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## Annex ZA (normative)

# Normative references to international publications with their corresponding European publications

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application 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.

NOTE Where an international publication has been modified by common modifications, indicated by (mod), the relevant EN/HD applies.

<u>Publication</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Title</u>	EN/HD	<u>Year</u>
IEC 60063	1963	Preferred number series for resistors and capacitors	-	-
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IEC 60068-1	_ 1)	Environmental testing Part 1: General and guidance	EN 60068-1	1994 <sup>2)</sup>
IEC 60384-1 (mod)	- 1)	Fixed capacitors for use in electronic equipment Part 1: Generic specification	EN 60384-1 + corr. October	2001 <sup>2)</sup> 2001
IEC 60384-17-1	_ 1)	Part 17-1: Blank detail specification - Fixed metallized polypropylene film dielectric a.c. and pulse capacitors - Assessment levels E and EZ	EN 60384-17-1	2005 2)
IEC 60410	- 1)	Sampling plans and procedures for inspection by attributes	-	-
ISO 3	- 1)	Preferred numbers - Series of preferred numbers	-	-
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## FIXED CAPACITORS FOR USE IN ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT -

# Part 17: Sectional specification: Fixed metallized polypropylene film dielectric a.c. and pulse capacitors

#### 1 General

#### 1.1 Scope

This part of IEC 60384 applies to fixed capacitors with metallized electrodes and polypropylene dielectric for use in electronic equipment.

NOTE Capacitors which have mixed foil and metallized electrodes are also within the scope of this standard.

These capacitors may have "self-healing" properties depending on conditions of use.

Capacitors covered by this specification are mainly intended for use with alternating voltage and/or for pulse applications. The maximum reactive power applicable is  $10\,000$  var and the maximum peak voltage is  $3\,000$  V.

Capacitors for reactive power exceeding 500 var and to which a maximum peak voltage of 2 500 V at 50 Hz can be applied are not covered by this standard, except when they are the highest part of a range of reactive power mainly situated below 500 var at 50 Hz.

This standard is not intended to cover capacitance values higher than 20  $\mu F$ .

Two performance grades of capacitors are covered, Grade 1 for long-life application and Grade 2 for general application.

Capacitors for electromagnetic interference suppression are not included, but are covered by IEC 60384-14.

Capacitors for electrical shock hazard protection (covered by IEC 60065) and fluorescent lamp and motor capacitors (covered by IEC technical committee 33, and IEC technical committee 34) are also excluded.

## 1.2 Object

The object of this standard is to prescribe preferred ratings and characteristics and to select from IEC 60384-1, the appropriate quality assessment procedures, tests and measuring methods and to give general performance requirements for this type of capacitor. Test severities and requirements prescribed in detail specifications referring to this sectional specification shall be of an equal or higher performance level, because lower performance levels are not permitted.

#### 1.3 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application 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.

IEC 60063:1963, Preferred number series for resistors and capacitors Amendment 1 (1967)

Amendment 2 (1977)

IEC 60068-1, Environmental testing - Part 1: General and guidance

IEC 60384-1, Fixed capacitors for use in electronic equipment – Part 1: Generic specification

IEC 60384-17-1, Fixed capacitors for use in electronic equipment – Part 17: Blank detail specification: Fixed metallized polypropylene film dielectric a.c. and pulse capacitors. Assessment level E

IEC 60410, Sampling plans and procedures for inspection by attributes

ISO 3, Preferred numbers – Series of preferred numbers

## 1.4 Information to be given in a detail specification

Detail specifications shall be derived from the relevant blank detail specification.

Detail specifications shall not specify requirements inferior to those of the generic, sectional or blank detail specification. When more severe requirements are included, they shall be listed in 1.9 of the detail specification and indicated in the test schedules, for example by an asterisk.

NOTE The information given in 1.4.1 may for convenience, be presented in tabular form.

The following information shall be given in each detail specification and the values quoted shall preferably be selected from those given in the appropriate clause of this sectional specification.

## 1.4.1 Outline drawing and dimensions

There shall be an illustration of the capacitor as an aid to easy recognition and for comparison of the capacitor with others. Dimensions and their associated tolerances, which affect interchangeability and mounting, shall be given in the detail specification. All dimensions shall preferably be stated in millimetres.

Normally, the numerical values shall be given for the length of the body, the width and height of the body and the wire spacing, or for cylindrical types, the body diameter, and the length and diameter of the terminations. When necessary, for example when a number of items (capacitance values/voltage ranges) are covered by a detail specification, the dimensions and their associated tolerances shall be placed in a table below the drawing.

When the configuration is other than described above, the detail specification shall state such dimensional information as will adequately describe the capacitor. When the capacitor is not designed for use on printed boards, this shall be clearly stated in the detail specification

#### 1.4.2 Mounting

The detail specification shall specify the method of mounting to be applied for normal use and for the application of the vibration and the bump or shock tests. The capacitors shall be mounted by their normal means. The design of the capacitor may be such that special mounting fixtures are required in its use. In this case, the detail specification shall describe the mounting fixtures and they shall be used in the application of the vibration and bump or shock tests.

## 1.4.3 Ratings and characteristics

The ratings and characteristics shall be in accordance with the relevant clauses of this specification, together with the following: