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1 Scope

This part of IEC 61189 specifies a test method to monitor the resistance of single plated-through holes (PTHs) in printed circuit boards (PCBs) to determine the PTH durability under thermo-mechanical stress induced by temperature cycling.

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IEC 60068-2-58:2015, *Environmental testing – Part 2-58: Tests – Test Td: Test methods for solderability, resistance to dissolution of metal, corrosion and to soldering heat of surface mounting devices (SMD)*

IEC 60194, *Printed board design, manufacture and assembly – Terms and definitions*

IPC-2221, *Generic Standard on Printed Board Design*

3 Terms and definitions

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4 Test specimens

The test panels are coupons of N layer PCBs (see Figure 1 for an example of a section of a test coupon for a six-layer PCB).

If not described in the relevant specification, one test coupon shall have:

- four single through-holes connecting from the first (top, outer) to the N^{th} (bottom, outer) layer (via L1 – via LN) with the corresponding labelling;
- four single through-holes connecting from the second to the third layer (via L2 – via L3) or the ($N2$) to the ($N1$) layers with the corresponding labelling;
- one reference conductive pattern on an outer layer to compensate for possible temperature fluctuations over different temperature cycles and for resistance changes of the conductors by ageing during the test. The length of the reference structure conductive pattern is not relevant, but it is recommended to use a length similar to the length of the conductive patterns connecting the vias to the connection points (see Figure 1) and to