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Part 2-3: Particular requirements – Slotted cable trunking systems intended for installation in cabinets



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#### 1 Scope

This part of the IEC 61084 series specifies requirements and tests for cable trunking systems (CTS) and cable ducting systems (CDS) intended for the accommodation, and where necessary for the electrically protective separation, of insulated conductors, cables and possibly other electrical equipment in electrical and/or communication systems installations. The maximum voltage of these installations is 1 000 V AC and 1 500 V DC.

Slotted cable trunking systems are intended for mounting inside cabinets in electrical and/or communication system installations.

This document does not apply to conduit systems, cable tray systems, cable ladder systems, power track systems or equipment covered by other standards.

NOTE Wherever reference is made in this document to IEC 61084-1:2017, this does not apply to cable ducting systems.

#### 2 Normative references

This clause of Part 1 is applicable, except as follows:

Addition:

IEC 60228:2004, Conductors of insulated cables

IEC 60695-11-5:2004, Fire hazard testing – Part 11-5: Test flames – Needle-flame test method – Apparatus, confirmatory test arrangement and guidance<sup>1</sup>

IEC 61084-1:2017, Cable trunking systems and cable ducting systems for electrical installations – Part 1: General requirements

#### 3 Terms and definitions

This clause of Part 1 is applicable, except as follows:

Addition:

#### 3.101

#### slotted cable trunking system

system comprising a slotted trunking length and possibly other slotted cable trunking system components for the accommodation and laying in of insulated conductors or cables intended for use in a cabinet or similar

<sup>1</sup> This publication was withdrawn.