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1 Scope

This International Standard specifies the functional requirements for output and accuracy of measurements of the dynamic interaction between pantograph and overhead contact line.

2 Normative references

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3.1

collector head pantograph head

part of the pantograph supported by the frame which includes contact strips, horns and may include a suspension

[SOURCE: IEC 60494-1:2013, 3.2.3, modified – the term "pantograph head" has been added.]

3.2

contact point

point of mechanical contact between a contact strip and a contact wire

3.3

working area of the pantograph head

lateral and vertical range of possible contact points on the contact strips during normal operation

3.4

contact force

vertical force applied by the pantograph to the overhead contact line. The contact force is the sum of forces for all contact points of one pantograph