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**Primary batteries –  
Part 2: Physical and electrical specifications**





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- a) clarification and distinct separation of the terms used for coin (lithium button) and button cells and batteries;
- b) importation of the dimensional stability from 60086-1;
- c) reordering category 1, 5 and 6 batteries by volume;
- d) addition of cochlear implant tests and a new zinc air hearing aid battery type;
- e) modification of PR70 hearing aid tests;
- f) addition of a compliance checklist annex (Annex E);

- g) modifications to the LR1/R1 tests;
- h) addition of new specifications for 8LR932, CR1632, CR1225, CR2477, 6AS6P, 6AS6S, 6PS6P, 6PS6S, 6PS4P, 6PS4S, 5PR175/172, 6PR225/155, AS4, AS6, AS8, AS10, AS12, PS121/195S, PS121/195P, AS149/195, 6AS4S, AR40, 5AR40, 6AR40.

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## INTRODUCTION

The technical content of this part of IEC 60086 provides physical dimensions, discharge test conditions and discharge performance requirements. IEC 60086-2 complements the general information and requirements of IEC 60086-1.

This part was prepared to benefit primary battery users, device designers and battery manufacturers by furnishing the specifics of form, fit and function for individual standardized primary cells and batteries. Over the years, this part has been changed to improve its contents and may again be revised in due course in the light of comments made by national committees and experts on the basis of practical experience and changing technology.

This current revision is the result of a reformatting initiative, as well as some content changes aimed at making this part more user-friendly, less ambiguous, and, from a cross reference basis, fully harmonized with other parts of IEC 60086.

NOTE Safety information is available in IEC 60086-4, IEC 60086-5 and IEC 62281.

## PRIMARY BATTERIES –

### Part 2: Physical and electrical specifications

#### 1 Scope

This part of IEC 60086 is applicable to primary batteries which are based on standardised electrochemical systems.

It specifies

- the physical dimensions,
- the discharge test conditions and discharge performance requirements.

#### 2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

IEC 60086-1, *Primary batteries – Part 1: General*

ISO 1101, *Geometrical product specifications (GPS) – Geometrical tolerancing – Tolerances of form, orientation, location and run-out*

#### 3 Terms, definitions, symbols and abbreviated terms

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in IEC 60086-1 and the following apply.

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- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <http://www.iso.org/obp>

##### 3.1 Terms and definitions

###### 3.1.1

###### application test

simulation of the actual use of a battery in a specific application

###### 3.1.2

###### button cell or battery

small round cell or battery where the overall height is less than the diameter, containing aqueous electrolyte

Note 1 to entry: See coin (cell or battery), lithium button (cell or battery).