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Partie 4-2: Mélanges PVC pour
revêtement

Isolier-, Mantel- und
Umhüllungswerkstoffe für
Niederspannungskabel und -leitungen
Teil 4-2: PVC-Umhüllungsmischungen

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Foreword

This European Standard was prepared by the Technical Committee CENELEC TC 20, Electric cables.

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EN 50363 (in all its parts) supersedes the equivalent information at present in HD 21.1 S4, HD 21.14 S1, HD 22.1 S4, HD 22.10 S1, HD 22.14 S2 and prHD 21.15 S1. The existing information in these HDs will be deleted at the next maintenance review.

EN 50363-4-2 should be read in conjunction with EN 50363-0.

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1 Scope

This part of EN 50363 specifies the requirements for the physical properties of the PVC covering compound given in Table 1. The relevant test methods are given in EN 60811 series.

NOTE This part of EN 50363 is to be read in conjunction with EN 50363-0.

Table 1 – Type of PVC covering compound

Type	Maximum cable operating temperature °C	General application
TM 6	70	Covering, for example for cold-resistant cables to EN 61138

2 Normative references

For the purposes of this part of EN 50363, the requirements of EN 50363-0, Clause 2, apply with regard to normative references.

3 Definitions

For the purposes of this part of EN 50363, the definitions given in EN 50363-0, Clause 3, apply.

4 Properties

Each compound shall meet the particular requirements listed in Table 2, when using the test methods referenced in columns 4 and 5.

NOTE For cross-references to the latest editions of the test method standards see Table 2 of EN 50363-0.

Table 2 – Requirements for the tests for PVC covering compounds

1	2	3	4	5	6
Ref No	Test ^a	Unit	Test method described in EN 60811 ^b		Type of compound
			Section	Clause	TM 6
1	Mechanical properties				
1.1	Properties before ageing		1-1	9.2	
1.1.1	Values to be obtained for the tensile strength: - median, min.	N/mm ²			7,5
1.1.2	Values to be obtained for the elongation at break: - median, min.	%			125
1.2	Properties after ageing in air oven		1-2	8.1	
1.2.1	Ageing conditions: - temperature - duration of treatment	°C h			80 ± 2 7 x 24
1.2.2	Value to be obtained for the tensile strength: - median, min. - variation, max.	N/mm ² %			7,5 ± 20
1.2.3	Values to be obtained for the elongation at break: - median, min. - variation, max.	% %			125 ± 20
2	Loss of mass test		3-2	8.2	
2.1	Ageing conditions: - temperature - duration of treatment	°C h			80 ± 2 7 x 24
2.2	Values to be obtained for the loss of mass, max.	mg/cm ²			2,0
3	Heat shock test		3-1	9.2	
3.1	Test conditions: - temperature - duration of treatment	°C h			150 ± 2 1,0
3.2	Result to be obtained				^c

Table 2 – Requirements for the tests for PVC covering compounds (continued)

1	2	3	4	5	6
Ref No	Test ^a	Unit	Test method described in EN 60811 ^b		Type of compound
			Section	Clause	TM 6
4	Pressure test at high temperature		3-1	8.2	
4.1	Test conditions:				
	- force exerted by the blade	N	3-1	8.2.4	^d
	- duration of heating under load	h	3-1	8.2.5	^d
	- temperature	°C			70 ± 2
4.2	Result to be obtained:				
	- median of the depth of indentation, maximum	%			50
5	Bending test at low temperature		1-4	8.2	
5.1	Test conditions:				
	- temperature	°C			- 40 ± 2
	- period of application of low temperature	h	1-4	8.2.3	^d
5.2	Result to be obtained				^c
6	Elongation test at low temperature		1-4	8.4	
6.1	Test conditions:				
	- temperature	°C			- 40 ± 2
	- period of application of low temperature	h	1-4	8.4.4 & 8.4.5	^d
6.2	Result to be obtained:				
	- elongation without break, min.	%			30

^a Information on other tests is given in EN 50363-0, Clause 5.

^b Unless stated otherwise.

^c No cracks.

^d See test method referred to in columns 4 and 5.