

NOMENCLATURES

b	-	atmospheric pressure during test in millibar
b_o	-	standard reference atmospheric pressure (1013 millibar)
C_1, C_b	-	test object capacitance
C_2	-	supporting capacitance
C_3	-	additional capacitance connected in the bias circuit for the protection of transformer
C	-	capacitance
C_{cvd}	-	divider capacitance
C_f	-	total capacitive load connected to the impulse voltage terminal
C_l	-	total load capacitance at the power frequency terminal
C_t	-	transformer capacitance
d, D	-	gap spacing
f_e	-	transient frequency
H	-	absolute humidity gm. m ⁻³
H_o	-	Standard reference humidity gm.m ⁻³
K_d	-	air density correction factor
K_h	-	humidity correction factor
K-ohms-		kilo ohms
kV	-	kilo volts
kV_p	-	peak value of voltage in kilo volts
K	-	humidity correction coefficient
L	-	inductance
m, n, w	-	exponent (constant)

pF	-	pico-farad
R	-	damping resistance
t	-	atmospheric temperature ($^{\circ}C$) under test conditions
t_0	-	standard reference atmospheric temperature($^{\circ}C$)
U^{-}	-	peak value of negative voltage
U^{+}	-	peak value of positive voltage
ΔU	-	change/difference in voltage U
U_A	-	voltage at terminal A
U_B	-	voltage at terminal B
U	-	rated system voltage
U_{50}	-	50% discharge voltage (critical flashover voltage)
U_{50}^{*}	-	50% discharge voltage of the test object when supporting capacitor C_2 as connected.
U_{50p}	-	50% discharge voltage to be evaluated in the standard atmospheric conditions
U_{50A}	-	50% discharge voltage with capacitance C_3
U_{50B}	-	50% discharge voltage without capacitance C_3
U_{AC}^{-}	-	peak value of AC 50 Hz voltage
U_{SI}	-	Switching impulse voltage
$(U_{SI}^{+} + U_{AC}^{-})_{50}$	-	total 50% discharge voltage
$(U_{SI})_{50}$	-	50% switching impulse discharge voltage
ΔU_A	-	difference in voltage U_A
ΔU_B	-	difference in voltage U_B

ΔU_{AC}	- distortion of the power frequency voltage
ΔU_{SI}	- pre-existing AC voltage on impulse terminal
u_{AC}^-	- instantaneous value of AC voltage
U_I^+	- positive impulse voltage
∞	- $U^+/(U^+ + U^-)$ [also = $U_{AC}^-/U_{SI}^+ + U_{AC}^-$]
σ	- standard deviation sigma
σ	- relative air density
σ_0	- true value of standard deviation
μs	- micro seconds
μF	- micro farads
ms	- Milliseconds
T_{cr}	- time-to-crest (μs)
$T_{cr-crit}$	- critical time-to-crest
$\Delta t, \Delta t_{cr}$	- difference in time to peaks

ABBREVIATION

LI	- Lightning impulse
SI	- Switching impulse
BIL	- Basic impulse level
IEC	- International Electrotechnical Commission
IEEE	- The Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Inc.