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IEC 61010-031	-	Safety requirements for electrical equipment for measurement, control and laboratory use - Part 031: Safety requirements for hand-held probe assemblies for electrical measurement and test	EN 61010-031	-
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- b) addition of requirements for type B RCDs (former Annex B);
- c) addition of new Annex B on recommended tripping times;

d) alignment of the structure with that of the whole IEC 61557 series.

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#### 1 Scope

This part of IEC 61557 specifies the requirements applicable to measuring equipment for testing the effectiveness of protective measures of residual current devices (RCD) installed in TT, TN and IT systems.

It is not the purpose of this document to verify the RCD according to their product standards.

NOTE Applicable tripping tests for time and current of RCD are listed in Annex A, Table A.1.

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