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- a) Normative references updated to current publications;
- b) Re-numbered to align with current IEC numbering;
- c) Initial inspection requirements: 3 items added;
- d) Testing sequence changed;
- e) General requirements for periodic reporting more details added;
- f) New Annex A: Table A.1 Specific resistance values for copper conductors;

- g) Annex D: Example of a diagram suitable for evaluation of voltage drop. Content removed;
- h) Annex E: Recommendation for electrical equipment which is being re-used in an electrical installation. Content removed:
- i) Annex F: Content replaced with new Annex E Model forms for reporting;
- j) Annex G: Changed to Annex F Model forms for inspection of electrical installations;
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6.1 Scope

This part of IEC 60364 provides requirements for initial and periodic verification of an electrical installation.

Clause 6.4 provides requirements for initial verification, by inspection and testing, of an electrical installation to determine, as far as reasonably practicable, whether the requirements of the other parts of IEC 60364 have been met and requirements for the reporting of the results of the initial verification. The initial verification takes place upon the completion of a new installation or completion of an addition or an alteration to an existing installation.

Clause 6.5 provides requirements for periodic verification of an electrical installation to determine, as far as reasonably practicable, whether the installation and all its constituent equipment are in a satisfactory condition for use and requirements for the reporting of the results of the periodic verification.

6.2 Normative references

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IEC 60364 (all parts), Low-voltage electrical installations

IEC 60364-4-41:2005, Low-voltage electrical installations – Part 4-41: Protection for safety – Protection against electric shock

IEC 60364-4-42:2010, Low-voltage electrical installations – Part 4-42: Protection for safety – Protection against thermal effects IEC 60364-4-42:2010/AMD1:2014

IEC 60364-4-44:2007, Low-voltage electrical installations – Part 4-44: Protection for safety – Protection against voltage disturbances and electromagnetic disturbances IEC 60364-4-44:2007/AMD1:2015

IEC 60364-5-51:2005, Electrical installations of buildings – Part 5-51:– Selection and erection of electrical equipment – Common rules

IEC 60364-5-52:2009, Low-voltage electrical installations – Part 5-52: Selection and erection of electrical equipment – Wiring systems

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IEC 60364-5-54, Low-voltage electrical installations – Part 5-54: Selection and erection of electrical equipment – Earthing arrangements and protective conductors

IEC 61557 (all parts), Electrical safety in low voltage distribution systems up to 1 000 V a.c. and 1 500 V d.c. – Equipment for testing, measuring or monitoring of protective measures

IEC 61557-6, Electrical safety in low voltage distribution systems up to 1 000 V a.c. and 1 500 V d.c. – Equipment for testing, measuring or monitoring of protective measures – Part 6: Effectiveness of residual current devices (RCD) in TT, TN and IT systems

6.3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

6.3.1

verification

all measures by means of which compliance of the electrical installation with the relevant requirements of IEC 60364 is checked

Note 1 to entry: Verification comprises inspection, testing and reporting.

6.3.2

inspection

examination of an electrical installation using all appropriate senses in order to ascertain correct selection and proper erection of electrical equipment

6.3.3

testing

implementation of measures to assess an electrical installation by means through which its effectiveness is proved

Note 1 to entry: Testing includes ascertaining values by means of appropriate measuring instruments, said values not being detectable by inspection.

6.3.4

reporting

recording of the results of inspection and testing

6.3.5

maintenance

combination of all technical and administrative actions, including supervisory actions, intended to retain an item in, or restore it to, a state in which it can perform a required function

6.4 Initial verification

6.4.1 General

- **6.4.1.1** Every installation shall be verified during erection, as far as reasonably practicable, and on completion, before being put into service.
- **6.4.1.2** The information required by IEC 60364-5-51:2005, 514.5 and other information necessary for initial verification shall be made available to the person carrying out the initial verification.
- **6.4.1.3** The initial verification shall include comparison of the results with relevant criteria to confirm that the requirements of the IEC 60364 series have been met.