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- IEC 60793-1-60 to IEC 60793-1-69: *Measurement methods and test procedures for polarization-maintaining fibres.*

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- Part 1-20: Measurement methods and test procedures – Fibre geometry
- Part 1-21: Measurement methods and test procedures – Coating geometry
- Part 1-22: Measurement methods and test procedures – Length measurement

OPTICAL FIBRES –

Part 1-22: Measurement methods and test procedures – Length measurement

1 Scope

This part of IEC 60793 establishes uniform requirements for measuring the length and elongation of optical fibre (typically within cable).

The length of an optical fibre is a fundamental value for the evaluation of transmission characteristics such as losses and bandwidths.

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