

IEEE C37.20.1 Working Group Agenda

IEEE Standard for Metal-Enclosed Low-Voltage (1000 Vac and below, 3200 Vdc and below) Power Circuit Breaker Switchgear

Meeting Date: April 18, 2023

Meeting Time: 2:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Location: Sheraton Sand Key Resort – Clearwater Beach, FL

Attendance

Members:15, Guests:19, quorum met

Attendance is recorded at the end of the meeting minutes

A. Call to Order

Meeting was called to order at 2:00pm on April 18, 2023

B. Introductions

Participants introduced as included below

C. Approval of Agenda and Prior Meeting Minutes

Motion to approve agenda by T. Burse, 2nd by C. Carne. Approved by unanimous consent.

Motion to approve previous meeting minutes by J. Hines, 2nd: T. Burse. Approved by unanimous consent.

D. Rules and Guidelines for conducting Working Group Meetings

Slides and links to documents shared with Working Group

Verbal call for Essential Patents – None Identified

E. IEEE SA Copyright Policy

Link and Slides for SA Copyright Policy shared

F. Working Group P&P's

Link for Working Group P&P's shared

G. PAR Status Report

PAR approved by SA Standards Board 03 Dec 2020 and expires 31 Dec 2024

H. IEEE iMeet Center Workspace

Working Group workspace location and files shared (<https://ieee-sa.imeetcentral.com/c37201/home>).

Any working group members that require access should contact either the Chair or Secretary.

I. WG Membership

New WG Members: D. Delfino, C. Schneider, New WG Secretary: R. Burns

J. IEEE PES Switchgear Committee Participants – New Committee Management System (CMS)

Registration in new tool requested no later than April 22nd

<https://ieee.memberplanet.com/v2app/#/member-registration/join>

K. Quorum Check

Quorum confirmed

L. Ad-hoc Reports

a. Continuous Current Testing Improvements (C37.13/C37.20.1):

M. Lafond: No meetings held. PC37.13 working on the inclusion of continuous current testing using the methods published in C37.20.2-2022.

b. Clause 6.2.5/6.2.6 Short-time/Short-circuit:

T. Burse: Ad-hoc slides shared with group conveying complexity of testing with a circuit breaker.

Presentation added to the end of these meeting minutes. Ad-hoc requests additional time to continue work on this subject. Chair approves for continuation of work with guidance to not exceed circuit breaker C37.13/C37.50 parameters if the ad-hoc considers the inclusion of the circuit breaker in 20.1 testing.

c. Copyright Permission for Cable Lashing:

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material granted from IEEE for C37.20.2 clause 4 d), clause 6.2.2.8, and clause 6.2.9. Material has been added to the draft circulated prior to this meeting.

M. Review Draft Document & Comments

17 draft comments received and reviewed by the WG and results documented in D6 comment tracking sheet.

Comment #1 of D6 comment sheet reviewed by WG as depicted below.

“New clause 5.5.X Temperature limitations for switching and interrupting devices: The temperature rise of the various parts of a circuit breaker shall not exceed the temperature rise limits in IEEE Std C37.13 (AC circuit breakers) or IEEE Std C37.14 (DC circuit breakers). The terminal connection limit of 55C rise in IEEE Std C37.13 or IEEE Std C37.14 is not applicable. The temperature rise of the various parts of a low-voltage definite-purpose switching device shall not exceed the temperature rise limits in IEEE C37.13.1. The terminal connection limit of 55°C rise in IEEE Std C37.13.1 is not applicable.”

Motion by D. Hrncir to disapprove the comment in full as written, 2nd: D. Moser, motion passed.

Comment #2 of D6 comment sheet reviewed by WG as depicted below to modify the language of clause 6.2.4.6.

“The switchgear is considered to have passed the test if the temperature and temperature rise limits in Table 3 and Table 4, and the temperature and temperature rise limits in IEEE Std C37.13 or IEEE Std C37.14 or IEEE Std C37.13.1 (as applicable), have not been exceeded in any of the readings over the one-hour period. The terminal connection limit of 55 °C rise in IEEE Std C37.13 or IEEE Std C37.14 or IEEE Std C37.13.1 is not applicable.”

Chair called for a vote on the comment. WG consensus was to accept the comment as written.

WG decided to create new ad-hoc to focus on continuous current testing within 20.1 led by M. Lafond and including the following member: C. Carne, C. Schneider, D. Moser, D. Delfino, B. Tatum, D. Hrncir, E. Wilkie, T. Burse, A. Lopez, K. Sippel, and E. Doroz.

WG decided to create a new ad-hoc to focus on scrubbing the current draft for consistent and accurate use of the terms, withdrawable element, drawout-mounted device, and removable element as defined in C37.20.10. Ad-hoc to be led by D. Delfino and consists of E. Hardy and M. Lafond.

N. Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 5:12pm.

Recorded by:

Robert Burns

Secretary

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6.2.5 – 6.2.6 Ad Hoc Report

18 April, 2023

Clearwater Florida

Ted Burse



Ad Hoc Members

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Paul Barnhart

Keith Flowers

Tom Hawkins

Dan Hrncir

Mike Lafond

Adrian Lopez

Victor Savulyak

Kevin Sippel

Bryan Tatum

Danish Zia



Ad Hoc Scope

Develop a recommendation for the WG at or before the Spring meeting for clauses 6.2.5 and 6.2.6.

Background:

WG comments highlight several topic areas within the test clauses of 6.2.5 and 6.2.6 that need investigative work and discussion to determine (1) if any changes were necessary, and (2) what other actions might be required to align to other sub-clauses.



6.2.5 Short-Time Tests

- Allow the use of a circuit breaker if test is performed with a 1 second duration.
 - Currently not allowed
 - Exceeds the requirements of C37.50
- Allow combination with 6.2.6 short-circuit test if current requirements of both 6.2.5 and 6.2.6 are met.



Short-Circuit Test

- Allow a circuit breaker to be used for short-circuit tests
 - The use of a circuit breaker for the short-circuit test is currently not allowed. (Compartment “test jumpers” only)
 - Possible contradiction of combining short-time and short circuit tests if a circuit breaker is used.



Discussion Points

- Current use of “test jumper” excludes the stationary and/or movable primary disconnects of the interface between the switchgear assembly and the circuit breaker.



Recomendation

- The Ad Hoc requests a continuation of the work with a completion target prior to the fall 2023 WG meeting.



PC37.20.1

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Figure G5.1 Securement of cable

UL Cable Lashing Material

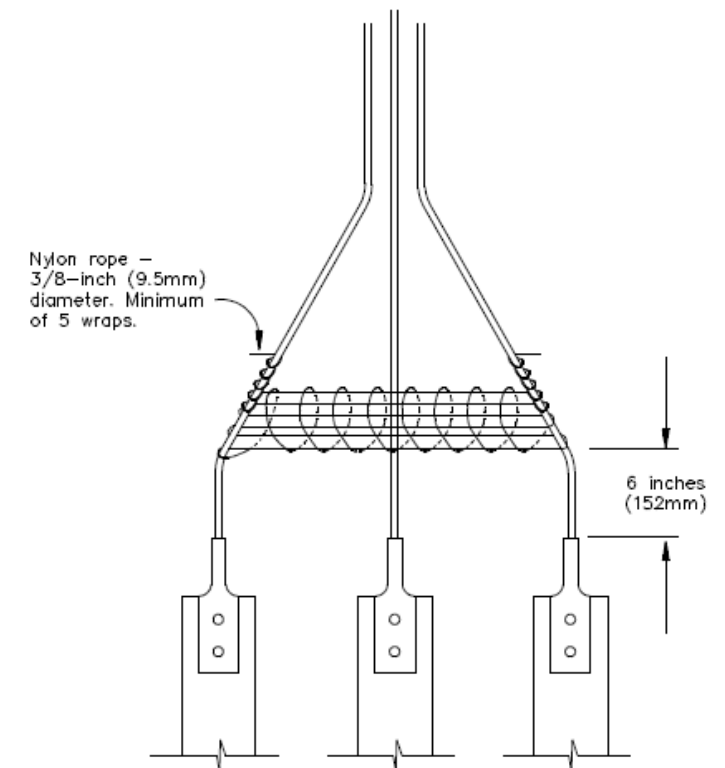
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G5 Marking

G5.1 The switchboard shall be marked in accordance with [6.3.3.1](#) with the following or the equivalent: "Wrap line cables together and, if provided, tap cables together with nominal 9.5 mm (3/8 inch) nylon rope or rope having a minimum tensile strength of 8896 N (2000 pounds) at (1) 152 mm (6 inches) and 305 mm (12 inches) from the line terminals with five wraps and (2) every additional 6 inches with five wraps or every 25.4 mm (1 inch) with one wrap." It is also recommended that a drawing as shown in [Figure G5.1](#), or the equivalent, be provided with the switchboard.

Figure G5.1
Securement of cable

(See [G5.1](#))



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*UL891 limits this lashing technique to 100kA applications