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## Annex ZA (normative)

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<u>Publication</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>EN/HD</u>	<u>Year</u>
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IEC 60512-1-1	-	Connectors for electronic equipment - Tests and measurements - Part 1-1: General examination - Test 1a: Visual examination	EN 60512-1-1	-
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IEC 60512-15-1	-	Connectors for electronic equipment - Tests and measurements - Part 15-1: Connector tests (mechanical) - Test 15a: Contact retention in insert	EN 60512-15-1	-
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This standard is to be read in conjunction with IEC 60512-1 and IEC 60512-1-100, which explains the structure of the IEC 60512 series.



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