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IEC 60127-1 +A1	2006 2011	Miniature fuses - Part 1: Definitions for miniature fuses and general requirements for miniature fuse-links	EN 60127-1 +A1	2006 2011
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This edition includes the following significant technical changes with respect to the previous edition:

a) add 4 new standard sheets 7 up to 10.

This International Standard is to be used in conjunction with IEC 60127-1:2006.

The text of this standard is based on the following documents:

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32C/493/FDIS	32C/498/RVD

Full information on the voting for the approval of this standard can be found in the report on voting indicated in the above table.

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INTRODUCTION

According to the wish expressed by the users of miniature fuses, all standards, recommendations and other documents relating to miniature fuses should have the same publication number in order to facilitate reference to fuses in other specifications, for example, equipment specifications.

Furthermore, a single publication number and subdivision into parts would facilitate the establishment of new standards, because clauses and subclauses containing general requirements need not be repeated.

The new IEC 60127 series is thus subdivided as follows:

IEC 60127, *Miniature fuses* (general title).

IEC 60127-1, *Miniature fuses – Part 1: Definitions for miniature fuses and general requirements for miniature fuse-links*

IEC 60127-2, *Miniature fuses – Part 2: Cartridge fuse-links*

IEC 60127-3, *Miniature fuses – Part 3: Sub-miniature fuse-links*

IEC 60127-4, *Miniature fuses – Part 4: Universal modular fuse-links (UMF) – Through-hole and surface mount types*

IEC 60127-5, *Miniature fuses – Part 5: Guidelines for quality assessment of miniature fuse-links*

IEC 60127-6, *Miniature fuses – Part 6: Fuse-holders for miniature fuse-links*

IEC 60127-7, *Miniature fuses – Part 7: Miniature fuse-links for special applications*

IEC 60127-8, (Free for further documents)

IEC 60127-9, (Free for further documents)

IEC 60127-10, *Miniature fuses – Part 10: User guide for miniature fuses*

This Part of IEC 60127 covers additional requirements, test equipment and standard sheets.

The SI system of units is used throughout this standard.

MINIATURE FUSES –

Part 2: Cartridge fuse-links

1 Scope and object

This part of IEC 60127 relates to special requirements applicable to cartridge fuse-links for miniature fuses with dimensions measuring 5 mm × 20 mm and 6,3 mm × 32 mm for the protection of electric appliances, electronic equipment and component parts thereof, normally intended for use indoors.

It does not apply to cartridge fuse-links for appliances intended to be used under special conditions, such as in corrosive or explosive atmospheres.

This standard applies in addition to the requirements of IEC 60127-1.

The object of this standard is to define special and additional test methods for cartridge fuse-links applying in addition to the requirements of IEC 60127-1.

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 60068-2-20, *Environmental testing – Part 2-20: Tests – Test T: Test methods for solderability and resistance to soldering heat of devices with leads*

IEC 60068-2-21:2006, *Environmental testing – Part 2-21: Tests – Test U: Robustness of terminations and integral mounting devices*

IEC 60127-1:2006, *Miniature fuses – Part 1: Definitions for miniature fuses and general requirements for miniature fuse-links*
Amendment 1:2011

ISO 3, *Preferred numbers – Series of preferred numbers*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in IEC 60127-1:2006, Clause 3, apply.

4 General requirements

Clause 4 of IEC 60127-1:2006 applies.

5 Standard ratings

Clause 5 of IEC 60127-1:2006 applies.

6 Marking

Clause 6 of IEC 60127-1:2006 applies except as follows:

6.1 *Addition:*

e) A symbol denoting the rated breaking capacity. This symbol shall be placed between the marking for the rated current and the marking for the rated voltage.

These symbols are

H denoting high breaking capacity,

L denoting low breaking capacity,

E denoting enhanced breaking capacity.

EXAMPLES of marking:

T	3	1	5	L	2	5	0	V

		F	4	H	2	5	0	V

T	3	1	5	E	2	5	0	V

6.4 *Add the following paragraph after the first paragraph:*

The values for “d” and “s” shall be 0,8 mm ± 0,2 mm.

7 General notes on tests

Clause 7 of IEC 60127-1:2006 applies except as follows:

7.2.1 *Addition:*

For testing individual fuse ratings, the number of fuse-links required is 48, of which 12 are kept as spares. The testing schedule is shown in Table 1.

For the maximum ampere rating of a homogeneous series, the number of fuse-links required is 48, of which 22 are kept as spares. The testing schedule is shown in Table 2.

For the minimum ampere rating of a homogeneous series the number of fuse-links required is 33, of which 16 are kept as spares. The testing schedule is shown in Table 3.