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## RADIO FREQUENCY CONNECTORS –

### Part 1-5: Electrical test methods – Rise time degradation

#### 1 Scope

This part of IEC 61169 provides test methods for the rise time degradation of radio frequency (RF) connector.

This document is applicable to triaxial and other radio frequency connectors.

#### 2 Normative references

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##### 3.1

##### **rise time degradation**

increase in rise time to a theoretically perfect (zero rise time) voltage step when the sample is inserted in the transmission path

Note 1 to entry: In general, the formula used to calculate rise time degradation from 20 % to 80 % levels is as follows:

$$t_3 = \sqrt{(t_2^2 - t_1^2)} \quad (1)$$

where

$t_3$  is the rise time degradation;

$t_2$  is the measured rise time when the sample is inserted in the transmission path;

$t_1$  is the measurement system rise time.