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# ENERGY PERFORMANCE OF LAMP CONTROLGEAR –

## Part 1: Controlgear for fluorescent lamps – Method of measurement to determine the total input power of controlgear circuits and the efficiency of the controlgear

### 1 Scope

This part of IEC 62442 defines a measurement and calculation method of the total input power for controlgear – lamp circuits when operating with their associated fluorescent lamp(s). The calculation method for the efficiency of the lamp controlgear is also defined. This document applies to electrical controlgear lamp circuits consisting only of the controlgear and the lamp(s). It is intended for use on DC supplies up to 1 000 V and/or AC supplies up to 1 000 V at 50 Hz or 60 Hz.

NOTE Requirements for testing individual controlgear during production are not included.

It specifies the measurement method for the total input power and the calculation method of the controlgear efficiency for all controlgear used for domestic and normal commercial purposes operating with the following fluorescent lamps:

- linear fluorescent lamps;
- single-ended (compact) fluorescent lamps;
- other general purpose fluorescent lamps.

This International Standard does not apply to:

- controlgear which form an integral part of the lamp;
- controllable wire-wound magnetic controlgear;
- luminaires, which rely on additional optical performance aspects.

### 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 60081:1997, *Double-capped fluorescent lamps – Performance specifications*

IEC 60081/AMD1:2000

IEC 60081/AMD2:2003

IEC 60081/AMD3:2005

IEC 60081/AMD4:2010

IEC 60081/AMD5:2013

IEC 60901:1996, *Single-capped fluorescent lamps – Performance requirements*

IEC 60901/AMD1:1997

IEC 60901/AMD2:2000

IEC 60901/AMD3:2004

IEC 60901/AMD4:2007

IEC 60901/AMD5:2011

IEC 60901/AMD6:2014

IEC 60921:2004, *Ballasts for tubular fluorescent lamps – Performance requirements*

IEC 60921/AMD1:2006

45 IEC 60929:2011, *AC and/or DC-supplied electronic control gear for tubular fluorescent lamps –*  
 46 *Performance requirements*  
 47 IEC 60929/AMD1:2015

48 IEC 61347-2-3:2011, *Lamp control gear – Part 2-3: Particular requirements for AC and/or DC*  
 49 *supplied electronic control gear for fluorescent lamps*  
 50 IEC 61347-2-3/AMD1:2016

51 IEC 61347-2-8:2000, *Lamp controlgear – Part 2-8: Particular requirements for ballasts for*  
 52 *fluorescent lamps*  
 53 IEC 61347-2-8/AMD:2006

54 ISO/IEC GUIDE 98-3:2008, *Uncertainty of measurement – Part 3: Guide to the expression of*  
 55 *uncertainty in measurement (GUM: 1995)*

56 IEC Guide 115:2007, *Application of uncertainty of measurement to conformity assessment*  
 57 *activities in the electrotechnical sector*

### 58 **3 Terms and definitions**

59 For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

#### 60 **3.1**

##### 61 **nominal value**

62 suitable approximate quantity value used to designate or identify a component, device or  
 63 equipment

#### 64 **3.2**

##### 65 **limiting value**

66 the greatest or smallest admissible value of one of the quantities

#### 67 **3.3**

##### 68 **rated value**

69 quantity value for specified operating conditions of a component, device or equipment

70 Note 1 to entry: The value and conditions are specified in the relevant standard or assigned by the manufacturer  
 71 or responsible vendor

72 Note 2 to entry: For the different kinds of operation, rated electrical values are given on the lamp data sheets as:

- 73 – rated electrical values under “electrical characteristics”, if the lamp is defined for 50 Hz / 60 Hz operation only,
- 74 – rated electrical values under “electrical characteristics”, if the lamp is defined for high frequency ( $\geq 20$  kHz)  
 75 operation only,
- 76 – rated electrical values and typical electrical values, if the lamp is defined simultaneously for 50 Hz / 60 Hz  
 77 operation and high frequency operation
- 78 – for 50 Hz / 60 Hz operation: rated electrical values under “electrical characteristics”, and
- 79 – for high frequency operation: rated electrical values under “typical lamp characteristics”.

#### 80 **3.4**

##### 81 **controlgear**

82 one or more components between the supply and one or more lamps which may serve to  
 83 transform the supply voltage, limit the current of the lamp(s) to the required value, provide  
 84 starting voltage and preheating current, prevent cold starting, correct power factor or reduce  
 85 radio interference

#### 86 **3.5**

##### 87 **electromagnetic or magnetic controlgear**

88 controlgear which by means of inductance, or a combination of inductance and capacitance,  
 89 serves mainly to limit the current of the lamp(s) to the required value and operates the lamp(s)  
 90 at the same frequency as the supply frequency

91 **3.6**92 **electronic controlgear**

93 AC and/or DC supplied to AC inverter including stabilizing elements for starting and operating  
94 one or more tubular fluorescent lamps, generally at high frequency

95 **3.7**96 **fluorescent lamp**

97 discharge lamp of the low pressure mercury type, in which most of the light is emitted by one or  
98 several layers of phosphors excited by the ultra-violet radiation from the discharge

99 **3.8**100 **controlgear – lamp circuit**

101 electrical circuit, or part thereof, normally built in a luminaire, consisting of the controlgear and  
102 lamp(s)

103 **3.9**104 **reference ballast**

105 special ballast, either inductive for lamps for operation on AC mains frequencies, or resistive  
106 for lamps for operation on high frequency

107 It is designed for the purpose of providing comparison standards for use in testing ballasts, for  
108 the selection of reference lamps and for testing regular production lamps under standardized  
109 conditions. It is essentially characterized by the fact that, at its rated frequency, it has a stable  
110 voltage/current ratio which is relatively uninfluenced by variations in current, temperature and  
111 magnetic surroundings, as outlined in IEC 60929 and IEC 60921.

112 Note to entry: Annex B provides details of calculating the reference ballast characteristics and the method of  
113 operation with the reference ballast.

114 **3.10**115 **reference lamp**

116 lamp selected for testing controlgear which, when associated with a reference controlgear, has  
117 electrical characteristics which are close to the rated values or typical lamp characteristics as  
118 stated in the relevant lamp standard

119 Note to entry: For details regarding the tolerances, see Clause B.2.

120 **3.11**121 **rated power of a lamp**

122  $P_{Lrated}$

123 power, expressed in watts, of a given lamp type specified by the manufacturer or the supplier,  
124 the lamp being operated under specified conditions

125 **3.12**126 **ballast lumen factor**

127 **BLF**

128 ratio of the light output of the reference lamp when the ballast under test is operated at its rated  
129 voltage, compared with the light output of the same lamp operated with the appropriate  
130 reference ballast supplied at its rated voltage and frequency

131 **3.13**132 **total input power**

133 total power supplied to the controlgear – lamp circuit measured at rated input voltage

134 Note to entry: The rated power specified is related to a specific ballast lumen factor (BLF).

135 **3.14**136 **efficiency of the controlgear**

137  $\eta_{controlgear}$

138 ratio of the output power to the lamp(s) and the total input power of the controlgear

139 Note 1 to entry: Detailed measurement method and conditions are given in clause 5.

140 Note 2 to entry: Loads from sensors, network connections and other auxiliary are disconnected or if not possible  
141 otherwise eliminated from the result.

### 142 3.15

#### 143 multi-lamp-power controlgear

144 controlgear designed to operate one or more lamp(s) with different rated powers

### 145 3.16

#### 146 multi-number-lamp controlgear

147 controlgear designed to operate simultaneous more than one similar lamp

### 148 3.17

#### 149 standby mode

150 mode of the controlgear, in which the light source is switched off by a control signal, while the  
151 controlgear remains connected to the mains supply, failed lamp(s) not included

152 Note 1 to entry: The ignition phase of lamp(s) is excluded from the standby mode.

153 Note 2 to entry: Failed lamp(s) could lead to falsify measurement results.

### 154 3.18

#### 155 standby power

156 average power consumption of a controlgear in the standby mode

157 Note 1 to entry: Power supplied by controlgear to sensors, network connections and other auxiliaries is not  
158 include in the standby power.

159 Note 2 to entry: Unit: W.

## 160 4 General

### 161 4.1 Applicability

162 The measurement and calculation methods of this standard shall only be used for controlgear  
163 which conforms to IEC 61347-2-3 or IEC 61347-2-8.

### 164 4.2 Ballast lumen factor

165 For every controlgear – lamp combination submitted for the test. The ballast lumen factor shall  
166 be measured. The ballast lumen factor is defined in 3.12.

$$167 \quad BLF = \frac{\text{Light}_{\text{test}}}{\text{Light}_{\text{ref}}} \quad (1)$$

168 where

169  $\text{Light}_{\text{ref}}$  is the light output of reference lamp connected to reference ballast measured by  
170 photocell meter reading;

171  $\text{Light}_{\text{test}}$  is the light output of the reference lamp connected to the controlgear under test  
172 measured by photocell meter reading.

173 The ballast lumen factor shall be in the range of 0,925 to 1,075. A controlgear with lower ballast  
174 lumen factor is not suitable for testing. The upper limit of 1,075 may be exceeded, if the value  
175 for maximum lamp operation current and maximum current in any lead to cathodes comply with  
176 the rated value in IEC 60081 and IEC 60901.

### 177 4.3 Dimmable controlgear

178 Sufficient cathode temperature shall be produced by the heating circuit at any possible  
179 dimming position within the available dimming range of the controlgear as specified by the  
180 relevant datasheet in IEC 60081 and IEC 60901.

181 Dimmable controlgear shall be measured at 100 % and 25 % lumen output of the operated  
182 lamp(s).

#### 183 **4.4 Multi-power and/or multi-lamp controlgear**

184 Multi-power-lamp and multi-number-lamp controlgear shall be measured with all the possible  
185 lamp power and number of lamp combinations. The manufacturer shall declare relevant BLF for  
186 each combination.

#### 187 **4.5 General notes on test**

188 The measurement conditions are specified in IEC 60921:2004 or IEC 60929:2011, Annex A  
189 shall be applied, unless otherwise specified in this standard.

190 For measurement uncertainty and traceability see ISO/IEC Guide 98-3 and IEC Guide 115.

#### 191 **4.6 Sampling of controlgear for testing**

192 The requirements and tolerances specified in this standard are based on the testing of a type  
193 test sample submitted by the manufacturer for that purpose. This sample should consist of  
194 units having characteristics typical of the manufacturer's production and be as close to the  
195 production centre point values as possible.

#### 196 **4.7 Size of the test sample**

197 Tests are carried out with one test specimen.

#### 198 **4.8 Conditioning of lamps**

199 Lamps shall be handled and stabilized as described in IEC 60081:1997 and  
200 IEC 60081:1997/AMD4:2010, B.1.1 and in IEC 60901:1996 and IEC 60901:1996/AMD5:2011,  
201 B.1.1.

#### 202 **4.9 Test voltages and frequencies**

203 Where the test voltage and frequency are not defined by national or regional requirements, the  
204 test voltage and the test frequency shall be the nominal voltage and the nominal frequency of  
205 the country or region for which the measurement is being determined (refer to Table 1).

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**Table 1 – Typical nominal electricity supply details for some regions**

Country or region	Rated voltage and frequency <sup>a, c</sup>
Europe	230 V, 50 Hz
North America	120 V, 277 V, 60 Hz
Japan <sup>b</sup>	100 V, 50/60 Hz
China	220 V, 50 Hz
Australia and New Zealand	230 V, 50 Hz
<sup>a</sup> Values are for single phase only. Some single phase supply voltages can be double the nominal voltage above (centre transformer tap). The voltage between two phases of a three-phase system is 1,73 times single phase values (e.g. 400 V for Europe). <sup>b</sup> "50 Hz" is applicable for the Eastern part and "60 Hz" for the Western part, respectively. <sup>c</sup> "If the manufacturer advises that for a marked voltage range a discrete value shall be used for measurement, this should be observed.	

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#### 209 4.10 Sensor and network connections

210 For the measurement of all kinds of controlgear power (also standby) the power consumed by  
 211 all circuits (internal or external) which not involved in power conversion for the controlgear  
 212 operation (e.g. communication devices, external sensors, auxiliary load, battery charging  
 213 circuits etc.) shall be excluded for the measurements. If the auxiliary cannot be disconnected,  
 214 its effect shall be otherwise eliminated from the result

215 Note: Power consumed by circuits necessary for the proper operation of power conversion is considered in the  
 216 measurement (e.g. cooling fan, signalling lighting).

### 217 5 Method of measurement and calculation of total input power of controlgear – 218 lamp circuits and the efficiency of controlgear

#### 219 5.1 Correction for ballast lumen factor

220 The total input power measured is corrected to a BLF of 0,95 for wire-wound magnetic  
 221 controlgear and of 1,00 for high frequency (HF) electronic controlgear. Additionally tolerances  
 222 of reference lamps are compensated.

#### 223 5.2 Method of measurement

224 The measurements are carried out with the power meter connected to measure the total input  
 225 power into the controlgear – lamp circuit, using:

- 226 – for electromagnetic controlgear – lamp circuits:  
 227 the conditions specified in A.6.1 of IEC 60921:2004 and the test circuit of Figure A.1;
- 228 – for AC supplied electronic controlgear – lamp circuits:  
 229 the conditions specified in A.6.2 of IEC 60921:2004, as far as applicable, and the test  
 230 circuit of Figure A.2.

231 The value of the total input power ( $P_{\text{tot.meas.}}$ ) is recorded when a steady state has been  
 232 reached (controlgear temperature and lamp current stabilized).

233 The measurements with the controlgear under test in the controlgear – lamp circuit are to be  
 234 made with the rated supply voltage.  $P_{L_{\text{rated}}}$  of a reference lamp, in some cases, may deviate  
 235 from the nominal value of the lamp.