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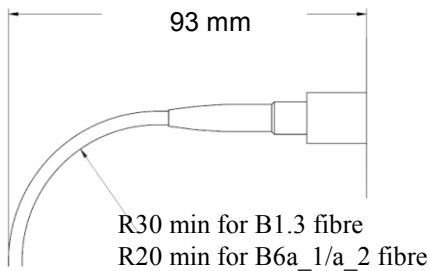
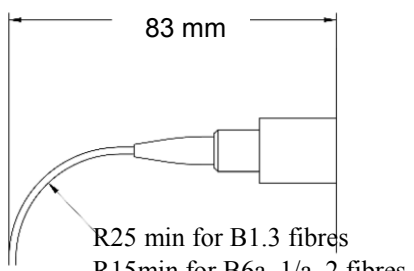
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- EN 50377-15-1, *Connector sets and interconnect components to be used in optical fibre communication systems — Product specifications — Part 15-1: Type MPO with 12-fibre PPS ferrules terminated on IEC 60793-2 category A1a multimode fibre for 50/125 micron multimode fibre;*
- EN 50377-16-1, *Connector sets and interconnect components to be used in optical fibre communication systems - Product specifications — Part 16-1: Type LF3 APC simplex terminated on IEC 60793-2-50 category B1.1 and B1.3 singlemode fibre with titanium composite ferrule for category C;*
- EN 50377-17-1, *Connector sets and interconnect components to be used in optical fibre communication systems — Product specifications — Part 17-1: Type FPFT (factory polished field terminated) simplex connector factory terminated with EN 60793-2-50 category B1.3 fibre and field mounted onto IEC 60793-2-50 category B1.3 or B6a_1 or B6a_2 singlemode fibre, category C;*
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<p>Configuration:</p> <p>1) FPFT Plug/adaptor/plug and/or</p> <p>2) FPFT Plug/adaptor/FPFT plug</p> <p>Fibre category:</p> <p>EN 60793–2-50 Types B1.3, B6a_1 or B6a_2 (with restricted MFD)</p> <p>Cable type:</p> <p>Reinforced cables > 0,9 mm up to 3 mm outer diameter</p>	<p>Performance</p> <p>Application: For use in IEC Category C</p> <p>Attenuation grades: Configuration 1 FPFT/50377 (random mate)</p> <p>B_fB: ≤ 0,20 dB mean ≤ 0,40 dB for ≥ 97 % of measurements</p> <p>C_fC: ≤ 0,35 dB mean ≤ 0,70 dB for ≥ 97 % of measurements</p> <p>Configuration 2 FPFT/FPFT</p> <p>B_fB_f: ≤ 0,35 dB mean ≤ 0,55 dB for ≥ 97 % of measurements</p> <p>C_fC_f: ≤ 0,40 dB mean ≤ 0,75 dB for ≥ 97 % of measurements</p> <p>Return loss grade:</p> <p>1: ≥ 60 dB mated and ≥ 55 dB unmated</p> <p>2: ≥ 45 dB</p> <p>3: ≥ 35 dB</p>
<p>Related documents:</p> <p>EN 60793–2-50 <i>Optical fibres — Part 2–50: Product specifications — Sectional specification for class B single-mode fibres (IEC 60793–2-50)</i></p> <p>EN 60794–2-50 <i>Optical fibre cables — Part 2: Indoor cables — Family specification for simplex and duplex cables for use in terminated cable assemblies (IEC 60794–2-50)</i></p> <p>EN 61300 (all parts) <i>Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components — Basic test and measurement procedures (IEC 61300, all parts)</i></p> <p>EN 61753–1 <i>Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components performance standards — Part 1: General and guidance for performance standards (IEC 61753–1)</i></p>	
<p>Outline and maximum dimensions (mm):</p> <p>For ≥ 2,0 - ≤ 3,0 mm cable diameter</p>  <p>For ≥ 0,9 - < 2mm cable diameter</p> 	

1 Scope

1.1 Product definition

This European Standard contains the initial, start of life dimensional, optical, mechanical and environmental performance requirements that a Factory Polished Field Terminated (FPFT) single mode simplex connector set (plug adaptor plug) will meet in order for it to be categorized as an EN standard product.

The FPFT is designed for either fusion or mechanical splice methods. The performance is specified for the mated combination between a FPFT plug and an EN standardized plug from the EN 50377 series (configuration 1) or between two FTFP plugs (configuration 2). The fibre specified inside the FPFT plug in this European Standard is standard single mode fibre with low water peak as specified as B1.3, which is field mated to B1.3 fibre or bend insensitive single mode fibre specified as B6_a1 or B6_a2 in EN 60793-2-50. Mixing standard and bend insensitive fibres in a connection potentially causes a considerable intrinsic attenuation due to mode field diameter mismatch. These connectors are intended to be for an indoor installation. The connectors are terminated onto reinforced cables according to EN 60794-2-50 with outer diameter greater than 0,9 and up to 3 mm.

Since different variants and grades of performance are permitted, product marking details are given in 3.6.

1.2 Intermateability

1.2.1 Mechanical intermateability

In order to meet mechanical performance requirements, the FPFT plug will meet the optical, environmental and mechanical requirements as stated in this European Standard and the mated plug will meet all the requirements of the relevant EN 50377 series for category C. Intermateability between the FPFT plug and its standard EN 50377 counterpart can only be guaranteed when both plugs meet the same EN 50377 product specification mechanical connector interface dimensions and end face geometry requirements.

1.2.2 Optical intermateability

In EN 50377 product specifications, the random mated performance is calculated when the two connector plugs have been terminated with single-mode fibres using a worst case MFD. The specified MFD range in fibre standards (e.g. B1.3 fibres) is 8,0 μm to 10,1 μm at 1 310 nm, which causes 0,22 dB worst case intrinsic attenuation. However, in EN 50377 product specification series, the MFD is limited to 8,9 μm to 9,5 μm at 1 310 nm. In this European Standard, in order to achieve the random mate performance values, the total MFD range of bend insensitive fibres, e.g. B6a fibres, is limited to 8,5 μm to 9,5 μm at 1 310 nm. This causes a worst case intrinsic attenuation of 0,05 dB.

1.3 Operating environment

The tests selected, combined with the severities and durations, are representative of a category C environment as defined in EN 61753-1. The FPFT plugs are terminated to reinforced optical cables with outer diameter greater than 0,9 mm and up to 3 mm.

1.4 Reliability

While the anticipated service life expectancy of the product in this environment is 20 years, compliance with this European Standard does not guarantee the reliability of the product. This should be predicted using a recognized reliability assessment programme.

1.5 Quality assurance

Compliance with this European Standard does not guarantee the manufacturing consistency of the product. This should be maintained using a recognized quality assurance programme.

2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 50377 (all parts), *Connector sets and interconnect components to be used in optical fibre communication systems — Product specifications*

EN 61300-2-1, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components — Basic test and measurement procedures — Part 2-1: Tests — Vibration (sinusoidal) (IEC 61300-2-1)*

EN 61300-2-2, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components — Basic test and measurement procedures — Part 2-2: Tests — Mating durability (IEC 61300-2-2)*

EN 61300-2-4, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components — Basic test and measurement procedures — Part 2-4: Tests — Fibre/cable retention (IEC 61300-2-4)*

EN 61300-2-5, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components — Basic test and measurement procedures — Part 2-5: Tests — Torsion (IEC 61300-2-5)*

EN 61300-2-12, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components — Basic test and measurement procedures — Part 2-12: Tests — Impact (IEC 61300-2-12)*

EN 61300-2-17, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components — Basic test and measurement procedures — Part 2-17: Tests — Cold (IEC 61300-2-17)*

EN 61300-2-18, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components — Basic test and measurement procedures — Part 2-18: Tests — Dry heat — High temperature endurance (IEC 61300-2-18)*

EN 61300-2-19, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components — Basic test and measurement procedures — Part 2-19: Tests — Damp heat (steady state) (IEC 61300-2-19)*

EN 61300-2-22, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components — Basic test and measurement procedures — Part 2-22: Tests — Change of temperature (IEC 61300-2-22)*

EN 61300-3-4, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components — Basic test and measurement procedures — Part 3-4: Examinations and measurements — Attenuation (IEC 61300-3-4)*

EN 61300-3-6, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components — Basic test and measurement procedures — Part 3-6: Examinations and measurements — Return loss (IEC 61300-3-6)*

EN 61300-3-15, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components — Basic test and measurement procedures — Part 3-15: Examinations and measurements — Dome eccentricity of a convex polished ferrule endface (IEC 61300-3-15)*

EN 61300-3-16, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components — Basic test and measurement procedures — Part 3-16: Examinations and measurements — Endface radius of spherically polished ferrules (IEC 61300-3-16)*

EN 61300-3-23, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components — Basic test and measurement procedures — Part 3-23: Examination and measurements — Fibre position relative to ferrule endface (IEC 61300-3-23)*

EN 61300-3-28, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components — Basic test and measurement procedures — Part 3-28: Examinations and measurements — Transient loss (IEC 61300-3-28)*

EN 61300-3-34, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components — Basic test and measurement procedures — Part 3-34: Examinations and measurements — Attenuation of random mated connectors (IEC 61300-3-34)*

3 Description

3.1 General

The FPFT PC or APC connector is a single position plug connector set of plug adaptor plug configuration characterized by a cylindrical, spring loaded butting ferrule and a coupling mechanism. The optical alignment mechanism of the connectors is of a resilient sleeve style.

3.2 Plug

The plug features a cylindrical ferrule and a coupling mechanism. It has a single male key that is used to limit and may be used to orientate the relative rotation between mated connectors. The ferrule is factory terminated with B1.3 fibre where the MFD is limited to 8,9 μm to 9,5 μm at 1 310 nm and the optical interface is completed to the appropriate EN 50377 product specification.

The plug shall contain a mechanism / feature which allows the factory polished component to be field terminated onto the incoming fibre either by mechanical or by fusion splicing.

A cover (dust cap) to protect the ferrule end face when the connector is in the unmated condition shall be provided.

3.3 Adaptor

The adaptor has a zirconia ceramic resilient alignment sleeve.

Covers (dust caps) shall be provided to protect each port of the adaptor.

3.4 Materials

Materials which are not specified or which are not specifically described are left to the discretion of the manufacturer.

3.5 Dimensions

Outline dimensions and other dimensions necessary to ensure intermateability or which affect performance are specified. All other dimensions are left to the discretion of the manufacturer.

3.6 Colour and marking

Marking of the product shall be in the following order of precedence:

- identification of manufacturer;
- manufacturing date code: year/week;
- manufacturer's part number;
- variant identification number.

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The colour scheme in Table 1 is preferred:

Table 1 — Preferred colour scheme

Adaptor	De-latch housing	Preferred RAL number	Configuration
Blue	Blue	5015	PC
Green	Green	6018	APC

4 Variants

4.1 Terminated plug

The variants in Table 2 are permitted:

Table 2 — Plug variants

Variant No.	For use with nominal cable \varnothing mm	Structure	Note
B _f 01,02,03 C _f 01,02,03	$\geq 0,9 - < 2$	Reinforced Cable	1 Fibre
B _f 04,05,06 C _f 04,05,06	$\geq 2,0 - \leq 3,0$	Reinforced Cable	1 Fibre

4.2 Identification of variants

Table 3 — Grade B and G plug variant FPFT plug

Variant number	Performance grade (Return loss)	Identification number
Bf 01	1	EN 50377-YY-Z Bf 01
Bf 02	2	EN 50377-YY-Z Bf 02
Bf 03	3	EN 50377-YY-Z Bf 03
Bf 04	1	EN 50377-YY-Z Bf 04
Bf 05	2	EN 50377-YY-Z Bf 05
Bf 06	3	EN 50377-YY-Z Bf 06
Cf 01	1	EN 50377-YY-Z Cf 01
Cf 02	2	EN 50377-YY-Z Cf 02
Cf 03	3	EN 50377-YY-Z Cf 03
Cf 04	1	EN 50377-YY-Z Cf 04
Cf 05	2	EN 50377-YY-Z Cf 05
Cf 06	3	EN 50377-YY-Z Cf 06

NOTE EN 50377-YY-Z is the number of the product specification of the FPFT connector plug.