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MOULD GROWTH (IEC 61300-2-16:2006
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et composants passifs à fibres optiques -
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et de mesures
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Lichtwellenleiter -
Verbindungselemente
und passive Bauteile -
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The specific technical changes from EN 61300-2-16:1997 are as follows:

- Single Variant, Variant 1, was introduced instead of two variants, Variant 1 and 2.
- Deterioration tests were clarified.
- Detailed test procedures were introduced.
- Severity was clarified.

The following dates were fixed:

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Annex ZA

(normative)

Normative references to international publications with their corresponding European publications

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

NOTE When an international publication has been modified by common modifications, indicated by (mod), the relevant EN/HD applies.

<u>Publication</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>EN/HD</u>	<u>Year</u>
IEC 60068-2-10	- ¹⁾	Environmental testing Part 2-10: Tests - Test J and guidance: Mould growth	EN 60068-2-10	2005 ²⁾
IEC 61300-1	- ¹⁾	Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components - Basic test and measurement procedures Part 1: General and guidance	EN 61300-1	2003 ²⁾
IEC 61753-1	200X ³⁾	Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components Part 1: General and guidance for performance standards	-	-

¹⁾ Undated reference.

²⁾ Valid edition at date of issue.

³⁾ To be published.

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