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All materials used for cables according to this standard should fulfil the requirements of the current REACH Regulation and ROHS Directives.

1 Scope

This part of EN 50117 which is a sectional specification applies to coaxial outdoor drop cables for analogue and digital one and two way signal transmission, e.g. for cable networks for television signals, sound signals and interactive services in accordance with EN 60728-1, EN 60728-1-1, EN 60728-101, EN 60728-10, EN 50173-1 and EN 50173-4. This includes also the transmission of BCT signals provided by a CATV, MATV or SMATV cable network.

The purpose of this document is to specify the applicable test methods and requirements for the electrical, mechanical and environmental characteristics and for fire performance of the cables.

2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 50117-1:2019, *Coaxial cables - Part 1: Generic specification*

EN 50173-1, *Information technology - Generic cabling systems - Part 1: General requirements*

EN 50173-4, *Information technology - Generic cabling systems - Part 4: Homes*

EN 50289-3-9:2001, *Communication cables - Specifications for test methods - Part 3-9: Mechanical test methods - Bending tests*

EN 50290-1-2:2004, *Communication cables - Part 1-2: Definitions*

EN 50290-2-1:2005, *Communication cables - Part 2-1: Common design rules and construction*

EN 50290-2-22, *Communication cables - Part 2-22: Common design rules and construction - PVC sheathing compounds*

EN 50290-2-27, *Communication cables - Part 2-27: Common design rules and construction - Halogen free flame retardant thermoplastic sheathing compounds*

EN 50290-2-37, *Communication cables - Part 2-37: Common design rules and construction - Polyethylene insulation for coaxial cables*

EN 50290-2-38, *Communication cables - Part 2-38: Common design rules and construction - Polypropylene insulation for coaxial cables*

EN 50290-4-1:2014, *Communication cables - Part 4-1: General considerations for the use of cables - Environmental conditions and safety aspects*

EN 50290-4-2:2014, *Communication cables - Part 4-2: General considerations for the use of cables - Guide to use*

EN 60728-1, *Cable networks for television signals, sound signals and interactive services - Part 1: System performance of forward paths (IEC 60728-1)*

EN 60728-1-1, *Cable networks for television signals, sound signals and interactive services - Part 1-1: RF cabling for two way home networks (IEC 60728-1-1)*

EN 60728-10, *Cable networks for television signals, sound signals and interactive services - Part 10: System performance for return paths (IEC 60728-10)*

EN 60728-101, *Cable networks for television signals, sound signals and interactive services - Part 101: System performance of forward paths loaded with digital channels only (IEC 60728-101)*

EN 62153-1-1, *Metallic communication cables test methods - Part 1-1: Electrical - Measurement of the pulse/step return loss in the frequency domain using the Inverse Discrete Fourier Transformation (IDFT) (IEC 62153-1-1)*

IEC 61196-1-112, *Coaxial communication cables - Part 1-115: Electrical test methods - Test for return loss (uniformity of impedance)*

IEC 61196-1-115, *Coaxial communication cables - Part 1-115: Electrical test methods - Test for regularity of impedance (pulse/step function return loss)*

IEC 62153-4-3, *Metallic communication cable test methods - Part 4-3: Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) - Surface transfer impedance - Triaxial method*

IEC 62153-4-4, *Metallic communication cable test methods - Part 4-4: Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) - Test method for measuring of the screening attenuation as up to and above 3 GHz, triaxial method*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in EN 50290-1-2:2004, EN 50117-1:2019 and the following apply.

ISO and IEC maintain terminological databases for use in standardization at the following addresses:

- IEC Electropedia: available at <http://www.electropedia.org/>
- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <http://www.iso.org/obp>

3.1

drop cable

coaxial cable which is used to connect from

- a) subscriber tap or a directional coupler to a system outlet,
- b) subscriber tap to a subscriber splitter,
- c) subscriber splitter to a system outlet

3.2

outdoor drop cable

drop cable for outdoor application

4 Requirements for cable construction and design

4.1 General

Cables according to this standard are designed for an operating temperature range from -40 °C to +70 °C¹ and at frequencies between 5 MHz and 1 000 MHz.

¹ This value is valid for applications without ampacity only, see also Table A.1 concerning max. DC current.