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**Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Performance standard –**

**Part 052-3: Single-mode fibre non-connectorised fixed attenuator – Category U in uncontrolled environment**





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#### **1 Scope**

This part of IEC 61753 contains the minimum initial test and measurement requirements and severities which a fibre optic attenuator satisfies in order to be categorised as meeting the requirements of single-mode fibre non-connectorized fixed attenuator devices used in uncontrolled environments. IEC 60869-1 contains the generic specification of the optical attenuator.

Optical performances specified in this document relate only to non-connectorized configurations optical attenuators.

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IEC 60793-2-50, *Optical fibres – Part 2.50: Product specifications – Sectional specifications for class B single mode fibres*

IEC 60794-2-50, *Optical fibre cables – Part 2.50: Indoor cables – Family specification for simplex and duplex cables for use in terminated cable assemblies*

IEC 61300-2-1, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Basic test and measurement procedures – Part 2-1: Tests – Vibration (sinusoidal)*

IEC 61300-2-4, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Basic test and measurement procedures – Part 2-4: Tests – Fibre/cable retention*

IEC 61300-2-5, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Basic test and measurement procedures – Part 2-5: Tests – Torsion*

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IEC 61300-2-17, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Basic test and measurement procedures – Part 2-17: Tests – Cold*

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