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IEC TS 61994-3, which is a technical specification, has been prepared by IEC technical committee 49: Piezoelectric, dielectric and electrostatic devices and associated materials for frequency control, selection and detection.

This third edition of IEC 61994-3 cancels and replaces the second edition published in 2011. This edition constitutes a technical revision.

The main changes with respect to the previous edition are as listed below:

– some definitions have been updated;
– the terminology given in IEC 60679-1:2017 has been taken into account;
– new terminologies are added.

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Part 3: Piezoelectric, dielectric and electrostatic oscillators

1 Scope

This part of IEC 61994 gives the terms and definitions for piezoelectric, dielectric and electrostatic oscillators representing the state of the art, which are intended for use in the standards and documents of IEC TC 49.

2 Normative references

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3 Terms and definitions

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3.1
adjustment frequency
frequency to which an oscillator must be adjusted, under a particular combination of operating conditions, in order to meet the requirement for the frequency tolerance specification over the specified range of operating conditions

Note 1 to entry: Adjustment frequency corresponds to nominal frequency plus frequency offset.

[SOURCE: IEC 60679-1:2017, 3.2.22]

3.2
ADEV of fractional frequency fluctuation
Allan deviation of fractional frequency fluctuation
measure in the time domain of the short-term frequency stability of oscillator, based on the statistical properties of a number of frequency measurements, each representing an average of the frequency over the specified sampling interval τ

Note 1 to entry: The preferred measure of fractional frequency fluctuation is:

$$\sigma_y(\tau) \cong \left[\frac{1}{2(M-1)} \sum_{k=1}^{M-1} \left(Y_{k+1} - Y_k \right)^2 \right]^{1/2}$$

where

Y_k are the average fractional frequency fluctuations obtained sequentially, with no systematic dead time between measurements;

τ is the sample time over which measurements are averaged;