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- a) Clarifying the introduction;
- a) Replaced 'dielectric strength' by 'voltage test';
- b) Requirement for maximum output current has been added in 4.2.6.1

- 96 c) Tripping time at electrical switching activated by two-hand operation has been added in  
97 4.2.6.1
- 98 d) Additional time limiting capability for the protection against electric shock for test persons  
99 and bystanders in 4.2.6.2
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- 101 f) Alignment of the structure with that of the whole IEC 61557 series.

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## INTRODUCTION

121 This standard defines particular requirements for test and measurement equipment used to  
122 determine the electrical safety of electrical equipment of machinery. IEC 61010, other parts of  
123 the IEC 61557 series and IEC 60204 do not cover all safety aspects of equipment used for  
124 testing electrical equipment of machinery in accordance with the test sequence of IEC 60204-1.

125 This part of IEC 61557 provides additional measures to reduce the risk of electric shock for the  
126 test persons and bystanders during voltage tests in the field. The standard also defines  
127 performance requirements for each test and measurement function to ensure reliable and  
128 comparable results.

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133 **Part 14: Equipment for testing the safety of electrical equipment of**  
134 **machinery**  
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138 **1 Scope**

139 This part of IEC 61557 defines special requirements for test and measurement equipment used  
140 to determine the electrical safety of electrical equipment of machinery in accordance with  
141 IEC 60204-1.

142 **2 Normative references**

143 The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content  
144 constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies.  
145 For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any  
146 amendments) applies.

147 IEC 60204-1, *Safety of machinery – Electrical equipment of machines – Part 1: General*  
148 *requirements*

149 IEC 60529, *Degrees of protection provided by enclosures (IP Code)*

150 IEC 61000-4-8, *Electromagnetic compatibility – Part 4-8: Testing and measurement techniques*  
151 *– Power frequency magnetic field immunity test*

152 IEC 61010-2-034, *Safety requirements for electrical equipment for measurement, control, and*  
153 *laboratory use – Part 2-034: Particular requirements for measurement equipment for*  
154 *insulation resistance and test equipment for electric strength*

155 IEC 61557-1:2019, *Electrical safety in low voltage distribution systems up to 1 000 V AC and*  
156 *1 500 V DC – Equipment for testing, measuring or monitoring of protective measures – Part 1:*  
157 *General requirements*

158 IEC 61557-2:2019, *Electrical safety in low voltage distribution systems up to 1 000 V AC and*  
159 *1 500 V DC – Equipment for testing, measuring or monitoring of protective measures – Part 2:*  
160 *Insulation resistance*

161 IEC 61557-3:2019, *Electrical safety in low voltage distribution systems up to 1 000 V AC and*  
162 *1 500 V DC – Equipment for testing, measuring or monitoring of protective measures – Part 3:*  
163 *Loop impedance*

164 IEC 61557-4:2019, *Electrical safety in low voltage distribution systems up to 1 000 V AC and*  
165 *1 500 V DC – Equipment for testing, measuring or monitoring of protective measures – Part 4:*  
166 *Resistance of earth connection and equipotential bonding*

167 IEC 61557-6:2019, *Electrical safety in low voltage distribution systems up to 1 000 V AC and*  
168 *1 500 V DC – Equipment for testing, measuring or monitoring of protective measures – Part 6:*  
169 *Effectiveness of residual current devices (RCD) in TT, TN and IT systems*

170 IEC 61557-10:2019, *Electrical safety in low voltage distribution systems up to 1 000 V AC and*  
171 *1 500 V DC – Equipment for testing, measuring or monitoring of protective measures – Part 10:*  
172 *Combined measuring equipment for testing, measuring and monitoring of protective measures*



173 IEC 61557-13:2011, *Electrical safety in low voltage distribution systems up to 1 000 V AC and*  
174 *1 500 V DC – Equipment for testing, measuring or monitoring of protective measures – Part 13:*  
175 *Hand-held and hand-manipulated current clamps and sensors for measurement of leakage*  
176 *currents in electrical distribution systems*

### 177 **3 Terms and definitions**

178 For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in IEC 61557-1, IEC 61557-2,  
179 IEC 61557-3, IEC 61557-4, IEC 61557-6, IEC 61557-10 and IEC 61557-13 apply.

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181 addresses:

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

### 184 **4 Requirements**

#### 185 **4.1 General requirements**

186 In addition to the requirements of IEC 61557-1:2019, Clause 4, the following requirements shall  
187 apply.

#### 188 **4.2 Measuring functions**

##### 189 **4.2.1 Required measuring functions**

190 The measuring equipment shall be capable of measuring the following quantities as a minimum:

- 191 – resistance of protective bonding;
- 192 – fault loop impedance;
- 193 – effectiveness of residual current protective devices (RCDs);
- 194 – insulation resistance.

195 The following test or measuring functions may be combined with those listed above:

- 196 – voltage test;
- 197 – residual voltage;
- 198 – leakage current;

199 The measuring equipment may include further measurement functions, provided that the  
200 measuring functions listed above are not influenced.

201 NOTE A missing measuring function in combined equipment can be completed with a single instrument designed in  
202 accordance with the IEC 61557 series.

##### 203 **4.2.2 Measurement of resistance of protective bonding**

204 This part of the measuring equipment shall be in accordance with IEC 61557-4.

##### 205 **4.2.3 Measurement of fault loop impedance**

206 This part of the measuring equipment shall be in accordance with IEC 61557-3.

207 NOTE In addition the earth resistance may be measured in accordance with IEC 61557-5.

#### 208 4.2.4 Measurement of insulation resistance

209 The measuring equipment shall be in accordance with IEC 61557-2.

#### 210 4.2.5 Testing of the effectiveness of protective measures with RCD

211 This part of the measuring equipment shall be in accordance with IEC 61557-6.

#### 212 4.2.6 Voltage tests

##### 213 4.2.6.1 Requirements for voltage tests

214 If the equipment includes a voltage test, it shall generate a quasi-sinusoidal voltage at mains frequency with values in accordance with Table 1.

216 NOTE 1 The test voltage is commonly derived from mains voltage.

217 NOTE 2 A waveform that is not a perfect sine curve, but is close enough to be considered sinusoidal, for all practical purposes.

219 **Table 1 – Test voltages**

Nominal voltage $U_n$ of equipment under test (EUT)	Test voltage
$\leq 500$ V	1 000 V
$> 500$ V	$2 \times U_n$

220 The rated test current shall be 100 mA AC with a tolerance of 0 % to +2 %. The minimum prospective short circuit current shall be 200 mA. The maximum output current measured via a resistor with a maximum value of 2 k $\Omega$  shall not exceed 250 mA.

223 If the test equipment has a display to indicate the actual test voltage, the maximum operating uncertainty shall be  $\pm 5$  %.

225 The amplitude of the test voltage output shall be regulated such that any variation is within -10 % and +30 % of the rated test voltage within 500 ms after changing the load from an unloaded condition (open circuit) to a loaded condition (100 mA) and vice versa. The maximum voltage overshoot shall be less than 200 % of the rated test voltage.

229 The touch current measured at each output terminal via the measuring circuit in accordance with IEC 61010-1:2010, Figure A.1, to earth shall not exceed 3,5 mA AC. The EUT shall not be connected.

232 NOTE The voltage test duration is defined in IEC 60204-1.

233 The test equipment shall have provisions against unintended energizing of the output. Such methods of protection shall include one of the examples in accordance with IEC 61010-2-034:2017, 6.9.101, a), b) or c) and in addition two-hand operation method d).

236 Two-hand operation can be provided by electronic or mechanical means.

237 In case of electrical switching activated by two-hand operation, the tripping time shall not exceed 70 ms.

##### 239 4.2.6.2 Additional time limiting capability

240 If the equipment provides the possibility to set a tripping current of 30 mA for the output current, then the setting shall be clearly indicated and the maximum tripping time shall be 250 ms.