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#### 1 Scope

This European Standard covers coaxial cables for use in analogue and digital systems. This standard should be used in conjunction with EN 50290-1-1.

Coaxial cables covered by this standard operate in transverse electromagnetic mode (TEM) and are suitable for use in a wide range of digital and analogue applications including CATV, radio frequency systems, instrumentation, broadcasting, telecommunications and data network systems. Various constructions and materials provide for indoor and outdoor applications, including underground and overhead installations, and other environmental protection characteristics.

Generally, cables are designed for use in 50 Ohm and 75 Ohm characteristic impedance systems, although other types (e.g. 93/95 Ohm) are also covered.

Coaxial cables defined by this standard may be incorporated into hybrid cable constructions with optical fibre or multi-element cable components.

All cables covered by this standard may be subjected to voltages greater than 50 V a.c. or 75 V d.c. However, these cables are not intended for direct connection to the mains electricity supply or other low impedance sources.

#### 2 Normative references

This European Standard incorporates by dated or undated reference, provisions from other publications. These normative references are cited at the appropriate places in the text and the publications are listed hereafter. For dated references, subsequent amendments to or revisions of any of these publications apply to this European Standard only when incorporated in it by amendment or revision. For undated references, the latest edition of the publication referred to applies, (including amendments).

| EN 50289-1-2  | Communication cables - Specifications for test methods – Part 1-2: Electrical test methods – DC resistance   |
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| EN 50289-4-4 1)             | Communication cables – Specifications for test methods – Part 4-4: Environmental test methods – Resistance to solvents and contaminating fluids |
| EN 50289-4-6                | Communication cables – Specifications for test methods – Part 4-6: Environmental test methods – Temperature cycling                             |
| EN 50289-4-13 <sup>1)</sup> | Communication cables – Specifications for test methods – Part 4-13: Environmental test methods – Smoke generation                               |
| EN 50290-1-1                | Communication cables – Part 1-1: General  |
| EN 50290-1-2 2)             | Communication cables – Part 1-2: Definitions  |
| EN 50290-2-20               | Communication cables – Part 2-20: Common design rules and construction – General  |
| EN 50290-2-28               | Communication cables – Part 2-28: Common design rules and construction – Filling compounds for filled cables                                    |
| EN 50290-4-1                | Communication cables – Part 4-1: General considerations for the use of cables – Environmental conditions and safety aspects                     |

<sup>1)</sup> Under consideration.

<sup>2)</sup> At draft stage.

EN 60811-1-1 Insulating and sheathing materials of electric cables –

Common test methods -

Part 1-1: General application - Measurement of thickness and overall dimensions – Tests for determining the mechanical

properties

IEC 60028 International standard of resistance for copper

IEC 61196-1 Radio-frequency cables – Part 1: Generic specification - General,

definitions, requirements and test methods

#### 3 Definitions

For the purposes of this European Standard, the definitions given in EN 50290-1-2 and EN 50289-1 apply, together with the following:

#### 3.1

#### air-spaced cables

cables in which the dielectric is air, except for a portion occupied by insulating spacers assembled on the inner conductor at regular intervals, or helically applied tapes and/or threads. It is characteristic of this type of cable that outside the spacers, it is possible to pass from the inner conductor to the outer conductor without passing through a layer of solid plastic dielectric

#### 3.2

#### semi-air-spaced cables

cables in which the dielectric is a plastics/air construction comprising either a cellular polymer or an insulating tube at the centre of which the inner conductor is supported by discs or another plastic construction. It is characteristic of this type of cable that it is not possible to pass from the inner conductor to the outer conductor without passing through a layer of plastic dielectric

#### 3.3

#### solid dielectric cables

cables in which the space between the inner conductor and outer conductor is substantially filled by solid plastic dielectric. The dielectric may be homogeneous or composite, the latter comprising two or more concentric layers which may have different properties

#### 4 Requirements for cable construction

#### 4.1 General

Designing the cable, consideration should be paid to the maximum admissible current stated in the detail specification. It is assumed that the raise of temperature of the inner conductor when submitted to the maximum current under nominal ambient conditions does not affect the mechanical properties of the cable. (Details are under consideration).