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## MAGNETIC MATERIALS –

### Part 5: Permanent magnet (magnetically hard) materials – Methods of measurement of magnetic properties

#### 1—General

##### 1 Scope

The purpose of this part of IEC 60404 is to define the method of measurement of the magnetic flux density, magnetic polarization and the magnetic field strength and also to determine the demagnetization curve and recoil line of permanent magnet materials, such as those specified in IEC 60404-8-1 [1]<sup>1</sup>, the properties of which are presumed homogeneous throughout their volume.

The performance of a magnetic system is not only dependent on the properties of the permanent magnet material but also on the dimensions of the system, the air-gap and other elements of the magnetic circuit. The methods described in this part of IEC 60404 refer to the measurement of the magnetic properties in a closed magnetic circuit ~~simulating a ring~~.

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- adaptation des méthodes de mesure et des conditions d'essai aux matériaux magnétiquement durs récemment introduits possédant un champ coercitif  $H_{CJ}$  supérieur à 2 MA/m;

- mise à jour des conditions de température, afin de permettre la mesure de nouveaux matériaux avec des coefficients de température élevés.

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## INTRODUCTION

L'édition précédente de l'IEC 60404-5 a été publiée en octobre 1993 et modifiée en 2007. Depuis, de nouvelles applications des matériaux magnétiques au NdFeB fritté présentant un champ coercitif intrinsèque,  $H_{cJ}$ , supérieur à 2 MA/m destinés aux véhicules électriques hybrides et aux véhicules entièrement électriques sont apparues. Ainsi, lors de la réunion de Gand en 2011, le CE 68 de l'IEC a décidé de réviser l'IEC 60404-5.

Pour la mesure du champ coercitif se rapportant à la polarisation,  $H_{cJ}$ , de valeur supérieure à 2 MA/m et pour la mesure des propriétés magnétiques à des températures élevées, on peut utiliser les méthodes décrites dans les rapports techniques non normatifs IEC TR 61807 et IEC TR 62331.

Auparavant, la température ambiante recommandée était  $(23 \pm 5) ^\circ\text{C}$ . Toutefois, pour les matériaux pour aimants permanents tels que le NdFeB et les ferrites dures de coefficients de température élevés, il est fortement recommandé que la température ambiante soit contrôlée dans les limites de cette plage avec une précision de  $\pm 1 ^\circ\text{C}$  ou plus. Il est souhaitable d'appliquer cette recommandation de température pour d'autres matériaux pour aimants durs. Cette recommandation figurait déjà dans l'IEC 60404-5:1993/AMD1:2007.



## MATÉRIAUX MAGNÉTIQUES –

### Partie 5: Aimants permanents (magnétiques durs) – Méthodes de mesure des propriétés magnétiques

#### 1 Domaine d'application

La présente partie de l'IEC 60404 a pour objectif de définir la méthode de mesure de l'induction magnétique, de la polarisation magnétique et l'intensité du champ magnétique, mais aussi de déterminer la courbe de désaimantation et la droite de recul des matériaux pour aimants permanents, comme ceux qui sont spécifiés dans l'IEC 60404-8-1 [1]<sup>1</sup>, dont les propriétés sont supposées homogènes dans tout leur volume.

Les performances d'un système magnétique ne dépendent pas seulement des propriétés du matériau pour aimant permanent, mais aussi des dimensions du système, de l'entrefer et des autres éléments du circuit magnétique. Les méthodes décrites dans la présente partie de l'IEC 60404 se rapportent aux mesures des propriétés magnétiques en circuit magnétique fermé.

#### 2 Références normatives

Les documents suivants sont cités en référence de manière normative, en intégralité ou en partie, dans le présent document et sont indispensables pour son application. Pour les références datées, seule l'édition citée s'applique. Pour les références non datées, la dernière édition du document de référence s'applique (y compris les éventuels amendements).

IEC 60050 (toutes les parties), *Vocabulaire Électrotechnique International* (disponible sous: [www.electropedia.org](http://www.electropedia.org))

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<sup>1</sup> Les chiffres entre crochets se réfèrent à la Bibliographie.