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(IEC 61982:2012)

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- update of some tests, and
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IEC 61434	-	Secondary cells and batteries containing alkaline or other non-acid electrolytes - Guide to the designation of current in alkaline secondary cell and battery standards	EN 61434	-

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THE PROPULSION OF ELECTRIC ROAD VEHICLES –**

Performance and endurance tests

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- clarification of the scope;
- update of some tests, and
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- replaced by a revised edition, or
- amended.

INTRODUCTION

The first edition of IEC 61982 series was composed of the following three parts:

IEC 61982-1:2006, *Secondary batteries for the propulsion of electric road vehicles – Part 1: Test parameters*

IEC 61982-2:2002, *Secondary batteries for the propulsion of electric road vehicles – Part 2: Dynamic discharge performance test and dynamic endurance test*

IEC 61982-3:2001, *Secondary batteries for the propulsion of electric road vehicles – Part 3: Performance and life testing (traffic compatible, urban use vehicles)*

The current standard IEC 61982:2012 replaces the former IEC 61982 series above.

In terms of lithium ion batteries for automobile application, the following standards are applicable:

IEC 62660-1:2010, *Secondary lithium-ion cells for the propulsion of electric road vehicles – Part 1: Performance testing*

IEC 62660-2:2010, *Secondary lithium-ion cells for the propulsion of electric road vehicles – Part 2: Reliability and abuse testing*

ISO 12405-1:2011, *Electrically propelled road vehicles – Test specification for lithium-ion traction battery packs and systems – Part 1: High-power applications*

ISO 12405-2:2011, *Electrically propelled road vehicles – Test specification for lithium-ion traction battery systems – Part 2: High energy applications (to be published)*

SECONDARY BATTERIES (EXCEPT LITHIUM) FOR THE PROPULSION OF ELECTRIC ROAD VEHICLES –

Performance and endurance tests

1 Scope

This International Standard is applicable to performance and endurance tests for secondary batteries used for vehicle propulsion applications. Its objective is to specify certain essential characteristics of cells, batteries, monoblocks, modules and battery systems used for propulsion of electric road vehicles, including hybrid electric vehicles, together with the relevant test methods for their specification.

The tests may be used specifically to test batteries developed for use in vehicles such as passenger vehicles, motor cycles, commercial vehicles, etc. This standard is not applicable to battery systems for specialist vehicles such as public transport vehicles, refuse collection vehicles or heavy duty vehicles, where the battery is used in the similar way to the industrial vehicles.

The test procedures are defined as a function of the vehicle requirements of performance.

This standard is applicable to lead-acid batteries, Ni/Cd batteries, Ni/MH batteries and sodium based batteries used in electric road vehicles.

Annex A specifies performance and cycle life test procedures of Ni/MH batteries used for the propulsion of hybrid electric vehicle (HEV).

NOTE This standard is not applicable to lithium-ion batteries for automobile application that are specified in IEC 62660-1, IEC 62660-2, ISO 12405-1 and ISO 12405-2 (to be published).

2 Normative references

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

IEC 60050-482:2004, *International Electrotechnical Vocabulary (IEV) – Part 482: Primary and secondary cells and batteries*

IEC 61434, *Secondary cells and batteries containing alkaline or other non-acid electrolytes – Guide to designation of current in alkaline secondary cell and battery standards*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions and those given in IEC 60050-482, as well as the following apply.

3.1

battery system

energy storage device that includes cells or cell assemblies or battery pack(s) as well as electrical circuits and electronics

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