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## INTRODUCTION

At present there is no standard for reliability qualification for passive components with respect to high power use. This has led to component manufacturers having to perform different set of tests for various customers leading to higher cost. Additionally such non-standardized testing has led to either over or under testing devices. The aim of this document is to mitigate these issues, by establishing a common framework for reliability assurance at high optical power. While there is no exact number beyond which the optical power is demarcated as high, power exceeding 23 dBm (200 mW) of total input power is considered high.

## **FIBRE OPTIC INTERCONNECTING DEVICES AND PASSIVE COMPONENTS – RELIABILITY –**

### **Part 9-4: High power qualification of passive optical components for environmental category C**

#### **1 Scope**

This part of IEC 62005 gives the requirements for the reliability qualification of passive optical components when used in high optical power applications for the environmental category C.

#### **2 Normative references**

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IEC 61300 (all parts), *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Basic test and measurement procedures*

IEC 61300-1, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Basic test and measurement procedures – Part 1: General and guidance*

IEC 61300-2-14, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Basic test and measurement procedures – Part 2-14: Tests – High optical power*

IEC 61300-2-19, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Basic test and measurement procedures – Part 2-19: Tests – Damp heat (steady state)*

IEC 61300-2-22, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Basic test and measurement procedures – Part 2-22: Tests – Change of temperature*

IEC 61300-3-1, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Basic test and measurement procedures – Part 3-1: Examinations and measurements – Visual examination*

IEC 61300-3-35, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Basic test and measurement procedures – Part 3-35: Examinations and measurements – Visual inspection of fibre optic connectors and fibre-stub transceivers*

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