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~~LPSC can also be suitable for use in hazardous atmospheres. There are therefore additional requirements when installing the components in such conditions.~~

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Partie 4: Exigences pour les fixations de conducteurs

1 Domaine d'application

La présente partie de l'IEC 62561 traite des exigences et des essais pour les fixations métalliques et non métalliques de conducteurs utilisées pour maintenir et supporter les dispositifs de capture, les conducteurs de descente et les prises de terre.

Le présent document ne traite pas de la fixation de ces supports sur les structures d'édifice en raison du grand nombre de types de solutions modernes de construction.

Les essais de composants pour atmosphère explosive ne sont pas concernés par le présent document. Des exigences supplémentaires peuvent être nécessaires pour les composants des LSC destinés à être utilisés dans des atmosphères dangereuses.

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