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Measurement of mass increase of polyethylene and
polypropylene compounds**

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Foreword

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

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INTRODUCTION

The IEC 60811 series specifies the test methods to be used for testing non-metallic materials of all types of cables. These test methods are intended to be referenced in standards for cable construction and for cable materials.

NOTE 1 Non-metallic materials are typically used for insulating, sheathing, bedding, filling or taping within cables.

NOTE 2 These test methods are accepted as basic and fundamental and have been developed and used over many years principally for the materials in all energy cables. They have also been widely accepted and used for other cables, in particular optical fibre cables, communication and control cables and cables for ships and offshore applications.

ELECTRIC AND OPTICAL FIBRE CABLES – TEST METHODS FOR NON-METALLIC MATERIALS –

Part 407: Miscellaneous tests – Measurement of mass increase of polyethylene and polypropylene compounds

1 Scope

This Part 407 of IEC 60811 gives the procedure to examine possible interaction between insulation material and filling compound of filled cable.

2 Normative references

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IEC 60811-100:2012, *Electric and optical fibre cables – Test methods for non-metallic materials – Part 100: General*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in IEC 60811-100 apply.

4 Test method

4.1 General

This part of IEC 60811 shall be used in conjunction with IEC 60811-100.

This test is used to examine the possible interaction between insulation materials and filling compounds of filled cables. It is intended only for the purpose of material selection.

4.2 Apparatus

For the purpose of this test, the different equipment used is as follows:

- a) a glass vessel;
- b) an oven with natural air flow;
- c) an analytical balance with a precision of 0,1 mg.

4.3 Sampling and test pieces preparation

Three samples of each colour of insulated core shall be taken from a cable before the filling process. Each sample of about 2 m shall be cut into three pieces of length 600 mm, 800 mm and 600 mm.