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# **SURFACE MOUNTING TECHNOLOGY – ENVIRONMENTAL AND ENDURANCE TEST METHODS FOR SURFACE MOUNT SOLDER JOINT –**

## **Part 1-2: Shear strength test**

### **1 Scope**

The test method described in this part of IEC 62137 is applicable to leadless surface mounting components and surface mounting connectors to which pull test is not applicable. It is not applicable to multi-lead components and gull-wing leads.

The method is designed to test and evaluate the endurance of the solder joint between component terminals and lands on a substrate, by means of a shear type mechanical stress. This test is applicable to evaluate the effects of repeated temperature change on the strength of the solder joints between terminals and lands on a substrate.

### **2 Normative references**

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

IEC 60068-1, *Environmental testing – Part 1: General and guidance*

IEC 60068-2-14, *Environmental testing – Part 2-14: Test N: Change of temperature*

IEC 60194, *Printed board design, manufacture and assembly – Terms and definitions*

IEC 61188-5-2, *Printed boards and printed board assemblies – Design and use – Part 5-2: Attachment (land/joint) considerations – Discrete components*

IEC 61760-1, *Surface mounting technology – Part 1: Standard method for the specification of surface mounting components (SMDs)*

IEC 61188-5-5, *Printed boards and printed board assemblies – Design and use – Part 5-5: Sectional requirements - Attachment (land/joint) considerations – Components with gull-wing leads on four sides<sup>1</sup>*

IEC 61249-2-7, *Materials for printed boards and other interconnecting structures – Part 2-7: Reinforced base materials clad and unclad – Epoxide woven E-glass laminated sheet of defined flammability (vertical burning test), copper-clad*

IEC 61190-1-2, *Attachment materials for electronic assembly – Part 1-2: Requirements for solder pastes for high-quality interconnections in electronics assembly*

IEC 61190-1-3, *Attachment materials for electronic assembly – Part 1-3: Requirements for electronic grade solder alloys and fluxed and non-fluxed solid solders for electronic soldering applications*

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