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IEC 60068-2-1	-	Environmental testing -- Part 2-1: Tests - Test A: Cold	EN 60068-2-1	-
IEC 60068-2-2	-	Environmental testing -- Part 2-2: Tests - Test B: Dry heat	EN 60068-2-2	-

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This edition includes the following significant technical changes with respect to the previous edition:

- a) the title of this document has been modified;
- b) the current thermal effect test method, specified as "Test method Sa" has been retained and the weathering test method specified as "Test method Sb" has been added.

The text of this International Standard is based on the following documents:

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Full information on the voting for the approval of this International Standard can be found in the report on voting indicated in the above table.

This document has been drafted in accordance with the ISO/IEC Directives, Part 2.

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INTRODUCTION

This part of IEC 60068 describes methods of simulation designed to examine the effect of solar radiation on equipment and components at the surface of the earth. The main characteristics of the environment to be simulated are the spectral irradiance of solar radiation, as observed at the earth's surface, and the intensity of received energy, in combination with controlled temperature conditions. However, the combination of solar radiation with other environments, for example temperature, humidity, water spray (to simulate wetting) and air velocity, should be considered. Two different methods are described, one aiming at the thermal effects, a second aiming at the weathering effects.

ENVIRONMENTAL TESTING –

Part 2-5: Tests – Test S: Simulated solar radiation at ground level and guidance for solar radiation testing and weathering

1 Scope

This part of IEC 60068-2 specifies the methods for testing equipment or components under simulated solar radiation conditions.

This document is applicable to the equipment and components at the surface of the earth.

The purpose of testing is to investigate to what extent the equipment or components are affected by simulated solar radiation in the presence of moisture to reproduce the weathering effects (temperature, humidity and/or wetting) that occur when they are exposed in actual end-use environments to daylight or to daylight filtered through window glass. This document specifies two test methods, test method Sa: thermal effect test, and test method Sb: weathering test.

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