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- a) clarifying the introduction;
- b) replaced "dielectric strength" by "voltage test";
- c) requirement for maximum output current has been added in 4.2.6.1;
- d) tripping time at electrical switching activated by two-hand operation has been added in 4.2.6.1;

- e) additional time limiting capability for the protection against electric shock for test persons and bystanders in 4.2.6.2;
- f) updated references for safety testing;
- g) alignment of the structure with that of the whole IEC 61557 series.

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This document defines particular requirements for test and measurement equipment used to determine the electrical safety of electrical equipment of machinery. The IEC 61010 series, other parts of the IEC 61557 series and the IEC 60204 series do not cover all safety aspects of equipment used for testing electrical equipment of machinery in accordance with the test sequence of IEC 60204-1.

This document provides additional measures to reduce the risk of electric shock for the test persons and bystanders during voltage tests in the field. This document also defines performance requirements for each test and measurement function to ensure reliable and comparable results.