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1) an increase of upper frequency from 600 MHz to 1 000 MHz;
2) changes to the characteristics clause (Clause 6) and test schedules clause (Clause 7) to align the document with test schedules of IEC 60603-7 series documents.

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1 General

1.1 Scope

This part of IEC 61076 establishes uniform specifications, type testing requirements and quality assessment procedures for 8-way, shielded free and fixed connectors for data transmissions with frequencies up to 1 000 MHz, and intended to be used within cabling for information and communications technology, home entertainment and multimedia. It contains a choice of all test methods and sequences, severity and preferred values for dimensions and characteristics.

1.2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application 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 60050-581, *International Electrotechnical Vocabulary. Electromechanical components for electronic equipment*

IEC 60068-1, *Environmental testing – Part 1: General and guidance*

IEC 60068-2-6, *Environmental testing – Part 2: Tests – Test Fc: Vibration (sinusoidal)*

IEC 60169-16, *Radio-frequency connectors. Part 16: R.F. coaxial connectors with inner diameter of outer conductor 7 mm (0.276 in) with screw coupling – Characteristic impedance 50 ohms (75 ohms) (Type N)*

IEC 60352 (all parts), *Solderless connections*

IEC 60512 (all parts), *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements*

IEC 60512-1-100, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 1-100: General – Applicable publications*

IEC 60603-7, *Connectors for frequencies below 3 MHz for use with printed boards – Part 7: Detail specification for connectors, 8-way, including fixed and free connectors with common mating features, with assessed quality*

IEC 61076-1:2006, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Product requirements – Part 1: Generic specifications*

IEC 61156-2, *Multicore and symmetrical pair/quad cables for digital communications – Part 2: Horizontal floor wiring – Sectional specification*

IEC 61156-3, *Multicore and symmetrical pair/quad cables for digital communications – Part 3: Work area wiring – Sectional specification*

IEC 61156-4, *Multicore and symmetrical pair/quad cables for digital communications – Part 4: Riser cables – Sectional specification*

IEC 61156-5, *Multicore and symmetrical pair/quad cables for digital communications – Part 5: Symmetrical pair/quad cables with transmission characteristics up to 600 MHz – Horizontal floor wiring – Sectional specification*

IEC 61196, *Coaxial communication cables*

ISO/IEC 11801, *Information technology – Generic cabling for customer premises*

EN 50289-1-14, *Communication cables – Specifications for test methods – Part 1-14: Electrical test methods – Coupling attenuation or screening attenuation of connecting hardware*

ISO 1302, *Geometrical Product Specifications (GPS) – Indication of surface texture in technical product documentation*

ITU-T G.117, *Transmission aspects of unbalance about earth*

ITU-T O.9, *Measuring arrangements to assess the degree of unbalance about earth*