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1 Scope

This part of IEC 62868 specifies the safety requirements for rigid organic light emitting diode (OLED) tiles and panels for use on supplies up to 120 V ripple free DC for indoor and similar general lighting purposes.

NOTE The construction of OLED tiles and panels is illustrated in Annex A.

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 62504, *General lighting – Light emitting diode (LED) products and related equipment – Terms and definitions*

IEC 62868-1:2020, *Organic light emitting diode (OLED) light sources for general lighting – Safety – Part 1: General requirements and tests*
IEC 62868-1:2020/AMD1:2024

IEC TS 62972, *General lighting – Organic light emitting diode (OLED) products and related equipment – Terms and definitions*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in IEC 62504, IEC 62868-1, IEC TS 62972 and the following apply.

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3.1

OLED tile

smallest functional OLED light source which cannot be separated into smaller OLED lighting elements containing at least one contact ledge with at least one positive and one negative pole for connection to the electrical power supply

3.2

OLED panel

independently operable unit OLED light source containing an OLED tile and means of connection to electrical supply such as a connector, PCB (printed circuit board), passive electronic components and optionally a frame

4 General

4.1 General requirements

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020, 4.1 and IEC 62868-1:2020/AMD1:2024, 4.1 apply.

It is understood that reference to an OLED panel also includes reference to OLED tiles in the requirements and tests of this document.

4.2 General test requirements

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020, 4.2 and IEC 62868-1:2020/AMD1:2024, 4.2 apply.

The ambient temperature and mounting requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020, 4.2 and IEC 62868-1:2020/AMD1:2024, 4.2 apply.

5 Marking

5.1 Contents and location

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020, 5.1 apply.

5.2 Durability and legibility of marking

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020, 5.2 and IEC 62868-1:2020/AMD1:2024, 5.2 apply.

6 Construction

6.1 General

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020, 6.1 apply.

6.2 Mechanical strength

6.2.1 Requirements

The OLED panel shall have sufficient mechanical strength which shall be checked in accordance with 6.2.2.

6.2.2 Vibration test

The compliance criteria of IEC 62868-1:2020, 6.2 and IEC 62868-1:2020/AMD1:2024, 6.2 apply, along with the following:

Electrical contacts which could not be touched before the vibration test (e.g. those in OLED panels according to Figure A.3 and Figure A.4 in Annex A) shall not have become accessible after the test.

6.3 Internal short circuit

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020, 6.3 apply.

6.4 Wireways

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020, 6.4 apply.

6.5 Resistance to dust, solid objects and moisture

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020, 6.5 apply.

7 Mechanical hazard

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020, Clause 7 apply.

8 Fault conditions

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020/AMD1:2024, Clause 8 apply.

9 Insulation resistance and electric strength

9.1 General requirements

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020/AMD1:2024, 9.1 apply.

9.2 Insulation resistance

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020/AMD1:2024, 9.2 apply.

9.3 Electric strength

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020/AMD1:2024, 9.3 apply.

10 Thermal stress

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020, Clause 10 apply.

11 Creepage distances and clearances

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020, Clause 11 and IEC 62868-1:2020/AMD1:2024, Clause 11 apply.

12 Resistance to heat and fire

12.1 Resistance to heat

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020, 12.1 apply.

12.2 Resistance to flame and ignition

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020, 12.2 and IEC 62868-1:2020/AMD1:2024, 12.2 apply.

13 Photobiological safety

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020, Clause 13 and IEC 62868-1:2020/AMD1:2024, Clause 13 apply.

14 Terminals

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020, Clause 14 and IEC 62868-1:2020/AMD1:2024, Clause 14 apply.

15 Information for luminaire design

Information for luminaire design is given in IEC 62868-1:2020, Annex B and IEC 62868-1:2020/AMD1:2024, Annex B.

16 Protection against accidental contact with live parts

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020/AMD1:2024, Clause 16 apply.

17 Screws, current-carrying parts and connections

The requirements of IEC 62868-1:2020/AMD1:2024, Clause 17 apply.

18 Resistance to corrosion

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19 Provisions for protective earthing

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