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- c) the frequency for the test of sensitivity for low-frequency magnetic fields has been defined in 4.2;
- d) the specified measuring range is now defined as the range of indicated values based on the operating uncertainty in 4.3;
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INTRODUCTION

During periodical inspections of electrical installations, it is increasingly difficult to carry out measurements of insulation resistances with devices in accordance with IEC 61557-2 when the installations cannot be switched off for long periods and when there are sensitive appliances connected. Therefore, the measurement of leakage currents can provide additional information about the safe or unsafe situation of an installation.

Furthermore, the user has the opportunity to place current clamps and sensors on different points of the distribution system for troubleshooting nuisance tripping of RCDs, alarms of RCMs and other problems caused by low-frequency leakage currents.

Unfortunately, the presence of high external magnetic fields has a big impact on the performance of commonly used current clamps and sensors. High uncertainty and non-repeatability of readings can lead to unsafe interpretations.

This document defines performance classes for current clamps and sensors in relationship to ranges of high external magnetic fields and gives guidance to the user to choose the appropriate measuring device for a given situation.

The hand-held and hand-manipulated current clamps and sensors can be stand-alone instruments or accessories of instruments.

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1 Scope

This part of IEC 61557 defines special performance requirements for hand-held and hand-manipulated current clamps and sensors for measurement of leakage currents in electrical distribution systems up to 1 000 V AC and 1 500 V DC taking into account the influence of high external low-frequency magnetic fields and other influencing quantities. See Annex A for examples of measurement applications.

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