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Annex ZA (normative)

Normative references to international publications with their corresponding European publications

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. 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 60044-1 (mod)	1996	Instrument transformers - Part 1: Current transformers	EN 60044-1	1999
IEC 60044-2 (mod)	1997	Instrument transformers - Part 2: Inductive voltage transformers	EN 60044-2 ¹⁾	1999
IEC 60068-2-11	-	Environmental testing - Part 2: Tests - Test Ka: Salt mist	EN 60068-2-11	-
IEC 60137	2008	Insulated bushings for alternating voltages above 1 000 V	EN 60137	2008
IEC 60141-1	-	Tests on oil-filled and gas-pressure cables and their accessories - Part 1: Oil-filled, paper- insulated, metal- sheathed cables and accessories for alternating voltages up to and including 400 kV	-	-
IEC 60270	-	High-voltage test techniques - Partial discharge measurements	EN 60270	-
IEC 60376	-	Specification of technical grade sulfur hexafluoride (SF ₆) for use in electrical equipment	EN 60376	-
IEC 60480	-	Guidelines for the checking and treatment of sulphur hexafluoride (SF ₆) taken from electrical equipment and specification for its re-use	EN 60480	-
IEC 60840	-	Power cables with extruded insulation and their accessories for rated voltages above 30 kV (Um = 36 kV) up to 150 kV (Um = 170 kV) - Test methods and requirements	-	-
IEC/TS 61639	1996	Direct connection between power transformers and gas-insulated metal- enclosed switchgear for rated voltages of 72,5 kV and above	-	-
IEC 62067	-	Power cables with extruded insulation and their accessories for rated voltages above 150 kV (Um = 170 kV) up to 500 kV (Um = 550 kV) - Test methods and requirements	-	-
IEC 62271-1	2007	High-voltage switchgear and controlgear - Part 1: Common specifications	EN 62271-1	2008
IEC 62271-100	2008	High-voltage switchgear and controlgear - Part 100: Alternating current circuit-breakers	EN 62271-100	2009

¹⁾ EN 60044-2 is superseded by EN 61869-3:2011, which is based on IEC 61869-3:2011.

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IEC 62271-102	2001	High-voltage switchgear and controlgear -	EN 62271-102	2002
+ corr. April	2002	Part 102: Alternating current disconnectors	+ corr. July	2008
+ corr. February	2005	and earthing switches	+ corr. March	2005
+ corr. May	2003			
IEC 62271-209	2007	High-voltage switchgear and controlgear - Part 209: Cable connections for gas-insulated metal-enclosed switchgear for rated voltages above 52 kV - Fluid-filled and extruded insulation cables - Fluid-filled and dry-type cable-terminations	EN 62271-209	2007
IEC/TR 62271-303	-	High-voltage switchgear and controlgear - Part 303: Use and handling of sulphur hexafluoride (SF ₆)	CLC/TR 62271-303	-
ISO 3231	-	Paints and varnishes - Determination of resistance to humid atmospheres containing sulphur dioxide	EN ISO 3231	-

Annex ZB (informative)

A-deviations

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<u>Article</u>	<u>Deviation</u>
5.103.2	Italy (Italian pressure vessel code for electrical switchgear DM 1 December 1980 and DM 10 September 1981 published in Gazzetta Ufficiale della Repubblica Italiana n° 285 dated 16.10.1981)

For metal-enclosed switchgear and controlgear containing gas-filled compartments, the design pressure is limited to a maximum of 0,5 bar (gauge) and the volume is limited to a maximum of 2 m³. Gas filled compartments having a design pressure exceeding 0,5 bar (gauge) or a volume exceeding 2 m³ shall be designed according to the Italian pressure vessel code for electrical switchgear.

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HIGH-VOLTAGE SWITCHGEAR AND CONTROLGEAR –

Part 203: Gas-insulated metal-enclosed switchgear for rated voltages above 52 kV

1 General

1.1 Scope

This part of IEC 62271 specifies requirements for gas-insulated metal-enclosed switchgear in which the insulation is obtained, at least partly, by an insulating gas other than air at atmospheric pressure, for alternating current of rated voltages above 52 kV, for indoor and outdoor installation, and for service frequencies up to and including 60 Hz.

For the purpose of this standard, the terms “GIS” and “switchgear” are used for “gas-insulated metal-enclosed switchgear”.

The gas-insulated metal-enclosed switchgear covered by this standard consists of individual components intended to be directly connected together and able to operate only in this manner.

This standard completes and amends, if necessary, the various relevant standards applying to the individual components constituting GIS.

1.2 Normative references

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.

IEC 60044-1:1996, *Instrument transformers – Part 1: Current transformers*

IEC 60044-2:1997, *Instrument transformers – Part 2: Inductive voltage transformers*

IEC 60068-2-11, *Basic environmental testing procedures – Part 2-11: Tests – Test Ka: Salt mist*

IEC 60137:2008, *Insulating bushings for alternating voltages above 1 000 V*

IEC 60141-1, *Tests on oil-filled and gas-pressure cables and their accessories – Part 1: Oil-filled, paper-insulated, metal-sheathed cables and accessories for alternating voltages up to and including 400 kV*

IEC 60270, *High-voltage test techniques – Partial discharge measurements*

IEC 60376, *Specification of technical grade sulfur hexafluoride (SF₆) for use in electrical equipment*

IEC 60480, *Guidelines for the checking and treatment of sulfur hexafluoride (SF₆) taken from electrical equipment and specification for its re-use*

IEC 60840, *Power cables with extruded insulation and their accessories for rated voltages above 30 kV (U_m = 36 kV) up to 150 kV (U_m = 170 kV) – Test methods and requirements*

IEC/TR 61639:1996, *Direct connection between power transformers and gas-insulated metal-enclosed switchgear for rated voltages of 72,5 kV and above*

IEC 62067, *Power cables with extruded insulation and their accessories for rated voltages above 150 kV ($U_m = 170$ kV) up to 500 kV ($U_m = 550$ kV) – Test methods and requirements*

IEC 62271-1:2007, *High-voltage switchgear and controlgear – Part 1: Common specifications*

IEC 62271-100:2008, *High-voltage switchgear and controlgear – Part 100: Alternating-current circuit-breakers*

IEC 62271-102:2001, *High-voltage switchgear and controlgear – Part 102: Alternating current disconnectors and earthing switches*

IEC 62271-209:2007, *High-voltage switchgear and controlgear – Part 209: Cable connections for gas-insulated metal-enclosed switchgear for rated voltages above 52 kV – Fluid-filled and extruded insulation cables – Fluid-filled and dry-type cable-terminations*

IEC/TR 62271-303, *High-voltage switchgear and controlgear – Part 303: Use and handling of sulphur hexafluoride (SF_6)*

ISO 3231, *Paints and varnishes – Determination of resistance to humid atmospheres containing sulfur dioxide*

2 Normal and special service conditions

Clause 2 of IEC 62271-1 is applicable with the following additions:

At any altitude the dielectric characteristics of the internal insulation are identical with those measured at sea-level. For this internal insulation, therefore, no specific requirements concerning the altitude are applicable.

Some items of a GIS such as pressure relief devices and pressure and density monitoring devices may be affected by altitude. The manufacturer shall take appropriate measures if necessary.

2.1 Normal service conditions

Subclause 2.1 of IEC 62271-1 is applicable, taking into account Table 1 of this standard.

2.2 Special service conditions

Subclause 2.2 of IEC 62271-1 is applicable, taking into account Table 1 of this standard.

In the cases where higher than (>) is used in the table the values shall be specified by the user as described in IEC 62271-1.