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### Part 3-104: Detail specification for 8-way, shielded free and fixed connectors for data transmissions with frequencies up to 1 000 MHz

## 1 General

### 1.1 Scope

This part of IEC 61076 establishes uniform specifications, type testing requirements and quality assessment procedures for 8-way, shielded free and fixed connectors for data transmissions with frequencies up to 1 000 MHz, and intended to be used within cabling for information and communications technology, home entertainment and multimedia. It contains a choice of all test methods and sequences, severity and preferred values for dimensions and characteristics.

### 1.2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application 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 60050-581, *International Electrotechnical Vocabulary – Electromechanical components for electronic equipment*

IEC 60068-1, *Environmental testing – Part 1: General and guidance*

IEC 60068-2-6, *Environmental testing – Part 2: Tests – Test Fc: Vibration (sinusoidal)*

IEC 60169-16, *Radio-frequency connectors. Part 16: R.F. coaxial connectors with inner diameter of outer conductor 7 mm (0.276 in) with screw coupling – Characteristic impedance 50 ohms (75 ohms) (Type N)*

IEC 60352 (all parts), *Solderless connections*

IEC 60512 (all parts), *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements*

IEC 60512-1-100, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 1-100: General – Applicable publications*

IEC 60603-7, *Connectors for frequencies below 3 MHz for use with printed boards – Part 7: Detail specification for connectors, 8-way, including fixed and free connectors with common mating features, with assessed quality*

IEC 61076-1:2006, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Product requirements – Part 1: Generic specifications*

IEC 61156-2, *Multicore and symmetrical pair/quad cables for digital communications – Part 2: Horizontal floor wiring – Sectional specification*

IEC 61156-3, *Multicore and symmetrical pair/quad cables for digital communications – Part 3: Work area wiring – Sectional specification*

IEC 61156-4, *Multicore and symmetrical pair/quad cables for digital communications – Part 4: Riser cables – Sectional specification*

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IEC 61196, *Coaxial communication cables*

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EN 50289-1-14, *Communication cables – Specifications for test methods – Part 1-14: Electrical test methods – Coupling attenuation or screening attenuation of connecting hardware*

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ITU-T G.117, *Transmission aspects of unbalance about earth*

ITU-T O.9, *Measuring arrangements to assess the degree of unbalance about earth*

## 2 Technical information

This detail specification covers connectors intended for use in cabling for information and communications technology, home entertainment and multimedia.

### 2.1 Terminology

#### 2.1.1 General

The terminology used in and applicable to this specification is stated in 2.1 of IEC 61076-1. Some applicable terms are also covered in IEC 60512-1. (For definitions of terms used, refer to IEC 60050-581.)

#### 2.1.2 Transmission performance categories

In this IEC standard, the term “category”, when used in reference to transmission performance, refers to those categories defined by ISO/IEC 11801:2002.

#### 2.1.3 Interchangeability level

##### 2.1.3.1 General

These connectors interchangeably insofar as the intermateability and interoperability requirements herein are ensured for mated connectors when individual connector halves are from different sources.

##### 2.1.3.2 Intermateability

Intermateability is ensured by applying the “Go” and “No-Go” gauge requirements herein, and adherence to dimensional requirements herein.

##### 2.1.3.3 Interoperability

Interoperability of different IEC 61076-3-104 connectors is assured by compliance with all transmission requirements when the connector is mated with the respective “test” connector as described in Annex C.

## 2.2 Groups of related connectors

Groups of connectors within a subfamily having common features. Typical examples are same type and range but different style. A group of related connectors is covered by a single detail specification.

**Type:** Connectors within a particular subfamily such as a multicontact connector with one, two or four pairs.

**Range:** The housing (shell) sizes and contacts arrangements within a type. For example, a housing containing one, two or four pairs.

**Style:** A particular connector within a type, for example fixed panel, PCB or free connector.

**Variants:** Variations within a type, style or range.

## 2.3 Interchangeability level

These connectors shall be fully interchangeable and intermateable. The mechanical and electrical characteristics shall be met whatever the source of the connector is. Elements of connecting hardware, e.g. plugs, sockets that terminate more than one cable are permitted.

The plug/socket interface may be constructed so as to permit the use of multiple modules e.g. 2 × 2 pairs or 4 × 1 pair plugs mated directly with a single 4 pairs socket.

## 2.4 IEC type designation

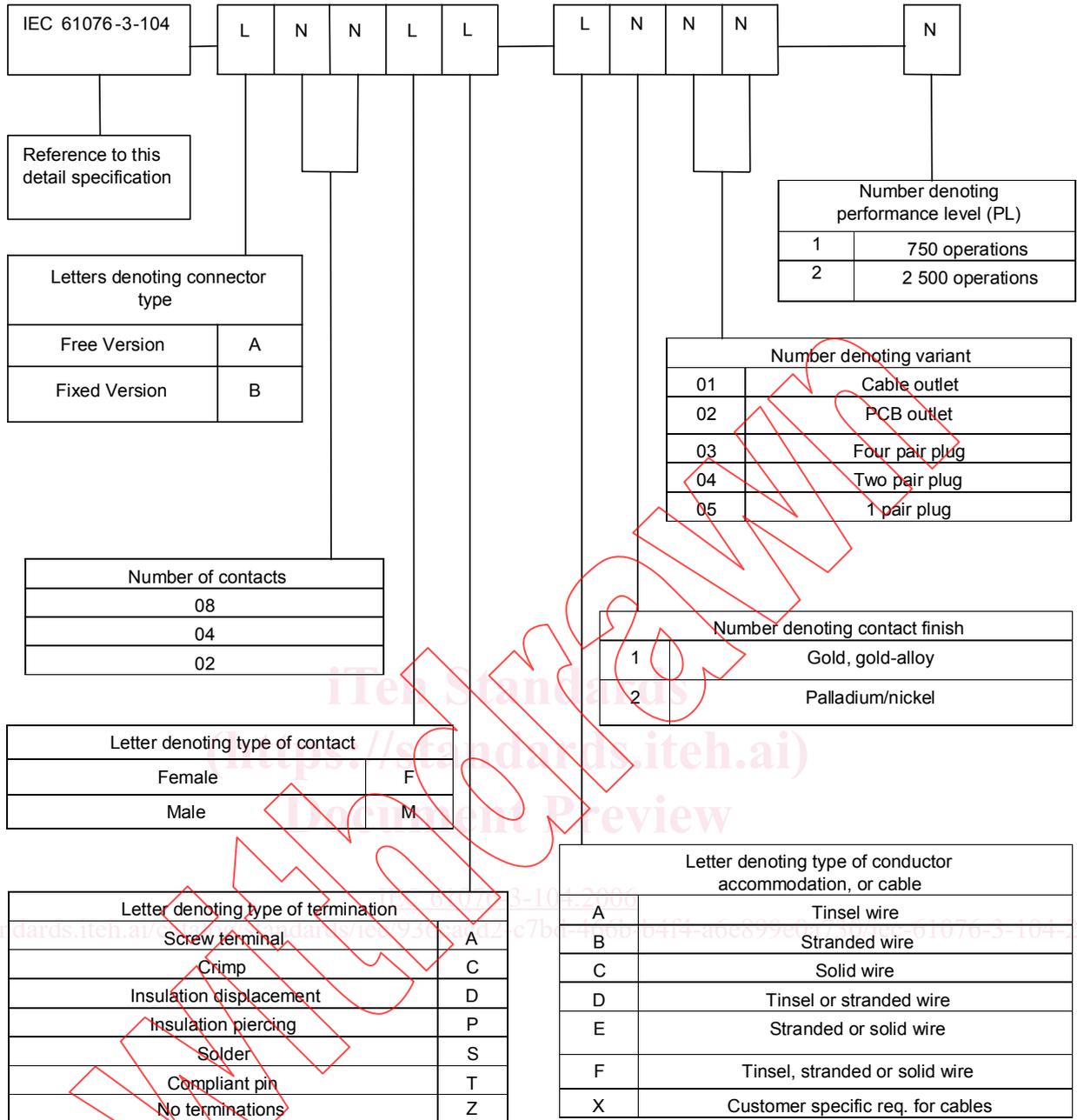
Connectors, connector bodies and connectors with pre-inserted contacts according to this detail specification shall be designated by the following system.

Connectors conforming to this standard shall be identified by the following indications and in the order given:

The letters "IEC".

The number denoting this detail specification.

The number of the detail specification (without dashes), being nine characters (e.g. IEC 610763104-B08S-C101-2 Shielded connector, fixed version B, having 8 female contacts, solder termination, solid wire, gold, cable outlet, 250 operations)).



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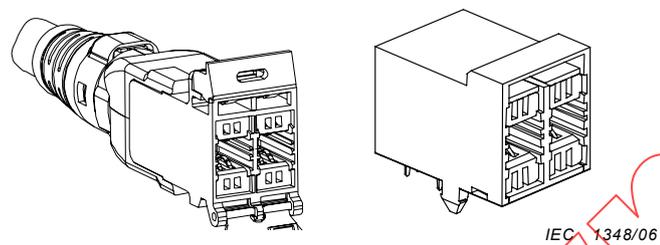
### 3 Isometric views and common features

#### 3.1 General

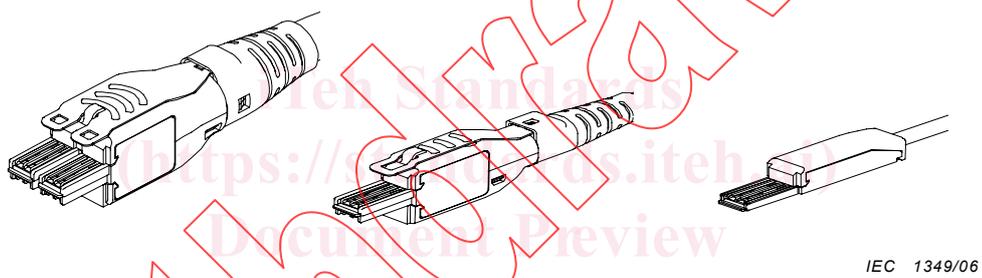
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### 3.2 Isometric views

#### 3.2.1 General



**Figure 1 – Isometric view of cable and PCB fixed connectors**



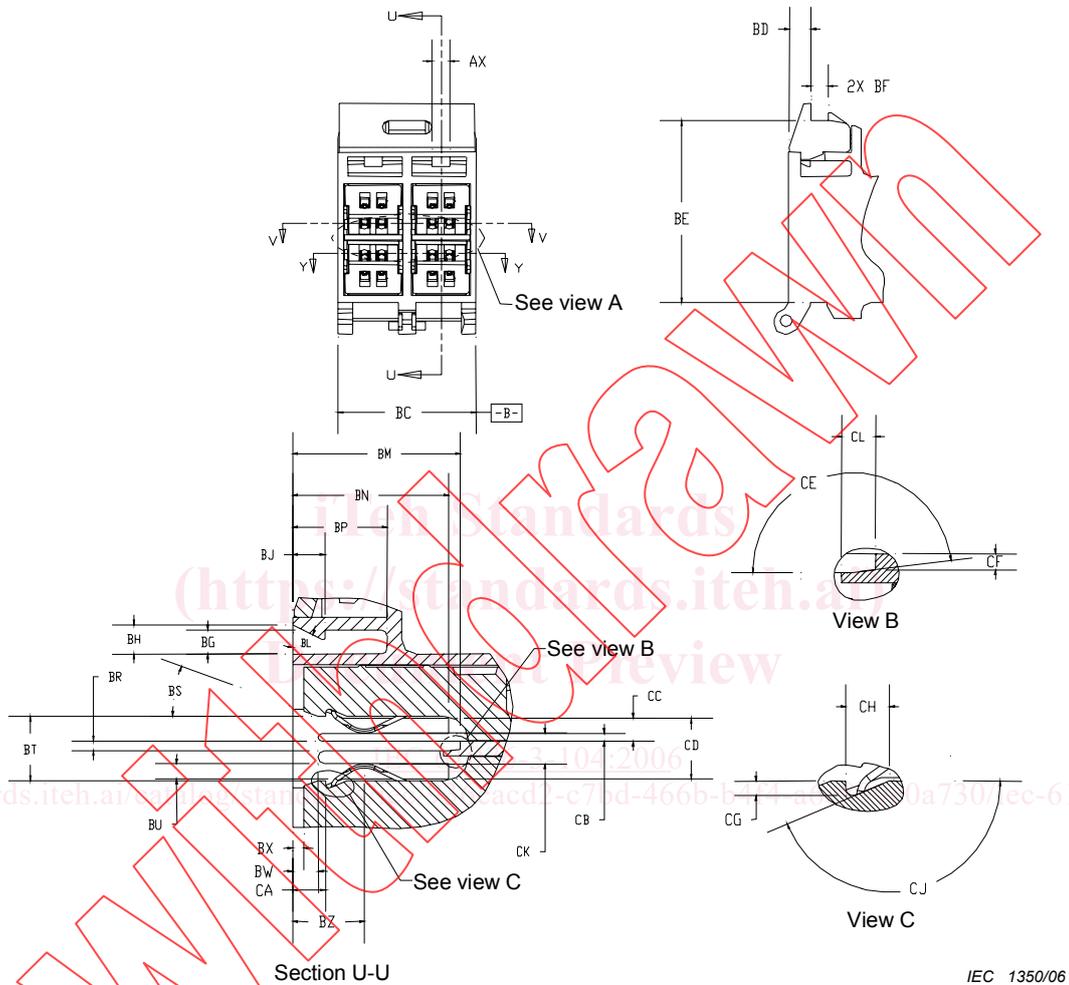
**Figure 2 – Isometric view of 4, 2 and 1 pair free connectors**

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### 3.2.2 Fixed connector variant 01 (cable outlet) drawings

Third angle projection



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Figure 3 – Variant 01 drawing 1