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4.4.4 Internal immunity (Immunity to unwanted signals)

Replace subclause 4.4.4.1.1 by the following:

4.4.4.1.1 Introduction

The measurement methods specified below serve to determine the immunity of an active equipment to disturbance by unwanted signals occurring both outside of its operating frequency range (out-of-band disturbance) and within of its operating frequency range (in-band disturbance). Internal immunity measurements shall not be performed on channel-selective equipment processing exclusively DVB signals (e.g. DVB tuners or headend equipment).

Wireless services operating in the frequency band 790 MHz to 862 MHz may be received by broadcast receiving antennas and be fed into the input of a broadband amplifier with an operating frequency range up to 862 MHz. This will cause in-band interference between the received broadcast signals (wanted signals) and the wireless signals (unwanted signals).

NOTE: If the frequency range 790 MHz to 862 MHz carries no wanted signals, a suitable low-pass filter could be applied at the input of the broadband amplifier to sufficiently reduce in-band interference (due to LTE) that may be present at the location of usage, e.g. overload of the amplifier, caused by the high-level wireless signals.

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EN 50083-2:2012 includes the following significant technical changes with respect to EN 50083-2:2006:

1. Frequency extensions

- 1.1. The upper frequency limit of conventional cable network equipment was extended from 862 MHz to 1 000 MHz due to market demands.
- 1.2. The first intermediate frequency range (1st IF range) for satellite signal transmission was extended to cover now frequencies from 950 MHz up to 3 500 MHz.
- 1.3. The methods of measurement and the EMC requirements in the overlapping frequency range from 950 MHz to 1 000 MHz were allocated in relation to the upper frequency limit, 1 000 MHz, respectively the lower frequency limit, 950 MHz, of the relevant equipment under test.

2. New EMC environment in the 800 MHz band

- 2.1. The European Commission has requested CENELEC and ETSI to draft immunity requirements for equipment, to protect against disturbance from the new wireless service in the 790-862 MHz band.
- 2.2. A CENELEC/ETSI Joint Working Group "Digital Dividend" was formed to describe the new EMC environment and to advise on appropriate test methods and limits.
- 2.3. EN 50083-2 is the standard specifying immunity requirements for active and passive cable network equipment.
- 2.4. The method of measurement and the requirements for in-band immunity were extended taking into account this new EMC environment due to the allocation of broadband wireless services in the frequency band 790 MHz to 862 MHz. As a consequence, the limits of in-band immunity were specified for analogue and additionally for digital signals in this frequency range.
- 2.5. Consequently it is recommended, that, where cable networks and wireless networks coexist, only the transmission of digitally modulated signals should be used in the frequency range 790 MHz to 862 MHz.
- 2.6. For passive equipment, Class A and Class B specifications were kept in the standard but a note was added recommending that only Class A equipment should be used in the planning and implementation of new networks.

3. Indoor antennas

The methods of measurement for all kinds of indoor antennas were combined in the new 4.9.

4. Bibliography

A Bibliography was added at the end of the document referencing i.a. to CEPT Report 30 on *“The identification of common and minimal (least restrictive) technical conditions for 790-862 MHz for the digital dividend in the European Union”*.

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1 Scope

1.1 General

Standards of the EN 50083 and EN 60728 series deal with cable networks including equipment and associated methods of measurement for headend reception, processing and distribution of television signals, sound signals and their associated data signals and for processing, interfacing and transmitting all kinds of signals for interactive services using all applicable transmission media.

This includes

- CATV-networks ¹⁾,
- MATV-networks and SMATV-networks,
- individual receiving networks

and all kinds of equipment, systems and installations installed in such networks.

The extent of this standardisation work is from the antennas and/or special signal source inputs to the headend or other interface points to the network up to the terminal input.

The standardisation of any user terminals (i.e., tuners, receivers, decoders, multimedia terminals, etc.) as well as of any coaxial, balanced and optical cables and accessories thereof is excluded.

1.2 Specific scope of EN 50083-2

This European Standard

- applies to the radiation characteristics and immunity to electromagnetic disturbance of EM-active equipment (active and passive equipment) for the reception, processing and distribution of television, sound and interactive multimedia signals as dealt with in the following parts of EN 50083 or EN 60728 series:
 - EN 60728-3 "Active wideband equipment for cable networks";
 - EN 60728-4 "Passive wideband equipment for coaxial cable networks";
 - EN 60728-5 "Headend equipment";
 - EN 60728-6 "Optical equipment";
- covers the following frequency ranges:

disturbance voltage injected into the mains	150 kHz to 30 MHz;
radiation from active equipment	5 MHz to 25 GHz;
immunity of active equipment	150 kHz to 25 GHz ²⁾ ;
screening effectiveness of passive equipment	5 MHz to 3,5 GHz (25 GHz) ³⁾ ;

¹⁾ 'CATV-networks' encompasses the HFC networks used nowadays to provide telecommunications services, voice, data, audio and video both broadcast and narrowcast.

²⁾ For „Inband immunity of active equipment“ and „Out-of-band immunity of active equipment, no requirements apply at present for the frequency range 3,5 GHz to 25 GHz. Methods of measurement and limits are investigated for inclusion in a future amendment or revised edition.

³⁾ For "Screening effectiveness of passive equipment", no requirements apply at present for the frequency range 3,5 GHz to 25 GHz. Methods of measurement and limits are investigated for inclusion in a future amendment or revised edition.

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