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IEC 61000-4-6	2008	Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) Part 4-6: Testing and measurement techniques - Immunity to conducted disturbances, induced by radio-frequency fields	EN 61000-4-6	2009
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IEC 61094-5	-	Measurement microphones Part 5: Methods for pressure calibration of working standard microphones by comparison	EN 61094-5	-
IEC 61183	-	Electroacoustics - Random-incidence and diffuse-field calibration of sound level meters	EN 61183	-
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CISPR 16-2-1 + A1	2008 2010	Specification for radio disturbance and immunity measuring apparatus and methods Part 2-1: Methods of measurement of disturbances and immunity - Conducted disturbance measurements	EN 55016-2-1 + A1	2009 2011
CISPR 16-2-3 - + A1	2010 - 2010	Specification for radio disturbance and immunity measuring apparatus and methods Part 2-3: Methods of measurement of disturbances and immunity - Radiated disturbance measurements	EN 55016-2-3 + AC:2013 + A1	2010 2013 2010
CISPR 22 (mod)	2008	Information technology equipment - Radio disturbance characteristics - Limits and methods of measurement	EN 55022 + AC:2011 [1)]	2010 2011
ISO/IEC Guide 98-3	-	Uncertainty of measurement Part 3: Guide to the expression of uncertainty in measurement (GUM:1995)	-	-
ISO/IEC Guide 99	-	International vocabulary of metrology - Basic and general concepts and associated terms (VIM)	-	-
ISO 26101	2012	Acoustics - Test methods for the qualification of free-field environments	-	-

1) EN 55022 is superseded by EN 55032:2012, which is based on CISPR 32:2012 + corr. Mars 2012 + corr. August 2012 .

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Part 2: Pattern-evaluation tests

1 Scope

This part of IEC 61672 provides details of the tests necessary to verify conformance to all mandatory specifications given in IEC 61672-1 for time-weighting sound level meters, integrating-averaging sound level meters, and integrating sound level meters. Pattern-evaluation tests apply for each channel of a multi-channel sound level meter, as necessary. Tests and test methods are applicable to class 1 and class 2 sound level meters. The aim is to ensure that all laboratories use consistent methods to perform pattern-evaluation tests.

NOTE 1 In this document, references to IEC 61672-1, IEC 61672-2, and IEC 61672-3 refer to the second editions unless stated otherwise.

NOTE 2 Procedures for the pattern-evaluation testing of sound level meters designed to conform to the specifications of IEC 61672-1:2002 were given in IEC 61672-2:2003.

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