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1 Scope

This part of IEC 61300 describes the test procedure to measure the mounting strength of an optical adaptor or receptacle to a fixture.

2 Normative references

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IEC 61300-1, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Basic test and measurement procedures – Part 1: General and guidance*

IEC 61300-3-1, *Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components – Basic test and measurement procedures – Part 3-1: Examinations and measurements – Visual examination*

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4 General description

The device under test (DUT) is an optical connector adaptor or receptacle mounted to a fixture. A force is applied to the adaptor or receptacle at the specified rate until the required load has been reached.

5 Apparatus

5.1 Loading method

5.1.1 General

The test apparatus shall be capable of applying an axial load to the DUT. Two methods for applying the load are shown in Figure 1 and Figure 2.