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118 constitutes a technical revision.

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

121 a) Introduction has been reorganized;

122 b) IEC 61010-2-130 is used in conjunction with this document for equipment in both scopes;

123 c) impact of amendment 2 to IEC 61010-1:2010+A1:2016 has been taken into consideration:

124 1) Clause 2 and Bibliography have been updated;

125 2) MAINS definition has been modified;

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- 126 3) in 4.3.2.5, specific requirements for power supply have been deleted since Amendment  
127 2 of IEC 61010-1 take them now into account;
- 128 4) Figure 101 has been replaced by Figure 3;
- 129 5) modifications of 6.8.3.1 and 6.8.3.2 have been deleted;
- 130 6) conformity statements of K.3.2 and K.101.2 have been modified;
- 131 7) a few conformity statements for constructional requirements of solid insulation have  
132 been modified;
- 133 d) definition of MEASUREMENT CATEGORY has been modified, added a definition for MEASURING  
134 CIRCUITS and HIGH INTEGRITY component;
- 135 e) added a new 3.101 for abbreviated terms and a Table 101;
- 136 f) in 4.4.2.101, requirements for surge protective components have been modified;
- 137 g) former symbol 101 for Type B and Type C current sensors has been deleted and former  
138 symbol 102 is now symbol 101;
- 139 h) in 5.1.5.101.2, markings of terminals for MEASUREMENT CATEGORIES have been completed,  
140 including the nature of the voltage AC or DC only which is now explicitly permissible;
- 141 i) in 6.6.101.5, the conformity statement has been modified;
- 142 j) a note has been added to 6.7.1.3 for guidance about signification of long-term for CREEPAGE  
143 DISTANCES;
- 144 k) in 6.101.4 and Annex D, insulation of type C and type D current sensors have been  
145 amended;
- 146 l) subclause 9.1 has been modified;
- 147 m) 9.101.1 and 9.101.2.1 have been redrafted for clarification, in particular to take into account  
148 the recommendations of new Annex N about REASONABLY FORESEEABLE MISUSE and the  
149 levels of protection;
- 150 n) a new 9.101.4 for protection against the spread of fire when opening internally the secondary  
151 circuit of a current sensor with a current transformer;
- 152 o) the reference test method for 10.5.101 has been defined;
- 153 p) requirements for SPD have been added to 14.8;
- 154 q) requirements for capacitors have been added to 14.9;
- 155 r) requirements for HIGH INTEGRITY components have been added in a new 14.102;
- 156 s) Clause 101 has been deleted; its requirements have need moved to Clause 9 and Clause 16;
- 157 t) Annex D has been modified to consider the situations of current sensors in closed and open  
158 position;
- 159 u) installation limit of CAT IV has been modified in Figure AA.1;
- 160 v) a new Annex BB for MEASURING CIRCUIT has been added; other annexes have been  
161 renumbered.

162 The text of this International Standard is based on the following documents:

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173 This document is to be used in conjunction with IEC 61010-1:2010,  
174 IEC 61010-1:2010/AMD1:2016 and IEC 61010-1:2010/AMD2:—<sup>1</sup>.

175 This document supplements or modifies the corresponding clauses in IEC 61010-1 so as to  
176 convert that publication into the IEC standard: *Particular requirements for hand-held and*  
177 *hand-manipulated current sensors for electrical test and measurement*.

178 Where a particular subclause of IEC 61010-1 is not mentioned in this document, that subclause  
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180 "replacement", or "deletion", the relevant requirement, test specification or note in IEC 61010-1  
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182 In this standard:

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- 185 – NOTES: in small roman type;
- 186 – *conformity and tests: in italic type;*
- 187 – terms used throughout this standard which have been defined in Clause 3: SMALL ROMAN  
188 CAPITALS;

189 b) subclauses, figures, tables and notes which are additional to those in IEC 61010-1 are  
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## INTRODUCTION

201 IEC 61010-1 specifies the safety requirements that are generally applicable to all equipment  
 202 within its scope. For certain types of equipment, the requirements of IEC 61010-1 and its  
 203 amendments will be supplemented or modified by the special requirements of one or more  
 204 standard from the IEC 61010-2 series which is/are read in conjunction with the requirements of  
 205 IEC 61010-1.

206 This document and IEC 61010-2-030, IEC 61010-2-033 and IEC 61010-2-034 specify the safety  
 207 requirements for equipment having testing or measuring circuits which are connected for test  
 208 or measurement purposes to devices or circuits outside the measurement equipment itself.

209 According to the type of equipment and combination of functions, several IEC 61010 standards  
 210 are used in conjunction (see Table 0.1).

211 **Table 0.1 – IEC 61010 standards to be applied in case of combined equipment**

Type of equipment (example)	Applicable IEC 61010 standards	Additional standards to be applied in case of combined equipment with additional features or equipment designed for specific use					
		Hand-held current sensing	Multimeter function	Insulation resistance test or measurement function	Other measuring and test functions	Hand-held and hand-manipulated probe	Equipment used in educational establishment by pupil OPERATORS
Hand-held and hand-manipulated current sensors	Part 1 + Part 2-032	Function included in the scope	Part 2-033 is included	Part 2-034 is used in conjunction	Other functions are included	Part 031 applies to relevant accessories	Part 2-130 is used in conjunction
Hand-held multimeters and other meters for measuring mains voltage	Part 1 + Part 2-033	Part 2-032 supersedes	Function included in the scope	Part 2-034 is used in conjunction	It depends		
Insulation resistance and test equipment for electric strength	Part 1 + Part 2-034	Part 2-032 is used in conjunction	Not apply	Function included in the scope	Other functions are included		
Other equipment having testing or measuring circuits	Part 1 + Part 2-030	Part 2-032 is used in conjunction	It depends	Part 2-034 supersedes	Functions included in the scope		

212 **SAFETY REQUIREMENTS FOR ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT**  
 213 **FOR MEASUREMENT, CONTROL, AND LABORATORY USE –**

214 **Part 2-032: Particular requirements for hand-held and hand-manipulated**  
 215 **current sensors for electrical test and measurement**

216 *All Clauses and their subclauses, all Annexes, their Clauses and subclauses, and Bibliography*  
 217 *of IEC 61010-1:2010, IEC 61010-1:2010/AMD1:2016 and IEC 61010-1:2010/AMD2:—<sup>2</sup> apply*  
 218 *except as follows.*

219 **1.1.1 Equipment included in scope**

220 *Replace the existing text of 1.1.1 with the following new text:*

221 This part of IEC 61010 specifies safety requirements for HAND-HELD and hand-manipulated  
 222 current sensors intended for measuring, detecting or injecting current, or indicating current  
 223 waveforms on circuits without physically opening the current path of the circuit being measured.

224 These current sensors are hand-manipulated before and/or after a test or measurement, but  
 225 are not necessarily HAND-HELD during the test or measurement. They can be stand-alone current  
 226 sensors or accessories to other equipment or parts of combined equipment. These include  
 227 measurement circuits which are part of electrical test and measurement equipment, laboratory  
 228 equipment, or process control equipment.

229 NOTE 1 Combined equipment is equipment that is electrically connected to a current sensor by means of a  
 230 permanent connection which can be detached only by the use of a TOOL.

231 NOTE 2 Some current sensors are also known as current clamps, CLAMP MULTIMETERS and current probes.

232 The types of current sensors covered by this document are defined in Annex GG.

233 **1.1.2 Equipment excluded from scope**

234 *Add the following new paragraph at the end of 1.1.2:*

235 This document does not apply to current sensors used as FIXED EQUIPMENT.

236 **1.2 Aspects**

237 **1.2.1 Aspects included in scope**

238 *Replace item c) and item h) from the list of the second paragraph of 1.2.1 with the following*  
 239 *new item c) and item h):*

240 c) spread of fire or arc flash from the current sensor (see Clause 9);

241 h) HAZARDS related to the use and REASONABLY FORESEEABLE MISUSE of the current sensor  
 242 (see Clause 16 and Annex BB).

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243 *Insert the following new paragraph between the third paragraph and the NOTE of 1.2.1:*

244 Annex BB and Annex CC provide guidance to equipment manufacturers on HAZARDS that should  
245 be considered for equipment intended for performing tests and measurements on hazardous  
246 conductors, including MAINS conductors and telecommunication network conductors.

## 247 **1.2.2 Aspects excluded from scope**

248 *Add a new item aa) after item h) of the list of 1.2.2:*

249 aa) HAZARDS related to the use by pupil OPERATORS in educational establishments (see  
250 IEC 61010-2-130).

## 251 **2 Normative references**

252 *Replace the following existing normative reference:*

253 IEC 60695-11-10, *Fire hazard testing – Part 11-10: Test flames – 50 W horizontal and vertical*  
254 *flame test methods*

255 *with the following new normative references:*

256 IEC 60695-11-10:2013, *Fire hazard testing – Part 11-10: Test flames – 50 W horizontal and*  
257 *vertical flame test methods*

258 *Insert the following five new normative references in Clause 2:*

259 IEC 60364-4-44:2024, *Low-voltage electrical installations – Part 4-44: Protection for safety –*  
260 *Protection against voltage disturbances and electromagnetic disturbances*

261 IEC 61010-1:2010, *Safety requirements for electrical equipment for measurement, control, and*  
262 *laboratory use – Part 1: General requirements*

263 IEC 61010-1:2010/AMD1:2016

264 IEC 61010-1:2010/AMD2:—<sup>3</sup>

265 IEC 61010-2-030:—<sup>4</sup>, *Safety requirements for electrical equipment for measurement, control,*  
266 *and laboratory use – Part 2-030: Special requirements for testing and measuring circuits*

267 IEC 61010-2-034:—<sup>5</sup>, *Safety requirements for electrical equipment for measurement, control,*  
268 *and laboratory use – Part 2-034: Particular requirements for measurement equipment for*  
269 *insulation resistance and test equipment for electric strength*

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 271 *laboratory use – Part 031: Safety requirements for hand-held probe assemblies for electrical*  
 272 *measurement and test*

273 *Replace the existing title of Clause 3 with the following new title:*

274 **3 Terms, definitions and abbreviated terms**

275 *Add the following two new terms and definitions after 3.1.8:*

276 **3.1.101**

277 **HAND-HELD**

278 intended to be supported by one hand during NORMAL USE

279 **3.1.102**

280 **CLAMP MULTIMETER**

281 HAND-HELD multi-range and multifunction measuring instrument intended to measure current on  
 282 a live MAINS without physically opening the conductors, voltage on a live MAINS and other  
 283 electrical quantities such as resistance

284 *Add the following four new terms and definitions after item 3.2.5:*

285 **3.2.101**

286 **MEASURING CIRCUIT**

287 testing or measuring circuit (internal to the equipment) which is connected for test or  
 288 measurement purposes to devices or circuits outside the equipment itself

289 **3.2.102**

290 **JAW**

291 part of a current sensor which surrounds or partially surrounds the conductor under test

292 **3.2.103**

293 **JAW END**

294 part of the JAW where opening occurs while clamping around a conductor

295 **3.2.104**

296 **PROTECTIVE FINGERGUARD**

297 part of the enclosure that indicates the limit of safe access and that reduces the RISK of the  
 298 operator touching HAZARDOUS LIVE parts

299 *Replace the definition of 3.5.4 with the following new definition:*

300 **3.5.4**

301 **MAINS**

302 AC or DC electrical power distribution system (external to the equipment)

303 NOTE 1 to entry: MAINS include public or private electrical utilities and, unless otherwise specified in this document,  
 304 equivalent sources such as motor-driven generators and uninterruptible power supplies.

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305 NOTE 2 to entry: This definition differs from the IEC 61010-1:2010/AMD2:— definition by allowing voltages greater  
306 than 1 000 V AC and 1 500 V DC and MAINS can be used to power the equipment or be measured.

307 *Add the following two new terms and definitions after 3.5.24:*

308 **3.5.101**

309 **HIGH INTEGRITY**

310 providing a degree of protection against HAZARDS equivalent to two levels of protection

311 NOTE 1 to entry: A HIGH INTEGRITY part is considered as not subject to failure when tests under fault conditions are  
312 made.

313 NOTE 2 to entry: See reinforced protection defined in IEC 60050-903:2013, 903-02-08.

314 **3.5.102**

315 **MEASUREMENT CATEGORY**

316 numeral defining MEASURING CIRCUITS according to the type of MAINS to which they are intended  
317 to be connected

318 *Add the following new term and definition after 3.6.12:*

319 **3.6.101**

320 **UNINSULATED CONDUCTOR**

321 conductor which is not insulated by solid insulation or which is insulated by solid insulation that  
322 does not meet the requirements for BASIC INSULATION for the relevant voltage to earth

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323 *Add the new following and a new Table 101 3.101 after 3.6:*

324 **3.101 Abbreviated terms**

325 The list of abbreviated terms and symbols used in this document is given in Table 101.

326 **Table 101 – Abbreviated terms**

Abbreviated term or symbol	Term	Note
AC	alternating current	Pertaining to alternating electric quantities such as voltage or current, to devices operated with these, or to quantities associated with these devices (IEC 60050-151:2001, 151-15-01, modified).
DC	direct current	Pertaining to time-independent electric quantities such as voltage or current, to devices operated with direct voltage and current, or to quantities associated with these devices (IEC 60050-151:2001, 151-15-02, modified).
RMS	root-mean-square	For a time-dependent quantity, positive square root of the mean value of the square of the quantity taken over a given time interval (IEC 60050-103:2009/AMD1:2017, 103-02-03, modified).
SPD	surge protective device	Surge protective devices connected to low-voltage power systems described in IEC 61643-11.
SPC	surge protective component	Components for low-voltage surge protective devices (SPD) described in IEC 61643 series such as IEC 61643-311, IEC 61643-331, IEC 61643-341.
OVC	OVERVOLTAGE CATEGORY	"OVC" precedes the OVERVOLTAGE CATEGORY numeral.
CAT	MEASUREMENT CATEGORY	"CAT" precedes the MEASUREMENT CATEGORY numeral.
B	BASIC INSULATION or SUPPLEMENTARY INSULATION	BASIC INSULATION or SUPPLEMENTARY INSULATION is required or allowed.
D	DOUBLE INSULATION or REINFORCED INSULATION	DOUBLE INSULATION or REINFORCED INSULATION is required or allowed.
$D_1$	CLEARANCE for TRANSIENT OVERVOLTAGE	$D_1$ is the CLEARANCE that would be applicable to a TRANSIENT OVERVOLTAGE with the shape of a $1,2 \times 50 \mu\text{s}$ impulse (see K.3.2).
$D_2$	CLEARANCE for WORKING VOLTAGE	$D_2$ is the CLEARANCE that would be applicable to the peak WORKING VOLTAGE without any TRANSIENT OVERVOLTAGE (see K.3.2).
$U_m$	maximum peak value	$U_m$ is maximum peak value of the working voltage plus the maximum additional transient overvoltage (see K.3.2).

327 **4.3.2.6 Input and output voltages**

328 *Replace the existing title and text of 4.3.2.6 with the following new title and text:*

329 **4.3.2.6 Input and output voltages or currents**

330 Input and output voltages or currents, including floating voltages but excluding the electrical  
 331 supply source (see 4.3.2.5), shall be set to any voltage or current within their RATED range, in  
 332 normal and reverse polarity if possible.

333 **4.4.2.1 General**334 *Replace the item 2) of the first paragraph of 4.4.2.1 with the following new item 2):*

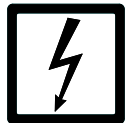
335 2) Applicable fault conditions specified in 4.4.2.2 to 4.4.2.15 and 4.4.2.101;

336 *Add the following 4.4.2.101 after 4.4.2.15:*337 **4.4.2.101 Surge protective components (SPC)**338 SPC used in MAINS CIRCUITS or MEASURING CIRCUITS connected to MAINS shall be short-circuited  
339 and open-circuited, only one at a time in turn in any convenient order (see also 14.8).340 **5.1.2 Identification**341 *Add the following three new items to the list of 5.1.2:*342 aa) for current sensors designed for use only with a specific model of equipment, a clear  
343 identification of the equipment, or with symbol 14 of Table 1 if this information is available  
344 only in the documentation;

345 bb) for Type A current sensors, with symbol 101 of Table 1;

346 cc) for Type B, Type C and Type D current sensors, with symbol 14 of Table 1.

347 *Add a new paragraph before the conformity statement of 5.1.2:*348 The relevant symbol (14 or 101) of Table 1 shall be marked adjacent to the JAWS or adjacent to  
349 the marking of the MEASUREMENT CATEGORY for the JAWS, if present (see 5.1.5.101 and  
350 5.1.5.102).351 **Table 1 – Symbols**352 *Add the following new symbol to Table 1:*

Number	Symbol	Reference	Description
101		IEC 60417-6300 (2016-03)	To indicate that the current sensor can safely be used with UNINSULATED HAZARDOUS LIVE CONDUCTORS

353 **5.1.5 TERMINALS, connections and operating devices**354 *Add the following 5.1.5.101 and 5.1.5.102 after 5.1.5.2:*