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IEC 60529	1989	Degrees of protection provided by enclosures (IP Code)	EN 60529	1991
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IEC 61000-4-3	-	Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) - Part 4-3 : Testing and measurement techniques - Radiated, radio-frequency, electromagnetic field immunity test	EN IEC 61000-4-3	-
IEC 61000-4-4	-	Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) - Part 4-4: Testing and measurement techniques - Electrical fast transient/burst immunity test	EN 61000-4-4	-
IEC 61000-4-5	-	Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) - Part 4-5: Testing and measurement techniques - Surge immunity test	EN 61000-4-5	-
IEC 61000-6-2	-	Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) - Part 6-2: Generic standards - Immunity standard for industrial environments	EN IEC 61000-6-2	-
IEC 60721-3-1	1997	Classification of environmental conditions - - - Part 3: Classification of groups of environmental parameters and their severities -- Section 1: Storage		-

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IEC 60834-1	1999	Teleprotection equipment of power systems - Performance and testing - Part 1: Command systems	EN 60834-1	1999
IEC 61000-6-4	2018	Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) - Part 6-4: Generic standards - Emission standard for industrial environments	EN IEC 61000-6-4	2019
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IEC 62488-1	2012	Power line communication systems for power utility applications - Part 1: Planning of analogue and digital power line carrier systems operating over EHV/HV/MV electricity grids	EN 62488-1	2013
IEC/TS 62351-1	2007	Power systems management and - associated information exchange - Data and communications security - Part 1: Communication network and system security - Introduction to security issues		-
IEC/TS 62351-8	2011	Power systems management and - associated information exchange - Data and communications security - Part 8: Role-based access control		-
IEC 62488-2	2017	Power line communication systems for power utility applications – Part 2: Analogue power line carrier terminals or APLC	EN 62488-2	2017
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## INTRODUCTION

Since the first introduction of power line carrier communications in the power systems industry this form of communication has become widely spread throughout the world. This worldwide development will be covered by new standards reflecting the current state of the art in digital PLC communications.

The communication services offered by modern digital power line carrier links and networks enable a high efficiency of data transmission and therefore a low level of operational costs of automation equipment especially for long high-voltage power transmission lines.

Analogue and digital PLC terminals may co-exist using principles of frequency division multiplexing, allowing a successive digitalization of PLC based communications.

Digital PLC terminals may also be combined with traditional analogue PLC transmission paths as hybrid analog & digital PLC equipment, offering reliable and seamless communication for control and/or protection operating at extra high-, high- and medium-voltage levels of the electrical transmission networks and at high-voltage electrical distribution networks.

IEC 62488 consists of four parts dealing with all aspects of power line communication systems operating over electricity power lines.

IEC 62488 applies to power line carrier terminals and systems (PLC) used to transmit information over power networks including extra high, high and medium voltage (EHV/HV/MV) power lines.

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- IEC 62488-4, *Broadband Power Line systems or BPL*

NOTE IEC 62488-4 has not yet been published.

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- Clause 1 – Scope of IEC 62488-3
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- Clause 3 – Terms, definitions and abbreviation contains newly introduce in this document additionally to IEC 62488-1 and IEC 62488-2
- Clause 4 – Introduces generic architectures of DPLC and hybrid ADPLC terminals.
- Clause 5 – Defines access side interfaces of DPLC and hybrid ADPLC terminals.
- Clause 6 – Describes transmission line side high frequency interface and defines related parameters
- Clause 7 – Gives several requirements concerning quality and performance of a single or a couple of interconnected DPLC terminals
- Clause 8 – Defines test setup and describes testing methodology
- Clause 9 – Describes configuration and management requirements for DPLC terminals
- Clause 10 – Describes general requirements regarding cyber security
- Clause 11 – Specifies safety requirements
- Clause 12 – Specifies requirements for storage and transportation, operating conditions, power supply
- Clause 13 – Specifies EMC requirements