Electric cables for photovoltaic systems with a voltage rating of 1,5 kV DC
0 National Foreword

This draft Tanzania Standard is being prepared by the Renewable Energy Technical Committee, under the supervision of the Electrotechnical Divisional Standards Committee (EDC).

This draft Tanzania Standard is an adoption of the International Standard IEC 62930:2017, *Electric cables for photovoltaic systems with a voltage rating of 1,5 kV DC*, which has been prepared by the International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC).

Terminology and conventions

Some terminologies and certain conventions are not identical with those used in Tanzania Standards; Attention is drawn especially to the following:

1) The comma has been used as a decimal marker for metric dimensions. In Tanzania Standards, it is current practice to use “full point” on the baseline as the decimal marker.

2) Where the words “International Standard(s)” appear, referring to this standard they should read “Tanzania Standard(s)”. 
3 Scope

This document applies to single-core cross-linked insulated power cables with cross-linked sheath. These cables are for use at the direct current (DC) side of photovoltaic systems, with a rated DC voltage up to 1,5 kV between conductors and between conductor and earth. This document includes halogen free low smoke cables and cables that can contain halogens. The cables are suitable to be used with Class II equipment. The cables are designed to operate at a normal continuous maximum conductor temperature of 90 °C. The permissible period of use at a maximum conductor temperature of 120 °C is limited to 20 000 h.

NOTE The expected period of use under normal usage conditions as specified in this document is at least 25 years.