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1 Scope

This part of IEC 62231 is applicable to composite station post insulators for substations with a.c. voltages greater than 1 000 V up to 245 kV.

It also applies to composite station post insulators of similar design used in power stations of railway systems.

This part of IEC 62231 specifies main dimensions and values for mechanical and electrical characteristics of composite station post insulators.

NOTE The composite station post insulators covered by this standard are primarily intended for outdoor service, but can also be used indoor.

2 Normative references

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IEC 60815-1:2008, *Selection and dimensioning of high-voltage insulators intended for use in polluted conditions – Part 1: Definitions, information and general principles*

IEC 60815-3, *Selection and dimensioning of high-voltage insulators intended for use in polluted conditions – Part 3: Polymer insulators for a.c. systems*

IEC 62231:2006, *Composite station post insulators for substations with a.c. voltages greater than 1 000 V up to 245 kV – Definitions, test methods and acceptance criteria*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

3.1

composite station post insulator

post insulator consisting of a solid load bearing cylindrical insulating core, a housing and end fittings attached to the insulating core

[SOURCE: IEC 62231:2006, 3.1]

3.2

creepage distance

shortest distance or the sum of the shortest distances along the surface on an insulator between two conductive parts which normally have the operating voltage between them