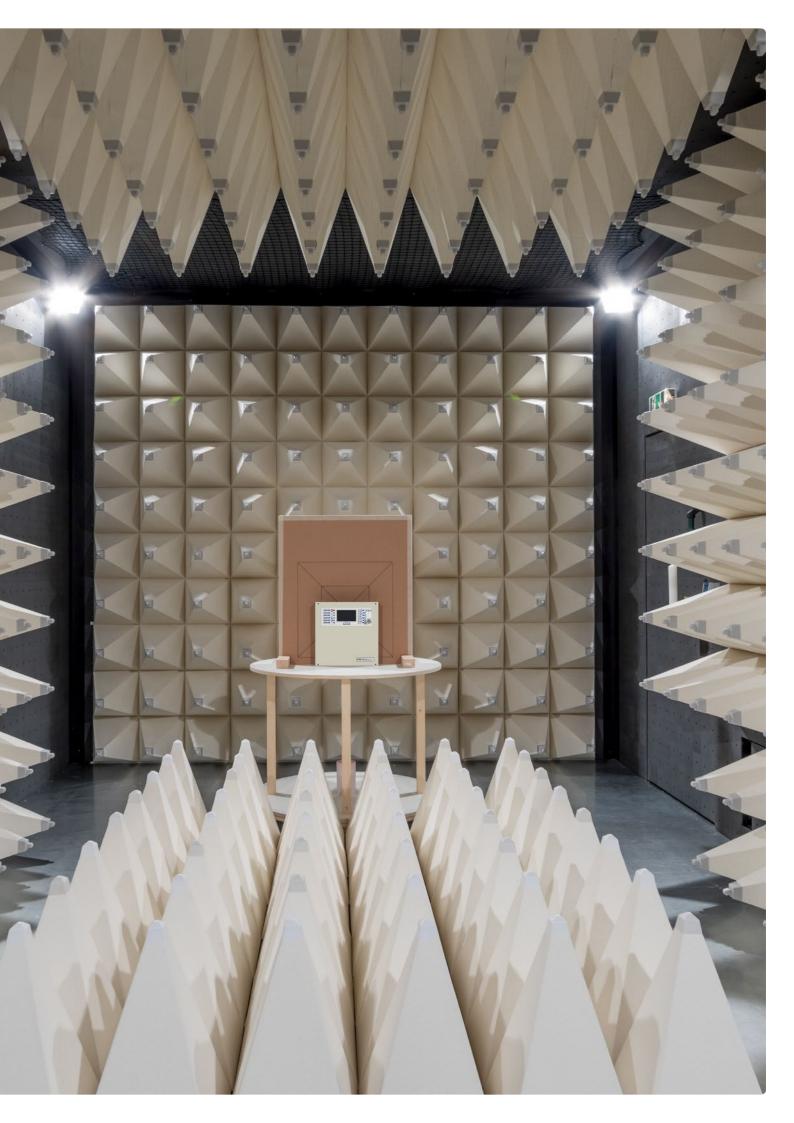
Particular attention was paid to the synergy between the Inim and UL technical teams, who worked side by side to optimize the project timing and ensure full compliance with the necessary requirements. The result is a success story that demonstrates how quality, collaboration and strategic vision can transform a certification into a tangible competitive advantage



Beyond the silence: the way Inim's EMC laboratory raises quality standards

A cutting-edge anechoic chamber and precision tests for increasingly reliable and certified electronic safety

Behind every reliable product there is a technological ecosystem made of tests, verifications and continuous innovation. Inim Electronics has chosen to invest in this ecosystem by equipping itself with an internal EMC laboratory and a latest-generation anechoic chamber. A strategic infrastructure that elevates research, development and certification processes, placing quality, compliance and control at its core.





Precision and silence: the anechoic chamber at the heart of the laboratory

Inim's anechoic chamber is designed to eliminate any environmental electromagnetic noise. The inner walls are covered with pyramidal absorbent panels ensure accurate measurement of emissions and electromagnetic immunity even in high frequencies. This configuration is essential to validate the correct operation of Inim devices in critical environments such as data centres, hospitals, airports and industrial infrastructures.



The laboratory allows the implementation of EMC tests according to international standards such as EN 50130-4, EN 61000-6-3 and EN 55032.

Tests conducted include: radiated and conducted emissions, immunity to electromagnetic fields, electrostatic discharge (ESD), burst and surge.

Thanks to this test, Inim products can be certified to resist the most severe electrical noise and thus guarantee constant performance over time.



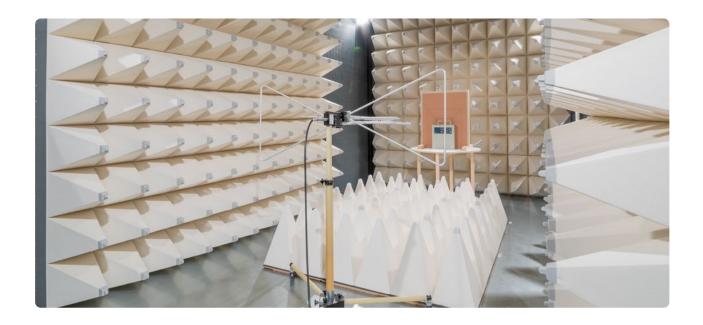


Integrated innovation in project design processes

The cooperation between the laboratory with the R&D allows the technical team to validate each design choice from the early stages. Internal test iterations shorten the development cycle and reduce the risk of rework, thus increasing overall efficiency. Lab-driven design means more robustness, more reliability, and faster release to market.

The presence of an internal EMC laboratory allows us to directly generate all the documentation required for the most important certifications (IMQ, LPCB, UL, TÜV). This accelerates access to regulated markets and enables participation in international projects with high standards. Moreover, it opens the doors to technological cooperation with global partners, strengthening the technical and commercial positioning of the lnim brand.

The choice to internalize the EMC laboratory is not only technical it is cultural. It is an indication of our vision that aims at complete quality control, value traceability and engineering credibility, today more than ever at the centre of the electronic security world.





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Inim for energy preservation

Inim Previdia Compact fire protection system for BESSs

The Battery Energy Storage Systems, known as BESSs, are revolutionizing the global energy industry.

Designed to store energy from renewable sources such as solar and wind, BESSs allow power to be released at times of greatest demand, improving the stability of the electrical power grid and aiding the transition to a more sustainable future.

According to recent estimates, the global operational capacity of BESSs will exceed 330 GWh in 2024, with an increase of over 130 GWh compared to the previous year. In this context of growth, Inim has been called upon to protect these systems.





Battery Energy Storage Systems (BESSs) are designed to store electrical energy in batteries, making it available for future use, especially in combination with renewable sources such as solar and wind. These systems are based on lithium cells (often with LFP technology, lithium-iron-phosphate) for their high safety and thermal stability. Energy is stored in chemical form in the cells and then converted into electricity via an inverter.



China has emerged as a global leader in the BESS industry due to its ability to produce advanced batteries at competitive costs and in large quantities. With its dominance in lithium-ion cell manufacturing, China is leading the technological development and integration of BESSs into complex projects, often destined for export to Europe.

Here, compliance with stringent European safety regulations, including the adoption of certified fire protection systems, represents a crucial competitive advantage for lnim, which, thanks to its high quality standards, is consolidating its position as the leading supplier of fire protection systems in these markets.





BYD Company Limited and Huawei - Shenzhen, Guangdong, China.



The use of the Previdia system in BESSs

In China, the world's leading producer of batteries and BESSs, these devices are often assembled for export to markets such as Europe, where high safety standards are required. The adoption of fire prevention systems certified according to European regulations represents a fundamental competitive factor for suppliers of these types of technologies, capable of tipping the scales when choosing a company.

Inim, thanks to its role as leader in the world market, has been chosen by several manufacturers and has established itself as one of the major suppliers in the application of fire protection systems for these devices.





In BESSs, Inim installs Previdia Compact control panels with fire extinction channels, integrating them with smoke, temperature and gas detectors. These devices have been configured to automatically activate the extinguishing system when a combination of two different detectors (e.g. smoke + gas, temperature + smoke) signal an alarm condition. This approach ensures high sensitivity and accuracy in detecting potentially dangerous conditions.

Previdia Compact control panels, renowned for their efficiency and modularity, are connected to each other through a HORNET+ network. This network system allows the simultaneous management and control of all the control panels, optimizing monitoring and intervention operations. Thanks to connectivity, it is possible to ensure complete coverage of the BESS and rapid response to critical events.

Previdia Compact control panels offer additional benefits, including compliance with international safety standards and an intuitive user interface, which makes programming and maintenance easy. The integration of advanced technologies and the possibility of flexible configuration make these control panels an excellent choice for complex applications such as energy storage systems.

Investing in certified systems, such as those supplied by Inim, not only improves overall security but also complies with the most stringent European regulations, making BESSs reliable and competitive on international markets.



Inim between Europe and Middle East: two fairs, one global vision

From Germany to Dubai, Inim innovation turns the spotlight on new security scenarios

Between 2024 and 2025, Inim Electronics strengthened its international projection by participating in two of the most important global trade fairs in the sector: Security Essen and Intersec Dubai. Two strategic rostrums for meeting up with professionals and project stakeholders, for presenting the most advanced solutions and consolidating key relationships in the European and Middle Eastern markets.





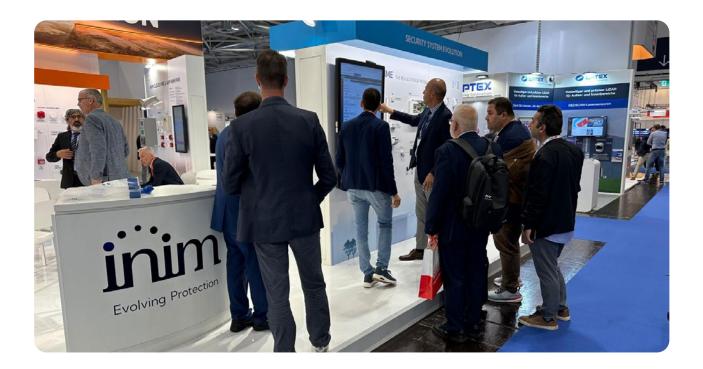


Security Essen 2024: The Technological Heart of Europe

The German trade fair, among the most influential on a continental level, saw Inim as a protagonist with a stand dedicated to integrated security solutions for smart buildings. Among the most appreciated new products, the PRIME X control panels for security management and the InVista intelligent video surveillance system, designed to offer reliability, real-time analysis and maximum interoperability with other systems.







The fire sector also had great visibility thanks to Previdia control panels, the new Cloud functions of the Inim Fire App and the aspirating smoke detection system. The wireless solutions have effectively responded to the needs of installers and designers, confirming the company's vocation for innovation.

Security Essen represented an opportunity to strengthen synergies with European partners and open up new trade lanes. The feedback received has rewarded the technological direction undertaken by Inim, based on modularity, scalability and operational reliability.







Intersec Dubai 2025: Global Vision and International Recognition

Held at the Dubai World Trade Centre, the 2025 edition of Intersec represented the ideal stage to showcase the technological capabilities and solidity of the Inim brand in a global context. The great interest shown in fire safety solutions integrated with EVAC and building management was the confirmation of our winning vision.





Among the most emblematic moments was the visit to the stand of HH Sheikh Mansoor Bin Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum: a strong signal of the strategic value recognized to Made in Italy in the security sector.

Inim technologies have been awarded for their modularity, high level of interoperability and integrated approach to protecting environments.

In addition to strengthening Inim's presence on the market, Intersec has allowed it to expand its international network and start new commercial collaborations.

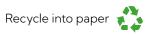
A showcase that highlighted how Inim technology is able to combine design, innovation and reliability, even in the most demanding markets.





By its presence at Security Essen and Intersec Dubai, Inim Electronics has reaffirmed its leadership in the Fire & Security sector. Two events different in terms of geography and interlocutors, but united by a single common thread: the desire to propose advanced technological solutions, capable of responding to the challenges of the present and anticipating the security needs of the future.





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