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- a) addition terms and definitions.
- b) addition of a table of the classification to symbols concerning drive hole diameter and distance between the reel hole centre and the drive hole centre;
- c) addition of drive hole to the reel (optional);
- d) revision of reel hole diameter tolerances;
- e) revision of 72 mm tape size carrier tape width dimension tolerances;
- f) addition of Annex B (informative);
- g) addition of component size 0201M.

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INTRODUCTION

Tape packaging meets the requirements of automatic component placement machines and also covers the use of tape packaging for components and singulated dies for test purposes and other operations.

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Part 3: Packaging of surface mount components on continuous tapes

1 Scope

This part of IEC 60286 is applicable to the tape packaging of electronic components without leads or with lead stumps, intended to be connected to electronic circuits. It includes only those dimensions that are essential for the taping of components intended for the above-mentioned purposes.

This document also includes requirements related to the packaging of singulated die products including bare die and bumped die (flip chips).

2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

IEC 60191-2, *Mechanical standardization of semiconductor devices – Part 2: Dimensions*

IEC 61340-4-5, *Electrostatics – Part 4-5: Standard test methods for specific applications – Methods for characterizing the electrostatic protection of footwear and flooring in combination with a person*

IEC 61340-4-6, *Electrostatics – Part 4-6: Standard test methods for specific applications – Wrist straps*

IEC 61340-4-7, *Electrostatics – Part 4-7: Standard test methods for specific applications – Ionization*

IEC 61340-4-9, *Electrostatics – Part 4-9: Standard test methods for specific applications – Garments* **1**

3 Terms, definitions and symbols

3.1 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply. Definitions apply to all tape types, unless specifically mentioned.

ISO and IEC maintain terminology databases for use in standardization at the following addresses:

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**3.1.1
component**

electronic part of a product that cannot be physically divided into smaller parts without losing its particular function

Note 1 to entry: This includes singulated die product.

Note 2 to entry: This is applied to all packaging-types for bare die products unless specifically mentioned otherwise.

**3.1.2
component size**

size of component that is identified with its metric size code

Note 1 to entry: This size code is followed by a capital M.

Note 2 to entry: To avoid possible confusion with inch-based size codes, an equivalency table is shown in Table 1.

Table 1 – Component size codes

Metric size code	Inch size code
0201M	008004 2
0402M	01005
0603M	0201
1005M	0402
1608M	0603
2012M	0805

**3.1.3
packaging**

product made of any material of any nature to be used for the containment, protection, structured alignment for automatic assembly, handling and delivery

**3.1.4
pressed carrier tape**

<type 1b> carrier tape with concave cavities formed by compression of the base material

**3.1.5
fluff**

<type 1b> fibre from the base material attached inside the cavity

Note 1 to entry: See Figure 1.

**3.1.6
burr**

<type 1b> surface projection of tape unintentionally produced when cavity is formed

Note 1 to entry: See Figure 1.

**3.1.7
deformation**

<type 1b> bulge on the inner wall of the cavity

Note 1 to entry: See Figure 1.

3.1.8**puff**

<type 1b> bulge on the reverse side of the cavity

Note 1 to entry: See Figure 1.

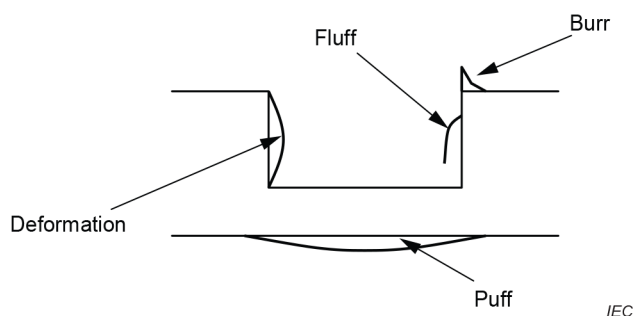


Figure 1 – Sectional view of component cavity (type 1b)

3.1.9**blister carrier tape****embossed carrier tape**

carrier tape which is identified as tape belonging to type 2a, type 2b and type3

~~Note 1 to entry – These types of carriers are also known as "embossed" carrier types.~~

3.1.10**punched carrier tape**

<type 1a> carrier tape on which the concave cavities are formed by punching a hole on the base material and covering up the bottom by the cover tape

3.2 Symbols

The symbols used in this document are listed in Table 2.

Table 2 – Classification to symbols concerning tape, reel and common symbols

Symbols	Definitions	Figure references
A	Reel diameter	26
A_0	Cavity's bottom dimension in direction of unreeling	2, 4, 5, 7, 8, 10, 11, 13, 14, 16, 20 and A.2
B	Reel hole key's groove width	27
B_0	Cavity's bottom dimension in direction of tape width	2, 4, 5, 7, 8, 10, 11, 13, 14, 16, 20 and A.2
B_1	Cavity's rim in direction of tape width	8, 11 and 14
C	Reel hole diameter	26 and 27
C_T	Distance of puff under cavity in direction of tape width	5
d	Difference of diameter between sprocket hole and round foramen	14
D	Reel slot diameter	27
D_0	Sprocket hole diameter	2, 5, 8, 11, 14 and 17
D_1	Cavity's bottom hole diameter	8 and 14
D_{DH}	Drive hole diameter	28
E_1	Shorter distance in direction of width between the origin point of round sprocket hole and the edge of a side of tape	2, 5, 8, 11, 14 and 17

Symbols	Definitions	Figure references
E_2	Longer distance in direction of width between the origin point of round sprocket hole and the edge of a side of tape	2, 5, 8 and 11
F	Distance in direction of width between the origin point of round sprocket hole and the centre of cavity	2, 5, 8, 11 and 14
F_A	Distance in direction of width between the origin point of round sprocket hole and the centre of compartment	17, 19, 24 and 25
G	Shorter distance in direction of width between the cavity and the edge of a side of tape	2, 5, 8, 11 and 17
K_0	Cavity depth	2, 5, 8, 11, 14 and A.3
M	Distance between the reel hole centre and the drive hole centre	28
N	Hub diameter	26
P_0	Pitch of the sprocket holes	2, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9, 11, 14 and 17
P_1	Cavity pitch	2, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9, 11, 14, 17 and 18
P_2	Pitch between the centre of a cavity on the same line with the origin point of round sprocket hole and the centre of the next cavity in direction of unreeling	2, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9, 11 and 14
P_{2A}	Pitch between the centre line of the origin point of round sprocket hole and the centre line of compartment in direction of unreeling	17, 18, 19, 24 and 25
P_3	Pitch between the centre of a cavity on the same line with the origin point of round sprocket hole and the centre of the second next cavity in direction of unreeling	3 and 6
P_4	Pitch between the centre of a cavity on the same line with the origin point of round sprocket hole and the centre of the third next cavity in direction of unreeling	3 and 6
S	Sprocket hole pitch in direction of width	14
R	Bending radius of carrier tape	21
r	Curvature radius of reel hole key's groove	27
T	Carrier tape thickness without cover tape	2, 5, 8, 11, 14, 17, 25 and A.1
T_1	Top cover tape thickness or bottom cover tape thickness	2, 5, 8, 11, and 14 and 17
T_2	Sum of outer cavity height and top cover tape thickness	8, 11 and 14
T_3	Thickenss of pressed carrier tape including bulge	5 and A.1
T_4	Bottom cover tape thickness or Adhesive tape thickness	2 and 17
V_1	Compartment dimension in direcion of unreeling	17 and 18
V_2	Compartment dimension in direction of width	17 and 18
W	Carrier tape width	2, 5, 8, 11, 14 and 17
W_P	Distance between adhesive tapes	17
W_1	Reel inner width (measured at hub)	26
W_2	Reel overall width	26
W_3	Reel inner width in the rim	26
Z	Component thickness	25

4 Structure of the specification

The various types of tapes are as follows.

- Type 1** – Punched and pressed carrier tape
- Type 1a:** Punched carrier tape, with top and bottom cover tape (tape widths: 8 mm and 12 mm)
 - Type 1b:** Pressed carrier tape, with top cover tape (tape width: 8 mm)
- Type 2** – Blister carrier tape, with single round sprocket holes
- Type 2a:** Blister carrier tape, with single round sprocket holes, with top cover tape and tape pitches down to 2 mm (tape widths: 8 mm, 12 mm, 16 mm and 24 mm)
 - Type 2b:** Blister carrier tape, with single round sprocket holes, with top cover tape and with 1mm tape pitch (tape widths: 4 mm)
- Type 3** – Blister carrier tape, with double sprocket holes (tape widths: 32 mm to 200 mm)
- Type 4** – Adhesive-backed punched plastic carrier tape for singulated bare die and other surface mount components (tape widths: 8 mm, 12 mm, 16 mm, and 24 mm)

5 Dimensional requirements for taping

5.1 Component cavity positioning requirements

5.1.1 Requirements for type 1a, type 1b, type 2a, type 2b and type 3

For defined component positioning, the cavity shall be defined to an origin point. The origin is the centre of the round sprocket hole, defined by the crosshair of the dimension E_1 and dimension P_0 . The centre of the compartment shall be defined by P_2 and F , relative to the round sprocket hole (see Figure 2, Figure 5, Figure 8, Figure 11 and Figure 14). When dimension P_1 is smaller or equal to 2 mm, the maximum allowed pocket offset, relative to the centre of the round sprocket hole, shall be applied (see Figure 3, Figure 6, Figure 9 and Figure 12).

5.1.2 Requirements for type 4

For defined component positioning, the component placement and location shall be defined to an origin. The origin is the centre of the sprocket hole, defined by the crosshair of the dimension E_1 and dimension P_0 . The centre of the component location shall be defined by P_{2A} and F_A , relative to the sprocket hole (see Figure 17). Type 4 does not have cavities that are used to position components. Therefore, all position measurements should be made according to the principle defined here and not to the compartments or 'pockets', which are virtual boundaries for component protection only. The term 'pocket offset' does not apply to type 4. The following applies to ~~tape~~ type 4:

- a) rotation and lateral movement of the component is defined by the accuracy to which it has been placed in the compartment, with reference to the target;
- a) the component shall not protrude above the top surface of the carrier tape (see Figure 25a);
- b) the components shall not change their orientation within the tape;
- c) the component shall be able to be removed from the cavity or compartment in a vertical direction, without mechanical restriction.