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Foreword

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Introduction

This Japanese Industrial Standard was established in 1960 and has gone through nine revisions up to the present. The last revision was made in 2000, and the revision at this time is to respond to the diversification of materials, easiness of selecting testing devices, availability of reagents and so on.

No corresponding International Standard has been established at this point, but this Standard refers to IEC 60227-2, IEC 60245-2, IEC 60332-1-1, IEC 60332-1-2, IEC 60332-1-3, IEC 60502-2 and IEC 60811 series.

1 Scope

This Standard specifies general test methods for wires, cables and cords insulated or sheathed by various rubber materials or plastic materials (hereafter referred to as "wires").

2 Normative references

The following standards contain provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of this Standard. The most recent editions of the standards (including amendments) indicated below shall be applied.

- JIS B 7184 *Profile projectors*
- JIS B 7502 *Micrometer callipers*
- JIS B 7503 *Mechanical dial gauges*
- JIS B 7507 *Vernier, dial and digital callipers*
- JIS B 7512 *Steel tape measures*
- JIS B 7516 *Metal rules*
- JIS B 7522 *Textile tape measures*
- JIS B 7721 *Tension/compression testing machines—Verification and calibration of the force-measuring system*
- JIS C 3002 *Testing methods of electrical copper and aluminium wires*
- JIS K 6249 *Testing methods for uncured and cured silicone rubber*
- JIS K 6251 *Rubber, vulcanized or thermoplastics—Determination of tensile stress-strain properties*
- JIS K 6258 *Rubber, vulcanized or thermoplastic—Determination of the effect of liquids*
- JIS K 7112 *Plastics—Methods of determining the density and relative density of non-cellular plastics*