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IEC 60068-2-1	2007	Environmental testing - Part 2-1: Tests - Test A: Cold	EN 60068-2-1	2007
IEC 60068-2-2	2007	Environmental testing - Part 2-2: Tests - Test B: Dry heat	EN 60068-2-2	2007
IEC 60068-2-6	2007	Environmental testing - Part 2-6: Tests - Test Fc: Vibration (sinusoidal)	EN 60068-2-6	2008
IEC 60068-2-14	1984	Environmental testing - Part 2: Tests - Test N: Change of temperature	EN 60068-2-14 ^{2)³⁾}	1999
IEC 60068-2-17	1994	Environmental testing - Part 2: Tests - Test Q: Sealing	EN 60068-2-17	1994
IEC 60068-2-27	2008	Environmental testing - Part 2-27: Tests - Test Ea and guidance Shock	EN 60068-2-27	2009
IEC 60068-2-30	2005	Environmental testing - Part 2-30: Tests - Test Db: Damp heat, cyclic (12 h + 12 h cycle)	EN 60068-2-30	2005
IEC 60068-2-58	2004	Environmental testing - Part 2-58: Tests - Test Td: Test methods for solderability, resistance to dissolution of metallization and to soldering heat of surface mounting devices (SMD)	EN 60068-2-58 + corr. December	2004 2004
IEC 60068-2-78	2001	Environmental testing - Part 2-78: Tests - Test Cab: Damp heat, steady state	EN 60068-2-78	2001

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IEC 60216-1	2001	Electrical insulating materials - Properties of thermal endurance - Part 1: Ageing procedures and evaluation of test results	EN 60216-1	2001
IEC 60216-2	2005	Electrical insulating materials - Thermal endurance properties - Part 2: Determination of thermal endurance properties of electrical insulating materials - Choice of test criteria	EN 60216-2	2005
IEC 60664-1	2007	Insulation coordination for equipment within low-voltage systems - Part 1: Principles, requirements and tests	EN 60664-1	2007
IEC 60672-2	1999	Ceramic and glass insulating materials - Part 2: Methods of test	EN 60672-2	2000
IEC 60695-11-5	2004	Fire hazard testing - Part 11-5: Test flames - Needle-flame test method - Apparatus, confirmatory test arrangement and guidance	EN 60695-11-5	2005

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SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES – DISCRETE DEVICES –

Part 5-5: Optoelectronic devices – Photocouplers

1 Scope

This part of IEC 60747 gives the terminology, essential ratings, characteristics, safety tests as well as the measuring methods for photocouplers (or optocouplers).

NOTE The word "optocoupler" can also be used instead of "photocoupler".

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3 Photocoupler

Optoelectronic device designed for the transfer of the electrical signals by utilizing optical radiation to provide coupling with electrical isolation between the input and the output

NOTE Different types of photocouplers include ambient-rated or case-rated photocouplers, for signal-isolation applications.

3.1 Semiconductor material

- Input diode: Gallium Arsenide, Gallium Aluminium Arsenide, etc.
- Output: Silicon, etc.

3.2 Details of outline and encapsulation

3.2.1 IEC and/or national reference number of the outline drawing

3.2.2 Method of encapsulation: glass/metal/plastic/other

3.2.3 Terminal identification and indication of any connection between a terminal and the case

3.3 Type of photocouplers

3.3.1 DC input photocoupler

Photocoupler consisting at the input of a photoemitter to which d.c. current is applied

3.3.2 AC input photocoupler

Photocoupler consisting at the input of antiparallel photoemitters to which a.c. current is applied

3.3.3 Phototransistor photocoupler

Photocoupler whose photo sensitive element is a phototransistor

NOTE Phototransistor is a transistor in which the current produced by the photoelectric effect in the neighbourhood of the emitter-base junction acts as base current, which is amplified.

3.3.4 Photodarlington photocoupler

Photocoupler whose photo sensitive element is a Darlington phototransistor

NOTE A base terminal may or may not be provided.

3.3.5 Photothyristor photocoupler

Photocoupler whose photo sensitive element is a photothyristor

NOTE 1 Photothyristor is a thyristor that is designed to be triggered by optical radiation.

NOTE 2 Gate terminal may or may not be provided.