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IEC 60966-2-1	2008	Radio frequency and coaxial cable assemblies -- Part 2-1: Sectional specification for flexible coaxial cable assemblies	EN 60966-2-1	2009
IEC 60966-2-2	2003	Radio frequency and coaxial cable assemblies -- Part 2-2: Blank detail specification for flexible coaxial cable assemblies	EN 60966-2-2	2003
IEC 61169-47	-	RADIO-FREQUENCY CONNECTORS - part 47: Sectional specification for radio-frequency coaxial connectors with clamp coupling, typically for use in 75 Ω cable networks (type F-Quick)	EN 61169-47	-
IEC 61196-6	-	Coaxial communication cables - Part 6: Sectional specification for CATV drop cables	-	-
IEC 61196-7	-	Coaxial communication cables - Part 7: Sectional specification for cables for BCT cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 15018 - Indoor drop cables for systems operating at 5 MHz - 3 000 MHz	-	-
IEC 62153-4-7	-	Metallic communication cable test methods -- Part 4-7: Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) - Test method for measuring the transfer impedance and the screening - or coupling attenuation - Tube in tube method	EN 62153-4-7	-

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INTRODUCTION

This detail specification applies to flexible coaxial cables described in IEC 61196-6 and IEC 61196-7. It relates to cable assemblies for radio and TV receivers, and in particular to the cable assemblies subfamily F (IEC 61169-47).

This detail specification gives subfamily requirements and severities which shall be applied.

Under qualification approval, the qualification will be conducted in accordance with 12.2 of IEC 60966-2-1:2008 taking into account the specified variants. Only the tests whose results might depend on the variants will be repeated.

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Normative references

IEC 60966-1:1999, *Radio frequency and coaxial cable assemblies – Part 1: Generic specification – General requirements and test methods*

IEC 60966-2-1:2008, *Radio frequency and coaxial cable assemblies – Part 2-1: Sectional specification for flexible coaxial cable assemblies*

IEC 60966-2-2:2003, *Radio frequency and coaxial cable assemblies – Part 2-2: Blank detail specification for flexible coaxial cable assemblies*

IEC 61169-47, *Radio-frequency connectors – Part 47: Sectional specification for radio-frequency coaxial connectors with clamp coupling, typically for use in 75 Ω cable networks (type F-Quick)*

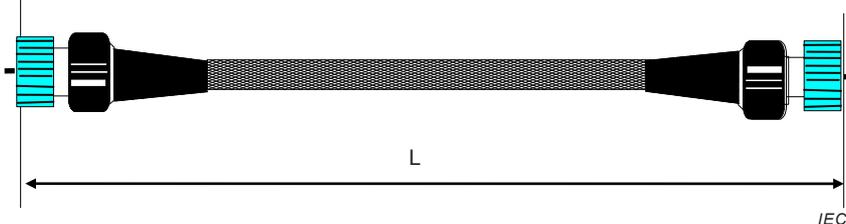
IEC 61196-6, *Coaxial communication cables – Part 6: Sectional specification for CATV drop cables*

IEC 61196-7, *Coaxial communication cables – Part 7: Sectional specification for cables for BCT cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 15018 – Indoor drop cables for systems operating at 5 MHz – 3 000 MHz*

IEC 62153-4-7, *Metallic communication cable test methods – Part 4-7: Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) – Test method for measuring the transfer impedance and the screening – or the coupling attenuation – Tube in tube method*

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[5] Additional references:										
Detail specification for coaxial cable assemblies for radio and TV receivers										
NOTE Example diagram, manufacturer to insert actual diagram.										
										
[6] Maximum diameter < 16,6 mm										
[7] Characteristic impedance: 75 Ω	[8] Frequency range: 0 MHz to 3 000 MHz									
[9] Weight: 40 g/m + 50 g (typically)	[10] Minimum inside radius: for static bending 25 mm for dynamic bending 75 mm									
[11] Climatic category: 40/70/21	[12] Applicable test group: Ba, Eb, Eh, Ee, Mn									
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[14] Variants	[15] Page 1 of 3 pages									

[16] Inspection values, ratings or characteristics	[17] Subclause ^b	[18] Value	[19] Remarks
Electrical			
Reflection properties	8.1	≥ 20 dB	5 MHz to 1 000 MHz
		≥ 18 dB	1 000 MHz to 2 000 MHz
		≥ 16 dB	2 000 MHz to 3 000 MHz
Insertion loss	8.3	< 0,08 dB + 0,4 dB/m	Up to 3 000 MHz
Screening effectiveness:			
Transfer impedance			
Class A	IEC 62153-4-7	< 5 mΩ/m	5 MHz to 30 MHz
Class B		< 15 mΩ/m	5 MHz to 30 MHz
Screening attenuation			
Class A	IEC 62153-4-7	> 85 dB	> 30 MHz to 1 000 MHz
		> 75 dB	> 1 000 MHz to 2 000 MHz
		> 65 dB	> 2 000 MHz to 3 000 MHz
Class B		> 75 dB	> 30 MHz to 1 000 MHz
		> 65 dB	> 1 000 MHz to 2 000 MHz
		> 55 dB	> 2 000 MHz to 3 000 MHz
Voltage proof	8.10	> 1,0 kV	50 Hz to 65 Hz peak value
Insulation resistance	8.11	> 10 ⁵ MΩ	Test voltage 500 V
Inner conductor continuity	8.12	OK	Low voltage DC
Outer conductor continuity	8.12	≤10 mΩ	After tensile test 9.1
Mechanical			
Tensile	9.1	> 45 N	Interface OK Duration 1 min Test 8.12
Flexure	9.2	> 500 cycles	Force 5 N 20/min Test 8.9
Flexing endurance	9.3	> 20 cycles	Test 8.12 and 8.9
Cable assembly crushing	9.4	> 700 N	Test 8.3

Recommended grouping of test			Recommended severity					[27] Length of specimen
[20] Group	[21] Subclause ^b	Test	[22] Periodicity	[23] IL	[24] AQL	[25] <i>n</i>	[26] <i>c</i>	
Ba	7.2	Visual inspection	lot by lot	S3	4.0			
	7.3	Dimensional inspection	lot by lot	S3	4.0			
Eh	8.1	Reflection properties	lot by lot	II	1.0			
	8.3	Insertion loss	lot by lot	II	1.0			
Eb	8.10	Voltage proof	lot by lot	II	1.0			
	8.11	Insulation resistance	lot by lot	II	1.0			
	8.12	Inner and outer conductor continuity	lot by lot	III	1.0			
Ee	IEC 62153-4-7	Transfer impedance	1 year	I		1	0	
	IEC 62153-4-7	Screening attenuation	1 year	I		1	0	
Mn	9.1	Tensile	3 years			3	0	On a CQC variant(e) 1 l = 300 mm
	9.2	Flexure	3 years					
	9.3	Flexing endurance	3 years					
	9.4	Cable assembly crushing	3 years					
^a Flexible cables for CATV applications are under discussion. ^b The relevant standard could be the generic, the sectional or both of them or the standard stated.								

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