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<u>Publication</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>EN/HD</u>	<u>Year</u>
IEC 122-1	1976	Quartz crystal units for frequency control and selection	-	-
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IEC 122-2	1983	Part 2: Guide to the use of quartz crystal units for frequency control and selection	-	-
IEC 302	1969	Standard definitions and methods of measurement for piezoelectric vibrators operating over the frequency range up to 30 MHz	-	-
IEC 444-1	1986	Measurement of quartz crystal unit parameters by zero phase technique in a pi-network Part 1: Basic method for the measurement of resonance frequency and resonance resistance of quartz crystal units by zero phase technique in a pi-network	EN 60444-1	1997
IEC 444-2	1980	Part 2: Phase offset method for measurement of motional capacitance of quartz crystal units	EN 60444-2	1997

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FOREWORD

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This report has been prepared by IEC Technical Committee No. 49: Piezoelectric Devices for Frequency Control and Selection.

It forms Part 4 of the series of IEC publications on phase measuring methods and contains the method for the measurement of load resonance frequency f_L , load resonance resistance R_L of quartz crystal units and for the calculation of load resonance frequency offset Δf_L , frequency pulling range $\Delta f_{L1, L2}$ and pulling sensitivity S up to 30 MHz.

Part 1, containing a basic method for the measurement of resonance frequency and resonance resistance of quartz crystal units by zero phase technique in a π -network, is issued as IEC Publication 444-1 (second edition, 1986).

Part 2, containing a phase offset method for the measurement of motional capacitance of quartz crystal units, is issued as IEC Publication 444-2 (first edition, 1980).

Part 3, containing a basic method for the measurement of two-terminal parameters of quartz crystal units up to 200 MHz by the phase technique in a π -network with compensation of the parallel capacitance C_0 , is issued as IEC Publication 444-3 (first edition, 1986).

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

Six Months' Rule	Report on Voting	Two Months' Procedure	Report on Voting
49(CO)156	49(CO)175	49(CO)178	49(CO)183, 183A

Full information on the voting for the approval of this report can be found in the Voting Reports indicated in the above table.

The following IEC publications are quoted in this report:

Publications Nos. 122-1 (1976): Quartz crystal units for frequency control and selection. Part 1: Standard values and test conditions. Including Amendment No. 1 (1983).

122-2 (1983): Part 2: Guide to the use of quartz crystal units for frequency control and selection.

302 (1969): Standard definitions and methods of measurement for piezoelectric vibrators operating over the frequency range up to 30 MHz.

444-1 (1986): Measurement of quartz crystal unit parameters by zero phase technique in a π -network. Part 1: Basic method for the measurement of resonance frequency and resonance resistance of quartz crystal units by zero phase technique in a π -network.

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1. Scope

This report specifies a simple method of measuring load resonance frequency f_L and load resonance resistance R_L in the frequency range up to 30 MHz. These measurements allow calculation of load resonance frequency offset Δf_L , frequency pulling range $\Delta f_{L1, L2}$ and pulling sensitivity S as described in Amendment No. 1 to IEC Publication 122-1.

The method uses the change in resonance frequency from f_r to f_L (i.e. Δf_L) which occurs when a load capacitance C_L is inserted in series with the crystal unit. The accuracy is determined mainly by the precision of the frequency measurement and the calibration of the load capacitor.

Measurement of load resonance frequency f_L with different load capacitances may be used for the determination of C_L and L_L as defined in IEC Publication 302.

It should be noted that when making measurements of the load resonance frequency of a quartz crystal unit, the accuracy obtainable is a function of the crystal unit design and the value of the load capacitance, as well as the method of measurement.

Useful information of general interest can be found in IEC Publication 122-2.

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2. Measuring circuit

- 2.1 The measuring circuit consists of a zero phase π -network system as described in IEC Publication 444-1, in which a calibrated load capacitor can be inserted between the crystal unit terminals and the contact plates of the π -network, to obtain a specific load capacitance.

The load capacitors shall be removable and interchangeable, so that the measurements at resonance or at load resonance with one or more values of load capacitance can be made in the same network, without disturbing the measurement system.

- 2.2 An outline description of a typical design for the load capacitor and the method of insertion into the π -network together with measurement errors is given in Appendix A.
- 2.3 *Load capacitor specification*
- 2.3.1 The residual inductance of the load capacitors shall be less than 1×10^{-9} H.
- 2.3.2 The tolerance on the specified nominal value should be equal to or better than ± 0.1 pF at a frequency up to 1 MHz.
- 2.3.3 The cross-talk capacitance of the load capacitors shall be less than 0.05 pF. This can be measured as described in Appendix A.
- 2.3.4 The temperature coefficient at 25 °C shall be less than $30 \times 10^{-6}/^\circ\text{C}$.