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The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

NOTE When an international publication has been modified by common modifications, indicated by (mod), the relevant EN/HD applies.

<u>Publication</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>EN/HD</u>	<u>Year</u>
IEC 60050-151	2001	International Electrotechnical Vocabulary (IEV) - Part 151: Electrical and magnetic devices	-	-
IEC 60050-441	1984	International Electrotechnical Vocabulary (IEV) - Chapter 441: Switchgear, controlgear and fuses	-	-
IEC 60050-601	1985	International Electrotechnical Vocabulary (IEV) - Chapter 601: Generation, transmission and distribution of electricity - General	-	-
IEC 60050-604	1987	International Electrotechnical Vocabulary (IEV) - Chapter 604: Generation, transmission and distribution of electricity - Operation	-	-
IEC 60059	- ¹⁾	IEC standard current ratings	EN 60059	1999 ²⁾
IEC 60060-1 + corr. March	1989 1990	High-voltage test techniques - Part 1: General definitions and test requirements	HD 588.1 S1	1991
IEC 60071-2	- ¹⁾	Insulation co-ordination - Part 2: Application guide	EN 60071-2	1997 ²⁾
IEC 60137	- ¹⁾	Insulated bushings for alternating voltages above 1 000 V	EN 60137	2008 ²⁾
IEC 60255-3 (mod)	1989	Electrical relays - - Part 3: Single input energizing quantity measuring relays with dependent or independent time	EN 60255-3 + corr. January	1998 1998
IEC 60296	- ¹⁾	Fluids for electrotechnical applications - Unused mineral insulating oils for transformers and switchgear	EN 60296 + corr. September	2004 ²⁾ 2004
IEC 60376	- ¹⁾	Specification of technical grade sulfur hexafluoride (SF ₆) for use in electrical equipment	EN 60376	2005 ²⁾
IEC 60480	- ¹⁾	Guidelines for the checking and treatment of sulphur hexafluoride (SF ₆) taken from electrical equipment and specification for its re-use	EN 60480	2004 ²⁾

¹⁾ Undated reference.

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IEC 60529	- ¹⁾	Degrees of protection provided by enclosures (IP Code)	EN 60529 + corr. May	1991 ²⁾ 1993
IEC/TS 61634	- ¹⁾	High-voltage switchgear and controlgear - Use and handling of sulphur hexafluoride (SF ₆) in high-voltage switchgear and controlgear	-	-
IEC 62271-1	2007	High-voltage switchgear and controlgear - Part 1: Common specifications	EN 62271-1	2008
IEC 62271-101	2006	High-voltage switchgear and controlgear - Part 101: Synthetic testing	EN 62271-101	2006
IEC 62271-102 + corr. April + corr. May	2001 2002 2003	High-voltage switchgear and controlgear - Part 102: Alternating current disconnectors and earthing switches	EN 62271-102 + corr. March	2002 2005
IEC 62271-110	- ¹⁾	High-voltage switchgear and controlgear - Part 110: Inductive load switching	EN 62271-110	2005 ²⁾

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HIGH-VOLTAGE SWITCHGEAR AND CONTROLGEAR –

Part 100: Alternating-current circuit-breakers

1 General

1.1 Scope

This part of IEC 62271 is applicable to a.c. circuit-breakers designed for indoor or outdoor installation and for operation at frequencies of 50 Hz and 60 Hz on systems having voltages above 1 000 V.

It is only applicable to three-pole circuit-breakers for use in three-phase systems and single-pole circuit-breakers for use in single-phase systems. Two-pole circuit-breakers for use in single-phase systems and application at frequencies lower than 50 Hz are subject to agreement between manufacturer and user.

This standard is also applicable to the operating devices of circuit-breakers and to their auxiliary equipment. However, a circuit-breaker with a closing mechanism for dependent manual operation is not covered by this standard, as a rated short-circuit making-current cannot be specified, and such dependent manual operation may be objectionable because of safety considerations.

Rules for circuit-breakers with an intentional non-simultaneity between the poles are under consideration; circuit-breakers providing single-pole auto-reclosing are within the scope of this standard.

NOTE 1 Circuit-breakers with an intentional non-simultaneity between the poles may, in some instances, be tested in accordance with this standard. For example, mechanically staggered pole designs can be tested according to this standard using three-phase direct tests. For synthetic testing, determining the most appropriate tests, particularly in respect to test current, recovery voltage and transient recovery voltage, is subject to agreement between manufacturer and user.

This standard does not cover circuit-breakers intended for use on motive power units of electrical traction equipment; these are covered by IEC 60077 [1].

Generator circuit-breakers installed between generator and step-up transformer are not within the scope of this standard.

Switching of inductive loads is covered by IEC 62271-110.

This standard does not cover self-tripping circuit-breakers with mechanical tripping devices or devices which cannot be made inoperative.

Circuit-breakers installed as by-pass switches in parallel with line series capacitors and their protective equipment are not within the scope of this standard. These are covered by IEC 62271-109 [2] and IEC 60143-2 [3].

NOTE 2 Tests to prove the performance under abnormal conditions should be subject to agreement between manufacturer and user. Such abnormal conditions are, for instance, cases where the voltage is higher than the rated voltage of the circuit-breaker, conditions which may occur due to sudden loss of load on long lines or cables.

¹ Figures in square brackets refer to the bibliography.

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