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This edition includes the following significant technical changes with respect to the previous edition:

– terms and definitions have been added and reconsidered in order to be harmonized with IEC 62074-1;
– characterizations of the device under test have been reviewed;

– details to be specified have been reconsidered.

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1 Scope

This part of IEC 61300 identifies two basic measurement methods for characterizing the spectral transfer functions of DWDM devices.

The transfer functions are the functions of transmittance dependent of wavelengths. In this standard, optical attenuations are also used.

NOTE In this standard, transfer functions are expressed by $T(\lambda)$ and optical attenuations are expressed by $A(\lambda)$.

The transfer functions can be used to produce measurements of insertion loss (IL), polarization dependent loss (PDL), isolation, centre wavelength, bandwidth (BW) and other optical performances.

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IEC 60050-731, *International Electrotechnical Vocabulary – Chapter 731: Optical fibre communication*

IEC 61300-3-2, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Basic test and measurement procedures – Part 3-2: Examinations and measurements – Polarization dependent loss in a single-mode fibre optic device*

IEC 61300-3-7, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Basic test and measurement procedures – Part 3-7: Examinations and measurements – Wavelength dependence of attenuation and return loss of single mode components*

IEC 62074-1, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Fibre optic WDM devices – Part 1: generic specification*

3 Terms, definitions, abbreviations and symbols

3.1 Terms and definitions

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