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IEC 60060-1	-	High-voltage test techniques - Part 1: General definitions and test requirements	EN 60060-1	-
IEC 60060-2	-	High-voltage test techniques - Part 2: Measuring systems	EN 60060-2	-
IEC 60068-2-11	1981	Environmental testing - Part 2: Tests - Test Ka: Salt mist	EN 60068-2-11	1999
IEC 60068-2-14	-	Environmental testing - Part 2-14: Tests - Test N: Change of temperature	EN 60068-2-14	-
IEC 60071-1	-	Insulation co-ordination - Part 1: Definitions, principles and rules	EN 60071-1	-
IEC 60071-2	1996	Insulation co-ordination - Part 2: Application guide	EN 60071-2	1997
IEC 60270	-	High-voltage test techniques - Partial discharge measurements	EN 60270	-
IEC 60507	2013	Artificial pollution tests on high-voltage ceramic and glass insulators to be used on a.c. systems	EN 60507	2014
IEC 62217	-	Polymeric HV insulators for indoor and outdoor use - General definitions, test methods and acceptance criteria	EN 62217	-
IEC 62271-1	2007	High-voltage switchgear and controlgear - Part 1: Common specifications	EN 62271-1	2008
IEC 62271-200	2011	High-voltage switchgear and controlgear - Part 200: AC metal-enclosed switchgear and controlgear for rated voltages above 1 kV and up to and including 52 kV	EN 62271-200	2012
IEC 62271-203	2011	High-voltage switchgear and controlgear - Part 203: Gas-insulated metal-enclosed switchgear for rated voltages above 52 kV	EN 62271-203	2012

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IEC/TS 60815-1	2008	Selection and dimensioning of high-voltage insulators intended for use in polluted conditions - Part 1: Definitions, information and general principles	-	-
IEC/TS 60815-2	2008	Selection and dimensioning of high-voltage insulators intended for use in polluted conditions - Part 2: Ceramic and glass insulators for a.c. systems	-	-
ISO 4287	-	Geometrical Product Specifications (GPS) - Surface texture: Profile method - Terms, definitions and surface texture parameters	EN ISO 4287	-
ISO 4892-1	-	Plastics - Methods of exposure to laboratory light sources - Part 1: General guidance	EN ISO 4892-1	-
ISO 4892-2	-	Plastics - Methods of exposure to laboratory light sources - Part 2: Xenon-arc lamps	EN ISO 4892-2	-
ISO 4892-3	-	Plastics - Methods of exposure to laboratory light sources - Part 3: Fluorescent UV lamps	EN ISO 4892-3	-
CISPR/TR 18-2	-	Radio interference characteristics of overhead power lines and high-voltage equipment - Part 2: Methods of measurement and procedure for determining limits	-	-



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This edition includes the following significant technical changes with respect to the previous edition:

- A new concept of arrester classification and energy withstand testing was introduced: the line discharge classification was replaced by a classification based on repetitive charge transfer rating ( $Q_{rs}$ ), as well as on thermal energy rating ( $W_{th}$ ) and thermal charge transfer rating ( $Q_{th}$ ), respectively. Requirements depend on the intended arrester application, being either a distribution class arrester (of  $I_n = 2,5 \text{ kA}$ ;  $5 \text{ kA}$  or  $10 \text{ kA}$ ) or a station class arrester (of  $I_n = 10 \text{ kA}$  or  $20 \text{ kA}$ ). The new concept clearly differentiates between impulse and thermal energy handling capability, which is reflected in the requirements as well as in the related test procedures.
- Requirements and tests for UHV arresters (for highest system voltages  $U_s > 800 \text{ kV}$ ) were introduced.
- Power-frequency voltage versus time tests – with and without prior duty – were introduced as type tests.
- Requirements and tests on disconnectors were added.
- "Test series B: 5 000 h" was removed from the weather ageing test, thus following the new approach of IEC 62217.
- Former Annexes C, D, E, H, I and J were removed. New Annexes for determining the start temperature for tests on thermal stability, for determining the axial temperature distribution along tall arresters, for providing an example of how to determine energy requirements for the operating duty test and for comparing the new classification system with the former line discharge class system were introduced.
- Definitions for new terms have been added.
- All former items "under consideration" were resolved or removed.

Clauses 10 to 13 contain particular requirements for polymer-housed surge arresters, gas-insulated metal enclosed arresters (GIS-arresters), separable and dead-front arresters, and liquid-immersed arresters, respectively. These are indicated in the form of replacements, additions or amendments to the original clauses or subclauses concerned.

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## INTRODUCTION

This part of IEC 60099 presents the minimum criteria for the requirements and testing of gapless metal-oxide surge arresters that are applied to a.c. power systems with  $U_s$  above 1 kV.

## SURGE ARRESTERS –

### Part 4: Metal-oxide surge arresters without gaps for a.c. systems

#### 1 Scope

This part of IEC 60099 applies to non-linear metal-oxide resistor type surge arresters without spark gaps designed to limit voltage surges on a.c. power circuits with  $U_s$  above 1 kV.

#### 2 Normative references

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.

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IEC 60060-2, *High-voltage test techniques – Part 2: Measuring systems*

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