

BUSHINGS: GENERAL INFORMATION

1.0 Electrical characteristics (I_r = rated current; U_r = rated voltage)

1.1 Standard insulation levels

| Rated voltage U _r kV (r.m.s.) | One minute power frequency withstand voltage wet and dry kV (r.m.s.) | Dry lightning impulse withstand voltage dry (1,2/50 ms) kV |
|--|--|--|
| 1 | 10 | 20 |
| 3,6 | 10 | 40 |
| 12 | 28 | 75 |
| 24 | 50 | 125 |
| 36 | 70 | 170 |
| 52 | 95 | 250 |

1.2 Standard values of rated thermal short time current (I_{th}) 25 times the rated current (I_r) for 2 s ; for I_r equal or greater than 4000A, I_{th} is always 100kA

1.3 Overload conditions (IEC 354): Bushing selected with I_r not less than 120% of the rated current of the transformers are considered to be able to withstand the overload conditions according to IEC 354.

2.0 Mechanical characteristic

2.1 Cantilever operating load (bushing installed less than 30° from vertical)

| U _r kV | I _r | | | |
|----------------------|----------------|--------|--------|--------|
| | 800 A | 1600 A | 2500 A | 3150 A |
| 36 | 500 N | 625 N | 1000 N | 1575 N |
| 52 | 500 N | 625 N | 1000 N | 1575 N |

2.2 Cantilever operating load (bushing installed more than 30° from vertical)

| U _r kV | I _r | | | |
|----------------------|----------------|--------|--------|--------|
| | 800 A | 1600 A | 2500 A | 3150 A |
| 36 | 300 N | 375 N | 600 N | 945 N |
| 52 | 300 N | 375 N | 600 N | 945 N |

2.3 Cantilever test load

| U _r kV | I _r | | | |
|----------------------|----------------|--------|--------|--------|
| | 800 A | 1600 A | 2500 A | 3150 A |
| 36 | 1000 N | 1250 N | 2000 N | 3150 N |
| 52 | 1000 N | 1250 N | 2000 N | 3150 N |

3.0 Tightening torque (suggested values, +/- 10% depending on the quality of the tank cover surface)

3.1 On the central conductor LV/HV in brass or copper

| Size | Torque | Size | Torque |
|-------|--------|-------|--------|
| M8 | 10 Nm | M42x3 | 110 Nm |
| M12 | 13 Nm | M48x3 | 180 Nm |
| M20 | 30 Nm | M55x3 | 250 Nm |
| M30x2 | 70 Nm | M75x3 | 250 Nm |



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3.2 On the steel fixing stud of HV bushings

| Size | Torque |
|------|--------|
| M10 | 15 Nm |
| M12 | 25 Nm |
| M16 | 40 Nm |

3.3 On the locking bolts of the flags

| Size | Torque |
|------|--------|
| M10 | 25 Nm |
| M12 | 40 Nm |
| M16 | 90 Nm |

4.0 Surface treatment of active metallic parts

Unless by special request, all active metallic parts in brass and copper have self colour surfaces.

Upon request, particularly for use in highly polluted environment conditions or in tropical climate, above parts can be supplied with electrolytic tinplated surfaces with 6-8 micron average coating thickness.

5.0 N.B.R. gaskets

The material of our gaskets is suitable to be used in mineral oil at the max temperature of 100°C (minimum temperature - 20°C) for continuous service; for different limit temperatures, please contact our engineering department.

During the impregnation of the transformer it is possible to reach the max temperature of 110°C in oil and 120°C in air for 24 hours, without damaging the gaskets.

Upon request available cork rubber impregnated gaskets, or in Viton, or in silicon rubber.