

Temperature and Climatic Chambers

1. Equipment

- 2 Ovens
Test chamber volume 100l , Temperatures up to 400°C
- 2 Temperature cycling chambers
Test chamber volume 40l , Temperatures - 40°C to 180°C, Temperature gradient 4.5K/Min.
- 1 Temperature cycling chamber
Test chamber volume 275l , Temperatures - 70°C to 180°C, Temperature gradient 15K/Min.
- Temperature shock chamber
Test chamber volume 1000l , Temperatures - 70°C to 180°C,
Temperature gradient 30K/Min. in a 10kg Al profile, combinable with vibration tester
- 4 Climatic chambers
Test chamber volume 250l , Temperatures - 70°C to 180°C ,
Temperature gradient 2 to 8K/Min., Control of relative humidity 10-95% above 10°C
- Pressure Cooker
Test chamber volume 20l , Temperatures 105°C to 162°C, Pressure 0.2 to 4kg/cm² (2.8 – 56.8psi)

All chambers are equipped with feed throughs for supply and measurement of devices under test.

2. Tests

- Constant Temperature
Storage or operation of device under test at constant ambient temperature
- Thermal Cycling
Storage or operation of device under cyclic change of ambient temperature without control of humidity

- Constant Temperature and Humidity

Storage or operation of device under test at constant ambient temperature and humidity

- Composite Temperature and Humidity Cycling

Storage or operation of device under cyclic change of ambient temperature and humidity

3. Standards for typical Temperature- and Humidity Tests

IEC 60068-2-1 Test A: Cold

IEC 60068-2-2 Test B: Dry heat

IEC 60068-2-14 Test N: Change of temperature

IEC 60068-2-30 Test Db: Damp heat, cyclic (12 h + 12 h cycle)

IEC 60068-2-38 Test Z/AD: Composite temperature/humidity cyclic test

IEC 60068-2-61 Test Z/ABDM: Climatic sequence

IEC 60068-2-67 Test Cy: Damp heat, steady state, primarily intended for components

IEC 60068-2-78 Test Cab: Damp heat, steady state