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composants passives à fibres optiques -
Norme de performance -
Partie 021-3: Connecteurs à fibres
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(CEI 61753-021-3:2012)

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Betriebsverhalten -
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Kategorie U - Unkontrollierte Umgebung
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IEC 61300-2-4	-	Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components - Basic test and measurement procedures - Part 2-4: Tests - Fibre/cable retention	EN 61300-2-4	-
IEC 61300-2-6	-	Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components - Basic test and measurement procedures - Part 2-6: Tests - Tensile strength of coupling mechanism	EN 61300-2-6	-
IEC 61300-2-12 + corr. June	2009 2011	Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components - Basic test and measurement procedures - Part 2-12: Tests - Impact	EN 61300-2-12	2009
IEC 61300-2-17	-	Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components - Basic test and measurement procedures - Part 2-17: Tests - Cold	EN 61300-2-17	-
IEC 61300-2-18	-	Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components - Basic test and measurement procedures - Part 2-18: Tests - Dry heat - High temperature endurance	EN 61300-2-18	-
IEC 61300-2-22	-	Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components - Basic test and measurement procedures - Part 2-22: Tests - Change of temperature	EN 61300-2-22	-
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IEC 61300-3-6	-	Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components - Basic test and measurement procedures - Part 3-6: Examinations and measurements - Return loss	EN 61300-3-6	-
IEC 61300-3-28	-	Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components - Basic test and measurement procedures - Part 3-28: Examinations and measurements - Transient loss	EN 61300-3-28	-
IEC 61300-3-34	-	Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components - Basic test and measurement procedures - Part 3-34: Examinations and measurements - Attenuation of random mated connectors	EN 61300-3-34	-
IEC 61753-1	2007	Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components performance standard - Part 1: General and guidance for performance standards	EN 61753-1	2007
IEC 61754	Series	Fibre optic connector interfaces	EN 61754	Series
IEC 61755	Series	Fibre optic connector optical interfaces	EN 61755	Series

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**FIBRE OPTIC INTERCONNECTING DEVICES AND
PASSIVE COMPONENTS – PERFORMANCE STANDARD –**

**Part 021-3: Single-mode fibre optic connectors for category U –
Uncontrolled environment**

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FIBRE OPTIC INTERCONNECTING DEVICES AND PASSIVE COMPONENTS – PERFORMANCE STANDARD –

Part 021-3: Single-mode fibre optic connectors for category U – Uncontrolled environment

1 Scope

This part of IEC 61753 defines minimum initial test and measurement requirements and severities which a single-mode connector, either part of a pigtail, or part of a cord, must satisfy in order to be categorized as meeting the IEC standard category U (uncontrolled environment).

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