
**Optics and optical instruments —
Environmental test methods —**

Part 15:

Combined digitally controlled broad-band
random vibration and dry heat or cold

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*Partie 15: Essai combiné vibrations à large bande (asservissement
numérique) et chaleur sèche ou froid*



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- Part 2: *Cold, heat, humidity*
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Introduction

Optical instruments are affected during their use by a number of different environmental parameters which they are required to resist without significant reduction in performance.

The type and severity of these parameters depend on the conditions of use of the instrument (for example, in the laboratory or workshop) and on its geographical location. The environmental effects on optical instrument performance in the tropics and subtropics are totally different from those found when they are used in arctic regions. Individual parameters cause a variety of different and overlapping effects on instrument performance.

The manufacturer attempts to ensure, and the user naturally expects, that instruments will resist the likely rigours of their environment throughout their life. This expectation can be assessed by exposure of the instrument to a range of simulated environmental parameters under controlled laboratory conditions. The severity of these conditions is often increased to obtain meaningful results in a relatively short period of time.

In order to allow assessment and comparison of the response of optical instruments to appropriate environmental conditions, ISO 9022 contains details of a number of laboratory tests which reliably simulate a variety of different environments. The tests are based largely on IEC standards, modified where necessary to take into account features special to optical instruments.

It should be noted that, as a result of continuous progress in all fields, optical instruments are no longer only precision-engineered optical products, but, depending on their range of application, also contain additional assemblies from other fields. For this reason, the principal function of the instrument must be assessed to determine which International Standard should be used for testing. If the optical function is of primary importance, then ISO 9022 is applicable, but if other functions take precedence then the appropriate International Standard in the field concerned should be applied. Cases may arise where application of both ISO 9022 and other appropriate International Standards will be necessary.

Optics and optical instruments — Environmental test methods —

Part 15:

Combined digitally controlled broad-band random vibration and dry heat or cold

1 Scope

This part of ISO 9022 specifies methods for testing of optical instruments and instruments containing optical components, under equivalent conditions, for their ability to resist combined broad-band digitally controlled random vibration, in dry heat or cold.

The purpose of the testing is to investigate to what extent the optical, thermal, chemical and electrical performance characteristics of the specimen are affected by combined broad-band digitally controlled random vibration, in dry heat or cold.

2 Normative references

The following standards contain provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of this part of ISO 9022. At the time of publication, the editions indicated were valid. All standards are subject to revision, and parties to agreements based on this part of ISO 9022 are encouraged to investigate the possibility of applying the most recent editions of the standards indicated below. Members of IEC and ISO maintain registers of currently valid International Standards.

ISO 9022-1:1994, *Optics and optical instruments — Environmental test methods — Part 1: Definitions, extent of testing.*

ISO 9022-2:1994, *Optics and optical instruments — Environmental test methods — Part 2: Cold, heat, humidity.*

ISO 9022-3:1998, *Optics and optical instruments — Environmental test methods — Part 3: Mechanical stress.*

IEC 60068-2-47:1982, *Environmental testing — Part 2: Tests — Mounting of components, equipment and other articles for dynamic tests including shock (Ea), bump (Eb), vibration (Fc and Fd) and steady-state acceleration (Ga) and guidance.*

3 General information and test conditions

Exposure of the specimen to the combined stress conditions renders the test much more severe than separate exposure to any of the environmental conditions cited.

The values of temperature specified in the tables are selected from ISO 9022-2, conditioning methods 10 and 11.

The test shall be conducted in accordance with the requirements of ISO 9022-3.

The fixture for the specimen shall meet the requirements of IEC 60068-2-47 and shall be thermally insulated, if appropriate.

If the specimen is mounted on shock absorbers, time shall be allowed for temperature stabilization of the absorber elements.

4 Conditioning

4.1 General

The required exposure time shall not commence until all parts of the specimen have reached a temperature within at least 3 K of the test chamber temperature. For heat-dissipating specimens, the period of exposure shall not begin until the temperature of the specimens changes not more than 1 K within one hour at the stabilized test chamber temperature. The last hour of the temperature-soaking time shall be considered to be the first hour of the exposure period.

4.2 Conditioning method 70: Combined random vibration broad-band, dry heat

See tables 1 to 3.

**Table 1 — Degrees of severity for conditioning method 70:
Combined random vibration broad-band, frequency range from 20 Hz to 150 Hz, dry heat**

Degree of severity	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	
Test chamber temperature °C	40 ± 2				55 ± 2				63 ± 2				
Relative humidity %	< 40												
Acceleration power spectral density g_n^2 /Hz	0,02	0,05	0,2	0,2	0,02	0,05	0,2	0,2	0,02	0,05	0,2	0,2	
Rms acceleration g_n multiples ¹⁾	1,6	2,6	5,1	5,1	1,6	2,6	5,1	5,1	1,6	2,6	5,1	5,1	
Frequency range (f_1 to f_2) Hz	20 to 150												
Conditioning time along each axis	min	10	10	10	30	10	10	10	30	10	10	10	30
	Acceptable deviation	± 10 %											
State of operation	0 or 1 or 2												

1) The values refer to a rectangular spectrum.

**Table 2 — Degrees of severity for conditioning method 70:
Combined random vibration broad-band, frequency range from 20 Hz to 500 Hz, dry heat**

Degree of severity	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34
Test chamber temperature °C	40 ± 2					55 ± 2					63 ± 2				
Relative humidity %	< 40														
Acceleration power spectral density g_n^2/Hz	0,005	0,01	0,05	0,05	0,05	0,005	0,01	0,05	0,05	0,05	0,005	0,01	0,05	0,05	0,05
Rms acceleration g_n multiples ¹⁾	1,6	2,2	4,9	4,9	4,9	1,6	2,2	4,9	4,9	4,9	1,6	2,2	4,9	4,9	4,9
Frequency range (f_1 to f_2) Hz	20 to 500														
Conditioning time min along each axis	10	10	10	30	90	10	10	10	30	90	10	10	10	30	90
Acceptable deviation	± 10 %														
State of operation	0 or 1 or 2														
1) The values refer to a rectangular spectrum.															

**Table 3 — Degrees of severity for conditioning method 70:
Combined random vibration broad-band, frequency range from 20 Hz to 2 000 Hz, dry heat**

Degree of severity	40	41	42	43 ¹⁾	44 ¹⁾	45 ¹⁾	46	47	48	49 ¹⁾	50 ¹⁾	51 ¹⁾
Test chamber temperature °C	40 ± 2						55 ± 2					
Relative humidity %	< 40											
Acceleration power spectral density g_n^2/Hz	0,001	0,01	0,01	0,05	0,02	0,05	0,001	0,01	0,01	0,05	0,02	0,05
Rms acceleration g_n multiples ²⁾	1,4	4,5	4,5	10	6,3	10	1,4	4,5	4,5	10	6,3	10
Frequency range (f_1 to f_2) Hz	20 to 2 000											
Conditioning time min along each axis	10	10	30	30	90	90	10	10	30	30	90	90
Acceptable deviation	± 10 %											
State of operation	0 or 1 or 2											
1) For instruments in missiles and jet aircraft.												
2) The values refer to a rectangular spectrum.												

Degree of severity	52	53	54	55 ¹⁾	56 ¹⁾	57 ¹⁾
Test chamber temperature °C	63 ± 2					
Relative humidity %	< 40					
Acceleration power spectral density g_n^2/Hz	0,001	0,01	0,01	0,05	0,02	0,05
Rms acceleration g_n multiples ²⁾	1,4	4,5	4,5	10	6,3	10
Frequency range (f_1 to f_2) Hz	20 to 2 000					
Conditioning time min along each axis	10	10	30	30	90	90
Acceptable deviation	± 10 %					
State of operation	0 or 1 or 2					
1) For instruments in missiles and jet aircraft.						
2) The values refer to a rectangular spectrum.						

4.3 Conditioning method 71: Combined random vibration broad-band, cold

See tables 4 to 6.

**Table 4 — Degrees of severity for conditioning method 71:
Combined random vibration broad-band, frequency range from 20 Hz to 150 Hz, cold**

Degree of severity	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12
Test chamber temperature °C	- 10 ± 3				- 20 ± 3				- 25 ± 3			
Acceleration power spectral density g_n^2/Hz	0,02	0,05	0,02	0,02	0,02	0,05	0,2	0,2	0,02	0,05	0,2	0,2
Rms acceleration g_n multiples ¹⁾	1,6	2,6	5,1	5,1	1,6	2,6	5,1	5,1	1,6	2,6	5,1	5,1
Frequency range (f_1 to f_2) Hz	20 to 150											
Total conditioning time min	10	10	10	30	10	10	10	30	10	10	10	30
Acceptable deviation	± 10 %											
State of operation	0 or 1 or 2											
1) The values refer to a rectangular spectrum.												

Degree of severity	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Test chamber temperature °C	- 35 ± 3				- 55 ± 3				- 65 ± 3			
Acceleration power spectral density g_n^2/Hz	0,02	0,05	0,2	0,2	0,02	0,05	0,2	0,2	0,02	0,05	0,2	0,2
Rms acceleration g_n multiples ¹⁾	1,6	2,6	5,1	5,1	1,6	2,6	5,1	5,1	1,6	2,6	5,1	5,1
Frequency range (f_1 to f_2) Hz	20 to 150											
Total conditioning time min	10	10	10	30	10	10	10	30	10	10	10	30
Acceptable deviation	± 10 %											
State of operation	0 or 1 or 2											
1) The values refer to a rectangular spectrum.												

**Table 5 — Degrees of severity for conditioning method 71:
Combined random vibration broad-band, frequency range from 20 Hz to 500 Hz, cold**

Degree of severity	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	42	44
Test chamber temperature °C	- 10 ± 3					- 20 ± 3					- 25 ± 3				
Acceleration power spectral density g_n^2/Hz	0,005	0,01	0,05	0,05	0,05	0,005	0,01	0,05	0,05	0,05	0,005	0,01	0,05	0,05	0,05
Rms acceleration g_n multiples ¹⁾	1,6	2,2	4,9	4,9	4,9	1,6	2,2	4,9	4,9	4,9	1,6	2,2	4,9	4,9	4,9
Frequency range (f_1 to f_2) Hz	20 to 500														
Conditioning time along each axis min	10	10	10	30	90	10	10	10	30	90	10	10	10	30	90
Acceptable deviation	± 10 %														
State of operation	0 or 1 or 2														
1) The values refer to a rectangular spectrum.															

Degree of severity	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59
Test chamber temperature °C	- 35 ± 3					- 55 ± 3					- 65 ± 3				
Acceleration power spectral density g_n^2/Hz	0,005	0,01	0,05	0,05	0,05	0,005	0,01	0,05	0,05	0,05	0,005	0,01	0,05	0,05	0,05
Rms acceleration g_n multiples ¹⁾	1,6	2,2	4,9	4,9	4,9	1,6	2,2	4,9	4,9	4,9	1,6	2,2	4,9	4,9	4,9
Frequency range (f_1 to f_2) Hz	20 to 500														
Conditioning time along each axis min	10	10	10	30	90	10	10	10	30	90	10	10	10	30	90
Acceptable deviation	± 10 %														
State of operation	0 or 1 or 2														
1) The values refer to a rectangular spectrum.															