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- b) Voltage proof requirement added, 2 250 V DC, see 5.7.2.
- c) Mechanical shock requirement added, see 5.7.6 (the requirement itself already was specified indirectly by Ed1 due to the specification of the test EP3 of Table 14 which is still identical to Ed1).

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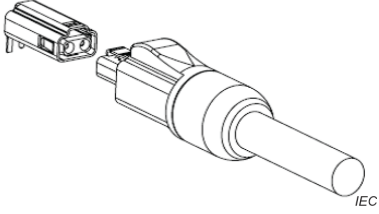
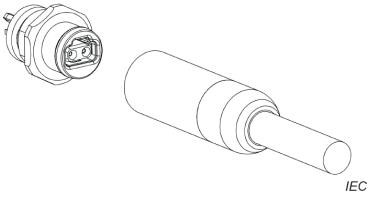
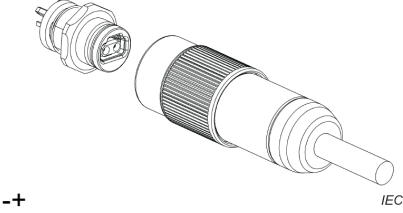
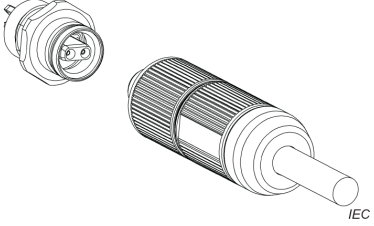
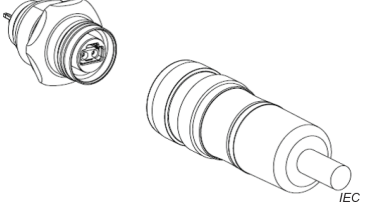
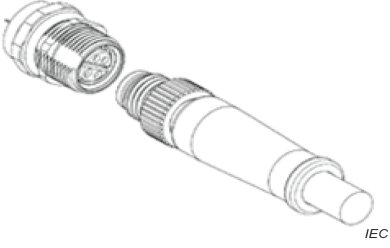
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|  | <p>2-way data IP20, latch locking</p> |
|  | <p>2-way data IP65/IP67, snap-in locking</p> |
|  | <p>2-way data IP65/IP67, push-pull locking</p> |
|  | <p>2-way data IP65/IP67, M8 screw locking</p> |
|  | <p>2-way data IP65/IP67, M12 screw locking or push-pull locking (or both)</p> |
|  | <p>4-way (2 power + 2 data) IP65/IP67, M8 screw locking</p> |

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1 Scope

This document covers 2-way and 4-way (data/power), shielded, free and fixed connectors for data transmission with frequencies up to 600 MHz and specifies the common dimensions, mechanical, electrical and transmission characteristics and environmental requirements as well as test specifications.

NOTE 1 This 63171-6 document is not fully harmonized with the content and structure of IEC 63171. There are several specifications in both documents which are overlapping. In any case the provisions within this document prevail.

NOTE 2 The connectors are intended to be used for single-pair Ethernet (SPE) according to the following IEEE Standards: 10BaseT1 (IEEE 802.3cg), 100Base-T1 (IEEE 802.3bw), 1000Base-T1 (IEEE 802.3bp), and optionally with Power over Data line (PoDL) power supply according to IEEE 802.3bu.

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IEC 60068-1, *Environmental testing – Part 1: General and guidance*

IEC 60068-2-14, *Environmental testing – Part 2-14: Tests – Test N: Change of temperature*

IEC 60068-2-38, *Environmental testing – Part 2-38: Tests – Test Z/AD: Composite temperature/humidity cyclic test*

IEC 60352 (all parts), *Solderless connections*

IEC 60512-1, *Connectors for electrical and electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 1: Generic specification*

IEC 60512-1-1, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 1-1: General examination – Test 1a: Visual examination*

IEC 60512-1-2, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 1-2: General examination – Test 1b: Examination of dimension and mass*

IEC 60512-2-1, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 2-1: Electrical continuity and contact resistance tests – Test 2a: Contact resistance – Millivolt level method*

IEC 60512-2-5, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 2-5: Electrical continuity and contact resistance tests – Test 2e: Contact disturbance*

IEC 60512-3-1, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 3-1: Insulation tests – Test 3a: Insulation resistance*

IEC 60512-4-1, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 4-1: Voltage stress tests – Test 4a: Voltage proof*

IEC 60512-5-2, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 5-2: Current-carrying capacity tests – Test 5b: Current-temperature derating*

IEC 60512-6-3, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 6-3: Dynamic stress tests – Test 6c: Shock*

IEC 60512-6-4, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 6-4: Dynamic stress tests – Test 6d: Vibration (sinusoidal)*

IEC 60512-9-1, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 9-1: Endurance tests – Test 9a: Mechanical operation*

IEC 60512-9-2, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 9-2: Endurance tests – Test 9b: Electrical load and temperature*

IEC 60512-11-3, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 11-3: Climatic tests – Test 11c: Damp heat, steady state*

IEC 60512-11-4, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 11-4: Climatic tests – Test 11d: Rapid change of temperature*

IEC 60512-11-7, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 11-7: Climatic tests – Test 11g: Flowing mixed gas corrosion test*

IEC 60512-11-9, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 11-9: Climatic tests – Test 11i: Dry heat*

IEC 60512-11-10, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 11-9: Climatic tests – Test 11j: Cold*

IEC 60512-11-12, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 11-12: Climatic tests – Test 11m: Damp heat, cyclic*

IEC 60512-13-2, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 13-2: Mechanical operation tests – Test 13b: Insertion and withdrawal forces*

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IEC 60512-15-6, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 15-6: Connector tests (mechanical) – Test 15f: Effectiveness of connector coupling devices*

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IEC 60512-26-100, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 26-100: Measurement setup, test and reference arrangements and measurements for connectors according to IEC 60603-7 – Tests 26a to 26g*

IEC 60512-28-100, *Connectors for electrical and electronic equipment – Tests and measurements – Part 28-100: Signal integrity tests up to 2 000 MHz – Tests 28a to 28g*

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

IEC 60603-7:2020, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Part 7: Detail specification for 8-way, unshielded, free and fixed connectors*

IEC 60664-1, *Insulation coordination for equipment within low-voltage systems – Part 1: Principles, requirements and tests*

IEC 61076-1:2006, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Product requirements – Part 1: Generic specification*

IEC 61076-2-010, *Connectors for electrical and electronic equipment – Product requirements – Part 2-010: Circular connectors – Detail specification for connectors with outer or inner push-pull locking mechanism, based on mating interfaces according to IEC 61076-2-101, IEC 61076-2-109, IEC 61076-2-111 and IEC 61076-2-113*

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IEC 61076-3, *Connectors for electronic equipment – Product requirements – Part 3: Rectangular connectors – Sectional specification*

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