# **Test Report**



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PTC

Mill Chase Barn Wildings Lane Steeple Bumpstead Haverhill

Suffolk CB9 7EQ

Authority & date

Purchase Order Number: 020809/1 Facsimile message dated 09 August 2002

Item tested

Cable joint enclosure

Specification

BS EN 60529: 1992

Results

See Summary of Results on page 2

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## TESTING, EXAMINATION AND ASSESSMENT OF A CABLE JOINT ENCLOSURE SUBMITTED AS AN INDEPENDENT TEST SAMPLE

#### INTRODUCTION

At the request of PTC the cable joint enclosure received on 12 August 2002 and detailed below, was tested and assessed against the requirements of BS EN 60529: 1992 sub clauses 13.1, 13.2, 13.3, 13.4, 13.6, 14.1, 14.2, 14.2.8 and 14.3 from 14 August 2002 as indicated on the following pages of this Report. This request was made in the client's Purchase Order number: 020809/1 dated 09 August 2002. It is emphasized that assessments were not made against the other clauses of the Specification.

This Report only relates to the actual sample which has been tested and assessed. The results obtained do not necessarily relate to samples from the production line and in no way imply the performance or quality of the continuing production will be maintained.

The tests and assessments contained in this Report were undertaken by BSI Product Services Environmental Laboratory.

#### TEST ITEM

Cable joint enclosure

Type BS2/2/4/TB+CS0/C

#### SUMMARY OF RESULTS

IP6X Category 1

no ingress of dust

Complied

IPX8

no ingress of water

Complied

#### 1. GENERAL

### 1.1 Photograph



Cable joint enclosure

#### 1. GENERAL (cont)

#### 1.2 Test specification

BS EN 60529: 1992 Degrees of protection provided by enclosures (IP code)

#### 1.3 Tests requested

Protection against access to hazardous parts and against solid foreign objects (dust tight) IP6X Category 1

Protection against the ingress of water with harmful effects (continuous immersion) IPX8

#### 1.4 Tests conducted

As requested in 1.3 above

#### 2. RESULTS

2.1 Protection against access to hazardous parts and against solid foreign objects

(dust tight) IP6X Category 1

Complied

2.2 Protection against the ingress of water with harmful effects (continuous immersion)

IPX8 depth 10 metres (1 bar pressure) 60 minutes duration

Complied

#### 3. COMMENTS

3.1 Protection against access to hazardous parts and against solid foreign objects (dust tight) IP6X Category 1

The tests were performed to Category 1, i.e. enclosures where reductions in pressure below the surrounding atmospheric pressure are present.

Upon completion of the test, inspection revealed no evidence of dust ingress within the test enclosure.

3.2 Protection against the ingress of water with harmful effects (continuous immersion) IPX8

Upon completion of the test, inspection revealed no evidence of water ingress within the test enclosure.