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1 Scope

The test method described in this part of IEC 62137 applies to solder joints between terminals of surface mounting devices (SMDs) and land patterns on printed wiring boards (PWBs).

This test is intended to evaluate the strength of the solder joints of larger sized multi-terminal components and other components in devices (e.g. handheld mobile devices) in the event that the device is dropped. The properties of the solder joints (e.g. solder alloy, substrate, mounted device or design, etc.) are evaluated to assist in improving the strength of the solder joints.

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3 Terms and definitions

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strength of the test substrate held by a jig that is dropped from a specified height, as represented by the number of cyclic drops that finally cause fracture at the intermetallic, the

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