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IEC 60086-1	-	Primary batteries - Part 1: General	EN 60086-1	-
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IEC 61959	-	Secondary cells and batteries containing alkaline or other non-acid electrolytes - Mechanical tests for sealed portable secondary cells and batteries	EN 61959	-
IEC 62133-1	-	Secondary cells and batteries containing alkaline or other non-acid electrolytes - Safety requirements for portable sealed secondary cells, and for batteries made from them, for use in portable applications - Part 1: Nickel systems	EN 62133-1	-

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Part 2: Nickel-metal hydride

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This edition includes the following significant technical changes with respect to the previous edition:

- addition of battery type;
- addition of 'F' (high recovery type) designation for cells and batteries;
- addition of 'I' (low self-discharge type) designation for cells;

- revision of Figure 3 (6.1.3.1);
- addition of “optional pip” note to positive contact;
- changed leader line position from pip to flats of positive contact (B and G).

The text of this standard is based on the following documents:

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21A/623/FDIS	21A/629/RVD

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This publication has been drafted in accordance with the ISO/IEC Directives, Part 2.

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Part 2: Nickel-metal hydride

1 Scope

This part of IEC 61951 specifies marking, designation, dimensions, tests and requirements for secondary sealed nickel-metal hydride small prismatic, cylindrical and button cells and batteries, suitable for use in any orientation, for portable applications.

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 60050-482:2004, *International Electrotechnical Vocabulary (IEV) – Part 482: Primary and secondary cells and batteries*

IEC 60086-1, *Primary batteries – Part 1: General*

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IEC 60086-2, *Primary batteries – Part 2: Physical and electrical specifications*

IEC 61959, *Secondary cells and batteries containing alkaline or other non-acid electrolytes – Mechanical tests for sealed portable secondary cells and batteries*

IEC 62133-1, *Secondary cells and batteries containing alkaline or other non-acid electrolytes – Safety requirements for portable sealed secondary cells and for batteries made from them, for use in portable applications – Part 1: Nickel systems*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in IEC 60050-482 and the following apply.

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- IEC Electropedia: available at <http://www.electropedia.org/>
- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <http://www.iso.org/obp>

3.1

nominal voltage

suitable approximate value of the voltage used to designate or identify a cell or a battery

Note 1 to entry: The nominal voltage of a sealed nickel-metal hydride rechargeable single cell is 1,2 V.

Note 2 to entry: The nominal voltage of a battery of n series connected cells is equal to n times the nominal voltage of a single cell.

[SOURCE: IEC 60050-482:2004, 482-03-31, modified – Addition of Notes 1 and 2 to entry.]

3.2 rated capacity

capacity value of a cell or battery determined under specified conditions and declared by the manufacturer

Note 1 to entry: The rated capacity is the quantity of electricity C_5 Ah (ampere-hours) declared by the manufacturer which a single cell can deliver during a 5 h period when charging, storing and discharging under the conditions specified in 7.3.2.

Note 2 to entry: The capacity of a battery is the quantity of electricity C_5 Ah (ampere-hours) declared by the manufacturer which a battery can deliver during a 5 h period, when charged, stored and discharged under the procedure described in 7.3.2.

[SOURCE: IEC 60050-482:2004, 482-03-15, modified – Addition of Notes 1 and 2 to entry.]

3.3 small prismatic cell

cell in the form of a rectangular parallelepiped whose width and thickness dimensions are not more than 25 mm

3.4 cylindrical cell

cell of circular cross-section in which the overall height is equal to, or greater than the overall diameter

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3.5 button cell

cell of circular cross-section in which the overall height is less than the overall diameter

3.6 nickel-metal hydride cell

cell containing a nickel hydroxide compound for the positive electrode, a hydrogen absorbing alloy for the negative electrode, and potassium hydroxide or other alkaline solution as electrolyte

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Note 1 to entry: Positive electrodes are isolated from negative electrodes by a separator

3.7 nickel-metal hydride battery

assembly of secondary cell(s) as a source of electrical energy characterized by its voltage, size, terminal arrangement, capacity and rate capability

3.8 sealed cell

cell which remains closed and does not release either gas or liquid when operated within the limits of charge and temperature specified by the manufacturer

Note 1 to entry: The cell is equipped with a safety device to prevent dangerously high internal pressure.

Note 2 to entry: The cell does not require addition to the electrolyte and is designed to operate during its life in its original sealed state.

Note 3 to entry: The nickel-metal hydride cell, however, may release gas towards the end of its life due to the accumulation of hydrogen in the cell.

[SOURCE: IEC 60050-482:2004, 482-05-17, modified – The existing note has been developed into Notes 1, 2 and 3 to entry.]

3.9**portable cell**

cell designed mainly for use in an easily hand-carried battery

3.10**battery for portable applications**

battery for use in device or appliance which is conveniently hand-carried

3.11**surface temperature limited cell**

cell which performs a function that prevents the temperature increase from a certain standard point even at the moment of an abnormal occurrence such as short circuit of cell

3.12**high recovery type cell or battery**

cell or battery which has lower “permanent capacity loss” than normal type after storage

Note 1 to entry: It is defined as “high recovery type” in 7.10.2, Table 22.

3.13**low self-discharge type cell**

cell which is able to retain higher charge capacity than normal type after storage by reducing self-discharge

Note 1 to entry: It is defined as “low self-discharge type” in 7.4.

3.14**9 V type nickel-metal hydride battery**

nickel-metal hydride battery which is interchangeable with 9 V primary batteries and is composed of cylindrical cells, small prismatic cells or button cells

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4 Parameter measurement tolerances

The overall accuracy of controlled or measured values, relative to the specified or actual values, shall be within the following tolerances:

- a) ± 1 % for voltage;
- b) ± 1 % for current;
- c) ± 1 % for capacity;
- d) ± 2 °C for temperature;
- e) $\pm 0,1$ % for time;
- f) $\pm 0,1$ mm for dimensions;
- g) ± 5 % for humidity.

These tolerances comprise the combined accuracy of the measuring instruments, the measurement techniques used and all other sources of error in the test procedure.

The details of the instrumentation used shall be provided in each report of results.