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- the division of ratings, characteristics and type tests into those applicable to all fuses and those applicable to particular fuse-link types and applications;
- adjustment of Series II voltages and tests to meet present North American standard system voltages and applications;
- clarification of requirements for fuse-links used in surrounding temperatures above 40 °C; and

- clarification of homogeneous requirements for fuse-links containing one element.

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# HIGH-VOLTAGE FUSES –

## Part 1: Current-limiting fuses

### 1 Scope

This part of IEC 60282 applies to all types of high-voltage current-limiting fuses designed for use outdoors or indoors on alternating current systems of 50 Hz and 60 Hz and of rated voltages exceeding 1 000 V.

### 2 Normative references

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IEC 60060-1:2010, *High-voltage test techniques – Part 1: General definitions and test requirements*

IEC 60071-1, *Insulation coordination – Part 1: Definitions, principles and rules*

IEC 60549, *High-voltage fuses for the external protection of shunt capacitors*

IEC 60644, *Specification for high-voltage fuse-links for motor circuit applications*

IEC 62271-105, *High-voltage switchgear and controlgear – Part 105: Alternating current switch-fuse combinations for rated voltages above 1 kV up to and including 52 kV*

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#### 3.1 Electrical characteristics

##### 3.1.1

##### Rated value

value of a quantity used for specification purposes, established for a specified set of operating conditions of a component, device, equipment, or system

Note 1 to entry: Examples of rated value usually stated for fuses: voltage, current and breaking current.

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