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This edition includes the following significant technical changes with respect to the previous edition:

- a) the title has been changed;
- b) additional matters related to oscillator using SAW or MEMS resonator in "Terms, definitions and general information" have been included;
- c) measurement methods of IEC 60679-1:2007 have been removed (they will be moved to IEC 62884 series);

- d) the content of Annex A has been extended;
- e) a new term and definition DIXO (Digital interfaced Crystal Oscillator) has been added;
- f) a new term and definition SXXO (Spread Spectrum Crystal Oscillator) has been added;
- g) Annex D has been added.

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# PIEZOELECTRIC, DIELECTRIC AND ELECTROSTATIC OSCILLATORS OF ASSESSED QUALITY –

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### 1 Scope

This part of IEC 60679 specifies general requirements for piezoelectric, dielectric and electrostatic oscillators, including Dielectric Resonator Oscillators (DRO) and oscillators using FBAR (hereinafter referred to as "Oscillator"), of assessed quality using either capability approval or qualification approval procedures.

NOTE Dielectric Resonator Oscillators (DRO) and oscillators using FBAR are under consideration.

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IEC 60027 (all parts), *Letter symbols to be used in electrical technology*

IEC 60050-561, *International electrotechnical vocabulary – Part 561: Piezoelectric, dielectric and electrostatic devices and associated materials for frequency control, selection and detection*. Available at [www.electropedia.org](http://www.electropedia.org)

IEC 60469, *Transitions, pulses and related waveforms – Terms, definitions and algorithms*

IEC 60617, *Graphical symbols for diagrams*. Available at <http://std.iec.ch/iec60617>

IEC 60748-2, *Semiconductor devices – Integrated circuits – Part 2: Digital integrated circuits*

IEC 60749-26, *Semiconductor devices – Mechanical and climatic test methods – Part 26: Electrostatic discharge (ESD) sensitivity testing – Human body model (HBM)*

IEC 60749-27, *Semiconductor devices – Mechanical and climatic test methods – Part 27: Electrostatic discharge (ESD) sensitivity testing – Machine model (MM)*

IEC TR 61000-4-1, *Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) – Part 4-1: Testing and measurement techniques – Overview of the IEC 61000-4 series*

IEC 61340-5-1, *Electrostatics – Part 5-1: Protection of electronic devices from electrostatic phenomena – General requirements*

IEC 62884-1:2017, *Measurement techniques of piezoelectric, dielectric, and electrostatic oscillators – Part 1: Basic methods for the measurement*

ISO 80000-1, *Quantities and units – Part 1: General*

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