# **VAMP 210**

# **Generator protection relay**

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# **User Manual**





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# 1 General

# 1.1 Legal notice

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# 1.2 Safety information and password protection

#### **Important Information**

Read these instructions carefully and look at the equipment to become familiar with the device before trying to install, operate, service or maintain it. The following special messages may appear throughout this bulletin or on the equipment to warn of potential hazards or to call attention to information that clarifies or simplifies a procedure.



The addition of either symbol to a "Danger" or "Warning" safety label indicates that an electrical hazard exists which will result in personal injury if the instructions are not followed.



This is the safety alert symbol. It is used to alert you to potential personal injury hazards. Obey all safety messages that follow this symbol to avoid possible injury or death.

## **A** DANGER

**DANGER** indicates an imminently hazardous situation which, if not avoided, **will result in** death or serious injury.

## **A** WARNING

**WARNING** indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, **can result in** death or serious injury.

## **A** CAUTION

**CAUTION** indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, **can result in** minor or moderate injury.

#### NOTICE

**NOTICE** is used to address practices not related to physical injury.

#### **User qualification**

Electrical equipment should be installed, operated, serviced, and maintained only by trained and qualified personnel. No responsibility is assumed by Schneider Electric for any consequences arising out of the use of this material. A qualified person is one who has skills and knowledge related to the construction, installation, and operation of electrical equipment and has received safety training to recognize and avoid the hazards involved.

#### **Password protection**

Use IED's password protection feature in order to protect untrained person interacting this device.

1 General 1.3 Relay features

## **AWARNING**

## **WORKING ON ENERGIZED EQUIPMENT**

Do not choose lower Personal Protection Equipment while working on energized equipment.

Failure to follow these instructions can result in death or serious injury.

# 1.3 Relay features

Table 1.1: List of protection functions

IEEE/ANSI code	IEC symbol	Function name
21	Z<, Z<<	Underimpedance protection
21/40	X<, X<<	Underreactance protection (Loss of excitation)
24	U/f>	Volts / hertz over excitation protection
27	U<, U<<, U<<<	Undervoltage protection
27P	U <sub>1</sub> <, U <sub>1</sub> <<	Positive sequence undervoltage protection for generator applications
32	P<, P<<	Reverse power protection
40	Q<	Underexcitation protection
46	I <sub>2</sub> / I <sub>1</sub> >	Current unbalance protection
49	T>	Thermal overload protection
50/51	l>, l>>, l>>>	Overcurrent protection
50ARC/ 50NARC	Arcl>, Arcl <sub>01</sub> , Arcl <sub>02</sub> >	Optional arc fault protection
50BF	CBFP	Circuit-breaker failure protection
50N/51N	I <sub>0</sub> >, I <sub>0</sub> >>, I <sub>0</sub> >>>, I <sub>0</sub> >>>>	Earth fault protection
51V	I <sub>V</sub> >	Voltage restrained or voltage controlled overcurrent function
59	U>, U>>, U>>>	Overvoltage protection
59N	U <sub>0</sub> >, U <sub>0</sub> >>	Zero sequence voltage protection
64F3	U <sub>0f3</sub> <	100 % stator earth fault protection
67	Ι <sub>φ</sub> >, Ι <sub>φ</sub> >>, Ι <sub>φ</sub> >>>, Ι <sub>φ</sub> >>>	Directional overcurrent protection
67N	$I_{0\phi}$ >, $I_{0\phi}$ >>	Directional earth-fault, low-set stage, sensitive, definite or inverse time (can be used as non directional)
68F2	I <sub>f2</sub> >	Magnetishing inrush
68F5	I <sub>f5</sub> >	Transfomer overexitation
81H/81L	f><, f>><<	Overfrequency and underfrequency protection
81L	f<, f<<	Underfrequency protection
81R	df/dt	Rate of change of frequency (ROCOF) protection
99	Prg1 – 8	Programmable stages

Further the relay includes a disturbance recorder. Arc protection is optionally available.

1.4 Related documents 1 General

The relay communicates with other systems using common protocols, such as the Modbus RTU, ModbusTCP, Profibus DP, IEC 60870-5-103, IEC 60870-5-101, IEC 61850, SPA bus, Ethernet / IP and DNP 3.0.

## 1.3.1 User interface

The relay can be controlled in three ways:

- Locally with the push-buttons on the relay front panel
- Locally using a PC connected to the serial port on the front panel or on the rear panel of the relay (both cannot be used simultaneously)
- Via remote control over the optional remote control port on the relay rear panel.

# 1.4 Related documents

Document	Identification*)
VAMP Relay Mounting and Commissioning Instructions	VRELAY_MC_xxxx
VAMPSET Setting and Configuration Tool User Manual	VVAMPSET_EN_M_xxxx

<sup>\*)</sup> xxxx = revision number

Download the latest software and manual at www.schneider-electric.com/vamp-protection or m.vamp.fi.

# 1.5 Periodical testing

The protection IED, cabling and arc sensors must periodically be tested according to the end-user's safety instructions, national safety instructions or law. Manufacturer recommends functional testing being carried minimum every five (5) years.

It is proposed that the periodic testing is conducted with a secondary injection principle for those protection stages which are used in the IED.

# 1.6 EU directive compliance

## **EMC** compliance

**( €** 2014/30/EU

Compliance with the European Commission's EMC Directive. Product Specific Standards were used to establish conformity:

• EN 60255-26: 2013

## **Product safety**

**( €** 2014/35/EU

Compliance with the European Commission's Low Voltage Directive. Compliance is demonstrated by reference to generic safety standards:

EN60255-27:2014

## 1.7 Abbreviations

ANSI	American National Standards Institute. A standardization organisation.		
СВ	Circuit breaker		
CBFP	Circuit breaker failure protection		
cosφ	Active power divided by apparent power = P/S. (See power factor PF). Negative sign indicates reverse power.		
СТ	Current transformer		
CT <sub>PRI</sub>	Nominal primary value of current transformer		
CT <sub>SEC</sub>	Nominal secondary value of current transformer		
Dead band	See hysteresis.		
DI	Digital input		
DO	Digital output, output relay		
Document file	Stores information about the IED settings, events and fault logs.		
DSR	Data set ready. An RS232 signal. Input in front panel port of VAMP relays to disable rear panel looport.		
DST	Daylight saving time. Adjusting the official local time forward by one hour for summer time.		
DTR	Data terminal ready. An RS232 signal. Output and always true (+8 Vdc) in front panel port of VAMP relays.		
FFT	Fast Fourier transform. Algorithm to convert time domain signals to frequency domain or to phasors.		
НМІ	Human-machine interface		
Hysteresis	I.e. dead band. Used to avoid oscillation when comparing two near by values.		
I <sub>GN</sub>	Nominal current of the protected device		
I <sub>N</sub>	Nominal current. Rating of CT primary or secondary.		
I <sub>SET</sub>	Another name for pick up setting value I>		
I <sub>ON</sub>	Nominal current of I <sub>0</sub> input in general		

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I <sub>0SET</sub>	Another name for pick up setting value I <sub>0</sub> >		
I <sub>01N</sub>	Nominal current of the I <sub>01</sub> input of the device		
I <sub>02N</sub>	Nominal current of the I <sub>02</sub> input of the device		
IEC	International Electrotechnical Commission. An international standardization organisation.		
IEC-101	Abbreviation for communication protocol defined in standard IEC 60870-5-101		
IEC-103	Abbreviation for communication protocol defined in standard IEC 60870-5-103		
IED	ntelligent electronic device		
IEEE	Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers		
LAN	Local area network. Ethernet based network for computers and IEDs.		
Latching	Output relays and indication LEDs can be latched, which means that they are not released when the control signal is releasing. Releasing of latched devices is done with a separate action.		
LCD	Liquid crystal display		
LED	Light-emitting diode		
Local HMI	IED front panel with display and push-buttons		
NTP	Network Time Protocol for LAN and WWW		
Р	Active power. Unit = [W]		
PF	Power factor. The absolute value is equal to cosφ, but the sign is '+' for inductive i.e. lagging current and '-' for capacitive i.e. leading current.		
P <sub>M</sub>	Nominal power of the prime mover. (Used by reverse/under power protection.)		
PT	See VT		
pu	Per unit. Depending of the context the per unit refers to any nominal value. For example for overcurrent setting 1 pu = 1 x $I_{GN}$ .		
Q	Reactive power. Unit = [var] acc. IEC		
RMS	Root mean square		
S	Apparent power. Unit = [VA]		
S <sub>GN</sub>	Nominal power of the protected device		
SF	IED status inoperative		
SNTP	Simple Network Time Protocol for LAN and WWW		
TCS	Trip circuit supervision		
THD	Total harmonic distortion		
U <sub>0SEC</sub>	Voltage at input U <sub>c</sub> at zero ohm ground fault. (Used in voltage measurement mode "2LL+U <sub>0</sub> ")		
U <sub>A</sub>	Voltage input for U <sub>12</sub> or U <sub>L1</sub> depending of the voltage measurement mode		
U <sub>B</sub>	Voltage input for U <sub>23</sub> or U <sub>L2</sub> depending of the voltage measurement mode		
U <sub>C</sub>	Voltage input for U <sub>31</sub> or U <sub>0</sub> depending of the voltage measurement mode		
U <sub>GN</sub>	Nominal voltage of the protected device		
U <sub>N</sub>	Nominal voltage. Rating of VT primary or secondary		
UTC	Coordinated Universal Time (used to be called GMT = Greenwich Mean Time)		
VAMPSET	Configuration tool for VAMP protection devices		
Webset	http configuration interface		
VT	Voltage transformer i.e. potential transformer PT		
VT <sub>PRI</sub>	Nominal primary value of voltage transformer		
VT <sub>SEC</sub>	Nominal secondary value of voltage transformer		

# 2 Local panel user interface

# 2.1 Relay front panel

The figure below shows, as an example, the front panel of the device and the location of the user interface elements used for local control.



- 1. Navigation push-buttons
- 2. LED indicators
- 3. LCD
- 4. RS 232 serial communication port for PC

#### **Navigation push-button function**

- CANCEL push-button for returning to the previous menu. To return to the first menu item in the main menu, press the button for at least three seconds.
- INFO push-button for viewing additional information, for entering the password view and for adjusting the LCD contrast.
- OK ENTER push-button for activating or confirming a function.
- arrow UP navigation push-button for moving up in the menu or increasing a numerical value.

  arrow DOWN navigation push-button for moving down in the menu or decreasing a numerical value.
- arrow LEFT navigation push-button for moving backwards in a parallel menu or selecting a digit in a
- numerical value.

  arrow RIGHT navigation push-button for moving forwards in a parallel menu or selecting a digit in a numerical value.

#### **LED** indicators

The relay is provided with eight LED indicators:

LED indicator	Meaning	Measure/ Remarks
Power LED lit	The auxiliary power has been switched on	Normal operation state
Error LED lit	Internal fault, operates in parallel with the self supervision output relay	The relay attempts to reboot [REBOOT]. If the error LED remains lit, call for maintenance.
Com LED lit or flashing	The serial bus is in use and transferring information	Normal operation state
Alarm LED lit	One or several signals of the output relay matrix have been assigned to output AL and the output has been activated by one of the signals. (For more information about output matrix, please see Chapter 2.4.5 Configuring digital outputs DO).	The LED is switched off when the signal that caused output Al to activate, e.g. the START signal, is reset. The resetting depends on the type of configuration, connected or latched.
Trip LED lit	One or several signals of the output relay matrix have been assigned to output Tr, and the output has been activated by one of the signals. (For more information about output relay configuration, please see Chapter 2.4.5 Configuring digital outputs DO).	The LED is switched off when the signal that caused output Tr to activate, e.g. the TRIP signal, is reset. The resetting depends on the type of configuration, connected or latched.
A- C LED lit	Application-related status indicators.	Configurable

## **Adjusting LCD contrast**

- 1. On the local HMI, push i and ok.
- 2. Enter the four-digit password and push OK.
- 3. Push *i* and adjust the contrast.
  - To increase the contrast, push .
  - To decrease the contrast, push .

## Resetting latched indicators and output relays

All the indicators and output relays can be given a latching function in the configuration.

There are several ways to reset latched indicators and relays:

- From the alarm list, move back to the initial display by pushing for approx. 3s. Then reset the latched indicators and output relays by pushing ok.
- Acknowledge each event in the alarm list one by one by pushing equivalent times. Then, in the initial display, reset the latched indicators and output relays by pushing ok.

The latched indicators and relays can also be reset via a remote communication bus or via a digital input configured for that purpose.

# 2.1.1 Display

The relay is provided with a backlighted 128x64 LCD dot matrix display. The display enables showing 21 characters is one row and eight rows at the same time. The display has two different purposes: one is to show the single line diagram of the relay with the object status, measurement values, identification etc (Figure 2.1). The other purpose is to show the configuration and parameterization values of the relay (Figure 2.2).

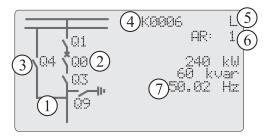


Figure 2.1: Sections of the LCD dot matrix display

- 1. Freely configurable single-line diagram
- 2. Controllable objects (max six objects)
- Object status (max eight objects, including the six controllable objects)
- 4. Bay identification
- Local/Remote selection
- 6. Auto-reclose on/off selection (if applicable)
- 7. Freely selectable measurement values (max. six values)

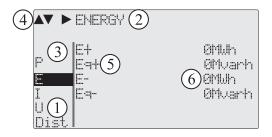


Figure 2.2: Sections of the LCD dot matrix display

- 1. Main menu column
- 2. The heading of the active menu
- 3. The cursor of the main menu
- 4. Possible navigating directions (push buttons)
- 5. Measured/setting parameter
- 6. Measured/set value

## **Backlight control**

Display backlight can be switched on with a digital input, virtual input or virtual output. LOCALPANEL CONF/**Display backlight ctrl** setting is used for selecting trigger input for backlight control. When the selected input activates (rising edge), display backlight is set on for 60 minutes.

# 2.1.2 Adjusting display contrast

The readability of the LCD varies with the brightness and the temperature of the environment. The contrast of the display can be adjusted via the PC user interface, see Chapter 3 VAMPSET PC software.

# 2.2 Local panel operations

The front panel can be used to control objects, change the local/ remote status, read the measured values, set parameters, and to configure relay functions. Some parameters, however, can only be set by means of a PC connected to the local communication port. Some parameters are factory-set.

## Moving in the menus

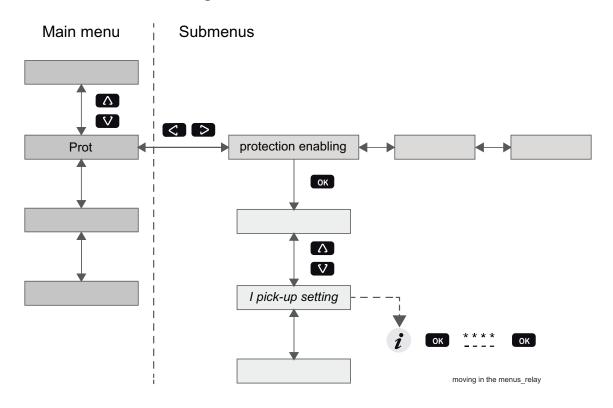


Figure 2.3: Moving in the menus using local HMI

- To move in the main menu, push or .
- To move in submenus, push or
- To enter a submenu, push ok and use or of for moving down or up in the menu.
- To edit a parameter value, push and ok .
- To go back to the previous menu, push ...
- To go back to the first menu item in the main menu, push for at least three seconds.

**NOTE:** To enter the parameter edit mode, give the password. When the value is in edit mode, its background is dark.

#### Main menu

The menu is dependent on the user's configuration and the options according the order code. For example only the enabled protection stages will appear in the menu.

#### A list of the local main menu

Main menu	Number of menus	Description	ANSI code	Note
	1	Interactive mimic display		1
	5	Double size measurements defined by the user		1
	1	Title screen with device name, time and firmware version.		
Р	14	Power measurements		
E	4	Energy measurements		
I	13	Current measurements		
U	15	Voltage measurements		
Dema	15	Demand values		
Umax	5	Time stamped min & max of voltages		
Imax	9	Time stamped min & max of currents		
Pmax	5	Time stamped min & max of power and frequency		
Month	21	Maximum values of the last 31 days and the last twelve months		
Evnt	2	Events		
DR	2	Disturbance recorder		2
Runh	2	Running hour counter. Active time of a selected digital input and time stamps of the latest start and stop.		
TIMR	6	Day and week timers		
DI	5	Digital inputs including virtual inputs		
DO	4	Digital outputs (relays) and output matrix		
ExtAl	3	External analogue inputs		3
ExtAO	3	Externa analogue outputs		3
ExDI	3	External digital inputs		3
ExDO	3	External digital outputs		3
Prot	27	Protection counters, combined overcurrent status, protection status, protection enabling, cold load and inrush detectionlf2> and block matrix		
>	5	1st overcurrent stage	50/51	4
>>	3	2nd overcurrent stage	50/51	4
>>>	3	3rd overcurrent stage	50/51	4
lv>	4	Voltage restrained/controlled overcurrent stage	51V	4
Ιφ >	6	1st directional overcurrent stage	67	4
Ιφ >>	6	2nd directional overcurrent stage	67	4
Ιφ >>>	4	3rd directional overcurrent stage	67	4
Ιφ >>>>	4	4th directional overcurrent stage	67	4
<b> </b> <	3	Undercurrent stage	37	4

Main menu	Number of menus	Description	ANSI code	Note
12>	3	Current unbalance stage	46	4
T>	3	Thermal overload stage	49	4
lo>	5	1st earth fault stage	50N/51N	4
lo>>	3	2nd earth fault stage	50N/51N	4
10>>>	3	3rd earth fault stage	50N/51N	4
10>>>>	3	4th earth fault stage	50N/51N	4
Ιοφ >	6	1st directional earth fault stage	67N	4
Ιοφ>>	6	2nd directional earth fault stage	67N	4
loint>	4	Transient intermittent E/F	67NI	4
U>	4	1st overvoltage stage	59	4
U>>	3	2nd overvoltage stage	59	4
U>>>	3	3rd overvoltage stage	59	4
Uf>	3	Overexcitation stage volt/hertz	24	4
U<	4	1st undervoltage stage	27	4
U<<	3	2nd undervoltage stage	27	4
U<<<	3	3rd undervoltage stage	27	4
U1<	4	1st positive sequence undervoltage stage	27P	4
U1<<	4	2nd positive sequence undervoltage stage	27P	4
Uo>	3	1st residual overvoltage stage	59N	4
Uo>>	3	2nd residual overvoltage stage	59N	4
Uof3<	3	100% stator earth fault stage	64F3	4
P<	3			4
P<<	3	1st reverse and underpower stage  2nd reverse and underpower stage		4
Q<	5	Under excitation stage		4
Z<	3	1st underimpedance stage 21		4
Z<<	3	2nd underimpedance stage 2		4
Χ<	3	1st loss of excitation stage 40/2		4
X<<	3	2nd loss of excitation stage		4
f><	4	2nd loss of excitation stage  1st over/under-frequency stage		4
f>><<	4	2nd over/under-frequency stage		4
f<	4	1st underfrequency stage		4
f<<	4	1st underfrequency stage  2nd underfrequency stage		4
dfdt	3	Rate of change of frequency (ROCOF) stage		4
Prg1	3	Rate of change of frequency (ROCOF) stage 81  1st programmable stage		4
Prg2	3	2nd programmable stage		4
Prg3	3	3rd programmable stage		4
Prg4	3	4th programmable stage		4
Prg5	3	5th programmable stage		4
Prg6	3	6th programmable stage		4
Prg7	3	7th programmable stage		4
Prg8	3	8th programmable stage		4
If2>	3			
1142	3	Second harmonic O/C stage	68F2	4

Main menu	Number of menus	Description	ANSI code	Note
If5>	3	Fifth harmonic O/C stage 68F5		4
CBFP	3	Circuit breaker failure protection	50BF	4
CBWE	4	Circuit breaker wearing supervision		4
AR	15	Auto-reclose	79	
CTSV	1	CT supervisor		4
VTSV	1	VT supervisor		4
Arcl>	4	Optional arc protection stage for phase-to-phase faults and delayed light signal.		4
Arclo1>	3	Optional arc protection stage for earth faults. Current input = I01		4
Arclo2>	3	Optional arc protection stage for earth faults. Current input = I02		4
OBJ	11	Object definitions		5
Lgic	2	Status and counters of user's logic		1
CONF	10+2	Device setup, scaling etc.		6
Bus	13	Serial port and protocol configuration		7
Diag	6	Device selfdiagnosis		

#### Notes

- 1. Configuration is done with VAMPSET
- 2. Recording files are read with VAMPSET
- 3. The menu is visible only if protocol "ExternalIO" is selected for one of the serial ports. Serial ports are configured in menu "Bus".
- 4. The menu is visible only if the stage is enabled.
- 5. Objects are circuit breakers, disconnectors etc. Their position or status can be displayed and controlled in the interactive mimic display.
- 6. There are two extra menus, which are visible only if the access level "operator" or "configurator" has been opened with the corresponding password.
- 7. Detailed protocol configuration is done with VAMPSET.

## 2.2.1 Menu structure of protection functions

The general structure of all protection function menus is similar although the details do differ from stage to stage. As an example the details of the second overcurrent stage I>> menus are shown below.

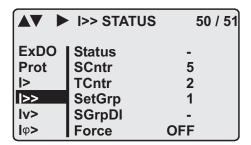


Figure 2.4: First menu of I>> 50/51 stage

This is the status, start and trip counter and setting group menu.

#### Status –

The stage is not detecting any fault at the moment. The stage can also be forced to pick-up or trip is the operating level is "Configurator" and the force flag below is on. Operating levels are explained in Chapter 2.2.4 Operating levels.

#### SCntr 5

The stage has picked-up a fault five times since the last reset or restart. This value can be cleared if the operating level is at least "Operator".

#### TCntr 1

The stage has tripped two times since the last reset or restart. This value can be cleared if the operating level is at least "Operator".

#### SetGrp 1

The active setting group is one. This value can be edited if the operating level is at least "Operator". Setting groups are explained in Chapter 2.2.2 Setting groups

#### SGrpDI –

The setting group is not controlled by any digital input. This value can be edited if the operating level is at least "Configurator".

#### Force Off

The status forcing and output relay forcing is disabled. This force flag status can be set to "On" or back to "Off" if the operating level is at least "Configurator". If no front panel button is pressed within five minutes and there is no VAMPSET communication, the force flag will be set to "Off" position. The forcing is explained in Chapter 2.3.4 Forced control (Force).

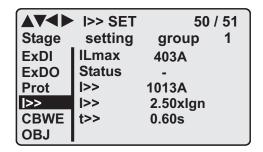


Figure 2.5: Second menu(next on the right) of I>> 50/51 stage

This is the main setting menu.

- Stage setting group 1
   These are the group 1 setting values. The other setting group can be seen by pressing push buttons or and then or setting groups are explained in Chapter 2.2.2 Setting groups.
- ILmax 403A
   The maximum of three measured phase currents is at the moment 403 A. This is the value the stage is supervising.
- Status –
   Status of the stage. This is just a copy of the status value in the first menu.
- I>> 1013 A
   The pick-up limit is 1013 A in primary value.
- I>> 2.5 x I<sub>GN</sub>
   The pick-up limit is 2.50 times the rated current of the generator.
   This value can be edited if the operating level is at least "Operator". Operating levels are explained in Chapter 2.2.4 Operating levels.
- t>> 0.60s
   The total operation delay is set to 600 ms. This value can be edited if the operating level is at least "Operator".

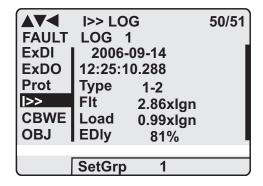


Figure 2.6: Third and last menu (next on the right) of I>> 50/51 stage

This is the menu for registered values by the I>> stage. Fault logs are explained in Chapter 2.2.3 Fault logs.

FAULT LOG 1

This is the latest of the eight available logs. You may move between the logs by pressing push buttons or and then

- 2006-09-14
   Date of the log.
- 12:25:10.288
   Time of the log.
- Type 1-2

The overcurrent fault has been detected in phases L1 and L2 (A & B, red & yellow, R/S, u&v).

- Flt 2.86 x I<sub>GN</sub>
   The fault current has been 2.86 per unit.
- Load 0.99 x I<sub>GN</sub>
   The average load current before the fault has been 0.99 pu.
- EDly 81%

The elapsed operation delay has been 81% of the setting 0.60 s = 0.49 s. Any registered elapsed delay less than 100 % means that the stage has not tripped, because the fault duration has been shorter that the delay setting.

SetGrp 1
 The setting group has been 1. This line can be reached by pressing ok and several times
 V.

# 2.2.2 Setting groups

Most of the protection functions of the relay have four setting groups. These groups are useful for example when the network topology is changed frequently. The active group can be changed by a digital

input, through remote communication or locally by using the local panel.

The active setting group of each protection function can be selected separately. Figure 2.7 shows an example where the changing of the I> setting group is handled with digital input one (SGrpDI). If the digital input is TRUE, the active setting group is group two and correspondingly, the active group is group one, if the digital input is FALSE. If no digital input is selected (SGrpDI = -), the active group can be selected by changing the value of the parameter SetGrp.

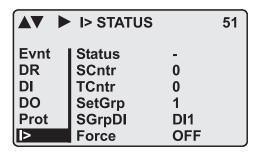


Figure 2.7: Example of protection submenu with setting group parameters

The changing of the setting parameters can be done easily. When the desired submenu has been found (with the arrow keys), press or to select the submenu. Now the selected setting group is indicated in the down-left corner of the display (See Figure 2.8). Set is setting group one and Set2 is setting group two. When the needed changes, to the selected setting group, have been done, press or to select another group (size is used when the active setting group is 2 and is used when the active setting group is 1).

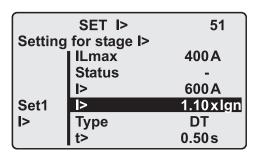


Figure 2.8: Example of I> setting submenu

## 2.2.3 Fault logs

All the protection functions include fault logs. The fault log of a function can register up to eight different faults with time stamp information, fault values etc. The fault logs are stored in non-volatile memory. Each function has its own logs. The fault logs are not cleared when power is switched off. The user is able to clear all logs using VAMPSET. Each function has its own logs (Figure 2.9).

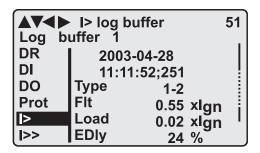


Figure 2.9: Example of fault log

To see the values of, for example, log two, press then ok to select the current log (log one). The current log number is then indicated in the down-left corner of the display (SeeFigure 2.10, Log2 = log two). The log two is selected by pressing once.

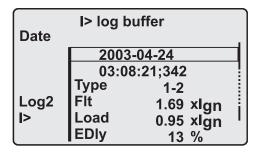


Figure 2.10: Example of selected fault log

# 2.2.4 Operating levels

The relay has three operating levels: **User level**, **Operator level** and **Configurator level**. The purpose of the access levels is to prevent accidental change of relay configurations, parameters or settings.

## **USER** level

Use:	Possible to read e.g. parameter values, measurements and events	
Opening:	Level permanently open	
Closing:	Closing not possible	

## **OPERATOR level**

Use:	Possible to control objects and to change e.g. the settings of the protection stages	
Opening:	Default password is 1	
Setting state:	Push OK	
Closing:	ng: The level is automatically closed after 10 minutes idle time. Giv the password 9999 can also close the level.	

#### **CONFIGURATOR level**

Use:	The configurator level is needed during the commissioning of the relay. E.g. the scaling of the voltage and current transformers can be set.	
Opening:	Default password is 2	
Setting state:	Push OK	
Closing:	The level is automatically closed after 10 minutes idle time. Giving the password 9999 can also close the level.	

## Opening access

1. Push and or on the front panel

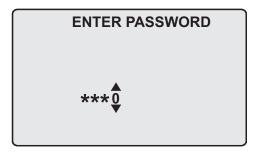


Figure 2.11: Opening the access level

- 2. Enter the password needed for the desired level: the password can contain four digits. The digits are supplied one by one by first moving to the position of the digit using and then setting the desired digit value using .
- 3. Push OK.

#### **Password handling**

The passwords can only be changed using VAMPSET software connected to the local RS-232 port on the relay.

It is possible to restore the password(s) in case the password is lost or forgotten. In order to restore the password(s), a relay program is needed. The virtual serial port settings are 38400 bps, 8 data bits, no parity and one stop bit. The bit rate is configurable via the front panel.

Command	Description
get pwd_break	Get the break code (Example: 6569403)
get serno	Get the serial number of the relay (Example: 12345)

Send both the numbers to your nearest Schneider Electric Customer Care Centre and ask for a password break. A device specific break code is sent back to you. That code will be valid for the next two weeks.

Command	Description
· -	Restore the factory default passwords ("4435876" is just an example. The actual code should be asked from your nearest Schneider Electric Customer Care Centre.)

Now the passwords are restored to the default values (See Chapter 2.2.4 Operating levels ).

# 2.3 Operating measures

## 2.3.1 Control functions

The default display of the local panel is a single-line diagram including relay identification, Local/Remote indication, Auto-reclose on/off selection and selected analogue measurement values.

Please note that the operator password must be active in order to be able to control the objects. Please refer to Chapter 2.2.4 Operating levels.

## **Toggling Local/Remote control**

- 1. Push ok. The previously activated object starts to blink.
- 2. Select the Local/Remote object ("L" or "R" squared) by using arrow keys.
- 3. Push ok. The L/R dialog opens. Select "REMOTE" to enable remote control and disable local control. Select "LOCAL" to enable local control and disable remote control.
- Confirm the setting by pushing OK. The Local/Remote state will change.

## **Object control**

- 1. Push ok. The previously activated object starts to blink.
- 2. Select the object to control by using arrow keys. Please note that only controllable objects can be selected.
- 3. Push ok. A control dialog opens.
- 4. Select the "Open" or "Close" command by using the or .
- 5. Confirm the operation by pushing ok. The state of the object changes.

## **Toggling virtual inputs**

- 1. Push ok. The previously activated object starts to blink.
- 2. Select the virtual input object (empty or black square)
- 3. The dialog opens
- 4. Select "Vlon" to activate the virtual input or select "Vloff" to deactivate the virtual input

## 2.3.2 Measured data

The measured values can be read from the P, E, I and U menus and their submenus. Furthermore, any measurement value in the following table can be displayed on the main view next to the single line diagram. Up to six measurements can be shown.

Value	Menu/Submenu	Description
Р	P/POWER	Active power [kW]
Q	P/POWER	Reactive power [kvar]
S	P/POWER	Apparent power [kVA]
φ	P/POWER	Active power angle [°]
P.F.	P/POWER	Power factor []
f	P/POWER	Frequency [Hz]
Pda	P/15 MIN POWER	Active power [kW]
Qda	P/15 MIN POWER	Reactive power [kvar]
Sda	P/15 MIN POWER	Apparent power [kVA]
Pfda	P/15 MIN POWER	Power factor [ ]
fda	P/15 MIN POWER	Frequency [Hz]
PL1	P/POWER/PHASE 1	Active power of phase 1 [kW]
PL2	P/POWER/PHASE 1	Active power of phase 2 [kW]
PL3	P/POWER/PHASE 1	Active power of phase 3 [kW]
QL1	P/POWER/PHASE 1	Reactive power of phase 1 [kvar]
QL2	P/POWER/PHASE 1	Reactive power of phase 2 [kvar]
QL3	P/POWER/PHASE 1	Reactive power of phase 3 [kvar]
SL1	P/POWER/PHASE 2	Apparent power of phase 1 [kVA]
SL2	P/POWER/PHASE 2	Apparent power of phase 2 [kVA]
SL3	P/POWER/PHASE 2	Apparent power of phase 3 [kVA]
PF_L1	P/POWER/PHASE 2	Power factor of phase 1 []
PF_L2	P/POWER/PHASE 2	Power factor of phase 2 [ ]
PF_L3	P/POWER/PHASE 2	Power factor of phase 3 []
cos	P/COS & TAN	Cosine phi []
tan	P/COS & TAN	Tangent phi []
cosL1	P/COS & TAN	Cosine phi of phase L1 []
cosL2	P/COS & TAN	Cosine phi of phase L2 []
cosL3	P/COS & TAN	Cosine phi of phase L3 []
Iseq	P/PHASE SEQUENCIES	Actual current phase sequency [OK; Reverse; ??]
Useq	P/PHASE SEQUENCIES	Actual voltage phase sequency [OK; Reverse; ??]
Ιο1φ	P/PHASE SEQUENCIES	lo1/Uo angle [°]
Ιο2φ	P/PHASE SEQUENCIES	lo2/Uo angle [°]
fAdop	P/PHASE SEQUENCIES	Adopted frequency [Hz]
E+	E/ENERGY	Exported energy [MWh]
Eq+	E/ENERGY	Exported reactive energy [Mvar]
E-	E/ENERGY	Imported energy [MWh]

Value	Menu/Submenu	Description
Eq-	E/ENERGY	Imported reactive energy [Mvar]
E+.nn	E/DECIMAL COUNT	Decimals of exported energy [ ]
Eq.nn	E/DECIMAL COUNT	Decimals of reactive energy [ ]
Enn	E/DECIMAL COUNT	Decimals of imported energy [ ]
Ewrap	E/DECIMAL COUNT	Energy control
E+	E/E-PULSE SIZES	Pulse size of exported energy [kWh]
Eq+	E/E-PULSE SIZES	Pulse size of exported reactive energy [kvar]
E-	E/E-PULSE SIZES	Pulse size of imported energy [kWh]
Eq-	E/E-PULSE SIZES	Pulse duration of imported reactive energy [ms]
E+	E/E-PULSE DURATION	Pulse duration of exported energy [ms]
Eq+	E/E-PULSE DURATION	Pulse duration of exported reactive energy [ms]
E-	E/E-PULSE DURATION	Pulse duration of imported energy [ms]
Eq-	E/E-PULSE DURATION	Pulse duration of imported reactive energy [ms]
E+	E/E-pulse TEST	Test the exported energy pulse []
Eq+	E/E-pulse TEST	Test the exported reactive energy []
E-	E/E-pulse TEST	Test the imported energy [ ]
Eq-	E/E-pulse TEST	Test the imported reactive energy []
IL1	I/PHASE CURRENTS	Phase current IL1 [A]
IL2	I/PHASE CURRENTS	Phase current IL2 [A]
IL3	I/PHASE CURRENTS	Phase current IL3 [A]
IL1da	I/PHASE CURRENTS	15 min average for IL1 [A]
IL2da	I/PHASE CURRENTS	15 min average for IL2 [A]
IL3da	I/PHASE CURRENTS	15 min average for IL3 [A]
lo	I/SYMMETRIC CURRENTS	Primary value of zerosequence/ residual current lo [A]
lo2	I/SYMMETRIC CURRENTS	Primary value of zero-sequence/residual current Io2 [A]
loC	I/SYMMETRIC CURRENTS	Calculated Io [A]
I1	I/SYMMETRIC CURRENTS	Positive sequence current [A]
12	I/SYMMETRIC CURRENTS	Negative sequence current [A]
12/11	I/SYMMETRIC CURRENTS	Negative sequence current related to positive sequence current (for unbalance protection) [%]
THDIL	I/HARM. DISTORTION	Total harmonic distortion of the mean value of phase currents [%]
THDIL1	I/HARM. DISTORTION	Total harmonic distortion of phase current IL1 [%]
THDIL2	I/HARM. DISTORTION	Total harmonic distortion of phase current IL2 [%]
THDIL3	I/HARM. DISTORTION	Total harmonic distortion of phase current IL3 [%]
Diagram	I/HARMONICS of IL1	Harmonics of phase current IL1 [%] (See Figure 2.12)
Diagram	I/HARMONICS of IL2	Harmonics of phase current IL2 [%] (See Figure 2.12)
Diagram	I/HARMONICS of IL3	Harmonics of phase current IL3 [%] (See Figure 2.12)
Uline	U/LINE VOLTAGES	Average value for the three line voltages [V]
U12	U/LINE VOLTAGES	Phase-to-phase voltage U12 [V]
U23	U/LINE VOLTAGES	Phase-to-phase voltage U23 [V]
U31	U/LINE VOLTAGES	Phase-to-phase voltage U31 [V]
UL	U/PHASE VOLTAGES	Average for the three phase voltages [V]

Value	Menu/Submenu	Description
UL1	U/PHASE VOLTAGES	Phase-to-earth voltage UL1 [V]
UL2	U/PHASE VOLTAGES	Phase-to-earth voltage UL2 [V]
UL3	U/PHASE VOLTAGES	Phase-to-earth voltage UL3 [V]
Uo	U/SYMMETRIC VOLTAGES	Residual voltage Uo [%]
U1	U/SYMMETRIC VOLTAGES	Positive sequence voltage [%]
U2	U/SYMMETRIC VOLTAGES	Negative sequence voltage [%]
U2/U1	U/SYMMETRIC VOLTAGES	Negative sequence voltage related to positive sequence voltage [%]
THDU	U/HARM. DISTORTION	Total harmonic distortion of the mean value of voltages [%]
THDUa	U/HARM. DISTORTION	Total harmonic distortion of the voltage input a [%]
THDUb	U/HARM. DISTORTION	Total harmonic distortion of the voltage input b [%]
THDUc	U/HARM. DISTORTION	Total harmonic distortion of the voltage input c [%]
Diagram	U/HARMONICS of Ua	Harmonics of voltage input Ua [%] (See Figure 2.12)
Diagram	U/HARMONICS of Ub	Harmonics of voltage input Ub [%] (See Figure 2.12)
Diagram	U/HARMONICS of Uc	Harmonics of voltage input Uc [%] (See Figure 2.12)
Count	U/VOLT. INTERRUPTS	Voltage interrupts counter []
Prev	U/VOLT. INTERRUPTS	Previous interruption []
Total	U/VOLT. INTERRUPTS	Total duration of voltage interruptions [days, hours]
Prev	U/VOLT. INTERRUPTS	Duration of previous interruption [s]
Status	U/VOLT. INTERRUPTS	Voltage status [LOW; NORMAL]

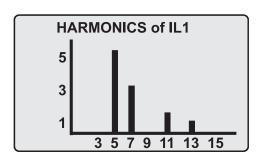


Figure 2.12: Example of harmonics bar display

# 2.3.3 Reading event register

The event register can be read from the Evnt submenu:

- 1. Push once.
- The EVENT LIST appears. The display contains a list of all the events that have been configured to be included in the event register.

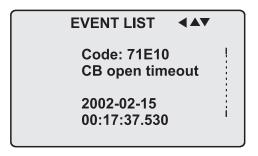


Figure 2.13: Example of an event register

- 3. Scroll through the event list with the \( \triangle \) and \( \triangle \).
- 4. Exit the event list by pushing .

It is possible to set the order in which the events are sorted. If the "Order" -parameter is set to "New-Old", then the first event in the EVENT LIST is the most recent event.

# 2.3.4 Forced control (Force)

In some menus it is possible to switch a function on and off by using a force function. This feature can be used, for instance, for testing a certain function. The force function can be activated as follows:

- 1. Open access level Configurator.
- 2. Move to the setting state of the desired function, for example DO (see Chapter 2.4 Configuration and parameter setting).
- 3. Select the Force function (the background color of the force text is black).

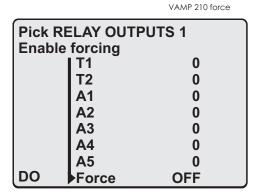


Figure 2.14: Selecting Force function

- 4. Push OK.
- 5. Push the or to change the "OFF" text to "ON", that is, to activate the Force function.
- 6. Push ok to return to the selection list. Choose the signal to be controlled by force with the and v, for instance the T1 signal.
- Push ok to confirm the selection. Signal T1 can now be controlled by force.
- 8. Push the or to change the selection from "0" (not alert) to "1" (alert) or vice versa.
- 9. Push ok to execute the forced control operation of the selected function, e.g., making the output relay of T1 to pick up.
- 10. Repeat the steps 7 and 8 to alternate between the on and off state of the function.
- 11. Repeat the steps 1 4 to exit the Force function.
- 12. Push to return to the main menu.

**NOTE:** All the interlockings and blockings are bypassed when the force control is used.

# 2.4 Configuration and parameter setting

The minimum procedure to configure a device is

- 1. Open the access level "Configurator". The default password for configurator access level is 2.
- 2. Set the rated values in menu [CONF] including at least current transformers, voltage transformers and generator ratings. Also the date and time settings are in this same main menu.
- 3. Enable the needed protection functions and disable the rest of the protection functions in main menu [Prot].
- 4. Set the setting parameter of the enable protection stages according the application.
- Connect the output relays to the start and trip signals of the enabled protection stages using the output matrix. This can be done in main menu [DO], although the VAMPSET program is recommended for output matrix editing.
- 6. Configure the needed digital inputs in main menu [DI].
- 7. Configure blocking and interlockings for protection stages using the block matrix. This can be done in main menu [Prot], although VAMPSET is recommended for block matrix editing.

Some of the parameters can only be changed via the RS-232 serial port using the VAMPSET software. Such parameters, (for example passwords, blockings and mimic configuration) are normally set only during commissioning.

Some of the parameters require the restarting of the relay. This restarting is done automatically when necessary. If a parameter change requires restarting, the display will show as Figure 2.15

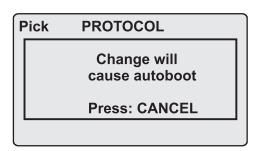


Figure 2.15: Example of auto-reset display

Press to return to the setting view. If a parameter must be changed, press again. The parameter can now be set. When

the parameter change is confirmed with ok, a [RESTART]- text appears to the top-right corner of the display. This means that auto-resetting is pending. If no key is pressed, the auto-reset will be executed within few seconds.

## 2.4.1 Parameter setting

- 1. Move to the setting state of the desired menu (for example CONF/CURRENT SCALING) by pushing OK. The Pick text appears in the upper-left part of the display.
- 2. Enter the password associated with the configuration level by pushing and then using the arrow keys and ok (default value is 0002). For more information about the access levels, please refer to Chapter 2.2.3 Fault logs.
- 3. Scroll through the parameters using the and . A parameter can be set if the background color of the line is black. If the parameter cannot be set the parameter is framed.
- 4. Select the desired parameter (for example Inom) with ok.
- 5. Use the and keys to change a parameter value. If the value contains more than one digit, use the and keys to shift from digit to digit, and the and keys to change the digits.
- 6. Push ok to accept a new value. If you want to leave the parameter value unchanged, exit the edit state by pushing .

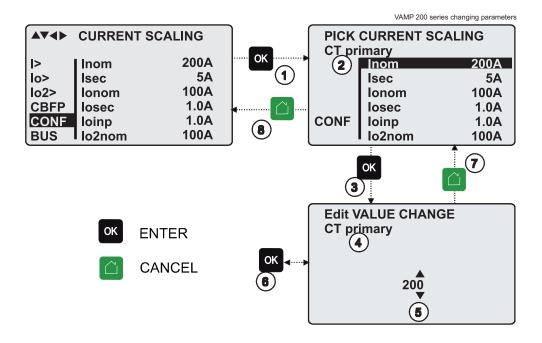


Figure 2.16: Changing parameters

## 2.4.2 Setting range limits

If the given parameter setting values are out-of-range values, a fault message will be shown when the setting is confirmed with OK.

Adjust the setting to be within the allowed range.

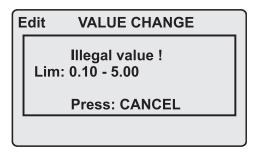


Figure 2.17: Example of a fault message

The allowed setting range is shown in the display in the setting mode.

To view the range, push **1**. Push **1** to return to the setting mode.

Info SET I> 51
Setting for stage I>
Type: i32.dd
Range: 0.10
... 5.00

ENTER : password
CANCEL: back to menu

Figure 2.18: Allowed setting ranges show in the display

## 2.4.3 Disturbance recorder menu DR

Via the submenus of the disturbance recorder menu the following functions and features can be read and set:

## **Disturbance settings**

- Manual trigger (ManTrg)
- 2. Status (Status)
- 3. Clear oldest record (Clear)
- 4. Clear all records (ClrAll)
- Recording completion (Stored)
- 6. Count of ready records (ReadyRec)

## **Recorder settings**

- 1. Manual trigger (MnlTrig)
- 2. Sample rate (Rate)
- 3. Recording time (Time)
- 4. Pre trig time (PreTrig)
- 5. Mximum time (MaxLen)
- 6. Count of ready records (ReadyRe)

## Rec. coupling

- Add a link to the recorder (AddLink)
- Clear all links (ClrLnks)

## **Available links**

- DO, DI
- IL
- I2/In, I2/I1, I2, I1, IoCalc
- f
- IL3, IL2, IL1
- THDIL1, THDIL2, THDIL3
- Uo
- Uline, Uphase
- U2/U1, U2, U1
- UL3, UL2, UL1
- U31, U23, U12
- CosFii
- PF, S, Q, P
- lo2, lo1
- Prms, Qrms, Srms
- Tanfii
- THDUa, THDUb, THDUc
- fy, fz, U12y, U12z

## 2.4.4 Configuring digital inputs DI

The following functions can be read and set via the submenus of the digital inputs menu:

- 1. The status of digital inputs (DIGITAL INPUTS 1 6 / 18)
- 2. Operation counters (DI COUNTERS)
- 3. Operation delay (DELAYs for DigIn)
- 4. The polarity of the input signal (INPUT POLARITY). Either normally open (NO) or normally closed (NC) circuit.
- 5. Event enabling EVENT MASK1

## 2.4.5 Configuring digital outputs DO

The following functions can be read and set via the submenus of the digital outputs menu:

- The status of the output relays (RELAY OUTPUTS1 and 2)
- The forcing of the output relays (RELAY OUTPUTS1 and 2) (only if Force = ON):
  - Forced control (0 or 1) of the Trip relays
  - Forced control (0 or 1) of the Alarm relays
  - Forced control (0 or 1) of the SF relay
- The configuration of the output signals to the output relays. The configuration of the operation indicators (LED) Alarm and Trip and application specific alarm leds A, B and C (that is, the output relay matrix).

**NOTE:** The amount of Trip and Alarm relays depends on the relay type and optional hardware.

## 2.4.6 Protection menu Prot

The following functions can be read and set via the submenus of the Prot menu:

- 1. Reset all the counters (PROTECTION SET/CIAII)
- 2. Read the status of all the protection functions (PROTECT STATUS 1 x)
- Enable and disable protection functions (ENABLED STAGES 1 x)
- 4. Define the interlockings using block matrix (only with VAMPSET)

Each stage of the protection functions can be disabled or enabled individually in the Prot menu. When a stage is enabled, it will be in operation immediately without a need to reset the relay.

The relay includes several protection functions. However, the processor capacity limits the number of protection functions that can be active at the same time.

## 2.4.7 Configuration menu CONF

The following functions and features can be read and set via the submenus of the configuration menu:

#### **Device setup**

- Bit rate for the command line interface in ports X4 and the front panel. The front panel is always using this setting. If SPABUS is selected for the rear panel local port X4, the bit rate is according SPABUS settings.
- Access level [Acc]
- PC access level [PCAcc]

#### Language

List of available languages in the relay

## **Current scaling**

- Rated phase CT primary current (Inom)
- Rated phase CT secondary current (Isec)
- Rated input of the relay [linput]. 5 A or 1 A. This is specified in the order code of the device.
- Rated input of the relay [linput]. 5 A or 1 A. This is specified in the order code of the device.
- Rated value of I<sub>0</sub> CT primary current (Ionom)

- Rated value of I<sub>0</sub> CT secondary current (losec)
- Rated I<sub>01</sub> input of the relay [loinp]. 5 A or 1 A. This is specified
  in the order code of the device.
- Rated value of I<sub>02</sub> CT primary current (Io2nom)
- Rated value of I<sub>02</sub> CT secondary current (Io2sec)
- Rated I<sub>02</sub> input of the relay [Io2inp]. 5A, 1 A or 0.2 A. This is specified in the order code of the device.

The rated input values are usually equal to the rated secondary value of the CT.

The rated CT secondary may be greater than the rated input but the continuous current must be less than four times the rated input. In compensated, high impedance earthed and isolated networks using cable transformer to measure residual current  $I_0$ , it is quite usual to use a relay with 1 A or 0.2 A input although the CT is 5 A or 1A. This increases the measurement accuracy.

The rated CT secondary may also be less than the rated input but the measurement accuracy near zero current will decrease.

## **Generator setting**

- Rated voltage of the generator or motor (U<sub>GN</sub>).
- Rated power of the generator or motor (S<sub>GN</sub>).
- Rated shaft power of the prime mover (Pm). If this value is not known, set it equal to Sgn. The reverse power and underpower stages do use this value as reference for 1.00 per unit.
- Rated current of the generator calculated by the device (I<sub>GN</sub>).
- Rated impedance of the generator or motor calculated by the device (Z<sub>GN</sub>).
- Existence of any unit transformer between VTs and CTs (Trafo).
   In case the VTs are on the bus side of the transformer and CTs are on the generator side, this parameter is set equal to "On".
   The generator may have a unit transformer, but if the VTs and CTs are on the same side of this transformer, this parameter is set equal to "Off".
- Connection group of the unit transformer, if any. IEC marking
  with capital letters Y and D for bus side and small case letters y
  and d for generator side combined with the dial hour is used. For
  example Yd11 means a wye-delta transformer where the delta
  side phase-to-ground voltages are leading 30° the wye side
  phase-to-ground voltages.
- Rated busbar side voltage of the unit transformer, if any (UnBB).
- Rated generator side voltage of the unit transformer, if any (UnGS).

## Voltage scaling

- Rated VT primary voltage (Uprim)
- Rated VT secondary voltage (Usec)
- Rated U<sub>0</sub> VT secondary voltage (Uosec)
- Voltage measuring mode (Umode)

## Units for mimic display

- Unit for voltages (V). The choices are V (volt) or kV (kilovolt).
- Scaling for active, reactive and apparent power [Power]. The choices are k for kW, kvar and kVA or M for MW, Mvar and MVA.

#### **Device info**

- Relay type (Type VAMP 210)
- Serial number (SerN)
- Software version (PrgVer)
- Bootcode version (BootVer)

## Date/time setup

- Day, month and year (Date)
- Time of day (Time)
- Date format (Style). The choices are "yyyy-mm-dd", "dd.nn.yyyy" and "mm/dd/yyyy".

## **Clock synchronisation**

- Digital input for minute sync pulse (SyncDI). If any digital input is not used for synchronization, select "-".
- Daylight saving time for NTP synchronization (DST).
- Detected source of synchronization (SyScr).
- Synchronization message counter (MsgCnt).
- Latest synchronization deviation (Dev).

The following parameters are visible only when the access level is higher than "User".

- Offset, i.e. constant error, of the synchronization source (SyOS).
- Auto adjust interval (AAIntv).
- Average drift direction (AvDrft): "Lead" or "lag".
- Average synchronization deviation (FilDev).

## **SW** options

- Application mode, fixed Generator (ApplMod)
- External led module installed (Ledmodule)
- Mimic display selection (MIMIC)

## 2.4.8 Protocol menu Bus

There are three optional communication ports in the rear panel. The availability depends on the communication options (see Chapter 14 Order information).

In addition there is a connector in the front panel overruling the local port in the rear panel.

## Remote port

- Communication protocol for remote port X5 [Protocol].
- Message counter [Msg#]. This can be used to verify that the device is receiving messages.
- Communication error counter [Errors]
- Communication time-out error counter [Tout].
- Information of bit rate/data bits/parity/stop bits. This value is not directly editable. Editing is done in the appropriate protocol setting menus.

The counters are useful when testing the communication.

## Local port X4 (pins 2, 3 and 5)

This port is disabled, if a cable is connected to the front panel connector.

- Communication protocol for the local port X4 [Protocol]. For VAMPSET use "None" or "SPABUS".
- Message counter [Msg#]. This can be used to verify that the device is receiving messages.
- Communication error counter [Errors]
- Communication time-out error counter [Tout].
- Information of bit rate/data bits/parity/stop bits. This value is not directly editable. Editing is done in the appropriate protocol setting menus. For VAMPSET and protocol "None" the setting is done in menu CONF/DEVICE SETUP.

The counters are useful when testing the communication.

## PC (Local/SPA-bus)

This is a second menu for local port X4. The VAMPSET communication status is showed.

- Bytes/size of the transmitter buffer [Tx].
- Message counter [Msg#]. This can be used to verify that the device is receiving messages.
- Communication error counter [Errors]
- Communication time-out error counter [Tout].
- Same information as in the previous menu.

## Extension port (pins 7, 8 and 5)

- Communication protocol for extension port X4 [Protocol].
- Message counter [Msg#]. This can be used to verify that the device is receiving messages.
- Communication error counter [Errors]
- Communication time-out error counter [Tout].
- Information of bit rate/data bits/parity/stop bits. This value is not directly editable. Editing is done in the appropriate protocol setting menus.

#### **Ethernet port**

These parameters are used by the ethernet interface module. For changing the nnn.nnn.nnn style parameter values, VAMPSET is recommended.

- Ethernet port protocol [Protoc].
- IP Port for protocol [Port]
- IP address [lpAddr].
- Net mask [NetMsk].
- Gateway [Gatew].
- Name server [NameSw].
- Network time protocol (NTP) server [NTPSvr].
- TCP Keep alive interval [KeepAlive]
- MAC address [MAC]
- IP Port for VAMPSET [VS Port]
- Message counter [Msg#]
- Error counter [Errors]
- Timeout counter [Tout]

#### **Modbus**

- Modbus address for this slave device [Addr]. This address has to be unique within the system.
- Modbus bit rate [bit/s]. Default is "9600".
- Parity [Parity]. Default is "Even".

For details, see Chapter 9.2.2 Modbus TCP and Modbus RTU.

## External I/O protocol

This is a Modbus master protocol to communicate with the extension I/O modules connected to the extension port. Only one instance of this protocol is possible.

- Bit rate [bit/s]. Default is "9600".
- Parity [Parity]. Default is "Even".

For details, see Chapter 9.2.8 External I/O (Modbus RTU master).

## **SPA-bus**

Several instances of this protocol are possible.

- SPA-bus address for this device [Addr]. This address has to be unique within the system.
- Bit rate [bit/s]. Default is "9600".
- Event numbering style [Emode]. Default is "Channel".

For details, see Chapter 9.2.4 SPA-bus.

#### IEC 60870-5-103

Only one instance of this protocol is possible.

- Address for this device [Addr]. This address has to be unique within the system.
- Bit rate [bit/s]. Default is "9600".
- Minimum measurement response interval [MeasInt].
- ASDU6 response time mode [SyncRe].

For details, see Chapter 9.2.5 IEC 60870-5-103.

## **IEC 103 Disturbance recordings**

For details, see Table 9.11.

#### **Profibus**

Only one instance of this protocol is possible.

- [Mode]
- Bit rate [bit/s]. Use 2400 bps. This parameter is the bit rate between the main CPU and the Profibus ASIC. The actual Profibus bit rate is automatically set by the Profibus master and can be up to 12 Mbit/s.
- Event numbering style [Emode].
- Size of the Profibus Tx buffer [InBuf].
- Size of the Profibus Rx buffer [OutBuf].
   When configuring the Profibus master system, the length of these buffers are needed. The size of the both buffers is set indirectly when configuring the data items for Profibus.
- Address for this slave device [Addr]. This address has to be unique within the system.
- Profibus converter type [Conv]. If the shown type is a dash "-",
  either Profibus protocol has not been selected or the device has
  not restarted after protocol change or there is a communication
  problem between the main CPU and the Profibus ASIC.

For details, see Chapter 9.2.3 Profibus DP.

## DNP3

Only one instance of this protocol is possible.

- Bit rate [bit/s]. Default is "9600".
- [Parity].
- Address for this device [SlvAddr]. This address has to be unique within the system.
- Master's address [MstrAddr].

For details, see Chapter 9.2.6 DNP 3.0.

## IEC 60870-5-101

- Bit rate [bit/s]. Default is "9600".
- [Parity].
- Link layer address for this device [LLAddr].
- ASDU address [ALAddr].

For details, see Chapter 9.2.7 IEC 60870-5-101.

#### **DeviceNet**

- Bit rate [bit/s]. Default is "125kbps".
- Slave address [SlvAddr]

For details, see Chapter 9.2.12 DeviceNet.

## 2.4.9 Single line diagram editing

The single-line diagram is drawn with the VAMPSET software. For more information, please refer to the VAMPSET manual (VVAMPSET/EN M/xxxx).

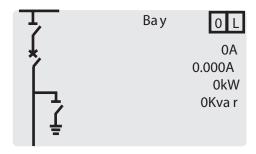


Figure 2.19: Single line diagram

## 2.4.10 Blocking and Interlocking configuration

The configuration of the blockings and interlockings is done with the VAMPSET software. Any start or trip signal can be used for blocking the operation of any protection stage. Furthermore, the interlocking between objects can be configured in the same blocking matrix of the VAMPSET software. For more information, please refer to the VAMPSET manual (VVAMPSET/EN M/xxxx).

## 3 VAMPSET PC software

The PC user interface can be used for:

- On-site parameterization of the relay
- Loading relay software from a computer
- Reading measured values, registered values and events to a computer
- Continuous monitoring of all values and events

Two RS 232 serial ports are available for connecting a local PC with VAMPSET to the relay; one on the front panel and one on the rear panel of the relay. These two serial ports are connected in parallel. However, if the connection cables are connected to both ports, only the port on the front panel will be active. To connect a PC to a serial port, use a connection cable of type VX 003-3.

The VAMPSET program can also use TCP/IP LAN connection. Optional hardware is required.

There is a free of charge PC program called VAMPSET available for configuration and setting of VAMP relays. Please download the latest VAMPSET.exe from our web page. For more information about the VAMPSET software, please refer to the user's manual with the code VVAMPSET/EN M/xxxx. Also the VAMPSET user's manual is available at our web site.

## 3.1 Folder view

In VAMPSET version 2.2.136, a feature called "Folder view" was introduced.

The idea of folder view is to make it easier for the user to work with relay functions inside VAMPSET. When folder view is enabled, VAMPSET gathers similar functions together and places them appropriately under seven different folders (GENERAL, MEASUREMENTS, INPUTS/OUTPUTS, MATRIX, LOGS and COMMUNICATION). The contents (functions) of the folders depend on the relay type and currently selected application mode.

Folder view can be enabled in VAMPSET via Program Settings dialog (Settings -> Program Settings), see Figure 3.1.

**3.1 Folder view** 3 VAMPSET PC software

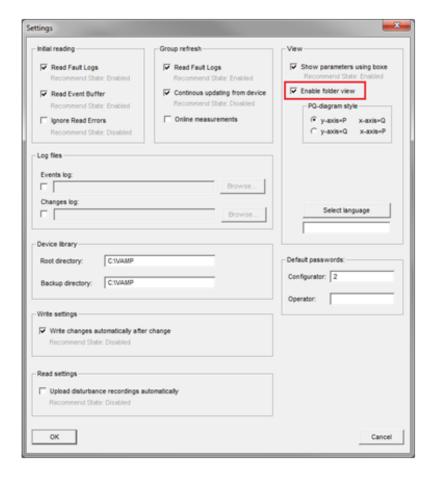


Figure 3.1: Enable folder view setting in Program Settings dialog

**NOTE:** It is possible to enable/ disable the folder view only when VAMPSET is disconnected from the relay and there is no configuration file opened.

When folder view is enabled, folder buttons become visible in VAMPSET, see Figure 3.2. Currently selected folder appears in bold.



Figure 3.2: Folder view buttons

# 4 Introduction

The numerical device includes all the essential protection functions needed to protect generators in power plants, industry, offshore applications and embedded power generation.

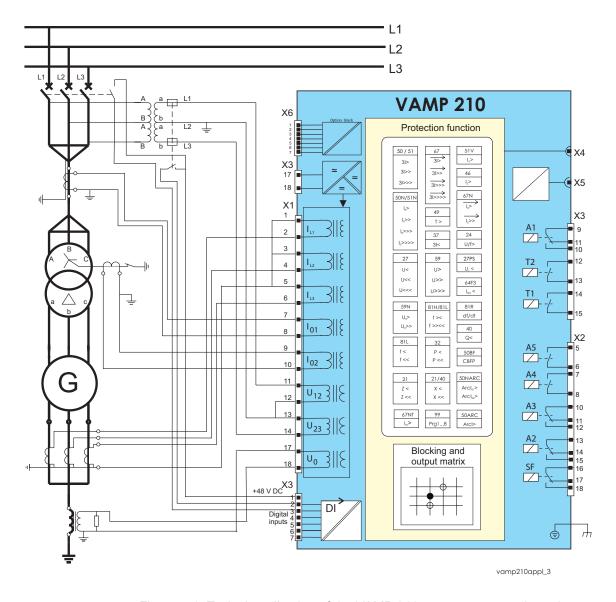


Figure 4.1: Typical application of the VAMP 210 generator protection relay.

4.1 Main features 4 Introduction

## 4.1 Main features

The main features of VAMP 210 are

 Comprehensive set of protection functions. The protection stages not needed in a particular application can be disabled.

- Versatile measuring functions including currents, voltages, frequency, power, energy, symmetric components, average values etc.
- Control functions and status display for circuit breakers, disconnectors etc.
- Arc protection is available as option.
- Fully digital signal handling with a powerful 16-bit microprocessor, and high measuring accuracy on all the setting ranges due to an accurate 16-bit A/D conversion technique and up to 20-bit dynamic range.
- Easy adaptability of the relay to the power plant automation system or SCADA systems using the wide range of available communication protocols.
- Easy adaptation to traditional alarm systems using the available signal relay outputs and the flexible signal-grouping matrix of the relay.
- Flexible control and blocking possibilities due to digital signal control inputs (DI) and outputs (DO).
- Freely configurable mimic display with busbar, CB etc. symbols and six selectable measurement values.
- Five freely configurable double character size measurement displays.
- Freely programmable interlocking schemes with basic logic functions and timers.
- Recording of time stamped events and fault values.
- Built-in disturbance recorder for evaluating all the analogue and digital signals.
- Disturbance recorder for evaluating all the analogue and digital signals.
- Easy configuration, parameterisation and reading of information via the local human man interface (HMI), or with the free of charge VAMPSET PC program.
- Built-in, self-regulating AC/DC converter for auxiliary power supply from any source within the range from 40 to 265 VDC or VAC. The alternative power supply is for 18 to 36 VDC.

# 4.2 Principles of numerical protection techniques

The device is using numerical technology. This means that all the signal filtering, protection and control functions are implemented through digital processing.

The numerical technique is primarily based on an adapted Fast Fourier Transformation (FFT) algorithm. Synchronized sampling of the measured voltage and current signals is used. The sample rate is 32 samples/cycle within the frequency range 45 Hz – 65 Hz. The frequency is measured from the voltage signals and used to synchronize the sampling rate.

Therefore secondary testing of a brand new device should be started with voltage protection functions and voltage injection to let the relay learn the local frequency. The learned frequency is used for sampling rate synchronization when no voltage is present. The local network frequency can also be manually given for the relay.

Apart from the FFT calculations, some protection functions also require the symmetrical components to be calculated for obtaining the positive, negative and zero phase sequence components of the measured quantity. For example, the function of the unbalanced load protection stage is based on the use of the negative phase sequence component of the current.

Figure 4.2 shows a hardware block diagram of the relay. The main components are the current and voltage inputs, digital input elements, output relays, A/D converters and the microcomputer and a power supply unit.

Figure 4.3 shows the inputs and outputs of a general protection function. The FFT block is calculating the fundamental frequency phasors and also harmonics used by some protection functions. The block matrix is used for simple interlocking. (More complex interlocking is done with the user's programmable logic). The output matrix is used to connect the pick-up and trip signals from protection blocks to the output relays and indicators.

Figure 4.4 shows a block diagram of a basic overcurrent or overvoltage function with definite and inverse operation time.

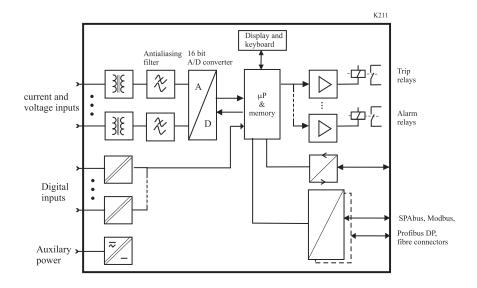


Figure 4.2: Principle block diagram of the VAMP hardware

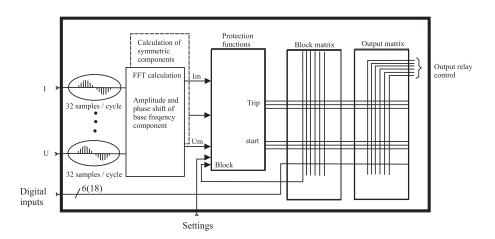


Figure 4.3: Block diagram of signal processing and protection software

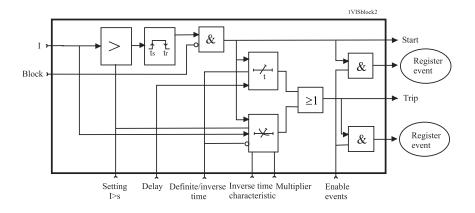


Figure 4.4: Block diagram of a basic protection function

## 5 Protection functions

Each protection stage can independently be enabled or disabled according to the requirements of the intended application.

# 5.1 Maximum number of protection stages in one application

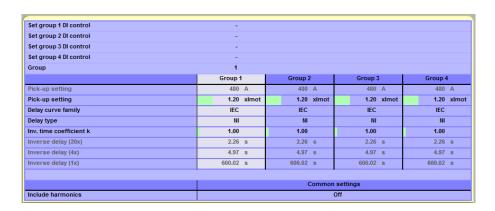
The device limits the maximum number of enabled stages to about 30, depending of the type of the stages.

For more information, please see the configuration instructions in Chapter 2.4 Configuration and parameter setting.

# 5.2 General features of protection stages

## **Setting groups**

Setting groups are controlled by using digital inputs or other assigned inputs. When none of the assigned input/inputs is/are not active the active setting group is defined by parameter 'SetGrp no control state'. When controlled input activates the corresponding setting group is activated as well. If multiple inputs are active at the same time the active setting group is defined by 'SetGrp priority'. By using virtual I/O the active setting group can be controlled using the local panel display, any communication protocol or using the inbuilt programmable logic functions.



## Example

Any digital input could be used to control setting groups but in this example DI1, DI2, DI3 and DI4 are chosen to control setting groups 1 to 4. This setting is done with a parameter "Set group x DI control" where x refers to the desired setting group.

Figure 5.1: DI1, DI2, DI3, DI4 are configured to control Groups 1 to 4 respectively.

"SetGrp priority" is used to give a condition to a situation where two or more digital inputs, controlling setting groups, are active and at a same time. SetGrp priority could have vales "1 to 4" or "4 to 1".

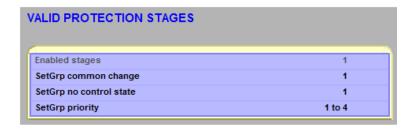


Figure 5.2: SetGrp priority setting is located in the Valid Protection stages view.

Assuming that DI2 and DI3 are active at a same time and SetGrp priority is set to "1 to 4" setting group 2 will become active. In case SetGrp priority is reversed i.e. it is set to "4 to 1" setting group 3 would be active.

#### Forcing start or trip condition for testing

The status of a protection stage can be one of the followings:

Ok = '-'

The stage is idle and is measuring the analog quantity for the protection. No fault detected.

Blocked

The stage is detecting a fault but blocked by some reason.

Start

The stage is counting the operation delay.

Trip

The stage has tripped and the fault is still on.

The blocking reason may be an active signal via the block matrix from other stages, the programmable logic or any digital input. Some stages also have inbuilt blocking logic. For more details about block matrix, see Chapter 8.5 Blocking matrix.

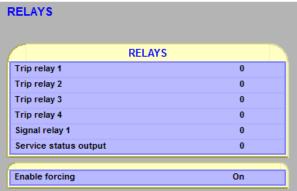
## Forcing start or trip condition for testing purposes

There is a "Force flag" parameter which, when activated, allows forcing the status of any protection stage to be "start" or "trip" for a half second. By using this forcing feature any current or voltage injection to the device is not necessary to check the output matrix configuration, to check the wiring from the output relays to the circuit breaker and also to check that communication protocols are correctly transferring event information to a SCADA system.

After testing the force flag will automatically reset 5-minute after the last local panel push button activity.

The force flag also enables forcing of the output relays and forcing the optional mA outputs.

Force flag can be found in relays menu.



## Start and trip signals

Every protection stage has two internal binary output signals: start and trip. The start signal is issued when a fault has been detected. The trip signal is issued after the configured operation delay unless the fault disappears before the end of the delay time.

## **Output matrix**

Using the output matrix the user connects the internal start and trip signals to the output relays and indicators. For more details, see Chapter 8.4 Output matrix.

#### Blocking

Any protection function, except arc protection, can be blocked with internal and external signals using the block matrix (Chapter 8.5 Blocking matrix). Internal signals are for example logic outputs and start and trip signals from other stages and external signals are for example digital and virtual inputs.

Some protection stages have also inbuilt blocking functions. For example under-frequency protection has inbuilt under-voltage blocking to avoid tripping when the voltage is off.

When a protection stage is blocked, it won't pick-up in case of a fault condition is detected. If blocking is activated during the operation delay, the delay counting is frozen until the blocking goes off or the pick-up reason, i.e. the fault condition, disappears. If the stage is already tripping, the blocking has no effect.

#### Retardation time

Retardation time is the time a protection relay needs to notice, that a fault has been cleared during the operation time delay. This parameter is important when grading the operation time delay settings between relays.

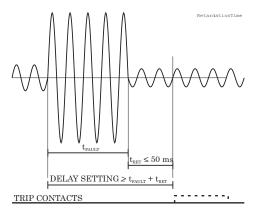


Figure 5.3: Definition for retardation time. If the delay setting would be slightly shorter, an unselective trip might occur (the dash line pulse).

For example when there is a big fault in an outgoing feeder, it might start i.e. pick-up both the incoming and outgoing feeder relay. However the fault must be cleared by the outgoing feeder relay and the incoming feeder relay must not trip. Although the operating delay setting of the incoming feeder is more than at the outgoing feeder, the incoming feeder might still trip, if the operation time difference is not big enough. The difference must be more than the retardation time of the incoming feeder relay plus the operating time of the outgoing feeder circuit breaker.

Figure 5.3 shows an overvoltage fault seen by the incoming feeder, when the outgoing feeder does clear the fault. If the operation delay setting would be slightly shorter or if the fault duration would be slightly longer than in the figure, an unselective trip might happen (the dashed 40 ms pulse in the figure). In VAMP devices the retardation time is less than 50 ms.

## Reset time (release time)

Figure 5.4 shows an example of reset time i.e. release delay, when the relay is clearing an overcurrent fault. When the relay's trip contacts are closed the circuit breaker (CB) starts to open. After the CB contacts are open the fault current will still flow through an arc between the opened contacts. The current is finally cut off when the

arc extinguishes at the next zero crossing of the current. This is the start moment of the reset delay. After the reset delay the trip contacts and start contact are opened unless latching is configured. The precise reset time depends on the fault size; after a big fault the reset time is longer. The reset time also depends on the specific protection stage.

The maximum reset time for each stage is specified in Chapter 12.3 Protection functions. For most stages it is less than 95 ms.

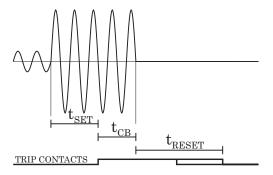


Figure 5.4: Reset time is the time it takes the trip or start relay contacts to open after the fault has been cleared.

#### Hysteresis or dead band

When comparing a measured value against a pick-up value, some amount of hysteresis is needed to avoid oscillation near equilibrium situation. With zero hysteresis any noise in the measured signal or any noise in the measurement itself would cause unwanted oscillation between fault-on and fault-off situations.

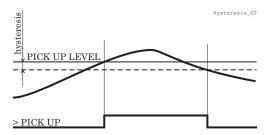


Figure 5.5: Behaviour of a greater than comparator. For example in overvoltage stages the hysteresis (dead band) acts according this figure.

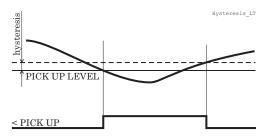


Figure 5.6: Behaviour of a less than comparator. For example in under-voltage and under frequency stages the hysteresis (dead band) acts according this figure.

## 5.3 Overcurrent protection I> (50/51)

Overcurrent protection is used against short circuit faults and heavy overloads.

The overcurrent function measures the fundamental frequency component of the phase currents. The protection is sensitive for the highest of the three phase currents. Whenever this value exceeds the user's pick-up setting of a particular stage, this stage picks up and a start signal is issued. If the fault situation remains on longer than the user's operation delay setting, a trip signal is issued.

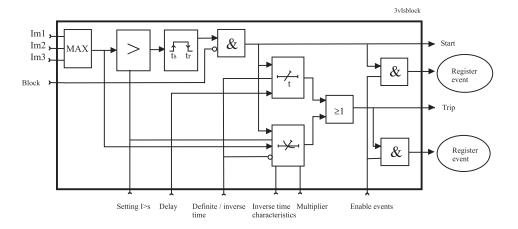


Figure 5.7: Block diagram of the three-phase overcurrent stage I>

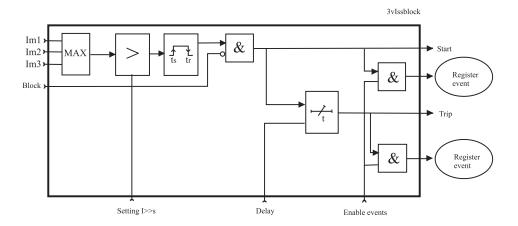


Figure 5.8: Block diagram of the three-phase overcurrent stage I>> and I>>>

#### **Inverse operation time**

Inverse delay means that the operation time depends on the amount the measured current exceeds the pick-up setting. The bigger the fault current is the faster will be the operation. Accomplished inverse delays are available for the I> stage. The inverse delay types are described in Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation. The device will show the currently used inverse delay curve graph on the local panel display.

## Inverse time limitation

The maximum measured secondary current is  $50 \times I_N$ . This limits the scope of inverse curves with high pick-up settings. See Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation for more information.

## **Setting groups**

There are four settings groups available for each stage. Switching between setting groups can be controlled by digital inputs, virtual inputs (communication, logic) and manually. See Chapter 5.2 General features of protection stages for more details.

Table 5.1: Parameters of the overcurrent stage I> (50/51)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	-		Current status of the stage	
	Blocked			
	Start			F
	Trip			F
TripTime		S	Estimated time to trip	
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	С
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	С
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	Set
SGrpDI			Digital signal to select the active setting group	Set
	-		None	
	Dlx		Digital input	
	VIx		Virtual input	
	LEDx		LED indicator signal	
	VOx		Virtual output	
Force	Off On		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a common flag for all stages and output relays, too. This flag is automatically reset 5 minutes after the last front panel push button pressing.	
ILmax		Α	The supervised value. Max. of IL1, IL2 and IL3	
Status			Current status of the stage	
<b>&gt;</b>		Α	Pick-up value scaled to primary value	
>		xl <sub>GN</sub>	Pick-up setting	Set
Curve			Delay curve family:	Set
	DT		Definite time	
	IEC, IEEE, IEEE2, RI, PrgN		Inverse time. See Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation.	
Туре			Delay type	Set
	DT		Definite time	
	NI, VI, EI, LTI, Parameters		Inverse time. See Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation.	
t>		S	Definite operation time (for definite time only)	Set
k>			Inverse delay multiplier (for inverse time only)	

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Dly20x		S	Delay at 20xlset	
Dly4x		S	Delay at 4xlset	
Dly2x		S	Delay at 2xlset	
Dly1x		S	Delay at 1xlset	
IncHarm		On/off	Include Harmonics	
Delay curves			Graphic delay curve picture (only local display)	
A, B, C, D, E			User's constants for standard equations. Type=Parameters. Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation.	Set
Recorded	LOG1		Date and time of trip	
values	Туре		Fault type	
	Flt	хI <sub>GN</sub>	Fault current	
	Load	хI <sub>GN</sub>	Pre-fault current	
	Edly	%	Elapsed delay time	
	SetGrp		Active set group during fault	

 $Set = An \ editable \ parameter \ (password \ needed). \ C = Can \ be \ cleared \ to \ zero. \ F = Editable \ when \ force \ flag \ is \ on.$ 

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.18.

Table 5.2: Parameters of the overcurrent stages I>>, I>>> (50/51)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	-		Current status of the stage	
	Blocked			
	Start			F
	Trip			F
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	С
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	С
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	Set
SGrpDI			Digital signal to select the active setting group	Set
	-		None	
	DIx		Digital input	
	VIx		Virtual input	
	LEDx		LED indicator signal	
	VOx		Virtual output	
Force	Off		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a common	Set
	On		flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	
ILmax		Α	The supervised value. Max. of IL1, IL2 and IL3	
l>>, l>>>		Α	Pick-up value scaled to primary value	
l>>, l>>>		хI <sub>GN</sub>	Pick-up setting	Set
t>>, t>>>		S	Definite operation time.	Set
IncHarm		On/off	Include Harmonics	Set

Set = An editable parameter (password needed). C = Can be cleared to zero. F = Editable when force flag is on.

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.19, Table 12.20.

## Recorded values of the latest eight faults

There is detailed information available of the eight latest faults: Time stamp, fault type, fault current, load current before the fault, elapsed delay and setting group.

Table 5.3: Recorded values of the overcurrent stages (8 latest faults) I>, I>>, I>>> (50/51)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	yyyy-mm-dd		Time stamp of the recording, date
	hh:mm:ss.ms		Time stamp, time of day
Туре			Fault type
	1-N		Ground fault
	2-N		Ground fault
	3-N		Ground fault
	1-2		Two phase fault
	2-3		Two phase fault
	3-1		Two phase fault
	1-2-3		Three phase fault
Flt		xl <sub>GN</sub>	Maximum fault current
Load		xI <sub>GN</sub>	1 s average phase currents before the fault
EDly		%	Elapsed time of the operating time setting. 100% = trip
SetGrp	1, 2		Active setting group during fault

## 5.3.1 Remote controlled overcurrent scaling

Pick-up setting of the three over current stages can also be controlled remotely. In this case only two scaling coefficients are possible: 100% (the scaling is inactive) and any configured value between 10% - 200% (the scaling is active). When scaling is enabled all settings of group one are copied to group two but the pick-up value of group two is changed according the given value (10-200%).

- This feature can be enabled/disabled via VAMPSET or by using the local panel. When using VAMPSET the scaling can be activated and adjusted in the "protection stage status 2" –menu. When using the local panel similar settings can be found from the "prot" -menu.
- It is also possible to change the scaling factor remotely by using the modbus TCP –protocol. When changing the scaling factor remotely value of 1% is equal to 1. Check the correct modbus address for this application from the VAMPSET or from the communication parameter list.

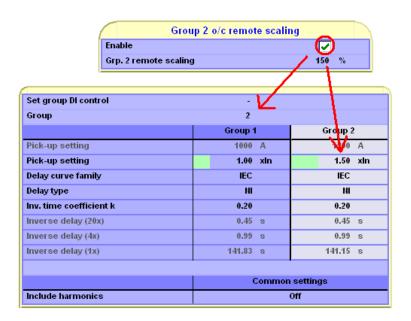


Figure 5.9: Remote scaling example.

In the Figure 5.9 can be seen the affect of remote scaling. After enabling group is changed from group one to group two and all settings from group one are copied to group two. The difference is that group two uses scaled pick-up settings.

**NOTE:** When remote scaling function is used, it replaces all the settings of group 2. So this function cannot be used simultaneously with normal group change.

# 5.4 Directional phase overcurrent $I_{\omega} > (67)$

Directional overcurrent protection can be used for directional short circuit protection. Typical applications are

- Short circuit protection of two parallel cables or overhead lines in a radial network.
- Short circuit protection of a looped network with single feeding point.
- Short circuit protection of a two-way feeder, which usually supplies loads but is used in special cases as an incoming feeder.
- Directional overcurrent protection in low impedance earthed networks. Please note that in this case the device has to connected to line-to-neutral voltages instead of line-to-line voltages. In other words the voltage measurement mode has to be "3LN" (See chapter Chapter 7.7 Voltage measurement modes).

The stages are sensitive to the amplitude of the highest fundamental frequency current of the three measured phase currents.

In phase to phase and in three phase faults, the fault angle is determinded by using angles between positive sequence of currents and voltages. In phase to ground faults, the fault angle is determinded by using fault phase current and the healthy line to line voltage. For details of power direction, see Chapter 7.9 Direction of power and current.

A typical characteristic is shown in Figure 5.10. The base angle setting is –30°. The stage will pick up, if the tip of the three phase current phasor gets into the grey area.

**NOTE:** If the maximum possible earth fault current is greater than the used most sensitive directional over current setting, the device has to be connected to the line-to-neutral voltages instead of line-to-line voltages in order to get the right direction for earth faults, too. (For networks having the maximum possible earth fault current less than the over current setting, use 67N, the directional earth fault stages.)

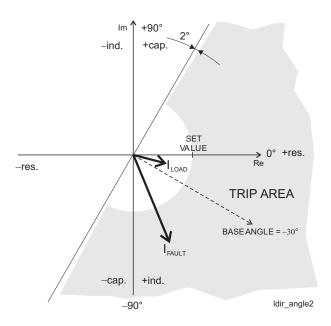
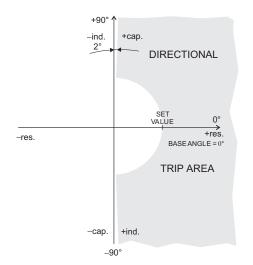


Figure 5.10: Example of protection area of the directional overcurrent function.

Three modes are available: directional, non-direct, and directional+back-up (Figure 5.11). In the non-directional mode the stage is acting just like an ordinary overcurrent 50/51 stage.

Directional+back-up mode works the same way as directional mode but it has undirectional back-up protection in case a close-up fault will force all voltages to about zero. After the angle memory hold time, the direction would be lost. Basically the directional+backup mode is required when operation time is set longer than voltage memory setting and no other undirectional back-up protection is in use.



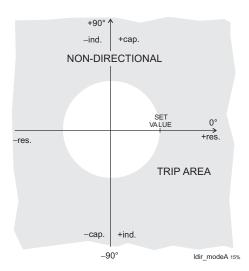


Figure 5.11: Difference between directional mode and non-directional mode. The grey area is the trip region.

An example of bi-directional operation characteristic is shown in Figure 5.12. The right side stage in this example is the stage  $I_{\phi}$ > and

the left side is  $I_{\phi}>>$ . The base angle setting of the  $I_{\phi}>$  is 0° and the base angle of  $I_{\phi}>>$  is set to  $-180^\circ$ .

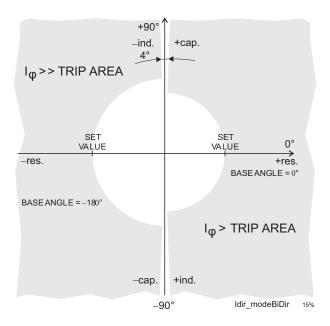


Figure 5.12: Bi-directional application with two stages  $I_{\varphi}$ > and  $I_{\varphi}$ >>.

When any of the three phase currents exceeds the setting value and – in directional mode – the phase angle including the base angle is within the active ±88° wide sector, the stage picks up and issues a start signal. If this fault situation remains on longer than the delay setting, a trip signal is issued.

## Four independent stages

There are four separately adjustable stages available:  $I_{\phi}$ >,  $I_{\phi}$ >>,  $I_{\phi}$ >>> and  $I_{\phi}$ >>>>.

## Inverse operation time

Stages  $I_{\phi}$ > and  $I_{\phi}$ >> can be configured for definite time or inverse time characteristic. See Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation for details of the available inverse delays. Stages  $I_{\phi}$ >>> and  $I_{\phi}$ >>> have definite time (DT) operation delay. The device will show a scaleable graph of the configured delay on the local panel display.

## Inverse time limitation

The maximum measured secondary current is  $50 \times I_N$ . This limits the scope of inverse curves with high pick-up settings. See Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation for more information.

## Cold load and inrush current handling

See Chapter 6.3 Cold load pick-up and inrush current detection

## **Setting groups**

There are four settings groups available for each stage. Switching between setting groups can be controlled by digital inputs, virtual inputs (mimic display, communication, logic) and manually. See Chapter 5.2 General features of protection stages for more details.

Table 5.4: Parameters of the directional overcurrent stages  $I_{\omega}$ >,  $I_{\omega}$ >> (67)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	- Blocked		Current status of the stage	
	Start			F
				· F
TrinTimo	Trip		Estimated time to trip	Г
TripTime		S	Estimated time to trip	С
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	
TCntr	1 0		Cumulative trip counter	C
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	Set
SGrpDI			Digital signal to select the active setting group	Set
	-		None	
	Dlx		Digital input	
	VIx		Virtual input	
	LEDx		LED indicator signal	
	VOx		Virtual output	
Force	Off On		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	
ILmax		Α	The supervised value. Max. of IL1, IL2 and IL3	
Ιφ>, Ιφ>>		Α	Pick-up value scaled to primary value	
<b>Ιφ&gt;, Ιφ&gt;&gt;</b>		xlgn	Pick-up setting	Set
Curve			Delay curve family:	Set
	DT		Definite time	
	IEC, IEEE, IEEE2, RI, PrgN		Inverse time. See Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation.	
Туре			Delay type	Set
	DT		Definite time	
	NI, VI, EI, LTI, Parameters		Inverse time. See Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation.	
t>		S	Definite operation time (for definite time only)	
k>			Inverse delay multiplier (for inverse time only)	
Dly20x		s	Delay at 20xlset	
Dly4x		s	Delay at 4xlset	
Dly2x		s	Delay at 2xlset	
Dly1x		s	Delay at 1xlset	

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Mode	Mode Dir		Directional mode (67)	Set
	Undir		Undirectional (50/51)	
	Dir+back-up		Directional and undirectional back-up	
Offset		۰	Angle offset in degrees	Set
U/I angle		٥	Measured U <sub>1</sub> /I <sub>1</sub> angle	
U1		% Un	Measured positive sequence voltage	
A, B, C, D, E			User's constants for standard equations. Type=Parameters. See Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation.	Set

Set = An editable parameter (password needed). C = Can be cleared to zero. F = Editable when force flag is on.

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.26.

Table 5.5: Parameters of the directional overcurrent stages  $I_{\varphi}>>>, I_{\varphi}>>>$  (67)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	-		Current status of the stage	
	Blocked			
	Start			F
	Trip			F
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	С
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	С
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	Set
SgrpDI			Digital signal to select the active setting group	Set
	-		None	
	Dix		Digital input	
	Vix		Virtual input	
	LEDx		LED indicator signal	
	Vox		Virtual output	
Force	Off On		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	
ILmax		Α	The supervised value. Max. of IL1, IL2 and IL3	
φ>>>,  φ>>>>		А	Pick-up value scaled to primary value	
lφ>>>, lφ>>>>		xlgn	Pick-up setting	Set
t>>>		S	Definite operation time (for definite time only)	Set
t>>>>				
Mode	Dir		Directional (67)	Set
	Undir		Undirectional (50/51)	
	Dir+back-up		Directional and undirectional back-up	
Offset		۰	Angle offset in degrees S	
U/I angle		•	Measured U <sub>1</sub> /I <sub>1</sub> angle	
U1		% Un	Measured positive sequence voltage	

Set = An editable parameter (password needed). C = Can be cleared to zero. F = Editable when force flag is on. For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.27.

## Recorded values of the latest eight faults

There are detailed information available of the eight latest faults: Time stamp, fault type, fault current, load current before the fault, elapsed delay and setting group.

Table 5.6: Recorded values of the directional overcurrent stages (8 latest faults)  $I_{\omega}$ >,  $I_{\omega}$ >>>,  $I_{\omega}$ >>>,  $I_{\omega}$ >>> (67)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	yyyy-mm-dd		Time stamp of the recording, date
	hh:mm:ss.ms		Time stamp, time of day
Туре			Fault type
	1-N		Ground fault
	2-N		Ground fault
	3-N		Ground fault
	1-2		Two phase fault
	2-3		Two phase fault
	3-1		Two phase fault
	1-2-3		Three phase fault
	1-2-N		Two phase fault with earth contact
	2-3-N		Two phase fault with earth contact
	3-1-N		Two phase fault with earth contact
	1-2-3-N		Three phase fault with earth contact
Flt		xlgn	Maximum fault current
Load		xlgn	1 s average phase currents before the fault
EDly		%	Elapsed time of the operating time setting. 100% = trip
Angle		٥	Fault angle in degrees
U1		xUn	Positive sequence voltage during fault
SetGrp	1, 2		Active setting group during fault
Direction mode			Dir, undir, dir+back-up

# 5.5 Voltage restrained/controlled phase overcurrent I<sub>V</sub>> (51V)

The voltage restrained overcurrent stage  $I_V$  is used for generator short-circuit protection in applications, where the static excitation system of the generator is fed only from the generator terminals.

In these applications the operation of the high set overcurrent function must be secured using a voltage restrained overcurrent function. At close-by short circuits the fault current rapidly decreases, thus

jeopardizing the operation of the high set short circuit protection. The operation characteristic of a voltage restrained overcurrent function is shown in Figure 5.13. The under impedance protection (see Chapter 5.18 Underimpedance Z< (21)) can be used for the same purpose.

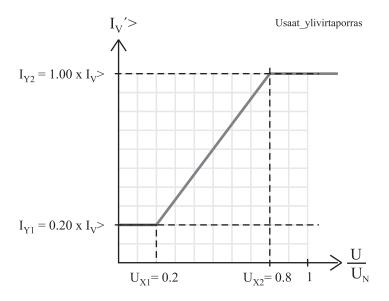


Figure 5.13: Characteristics of a voltage restrained overcurrent function IV>.

When generator pole voltage falls below the set voltage level the pick-up current level of the overcurrent stage  $I_V>$  also starts falling linearly controlled by the voltage according to the characteristic curve. See Figure 5.13.

When the setting parameters are selected according to Figure 5.14, the function is said to be voltage controlled.

**NOTE:** The overcurrent function can be used as a normal high-set overcurrent stage I>>>, if IY1 and IY2 are set to 100%.

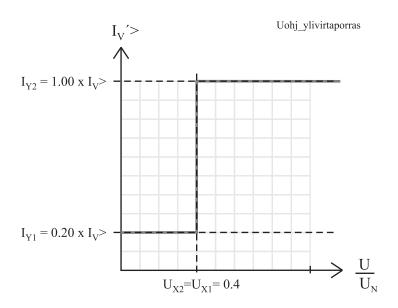


Figure 5.14: Voltage controlled overcurrent characteristics.

The voltage setting parameters  $U_{X1}$  and  $U_{X2}$  are proportional to the rated voltage of the generator. They define the voltage limits, within which the start current of the overcurrent unit is restrained. The multipliers  $I_{Y1}$  and  $I_{Y2}$  are used for setting the area of change of the start level of the overcurrent function in proportion to the  $U_{X1}$  and  $U_{X2}$  settings.

The voltage restrained/controlled overcurrent stage operates with definite time characteristic. The start current  $I_V$  and the operating time t> can be set by the user.

## Cold load and inrush current handling

See chapter Chapter 6.3 Cold load pick-up and inrush current detection

## **Setting groups**

There are two settings groups available. Switching between setting groups can be controlled by digital inputs, virtual inputs (mimic display, communication, logic) and manually.

Table 5.7: Parameters of the voltage restrained and voltage-controlled overcurrent stage IV> (51V)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	-		Current status of the stage	
	Blocked			
	Start			F
	Trip			F
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	С
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	С
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	Set

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
SGrpDI			Digital signal to select the active setting group	Set
	-		None	
	Dlx		Digital input	
	VIx		Virtual input	
	LEDx		LED indicator signal	
	VOx		Virtual output	
Force	Off		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automat-	Set
	On		ically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	
ILmax		Α	The supervised value. Max. of IL1, IL2 and IL3	
lv>		А	Pick-up value scaled to primary value	
lv>		xlgn	Pick-up setting	Set
t>		s	Definite operation time.	Set
X1		%U1	Voltage for the 1st knee point. See Figure 5.10	Set
X2		%U1	Voltage for the 2nd knee point	Set
Y1		%lv>	Multiplier for pick-up setting at the 1st knee point	Set
Y2		%lv>	Multiplier for pick-up setting at the 2nd knee point	Set

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.23.

#### Recorded values of the latest eight faults

There are detailed information available of the eight latest faults: Time stamp, fault type, fault current, load current before the fault, elapsed delay and setting group.

Table 5.8: Recorded values of the voltage restrained/controlled overcurrent stages (8 latest faults) IV> (51V)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	yyyy-mm-dd		Time stamp of the recording, date
	hh:mm:ss.ms		Time stamp, time of day
Туре			Fault type
	1-N		Ground fault
	2-N		Ground fault
	3-N		Ground fault
	1-2		Two phase fault
	2-3		Two phase fault
	3-1		Two phase fault
	1-2-3		Three phase fault
Flt		xlgn	Maximum fault current
Load		xlgn	1 s average phase currents before the fault
EDly		%	Elapsed time of the operating time setting. 100% = trip

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
SetGrp			Active setting group during the fault

# 5.6 Current unbalance protection $I_2$ > (46)

Current unbalance in a generator causes double frequency currents in the rotor. This warms up the surface of the rotor and the available thermal capacity of the rotor is much less than the thermal capacity of the whole generator. Thus an rms current based overload protection (see Chapter 5.7 Thermal overload protection T> (49)) is not capable to protect a generator against current unbalance.

The current unbalance protection is based on the negative sequence of the base frequency phase currents. Both definite time and inverse time characteristics are available.

#### Inverse delay

The inverse delay is based on the following equation.

Equation 5.1:

$$t = \frac{K_1}{\left(\frac{I_2}{I_{GN}}\right)^2 - K_2^2}$$
  $I_{2} = I_{3} = I$ 

T = Operation time

 $K_1 = Delay multiplier$ 

Measured and calculated negative sequence phase current of fundamental frequency.

I<sub>GN</sub> = Rated current of the generator

 $K_2$  = Pick-up setting  $I_2$ > in pu. The maximum allowed degree of unbalance.

#### **Example:**

$$K_1 = 15 s$$

$$I_2 = 22.9 \% = 0.229 \times I_{GN}$$

$$K_2 = 5 \% = 0.05 \text{ x } I_{GN}$$

$$t = \frac{15}{\left(\frac{0.229}{1}\right)^2 - 0.05^2} = 300.4$$

The operation time in this example will be five minutes.

#### More stages (definite time delay only)

If more than one definite time delay stages are needed for current unbalance protection, the freely programmable stages can be used (Chapter 5.25 Programmable stages (99)).

#### **Setting groups**

There are four settings groups available. Switching between setting groups can be controlled by digital inputs, virtual inputs (communication, logic) and manually. See Chapter 5.2 General features of protection stages for more details.

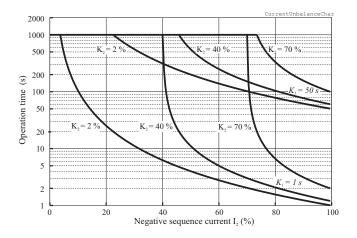


Figure 5.15: Inverse operation delay of current unbalance stage  $I_2$ >. The longest delay is limited to 1000 seconds (=16min 40s).

Table 5.9: Parameters of the current unbalance stage  $I_2$ > (46)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	-		Current status of the stage	
	Blocked			
	Start			F
	Trip			F
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	С
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	С
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	Set
SGrpDI			Digital signal to select the active setting group	Set
	-		None	
	Dlx		Digital input	
	VIx		Virtual input	
	LEDx		LED indicator signal	
	VOx		Virtual output	
Force	Off		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a	Set
	On		common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	
I2/Ign		%lgn	The supervised value.	
12>		%lgn	Pick-up setting	Set
t>		S	Definite operation time (Type=DT)	Set
Туре	DT		Definite time	Set
	INV		Inverse time (Equation 5.1)	
K1		S	Delay multiplier (Type =INV)	Set

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.22.

#### Recorded values of the latest eight faults

There is detailed information available of the eight latest faults: Time stamp, unbalance current, elapsed delay and setting group.

Table 5.10: Recorded values of the current unbalance stage (8 latest faults)  $I_2$ > (46)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	yyyy-mm-dd		Time stamp of the recording, date
	hh:mm:ss.ms		Time stamp, time of day
Flt		%lgn	Maximum unbalance current
EDly		%	Elapsed time of the operating time setting. 100% = trip
SetGrp	1		Active setting group during the fault
	2		

# 5.7 Thermal overload protection T> (49)

The thermal overload function protects the generator stator windings against excessive temperatures.

#### Thermal model

The temperature is calculated using rms values of phase currents and a thermal model according IEC 60255-8. The rms values are calculated using harmonic components up to the 15th.

Trip time: 
$$t = \tau \cdot \ln \frac{I^2 - {I_P}^2}{I^2 - a^2}, \quad \pmb{\tau} \quad \text{unit: second}$$

Alarm: 
$$a = k \cdot k_{\Theta} \cdot I_{GN} \cdot \sqrt{alarm}$$
 (Alarm 60% = 0.6)

Trip: 
$$a = k \cdot k_{\Theta} \cdot I_{GN}$$

Release time: 
$$t = \tau \cdot C_{\tau} \cdot \ln \frac{{I_P}^2}{a^2 - I^2}$$
,  $\tau$  unit: second

Trip release: 
$$a = \sqrt{0.95} \times k \times I_{GN}$$

Start release: 
$$a = \sqrt{0.95} \times k \times I_{GN} \times \sqrt{alarm}$$
 (Alarm 60% = 0.6)

$$T_{=}$$
 Thermal time constant tau (Setting value)

three phase currents)

rise is 120% ->  $\theta$  = 1.2). This parameter is the memory of the algorithm and corresponds to the

actual temperature rise.

k = Overload factor (Maximum continuous current),

i.e. service factor.(Setting value)

kΘ = Ambient temperature factor (Permitted current due

to tamb).

 $I_{GN}$  = The rated current

 $C_{\tau}$  Relay cooling time constant (Setting value)

#### Time constant for cooling situation

If the generator's fan is stopped, the cooling will be slower than with an active fan. Therefore there is a coefficient  $C_{\scriptscriptstyle T}$  for thermal constant available to be used as cooling time constant, when current is less than 0.3 x  $I_{\rm GN}$ .

#### Heat capacitance, service factor and ambient temperature

The trip level is determined by the maximum allowed continuous current  $I_{MAX}$  corresponding to the 100 % temperature rise  $\Theta_{TRIP}$  i.e. the heat capacitance of the generator.  $I_{MAX}$  depends of the given service factor k and ambient temperature  $\Theta_{AMB}$  and settings  $I_{MAX40}$  and  $I_{MAX70}$  according the following equation.

$$I_{MAX} = k \cdot k_{\Theta} \cdot I_{GN}$$

The value of ambient temperature compensation factor  $k\Theta$  depends on the ambient temperature  $\Theta_{AMB}$  and settings  $I_{MAX40}$  and  $I_{MAX70}$ . See Figure 5.16. Ambient temperature is not in use when  $k\Theta = 1$ . This is true when

- I<sub>MAX40</sub> is 1.0
- Samb is "n/a" (no ambient temperature sensor)
- TAMB is +40 °C.

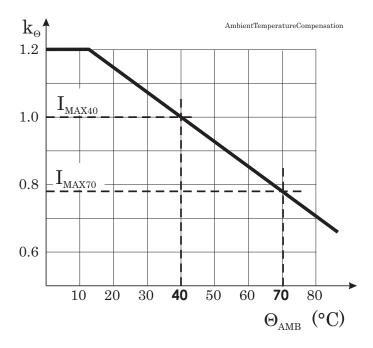


Figure 5.16: Ambient temperature correction of the overload stage T>.

#### Example of a behaviour of the thermal model

Figure 5.16 shows an example of the thermal model behaviour. In this example  $\tau$ = 30 minutes, k = 1.06 and k $\Theta$  = 1 and the current has been zero for a long time and thus the initial temperature rise is 0 %. At time = 50 minutes the current changes to 0.85 x I<sub>GN</sub> and the temperature rise starts to approach value  $(0.85/1.06)^2$  = 64 % according the time constant. At time = 300 min, the temperature is about stable, and the current increases to 5 % over the maximum defined by the rated current and the service factor k. The temperature rise starts to approach value 110 %. At about 340 minutes the temperature rise is 100 % and a trip follows.

#### Initial temperature rise after restart

When the device is switched on, an initial temperature rise of 70 % is used. Depending of the actual current, the calculated temperature rise then starts to approach the final value.

#### **Alarm function**

The thermal overload stage is provided with a separately settable alarm function. When the alarm limit is reached the stage activates its start signal.

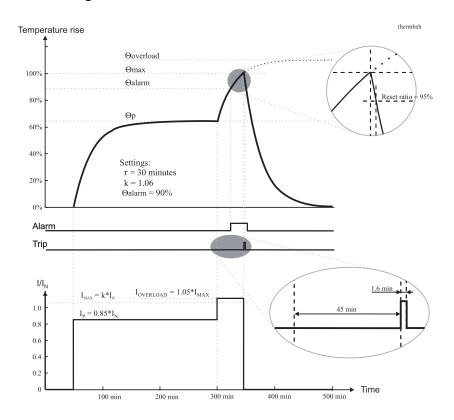


Figure 5.17: Example of the thermal model behaviour.

Table 5.11: Parameters of the thermal overload stage T> (49)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status			Current status of the stage	
	Blocked			
	Start			F
	Trip			F
Time	hh:mm:ss		Estimated time to trip	
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	С
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	С
Force	Off On		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	Set
Т		%	Calculated temperature rise. Trip limit is 100 %.	F
MaxRMS		Arms	Measured current. Highest of the three phases.	
Imax		А	$\mbox{k} \times \mbox{I}_{GN}.$ Current corresponding to the 100 % temperature rise.	
k>		хI <sub>GN</sub>	Allowed overload (service factor)	Set
Alarm		%	Alarm level	Set
tau		min	Thermal time constant	Set
ctau		xtau	Coefficient for cooling time constant. Default = 1.0	Set
kTamb		хI <sub>GN</sub>	Ambient temperature corrected max. allowed continuous current	
Imax40		%I <sub>GN</sub>	Allowed load at Tamb +40 °C. Default = 100 %.	Set
Imax70		%I <sub>GN</sub>	Allowed load at Tamb +70 °C.	Set
Tamb		°C	Ambient temperature. Editable Samb=n/a. Default = +40 °C	Set
Samb			Sensor for ambient temperature	Set
	n/a		No sensor in use for Tamb	
	ExtAI1 – 16		External Analogue input 1 – 16	

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.21.

## 5.8 Earth fault protection $I_0 > (50N/51N)$

The undirectional earth fault protection is used for generator's stator earth faults in low impedance earthed networks. In high impedance earthed networks, compensated networks and isolated networks undirectional earth fault can be used as back-up protection.

The undirectional earth fault function is sensitive to the fundamental frequency component of the residual current  $3I_0$ . The attenuation of the third harmonic is more than 60 dB. Whenever this fundamental value exceeds the user's pick-up setting of a particular stage, this stage picks up and a start signal is issued. If the fault situation remains on longer than the user's operation time delay setting, a trip signal is issued.

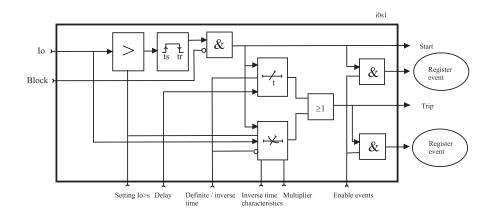


Figure 5.18: Block diagram of the earth fault stage  $I_0$ >

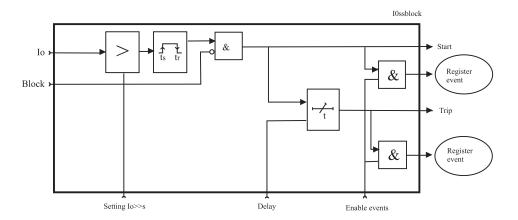


Figure 5.19: Block diagram of the earth fault stages  $I_0 >>$ ,  $I_0 >>>$ ,  $I_0 >>>>$ 

Figure 5.18 shows a functional block diagram of the  $I_0$ > earth overcurrent stage with definite time and inverse time operation time. Figure 5.19 shows a functional block diagram of the  $I_0$ >>> and  $I_0$ >>>> earth fault stages with definite time operation delay.

#### Input signal selection

Each stage can be connected to supervise any of the following inputs and signals:

- Input I<sub>01</sub> for all networks other than rigidly earthed.
- Input I<sub>02</sub> for all networks other than rigidly earthed.
- Calculated signal I<sub>0Calc</sub> for rigidly and low impedance earthed networks. I<sub>0Calc</sub> = I<sub>L1</sub> + I<sub>L2</sub> + I<sub>L3</sub>.

#### Intermittent earth fault detection

Short earth faults make the protection to start (to pick up), but will not cause a trip. (Here a short fault means one cycle or more. For shorter than 1 ms transient type of intermittent earth faults in compensated networks there is a dedicated stage  $I_{OINT}$ > 67NI.) When starting happens often enough, such intermittent faults can be cleared using the intermittent time setting.

When a new start happens within the set intermittent time, the operation delay counter is not cleared between adjacent faults and finally the stage will trip.

# Four or six independent undirectional earth fault overcurrent stages

There are four separately adjustable earth fault stages:  $I_0$ >,  $I_0$ >>,  $I_0$ >>>, and  $I_0$ >>>. The first stage  $I_0$ > can be configured for definite time (DT) or inverse time operation characteristic (IDMT). The other stages have definite time operation characteristic. By using the definite delay type and setting the delay to its minimum, an instantaneous (ANSI 50N) operation is obtained.

Using the directional earth fault stages (Chapter 5.9 Directional earth fault protection  $I_{0\phi}$ > (67N)) in undirectional mode, two more stages with inverse operation time delay are available for undirectional earth fault protection.

#### Inverse operation time ( $I_0$ > stage only)

Inverse delay means that the operation time depends on the amount the measured current exceeds the pick-up setting. The bigger the fault current is the faster will be the operation. Accomplished inverse delays are available for the  $I_0$ > stage. The inverse delay types are described in Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation. The device will show a scaleable graph of the configured delay on the local panel display.

#### Inverse time limitation

The maximum measured secondary residual current is 10 x  $I_{0N}$  and maximum measured phase current is 50 x  $I_{N}$ . This limits the scope of inverse curves with high pick-up settings. See Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation for more information.

#### **Setting groups**

There are four settings groups available for each stage. Switching between setting groups can be controlled by digital inputs, virtual inputs (communication, logic) and manually. See Chapter 5.2 General features of protection stages for more details.

Table 5.12: Parameters of the undirectional earth fault stage  $I_0$ > (50N/51N)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	- Blocked		Current status of the stage	
				_
	Start			F
	Trip			F
TripTime		S	Estimated time to trip	
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	Clr
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	Clr
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	Set
SGrpDI			Digital signal to select the active setting group	Set
	-		None	
	Dlx		Digital input	
	VIx		Virtual input	
	LEDx		LED indicator signal	
	VOx		Virtual output	
Force	Off On		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	Set
lo1, lo2, loCalc, lo1Peak, lo2Peak		pu	The supervised value according the parameter "Input" below.	
lo>		Α	Pick-up value scaled to primary value	
10>		pu	Pick-up setting relative to the parameter "Input" and the corresponding CT value	Set
Curve			Delay curve family:	Set
	DT		Definite time	
	IEC, IEEE, IEEE2, RI, PrgN		Inverse time. Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation.	
Туре			Delay type.	Set
	DT		Definite time	
	NI, VI, EI, LTI, Parameters		Inverse time. Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation.	
t>		s	Definite operation time (for definite time only)	Set

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
k>			Inverse delay multiplier (for inverse time only)	Set
Input	lo1		X1:7 – 8. See Chapter 11 Connections.	Set
	lo2		X1:9 – 10	
	loCalc		IL1 + IL2 + IL3	
	lo1Peak		X1:7 – 8 peak mode (I <sub>0φ</sub> > only)	
	lo2Peak		X1:9 – 10 peak mode (I <sub>0φ</sub> > only)	
Intrmt		S	Intermittent time	Set
Dly20x		S	Delay at 20xlset	
Dly4x		S	Delay at 4xlset	
Dly2x		S	Delay at 2xlset	
Dly1x			Delay at 1xlset	
A, B, C, D, E			User's constants for standard equations.  Type=Parameters. See Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation.	Set

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.24.

Table 5.13: Parameters of the undirectional earth fault stage  $I_0 >>$ ,  $I_0 >>>$ ,  $I_0 >>>$ 

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	-		Current status of the stage	
	Blocked			
	Start			F
	Trip			F
TripTime		S	Estimated time to trip	
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	Clr
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	Clr
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	Set
SgrpDI			Digital signal to select the active setting group	Set
	-		None	
	Dix		Digital input	
	Vix		Virtual input	
	LEDx		LED indicator signal	
	VOx		Virtual output	
Force	Off On		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	Set
lo1		pu	The supervised value according the parameter "In-	
lo2			put" below.	
loCalc				
10>>, 10>>>, 10>>>>		Α	Pick-up value scaled to primary value	
10>>, 10>>>, 10>>>		pu	Pick-up setting relative to the parameter "Input" and the corresponding CT value	Set

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
t>		s	Definite operation time (for definite time only)	Set
Input	lo1		X1:7 – 8. See Chapter 11 Connections.	Set
	lo2		X1:9-10	
	loCalc		IL1 + IL2 + IL3	

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.25.

#### Recorded values of the latest eight faults

There is detailed information available of the eight latest earth faults: Time stamp, fault current, elapsed delay and setting group.

Table 5.14: Recorded values of the undirectional earth fault stages (8 latest faults)  $I_0>>$ ,  $I_0>>>$ ,  $I_0>>>$  (50N/51N)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	yyyy-mm-dd		Time stamp of the recording, date
	hh:mm:ss.ms		Time stamp, time of day
Fit		pu	Maximum earth fault current
EDly		%	Elapsed time of the operating time setting. 100% = trip
SetGrp	1, 2		Active setting group during fault

### 5.8.1 Earth fault faulty phase detection algorithm

#### Phase recognition:

A zero sequence overcurrent has been detected.

Faulted phase/ phases are detected in 2 stage system.

- 1. Algorithm is using delta principle to detect the faulty phase/ phases.
- 2. Algorithm confirms the faulty phase with neutral current angle comparison to the suspected faulted phase.

#### Ideal grounded network:

When there is forward earth fault in phase L1, its current will increase creating calculated or measured zero sequence current in phase angle of 0 degrees. If there is reverse earth fault in phase L1, its current will degrease creating calculated or measured zero sequence current in phase angle of 180 degrees.

When there is forward earth fault in phase L2, its current will increase creating calculated or measured zero sequence current in phase angle of -120 degrees. If there is reverse earth fault in phase L2, its current will degrease creating calculated or measured zero sequence current in phase angle of 60 degrees.

When there is forward earth fault in phase L3, its current will increase creating calculated or measured zero sequence current in phase angle of 120 degrees. If there is reverse earth fault in phase L3 its current will degrease creating calculated or measured zero sequence current in phase angle of -60 degrees.

#### Implementation:

When faulty phase is recognized, it will be recorded in 50N protection fault log (also in event list and alarm screen). This faulted phase and direction recording function has a tick box for enabling/disabling in protection stage settings. For compensated network, this is not a 100% reliable algorithm because it depends on the network compensation degree. So for compensated networks this feature can be turned off so it will not cause confusion. For high impedance earthed networks, there will be drop down menu in both setting groups to choose between RES/CAP. RES is default and it is for earthed networks. When CAP is chosen, the lo angle will be corrected to inductive direction 90 degrees and after that faulty phase detection is made.

Possible outcomes and conditions for those detections:

#### FWD L1

Phase L1 increases above the set limit and two other phases remain inside the set (delta) limit. Io current angle is +/- 60 degrees from L1 phase angle.

#### FDW L2

Phase L2 increases above the set limit and two other phases remain inside the set (delta) limit. Io current angle is +/- 60 degrees from L2 phase angle.

#### FDW L3

Phase L3 increases above the set limit and two other phases remain inside the set (delta) limit. Io current angle is +/- 60 degrees from L3 phase angle.

#### FWD L1-L2

Phase L1 and L2 increase above the set limit and phase L3 remains inside the set (delta) limit. Io current angle is between L1 and L2 phase angles.

#### FWD L2-L3

Phase L2 and L3 increase above the set limit and phase L1 remains inside the set (delta) limit. Io current angle is between L2 and L3 phase angles.

#### FWD L3-L1

Phase L3 and L1 increase above the set limit and phase L2 remains inside the set (delta) limit. Io current angle is between L3 and L3 phase angles.

- FWD L1-L2-L3
  - All three phase currents increase above the set delta limit.
- REV 1 (any one phase)
   One phase decreases below the set delta limit and other two phases remain inside the delta limit.
- REV 2 (any two phase)
   Two phases decrease below the set delta limit and third phase remains inside the delta limit.
- REV 3 (all three phases)
   All three phase currents decrease below the set delta limit.

Below are simulated different fault scenarios:

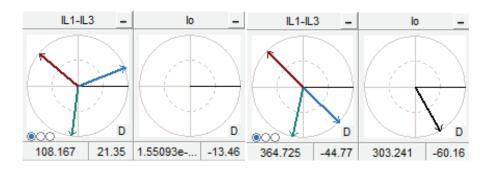


Figure 5.20: Phase L1 forward

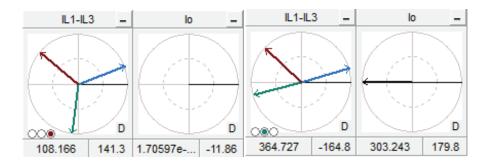


Figure 5.21: Phase L2 forward

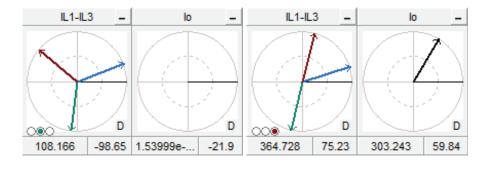


Figure 5.22: Phase L3 forward

# 5.9 Directional earth fault protection $I_{0\phi}$ > (67N)

The directional earth fault protection is used for generator's stator earth faults in networks where a selective and sensitive earth fault protection is needed and in applications with varying network structure and length.

The device consists of versatile protection functions for earth fault protection in various network types.

The function is sensitive to the fundamental frequency component of the residual current and zero sequence voltage and the phase angle between them. The attenuation of the third harmonic is more than 60 dB. Whenever the size of  $I_0$  and  $U_0$  and the phase angle between  $I_0$  and  $U_0$  fulfils the pick-up criteria, the stage picks up and a start signal is issued. If the fault situation remains on longer than the user's operation time delay setting, a trip signal is issued.

#### **Polarization**

The negative zero sequence voltage  $-U_0$  is used for polarization i.e. the angle reference for  $I_0$ . The  $-U_0$  voltage is measured via energizing input  $U_0$  or it is calculated from the phase voltages internally depending on the selected voltage measurement mode (see Chapter 7.7 Voltage measurement modes):

- LN: the zero sequence voltage is calculated from the phase voltages and therefore any separate zero sequence voltage transformers are not needed. The setting values are relative to the configured voltage transformer (VT) voltage/ $\sqrt{3}$ .
- LL+U<sub>0</sub>: the zero sequence voltage is measured with voltage transformer(s) for example using a broken delta connection. The setting values are relative to the VT<sub>0</sub> secondary voltage defined in configuration.

**NOTE:** The  $U_0$  signal must be connected according the connection diagram (Figure 10.2) in order to get a correct polarization. Please note that actually the negative  $U_0$ ,  $-U_0$ , is connected to the device.

#### Modes for different network types

The available modes are:

#### ResCap

This mode consists of two sub modes, Res and Cap. A digital signal can be used to dynamically switch between these two sub modes. This feature can be used with compensated networks, when the Petersen coil is temporarily switched off.

#### - Res

The stage is sensitive to the resistive component of the selected  $I_0$  signal. This mode is used with compensated **networks** (resonant grounding) and **networks earthed with a high resistance**. Compensation is usually done with a Petersen coil between the neutral point of the main transformer and earth. In this context "high resistance" means, that the fault current is limited to be less than the rated phase current. The trip area is a half plane as drawn in Figure 5.24. The base angle is usually set to zero degrees.

#### - Cap

The stage is sensitive to the capacitive component of the selected I<sub>0</sub> signal. This mode is used with **unearthed networks**. The trip area is a half plane as drawn in Figure 5.24. The base angle is usually set to zero degrees.

#### Sector

This mode is used with **networks earthed with a small resistance**. In this context "small" means, that a fault current may be more than the rated phase currents. The trip area has a shape of a sector as drawn in Figure 5.25. The base angle is usually set to zero degrees or slightly on the lagging inductive side (i.e. negative angle).

#### Undir

This mode makes the stage equal to the undirectional stage  $I_0$ >. The phase angle and  $U_0$  amplitude setting are discarded. Only the amplitude of the selected  $I_0$  input is supervised.

#### Input signal selection

Each stage can be connected to supervise any of the following inputs and signals:

- Input I<sub>01</sub> for all networks other than rigidly earthed.
- Input I<sub>02</sub> for all networks other than rigidly earthed.
- Calculated signal I<sub>0Calc</sub> for rigidly and low impedance earthed networks. I<sub>0Calc</sub> = I<sub>L1</sub> + I<sub>L2</sub> + I<sub>L3</sub> = 3I<sub>0</sub>.

#### Intermittent earth fault detection

Short earth faults make the protection to start (to pick up), but will not cause a trip. (Here a short fault means one cycle or more. For shorter than 1 ms transient type of intermittent earth faults in compensated networks there is a dedicated stage  $I_{OINT}$ > 67NI.) When starting happens often enough, such intermittent faults can be cleared using the intermittent time setting.

When a new start happens within the set intermittent time, the operation delay counter is not cleared between adjacent faults and finally the stage will trip.

#### Two independent stages

There are two separately adjustable stages:  $I_{0\phi}$ > and  $I_{0\phi}$ >>. Both the stages can be configured for definite time delay (DT) or inverse time delay operation time.

#### Inverse operation time

Inverse delay means that the operation time depends on the amount the measured current exceeds the pick-up setting. The bigger the fault current is the faster will be the operation. Accomplished inverse delays are available for both stages  $I_{0\phi}$ > and  $I_{0\phi}$ >>. The inverse delay types are described in Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation. The device will show a scaleable graph of the configured delay on the local panel display.

#### Inverse time limitation

The maximum measured secondary residual current is  $10 \times I_{0N}$  and maximum measured phase current is  $50 \times I_{N}$ . This limits the scope of inverse curves with high pick-up settings. See Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation for more information.

#### **Setting groups**

There are four settings groups available for each stage. Switching between setting groups can be controlled by digital inputs, virtual inputs (communication, logic) and manually. See Chapter 5.2 General features of protection stages for more details.

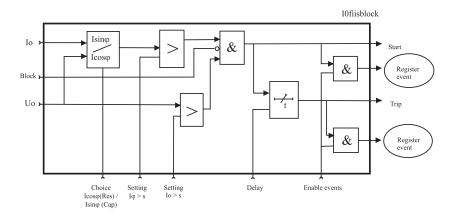


Figure 5.23: Block diagram of the directional earth fault stages  $I_{0\phi}$ >,  $I_{0\phi}$ >>

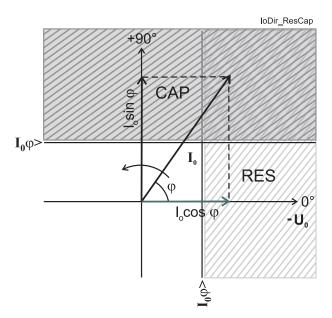


Figure 5.24: Operation characteristic of the directional earth fault protection in Res or Cap mode. Res mode can be used with compensated networks and Cap mode is used with ungrounded networks.

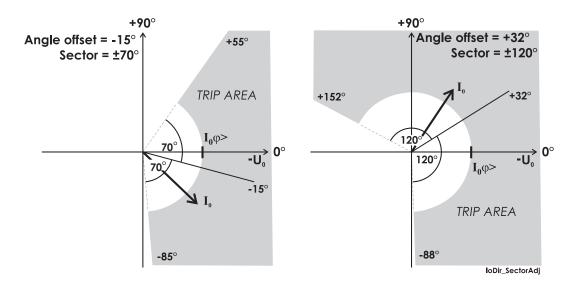


Figure 5.25: Two example of operation characteristics of the directional earth fault stages in sector mode. The drawn  $I_0$  phasor in both figures is inside the trip area. The angle offset and half sector size are user's parameters.

Table 5.15: Parameters of the directional earth fault stages  $I_{0\phi}$ >,  $I_{0\phi}$ >> (67N)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	- Blocked		Current status of the stage	
	Start			F
	Trip			F
TripTime		S	Estimated time to trip	
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	Clr
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	Clr
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	Set
SGrpDI			Digital signal to select the active setting group	Set
	-		None	
	Dlx		Digital input	
	VIx		Virtual input	
	LEDx		LED indicator signal	
	VOx		Virtual output	
Force	Off On		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	Set
lo		pu	The supervised value according the parameter "In-	
lo2			put" below.	
loCalc			(I <sub>0φ</sub> > only)	
IoPeak				
lo2Peak				
IoRes		pu	Resistive part of I <sub>0</sub> (only when "InUse"=Res)	
IoCap		pu	Capacitive part of I <sub>0</sub> (only when "InUse"=Cap)	
Ιοφ>		А	Pick-up value scaled to primary value	

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Ιοφ>		pu	Pick-up setting relative to the parameter "Input" and the corresponding CT value	Set
Uo>		%	Pick-up setting for U <sub>0</sub>	Set
Uo		%	Measured U <sub>0</sub>	
Curve			Delay curve family:	Set
	DT		Definite time	
	IEC, IEEE, IEEE2, RI, PrgN		Inverse time. Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation.	
Туре			Delay type.	Set
	DT		Definite time	
	NI, VI, EI, LTI, Parameters		Inverse time. Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation.	
t>		S	Definite operation time (for definite time only)	Set
k>			Inverse delay multiplier (for inverse time only)	Set
Mode	ResCap		High impedance earthed nets	Set
	Sector		Low impedance earthed nets	
	Undir		Undirectional mode	
Offset	Oridii	0	Angle offset (MTA) for RecCap and Sector modes	Set
Sector	Default = 88	±°	Half sector size of the trip area on both sides of the offset angle	Set
ChCtrl			Res/Cap control in mode ResCap	Set
	Res		Fixed to Resistive characteristic	
	Сар		Fixed to Capacitive characteristic	
	DIx		Controlled by digital input	
	VIx		Controlled by virtual input	
InUse			Selected submode in mode ResCap.	
	-		Mode is not ResCap	
	Res		Submode = resistive	
	Сар		Submode = capacitive	
Input	lo1		X1:7 – 8. See Chapter 11 Connections.	Set
	lo2		X1:9 – 10	
	loCalc		IL1 + IL2 + IL3	
	Io1Peak		X1:7 – 8 peak mode (I <sub>0φ</sub> > only)	
	lo2Peak		X1:9 – 10 peak mode ( $I_{0\phi}$ > only)	
Intrmt		s	Intermittent time	Set
Dly20x		s	Delay at 20xlset	
Dly4x		s	Delay at 4xlset	
Dly2x		s	Delay at 2xlset	
Dly1x		s	Delay at 1xlset	
A, B, C, D, E			User's constants for standard equations.  Type=Parameters. See Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation.	Set

 $Set = An \ editable \ parameter \ (password \ needed). \ C = Can \ be \ cleared \ to \ zero. \ F = Editable \ when \ force \ flag \ is \ on.$ 

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.28.

#### Recorded values of the latest eight faults

There is detailed information available of the eight latest earth faults: Time stamp, fault current, elapsed delay and setting group.

Table 5.16: Recorded values of the directional earth fault stages (8 latest faults)  $I_{0\phi}$ >,  $I_{0\phi}$ >> (67N)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	yyyy-mm-dd		Time stamp of the recording, date
	hh:mm:ss.ms		Time stamp, time of day
Fit		pu	Maximum earth fault current
			Resistive part of I <sub>0</sub> (only when "InUse"=Res)
			Capacitive part of I <sub>0</sub> (only when "InUse"=Cap)
EDly		%	Elapsed time of the operating time setting. 100% = trip
Angle	0		Fault angle of I <sub>0</sub>
			-U <sub>0</sub> = 0°
Uo		%	Max. U <sub>0</sub> voltage during the fault
SetGrp	1, 2		Active setting group during fault

### 5.10 Overvoltage protection U> (59)

The overvoltage function measures the fundamental frequency component of the line-to-line voltages regardless of the voltage measurement mode (Chapter 7.7 Voltage measurement modes). By using line-to-line voltages any phase-to-ground over-voltages during earth faults have no effect. (The earth fault protection functions will take care of earth faults.) Whenever any of these three line-to-line voltages exceeds the user's pick-up setting of a particular stage, this stage picks up and a start signal is issued. If the fault situation remains on longer than the user's operation time delay setting, a trip signal is issued.

In rigidly earthed 4-wire networks with loads between phase and neutral overvoltage protection may be needed for phase-to-ground voltages, too. In such applications the programmable stages can be used. Chapter 5.25 Programmable stages (99)

#### Three independent stages

There are three separately adjustable stages: U>, U>> and U>>>. All the stages can be configured for definite time (DT) operation characteristic.

#### Configurable release delay

The U> stage has a settable release delay, which enables detecting intermittent faults. This means that the time counter of the protection function does not reset immediately after the fault is cleared, but resets after the release delay has elapsed. If the fault appears again before the release delay time has elapsed, the delay counter continues from the previous value. This means that the function will eventually trip if faults are occurring often enough.

#### Configurable hysteresis

The dead band is 3 % by default. It means that an overvoltage fault is regarded as a fault until the voltage drops below 97 % of the pick up setting. In a sensitive alarm application a smaller hysteresis is needed. For example if the pick up setting is about only 2 % above the normal voltage level, hysteresis must be less than 2 %. Otherwise the stage will not release after fault.

#### **Setting groups**

There are four settings groups available for each stage. Switching between setting groups can be controlled by digital inputs, virtual inputs (communication, logic) and manually. See Chapter 5.2 General features of protection stages for more details.

Figure 5.26 shows the functional block diagram of the overvoltage function stages U>, U>> and U>>>.

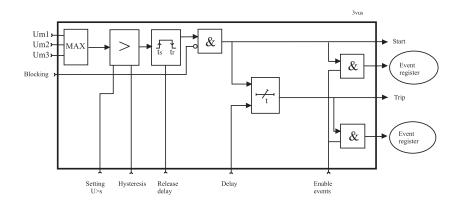


Figure 5.26: Block diagram of the three-phase overvoltage stages U>, U>> and U>>>

Table 5.17: Parameters of the overvoltage stages U>, U>>, U>>>

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	-		Current status of the stage	
	Blocked			
	Start			F
	Trip			F
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	С
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	С
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	Set
SGrpDI			Digital signal to select the active setting group	Set
	-		None	
	Dlx		Digital input	
	VIx		Virtual input	
	LEDx		LED indicator signal	
	VOx		Virtual output	
Force	Off On		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	Set
Umax		V	The supervised value. Max. of U12, U23 and U31	
U>, U>>, U>>>		V	Pick-up value scaled to primary value	
U>, U>>, U>>>		% Un	Pick-up setting relative to U <sub>GN</sub>	Set
t>, t>>, t>>>		S	Definite operation time.	Set
RIsDly		S	Release delay (U> stage only)	Set
Hyster	3 (default)	%	Dead band size i.e. hysteresis	Set

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.29, Table 12.30, Table 12.31.

#### Recorded values of the latest eight faults

There are detailed information available of the eight latest faults: Time stamp, fault voltage, elapsed delay and setting group.

Table 5.18: Recorded values of the overvoltage stages (8 latest faults) U>, U>>, U>>>

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	yyyy-mm-dd		Time stamp of the recording, date
	hh:mm:ss.ms		Time stamp, time of day
Fit		% Un	Maximum fault voltage
EDly		%	Elapsed time of the operating time setting. 100% = trip
SetGrp	1		Active setting group during fault
	2		

# 5.11 Volts/hertz over-excitation protection $U_f > (24)$

The saturation of any inductive network components like transformers, inductors, motors and generators, depend on the voltage and frequency. The lower the frequency, the lower is the voltage at which the saturation begins.

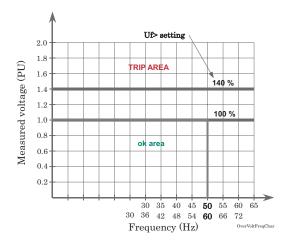
The volts/hertz over-excitation protection stage is sensitive to the voltage/frequency ratio instead of voltage only. Figure 5.27 shows the difference between volts/hertz and a standard overvoltage function. The maximum of the three line-to-line voltage is used regardless of the voltage measurement mode (chapter Chapter 7.7 Voltage measurement modes). By using line-to-line voltages any phase-to-ground over-voltages during earth faults have no effect. (The earth fault protection functions will take care of earth faults.)

The used net frequency is automatically adopted according the local network frequency.

Overexcitation protection is needed for generators, which are excitated even during start up and shut down. If such a generator is connected to a unit transformer, also the unit transformer needs volts/hertz over-excitation protection. Another application is sensitive overvoltage protection of modern transformers with no flux density margin in networks with unstable frequency.

#### **Setting groups**

There are four settings groups available for each stage. Switching between setting groups can be controlled by digital inputs, virtual inputs (communication, logic) and manually. See Chapter 5.2 General features of protection stages for more details.



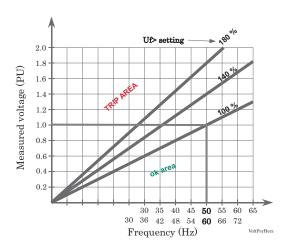


Figure 5.27: This figure shows the difference between volts/hertz and normal overvoltage protection. The volts/hertz characteristics on the left depend on the frequency while the standard overvoltage function on the right is insensitive to

frequency. The network frequency, 50 Hz or 60 Hz, is automatically adopted by the relay.

The setting for a certain V/Hz value K can be calculated using the following formala

$$U_{fSET} = K \cdot \frac{f_n}{VT_{SEC}} \cdot 100\%$$

 $U_{fSET}$  = setting in per cent

K = secondary volts per hertz sensitivity

f<sub>N</sub> = rated network frequency

 $VT_{SEC}$  = rated secondary of the voltage transformer

#### Example:

K = 2.56 VSEC/Hz

$$f_N = 50 \text{ Hz}$$

$$VT_{SEC}$$
 = 110  $V$ 

$$U_{fSET} = 2.56 \cdot \frac{50}{110} \cdot 100\% = 116\%$$

Table 5.19: Parameters of the volts/hertz over-excitation stage  $U_i$ >,  $U_i$ >>

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	-		Current status of the stage	
	Blocked			
	Start			F
	Trip			F
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	С
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	С
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	Set
SGrpDI			Digital signal to select the active setting group	Set
	-		None	
	DIx		Digital input	
	VIx		Virtual input	
	LEDx		LED indicator signal	
	VOx		Virtual output	
Force	Off		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This	Set
	On		is a common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	
Umax		V	The supervised value. Max. of U12, U23 and U31	
f		Hz	The supervised frequency value	
U/f		%	Calculated U <sub>MAX</sub> /f	
Uf>, Uf>>		%	Pick-up setting	Set
t>, t>>		S	Definite operation time.	Set

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.32.

#### Recorded values of the latest eight faults

There are detailed information available of the eight latest faults: Time stamp, fault voltage, fault frequency, elapsed delay and setting group.

Table 5.20: Recorded values of the volts/hertz over-excitation stage

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	yyyy-mm-dd		Time stamp of the recording, date
	hh:mm:ss.ms		Time stamp, time of day
FIt		%	Fault value V/Hz
U		% Un	Fault voltage
f		Hz	Fault frequency
EDly		%	Elapsed time of the operating time setting. 100% = trip
SetGrp	1		Active setting group during fault
	2		

### 5.12 Undervoltage protection U< (27)

This is a basic undervoltage protection. The function measures the three line-to-line voltages and whenever the smallest of them drops below the user's pick-up setting of a particular stage, this stage picks up and a start signal is issued. If the fault situation remains on longer than the user's operation time delay setting, a trip signal is issued.

#### **Blocking during VT fuse failure**

As all the protection stages the undervoltage function can be blocked with any internal or external signal using the block matrix. For example if the secondary voltage of one of the measuring transformers disappears because of a fuse failure (See VT supervision function in Chapter 6.7 Voltage transformer supervision). The blocking signal can also be a signal from the user's logic (see Chapter 8.7 Logic functions).

#### Self blocking at very low voltage

The stages can be blocked with a separate low limit setting. With this setting, the particular stage will be blocked, when the biggest of the three line-to-line voltages drops below the given limit. The idea is to avoid purposeless tripping, when voltage is switched off. If the operating time is less than 0.08 s, the blocking level setting should not be less than 15 % to the blocking action to be enough fast. The self blocking can be disabled by setting the low voltage block limit equal to zero.

Figure 5.28 shows an example of low voltage self blocking.

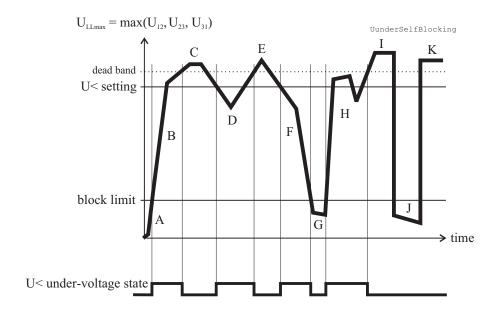


Figure 5.28: Under voltage state and block limit.

- A The maximum of the three line-to-line voltages U<sub>LLmax</sub> is below the block limit. This is not regarded as an under voltage situation.
- B The voltage U<sub>LLmin</sub> is above the block limit but below the pick-up level. This is an undervoltage situation.
- C Voltage is OK, because it is above the pick-up limit.
- D This is an under voltage situation.
- E Voltage is OK.

- This is an under voltage situation.
- G The voltage U<sub>LLmin</sub> is under block limit and this is not regarded as an under voltage situation.
- H This is an under voltage situation.
- I Voltage is OK.
- J Same as G
- K Voltage is OK.

#### Three independent stages

There are three separately adjustable stages: U<, U<< and U<<<. All these stages can be configured for definite time (DT) operation characteristic.

#### Setting groups

There are four settings groups available for all stages. Switching between setting groups can be controlled by digital inputs, virtual inputs (mimic display, communication, logic) and manually. See Chapter 5.2 General features of protection stages for more details.

Table 5.21: Parameters of the under voltage stages U<, U<<, U<<

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	-		Current status of the stage	
	Blocked			
	Start			F
	Trip			F
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	С
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	С
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	Set
SGrpDI			Digital signal to select the active setting group	Set
	-		None	
	DIx		Digital input	
	VIx		Virtual input	
	LEDx		LED indicator signal	
	VOx		Virtual output	
Force	Off On		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	Set
MinU		V	The supervised minimum of line-to-line voltages in primary volts	
U<, U<<, U<<<		V	Pick-up value scaled to primary value	
U<, U<<, U<<<		%Ugn	Pick-up setting	Set
t<, t<<, t<<		S	Definite operation time.	Set
LVBIk		%Ugn	Low limit for self blocking	Set
RIsDly		S	Release delay (U< stage only)	Set
Hyster	Default 3.0 %	%	Dead band setting	Set

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.34, Table 12.35, Table 12.36.

#### Recorded values of the latest eight faults

There are detailed information available of the eight latest faults for each of the stages: Time stamp, fault voltage, elapsed delay, voltage before the fault and setting group.

Table 5.22: Recorded values of the undervoltage stages (8 latest faults) U<, U<<, U<<

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	yyyy-mm-dd		Time stamp of the recording, date
	hh:mm:ss.ms		Time stamp, time of day
Fit		%Ugn	Minimum fault voltage
EDly		%	Elapsed time of the operating time setting. 100% = trip
PreFlt		%Ugn	Supervised value before fault, 1 s average value.
SetGrp	1, 2		Active setting group during fault

# 5.13 Undervoltage protection $U_1 < (27P)$

This is a special undervoltage protection for generator applications, where the voltage is measured at the generator side of the generator circuit breaker. There are special self blocking features for starting up and shutting down a generator.

This undervoltage function measures the positive sequence of fundamental frequency component  $U_1$  of the measured voltages (for calculation of  $U_1$ , see Chapter 7.10 Symmetric components). By using positive sequence all the three phases are supervised with one value and in case the generator looses connection to the network (loss of mains), the undervoltage situation is detected faster than by using just the minimum of the three line-to-line voltages.

Whenever the positive sequence voltage U<sub>1</sub> drops below the user's pick-up setting of a particular stage, this stage picks up and a start signal is issued. If the fault situation remains on longer than the user's operation time delay setting, a trip signal is issued.

#### Blocking during VT fuse failure

As all the protection stages the undervoltage function can be blocked with any internal or external signal using the block matrix. For example if the secondary voltage of one of the measuring transformers disappears because of a fuse failure (See VT supervision function in Chapter 6.7 Voltage transformer supervision). The blocking signal can also be a signal from the user's logic (see Chapter 8.7 Logic functions).

#### Self blocking at very low voltage

The stages will be blocked when the voltage is below a separate low voltage blocking setting. With this setting, LVBlk, both stages are blocked, when the voltage  $\rm U_1$  drops below the given limit. The idea is to avoid purposeless alarms, when the generator is not running. The LVBlk setting is common for both stages. The self blocking can not be disabled.

#### Temporary self blocking at very low currents

Further the pick up can be delayed by using setting I<Blk. When the maximum of the three measured phase currents is less than 1 % of the rated generator current, this delay is enabled. The idea is to avoid purposeless alarms, when the generator circuit breaker is open and the excitation is switched off. By setting the delay equal to zero, this feature is disabled.

#### Initial self blocking

When the voltage U<sub>1</sub> has been below the block limit, the stages will be blocked until the pick-up setting has been reached.

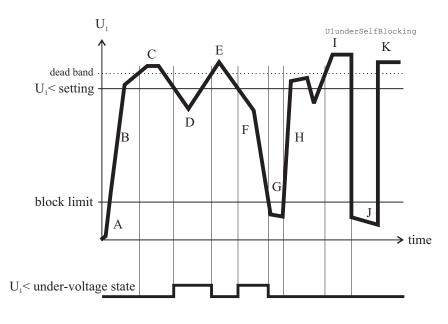


Figure 5.29 shows an example of low voltage self blocking.

Figure 5.29: Positive sequence under voltage state and block limit.

- A The positive sequence voltage U<sub>1</sub> is below the block limit. This is not regarded as an under voltage situation.
- F This is an under voltage situation.
- B The positive sequence voltage U<sub>1</sub> is above the block limit but below the pick-up level. However, this is not regarded as an under voltage situation, because the voltage has never been above the pick-up level since being below the block limit.
- Voltage is under block limit and this is not regarded as an under voltage situation.
- C Voltage is OK, because it is above the pick-up limit.
- H Same as B.
- D This is an under voltage situation.
- I Voltage is OK.

E Voltage is OK.

- J Same as G.
- K Voltage is OK.

#### Two independent stages

There are two separately adjustable stages:  $U_1$ < and  $U_1$ <<. Both stages can be configured for definite time (DT) operation characteristic.

#### Setting groups

There are four settings groups available for each stage. Switching between setting groups can be controlled by digital inputs, virtual inputs (communication, logic) and manually. See Chapter 5.2 General features of protection stages for more details.

Table 5.23: Parameters of the under voltage stages  $U_1 <$ ,  $U_1 <<$ 

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	-		Current status of the stage	F
	Blocked			F
	Start			
	Trip			
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	С
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	С
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	Set
SGrpDI			Digital signal to select the active setting group	Set
	-		None	
	DIx		Digital input	
	VIx		Virtual input	
	LEDx		LED indicator signal	
	VOx		Virtual output	
Force	Off On		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	Set
U1		V	The supervised positive sequence voltage in primary volts	
U1		%	The supervised positive sequence voltage of Un/ $\sqrt{3}$	
U1<, U1<<		V	Pick-up value scaled to primary value	
U1<, U1<<		%	Pick-up setting of Un/ $\sqrt{3}$	Set
t<, t<<		S	Definite operation time.	Set
LVBlk		% Un	Low limit for self blocking. This is a common setting for both stages.	Set
I <blk< td=""><td></td><td>S</td><td>Pick up delay, when current is less than 1 %I<sub>GN</sub>.</td><td>Set</td></blk<>		S	Pick up delay, when current is less than 1 %I <sub>GN</sub> .	Set

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.33.

#### Recorded values of the latest eight faults

There are detailed information available of the eight latest faults: Time stamp, fault voltage, elapsed delay and setting group.

Table 5.24: Recorded values of the undervoltage stages (8 latest faults)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	yyyy-mm-dd		Time stamp of the recording, date
	hh:mm:ss.ms		Time stamp, time of day
FIt		% Un	Minimum fault voltage
EDly		%	Elapsed time of the operating time setting. 100% = trip
SetGrp	1		Active setting group during fault
	2		

# 5.14 Zero sequence voltage protection U<sub>0</sub>> (59N)

The zero sequence voltage protection is used as unselective backup for earth faults and also for selective earth fault protections for generators having a unit transformer between the generator and the busbar.

This function is sensitive to the fundamental frequency component of the zero sequence voltage. The attenuation of the third harmonic is more than 60 dB. This is essential, because 3rd harmonics exist between the neutral point and earth also when there is no earth fault.

Whenever the measured value exceeds the user's pick-up setting of a particular stage, this stage picks up and a start signal is issued. If the fault situation remains on longer than the user's operation time delay setting, a trip signal is issued.

#### Measuring the zero sequence voltage

The zero sequence voltage is either measured with three voltage transformers (e.g. broken delta connection), one voltage transformer between the motor's neutral point and earth or calculated from the measured phase-to-neutral voltages according to the selected voltage measurement mode (see Chapter 7.7 Voltage measurement modes):

- When the voltage measurement mode is 3LN: the zero sequence voltage is calculated from the phase voltages and therefore a separate zero sequence voltage transformer is not needed. The setting values are relative to the configured voltage transformer (VT) voltage/ $\sqrt{3}$ .
- When the voltage measurement mode contains "+U<sub>0</sub>": The zero sequence voltage is measured with voltage transformer(s) for example using a broken delta connection. The setting values are relative to the VT<sub>0</sub> secondary voltage defined in configuration.

**NOTE:** The  $U_0$  signal must be connected according the connection diagram (Figure 10.2) in order to get a correct polarization. Please note that actually the negative  $U_0$ ,  $-U_0$ , is connected to the device.

#### Two independent stages

There are two separately adjustable stages:  $U_0$ > and  $U_0$ >>. Both stages can be configured for definite time (DT) operation characteristic.

The zero sequence voltage function comprises two separately adjustable zero sequence voltage stages (stage  $U_0$ > and  $U_0$ >>).

#### **Setting groups**

There are four settings groups available for both stages. Switching between setting groups can be controlled by digital inputs, virtual inputs (communication, logic) and manually. See Chapter 5.2 General features of protection stages for more details.

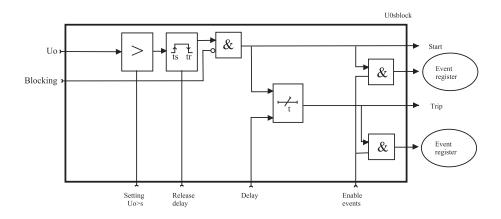


Figure 5.30: Block diagram of the zero sequence voltage stages  $U_0$ >,  $U_0$ >>

Table 5.25: Parameters of the residual overvoltage stages  $U_0$ >,  $U_0$ >>

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	-		Current status of the stage	
	Blocked			
	Start			F
	Trip			F
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	С
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	С
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	Set
SGrpDI			Digital signal to select the active setting group	Set
	-		None	
	Dlx		Digital input	
	VIx		Virtual input	
	LEDx		LED indicator signal	
	VOx		Virtual output	
Force	Off		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This	Set
	On		is a common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	
Uo		%	The supervised value relative to Un/ $\sqrt{3}$	
Uo>, Uo>>		%	Pick-up value relative to Un/ $\sqrt{3}$	Set
t>, t>>		S	Definite operation time.	Set

Set = An editable parameter (password needed). C = Can be cleared to zero. F = Editable when force flag is on.

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.37, Table 12.38.

# Recorded values of the latest eight faults

There are detailed information available of the eight latest faults: Time stamp, fault voltage, elapsed delay and setting group.

Table 5.26: Recorded values of the residual overvoltage stages  $U_0$ >,  $U_0$ >>

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	yyyy-mm-dd		Time stamp of the recording, date
	hh:mm:ss.ms		Time stamp, time of day
Fit		%	Fault voltage relative to Un/ $\sqrt{3}$
EDly		%	Elapsed time of the operating time setting. 100% = trip
SetGrp	1		Active setting group during fault
	2		

# 5.15 100% stator earth fault $U_{0F3}$ < (64F3)

**NOTE:** This protection stage is available only in voltage measurement mode " $2LL + U_0$ " (see chapter Chapter 7.7 Voltage measurement modes).

For this function the zero sequence voltage must be measured from the generator's neutral point and the earth.

A unit transformer is usually needed between the generator and the busbar for selective operation of this function.

The third harmonic undervoltage stage can be used to detect earth-faults near a high impedance earthed generator's neutral point or even at the neutral point. These kind of faults are rare, but if a second earth-fault would occur in one of the phases the consequences would be severe, because the first earth-fault had made the network solidly earthed. By using the  $U_{0F3}$ < stage such situation can be avoided.

# Neutral point is a blind point for conventional earth fault function

In case there is an earth-fault near the neutral point or even at the neutral point , the residual current and zero sequence voltage caused by such fault are negligible or even zero. Thus a conventional earth-fault protection based on fundamental frequency  $I_0$  and/or  $U_0$  measurement is not able to detect such faults. On the other hand, faults near the neutral point are rare, because the voltage stress is low.

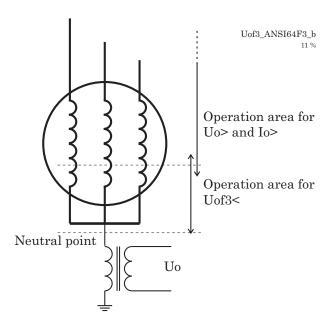


Figure 5.31: The overlapping coverage of winding earth-fault protection of basic protection stages and the third harmonic undervoltage protection stage.

## 100 % coverage of the windings

The "one hundred per cent" in the title is slightly misleading. Actually the 100 % coverage is achieved only when this stage is used together with conventional earth fault protection.

The operation range of fundamental frequency earth-fault functions 59N and 51N covers about 95 % of the stator windings starting from the HV end, but never 100 % of the windings. The coverage of the  $U_{0f3}$ < stage is about 10% – 30 % of the windings but starting from the LV end, i.e. the neutral point. Thus the ranges do overlap as in Figure 5.31 and 59N or 51N together with this 64F3 does cover 100 % of the stator windings.

#### Natural 3rd harmonic at the neutral point

The voltage a generator is not ideal pure sine wave. There will exist some small amount of harmonics as well. At the neutral point there will exists some amount of 3rd, 6th, 9th, 12th ..., i.e. 3n harmonics. The base frequency and other than 3n harmonics in phase voltages do cancel each other at the neutral point (Figure 5.32 and Figure 5.33). The third harmonic residual undervoltage stage  $U_{0f3}$ < is supervising the level of the 3rd harmonic at the neutral point. If there is an earth fault near the neutral point, this 150 Hz or 180 Hz voltage drops below setting and the stage will pick up.

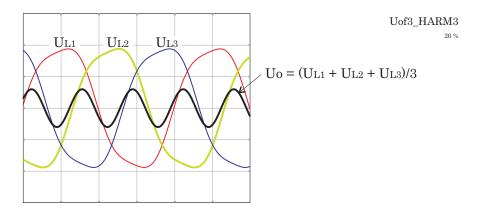


Figure 5.32: When symmetric phase-to-ground voltages containing third harmonic are summed together, the result is not zero.

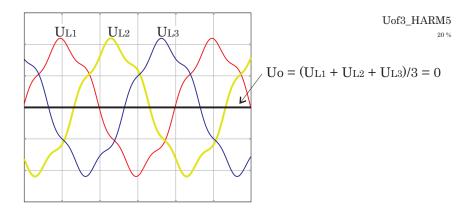


Figure 5.33: When the phase-to-ground voltages do contain fifth harmonic, they cancel each other when summed and the resulting zero sequence voltage  $U_0$  will be zero.

# Finding out the correct pick-up setting

A problem with this third harmonic undervoltage stage is to find a proper pick-up setting. In practice an empirical value is used, because the natural 3rd harmonic at the neutral point is dependent on:

- Construction of the generator
- Loading and the power factor
- Loading and the power factor
- Amount of excitation
- Earthing circuitry
- Transformers connected.

The relay itself can be used to measure the actual level of 3rd  $\rm U_0$  harmonic during various situations. Typically the generator is producing its minimum amount of 3rd harmonic when the load is small and the excitation is low. The pick-up setting must be below this minimum value. A typical operation delay is one minute.

# **Blocking the protection**

The squelch of voltage measurement will block the stage when the generator is stopped. Using the block matrix, blocking by under-voltage, under-power, CB position and other blocking schemes are possible.

# **Setting groups**

There are two settings groups available. Switching between setting groups can be controlled by digital inputs, virtual inputs (mimic display, communication, logic) and manually.

Table 5.27: Parameters of the 100 % stator earth fault stage  $U_{0E3}$ < (64F3)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	-		Current status of the stage	
	Blocked			
	Start			
	Trip			
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	
SGrpDI			Digital signal to select the active setting group	
	-		None	
	Dlx		Digital input	
	VIx		Virtual input	
	LEDx		LED indicator signal	
	VOx		Virtual output	
Force	Off		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a	
	On		common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	
Uof3		%	The supervised value relative to $\rm U_{0N}$ . For $\rm U_{0N}$ , see Chapter 7.3 Harmonics and Total Harmonic Distortion (THD).	
Uof3<		%	Pick-up value relative to U0N. For U0N, see Chapter 7.3 Harmonics and Total Harmonic Distortion (THD).	
t<		min	Definite operation time in minutes	

Set = An editable parameter (password needed). C = Can be cleared to zero. F = Editable when force flag is on.

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.39.

### Recorded values of the latest eight faults

There are detailed information available of the eight latest faults: Time stamp, fault voltage, elapsed delay and setting group.

Table 5.28: Recorded values of the 100 % stator earth fault stage  $U_{0F3}$ < (64F3)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	yyyy-mm-dd		Time stamp of the recording, date

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	hh:mm:ss.ms		Time stamp, time of day
Flt		%	3rd harmonic value relative to Un/ $\sqrt{3}$ during fault
EDly		%	Elapsed time of the operating time setting. 100% = trip
SetGrp	1		Active setting group during fault
	2		

# 5.16 Frequency Protection f><, f>><< (81)

Frequency protection is used for load sharing, loss of mains detection and as a backup protection for over-speeding.

The frequency function measures the frequency from the two first voltage inputs. At least one of these two inputs must have a voltage connected to be able to measure the frequency. Whenever the frequency crosses the user's pick-up setting of a particular stage, this stage picks up and a start signal is issued. If the fault situation remains on longer than the user's operation delay setting, a trip signal is issued. For situations, where no voltage is present an adapted frequency is used.

# Protection mode for f>< and f>><< stages

These two stages can be configured either for overfrequency or for underfrequency.

### Under voltage self blocking of underfrequency stages

The underfrequency stages are blocked when biggest of the three line-to-line voltages is below the low voltage block limit setting. With this common setting, LVBlk, all stages in underfrequency mode are blocked, when the voltage drops below the given limit. The idea is to avoid purposeless alarms, when the voltage is off.

## Initial self blocking of underfrequency stages

When the biggest of the three line-to-line voltages has been below the block limit, the under frequency stages will be blocked until the pick-up setting has been reached.

#### Four independent frequency stages

There are four separately adjustable frequency stages: f><, f>><<, f<<. The two first stages can be configured for either overfrequency or underfrequency usage. So totally four underfrequency stages can be in use simultaneously. Using the programmable stages even more can be implemented (chapter Chapter 5.25 Programmable stages (99)). All the stages have definite operation time delay (DT).

#### Setting groups

There are four settings groups available for each stage. Switching between setting groups can be controlled by digital inputs, virtual inputs (mimic display, communication, logic) and manually. See Chapter 5.2 General features of protection stages for more details.

Table 5.29: Parameters of the over & underfrequency stages

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	-		Current status of the stage	
	Blocked			
	Start			F
	Trip			F
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	С
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	С
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	Set
SGrpDI			Digital signal to select the active setting group	Set
	-		None	
	DIx		Digital input	
	VIx		Virtual input	
	LEDx		LED indicator signal	
	VOx		Virtual output	
Force	Off On		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	Set
f		Hz		
1			The supervised value.	Set
		Hz	Pick-up value	Set
fX			Over/under stage f><. See row "Mode".	
fXX			Over/under stage f>><<.	
f<			Under stage f<	
f<<			Under stage f<<	
		S	Definite operation time.	Set
tX			f>< stage	
tXX			f>><< stage	
t<			f< stage	
t<<			f<< stage	
Mode			Operation mode. (only for f>< and f>><<)	Set
	>		Overfrequency mode	
	<		Underfrequency mode	
LVblck		% Un	Low limit for self blocking. This is a common setting for all four stages.	Set

Set = An editable parameter (password needed). C = Can be cleared to zero. F = Editable when force flag is on.

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.43, Table 12.44.

# Recorded values of the latest eight faults

There are detailed information available of the eight latest faults: Time stamp, frequency during fault, elapsed delay and setting group.

Table 5.30: Recorded values of the over & under frequency stages (8 latest faults) f><, f>><<, f<, f<<

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	yyyy-mm-dd		Time stamp of the recording, date
	hh:mm:ss.ms		Time stamp, time of day
FIt		Hz	Faulty frequency
EDly		%	Elapsed time of the operating time setting. 100% = trip
SetGrp	1, 2		Active setting group during fault

# 5.17 Rate of change of frequency (ROCOF) (81R)

Rate of change of frequency (ROCOF or df/dt) function is used for fast load shedding, to speed up operation time in over- and under-frequency situations and to detect loss of grid. For example a centralized dedicated load shedding relay can be omitted and replaced with distributed load shedding, if all outgoing feeders are equipped with VAMP devices.

A special application for ROCOF is to detect loss of grid (loss of mains, islanding). The more the remaining load of the local generator differs from the load before the loss of grid, the better the ROCOF function detects the situation.

#### Frequency behaviour during load switching

Load switching and fault situations may generate change in frequency. A load drop may increase the frequency and increasing load may decrease the frequency, at least for a while. The frequency may also oscillate after the initial change. After a while the control system of any local generator may drive the frequency back to the original value. However, in case of a heavy short circuit fault or in case the new load exceeds the generating capacity, the average frequency keeps on decreasing.

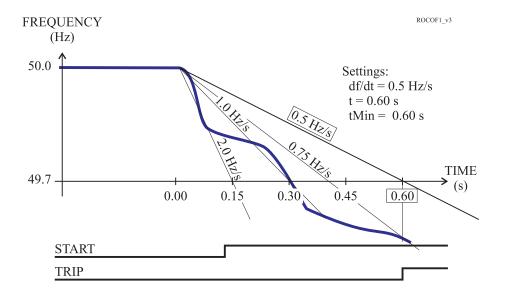


Figure 5.34: An example of definite time df/dt operation time. At 0.6 s, which is the delay setting, the average slope exceeds the setting 0.5 Hz/s and a trip signal is generated.

# **Setting groups**

There are four settings groups available. Switching between setting groups can be controlled by digital inputs, virtual inputs (communication, logic) and manually. See Chapter 5.2 General features of protection stages for more details.

## **Description of ROCOF implementation**

The ROCOF function is sensitive to the absolute average value of the time derivate of the measured frequency |df/dt|. Whenever the measured frequency slope |df/dt| exceeds the setting value for 80 ms time, the ROCOF stage picks up and issues a start signal after an additional 60 ms delay. If the average |df/dt|, since the pick-up moment, still exceeds the setting, when the operation delay time has elapsed, a trip signal is issued. In this definite time mode the second delay parameter "minimum delay, t<sub>MIN</sub>" must be equal to the operation delay parameter "t".

If the frequency is stable for about 80 ms and the time t has already elapsed without a trip, the stage will release.

#### ROCOF and frequency over and under stages

One difference between over-/under-frequency and df/dt function is the speed. In many cases a df/dt function can predict an overfrequency or underfrequency situation and is thus faster than a simple overfrequency or underfrequency function. However, in most cases a standard overfrequency and underfrequency stages must be used together with ROCOF to ensure tripping also in case the frequency drift is slower than the slope setting of ROCOF.

# **Definite operation time characteristics**

Figure 5.34 shows an example where the df/dt pick-up value is 0.5 Hz/s and the delay settings are t = 0.60 s and  $t_{MIN} = 0.60$  s. Equal times  $t = t_{MIN}$  will give a definite time delay characteristics. Although the frequency slope fluctuates the stage will not release but continues to calculate the average slope since the initial pick-up. At the defined operation time, t = 0.6 s, the average slope is 0.75 Hz/s. This exceeds the setting, and the stage will trip.

At slope settings less than 0.7 Hz/s the fastest possible operation time is limited according the Figure 5.35

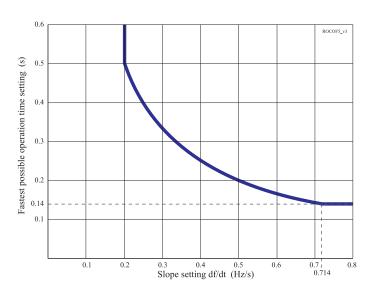


Figure 5.35: At very sensitive slope settings the fastest possible operation time is limited according the figure.

#### Inverse operation time characteristics

By setting the second delay parameter  $t_{MIN}$  smaller than the operational delay t, an inverse type of operation time characteristics is achieved.

Figure 5.37 shows one example, where the frequency behaviour is the same as in the first figure, but the  $t_{MIN}$  setting is 0.15 s instead of being equal with t. The operation time depends of the measured average slope according the following equation.

 $t_{TRIP}$  = Resulting operation time (seconds).

 $s_{SET}$  = df/dt i.e. slope setting (hertz/seconds).

t<sub>SET</sub> = Operation time setting t (seconds).s = Measured average frequency slope (hertz/seconds).

The minimum operation time is always limited by the setting parameter  $t_{\text{MIN}}$ . In the example of the fastest operation time, 0.15 s, is achieved when the slope is 2 Hz/s or more. The leftmost curve in

Equation 5.2:

$$t_{TRIP} = \frac{s_{SET} \cdot t_{SET}}{|s|}$$

Figure 5.36 shows the inverse characteristics with the same settings as in Figure 5.37.

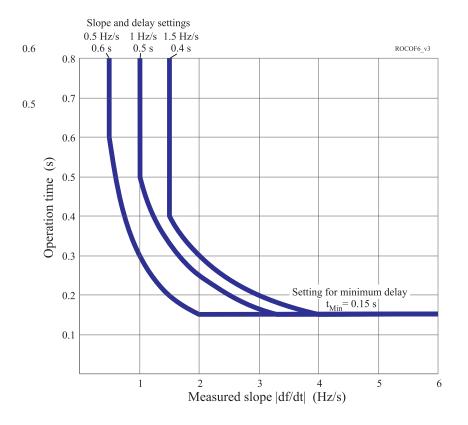


Figure 5.36: Three examples of possible inverse df/dt operation time characteristics. The slope and operation delay settings define the knee points on the left. A common setting for tMin has been used in these three examples. This minimum delay parameter defines the knee point positions on the right.

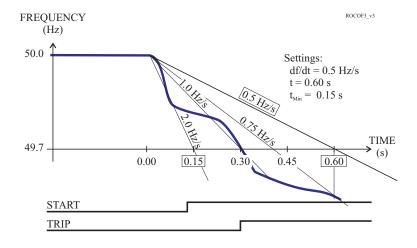


Figure 5.37: An example of inverse df/dt operation time. The time to trip will be 0.3 s, although the setting is 0.6 s, because the average slope 1 Hz/s is steeper than the setting value 0.5 Hz/s.

**Parameter** Value Unit Default Description df/dt 0.2 - 10.0Hz/s 5.0 df/dt pick-up setting 0.14 - 10.00.50 df/dt operational delay 0.14 - 10.00.50 df/dt minimum delay tMin> s S\_On Enabled Enabled; Disabled Start on event S Off Enabled: Disabled Enabled Start off event T\_On Enabled: Disabled Enabled Trip on event T Off Enabled; Disabled Enabled Trip off event

Table 5.31: Setting parameters of df/dt stage

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.45.

Table 5.32: Measured and recorded values of df/dt stage

	Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
Measured value	f		Hz	Frequency
	df/dt		Hz/s	Frequency rate of change
Recorded values	SCntr		-	Start counter (Start) reading
	TCntr		-	Trip counter (Trip) reading
	FIt		%Hz/s	Max rate of change fault value
	EDly		%	Elapsed time as compared to the set operating time; 100% = tripping

# 5.18 Underimpedance Z< (21)

Underimpedance protection can be used to detect near short circuit faults, even when excitation of the generator collapse thus limiting the available short circuit current. It is an alternative for the voltage restrained overcurrent protection (Chapter 5.5 Voltage restrained/controlled phase overcurrent  $I_V$ > (51V)). When the generator's short circuit current capacity is limited any high set overcurrent stage might not pick-up, but an underimpedance stage will still detect the fault.

The stage is sensitive to positive sequence impedance Z1, which is calculated using the equation

$$Z_1 = \frac{U_1}{I_1}$$

 $Z_1$  = absolute value of positive sequence impedance

 $U_1$  = positive sequence voltage

 $I_1$  = positive sequence current

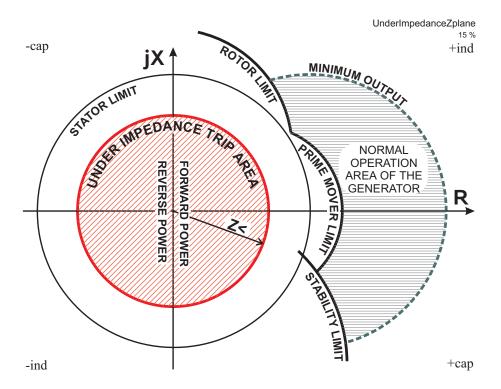


Figure 5.38: The trip region of underimpedance stage is a circle in origin. The radius Z< is the setting value. The bigger circle "stator limit" represents the rated power of the generator.

The impedance relay is insensitive to the phase angle between current and voltage. Its characteristics in an impedance plane is a circle in origin, where the horizontal axis represents resistance R and the vertical axis represents reactance jX (Figure 5.38).

Whenever the positive sequence impedance goes inside the circle, the stage will pick-up. The radius Z< of the circle and the definite delay time are the setting parameters.

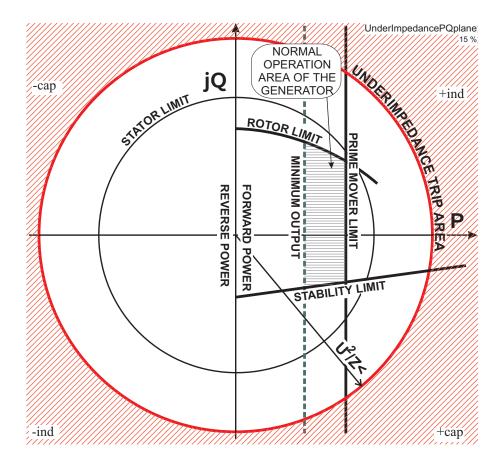


Figure 5.39: Underimpedance characteristics drawn in power plane assuming, that voltage is constant. The trip area is now outside of the circle having radius U2/Z<, where Z< is the pick-up setting.

#### Undercurrent blocking

When for some reason voltage collapses but currents remain at normal load levels, the calculated impedance may fall into the trip area. Inverted start signal from the most sensitive overcurrent stage can be used to block the underimpedance stages during abnormal voltages not caused be short circuit faults.

#### Characteristic on a PQ-power plane

In Figure 5.39 the same characteristics as in the previous figure is drawn on a PQ-power plane assuming a constant voltage of 1 PU. The transformation is  $\underline{S} = U^2/Z^*$ , where U is the voltage and  $Z^*$  is the complex conjugate of impedance Z.

The borderline of underimpedance trip area in the power plane is still a circle in origin, but now the trip area is the outside of the circle. The shape of the normal operation area is totally different. For example the maximum active power (prime mover limit) is just a vertical line while in impedance plane (Figure 5.38), it is a circle touching the jX axis.

When current is zero the impedance calculation gives infinite as result. Thus the stage will not pick-up in a machine stand still situation.

# Two independent underimpedance stages

There are two separately adjustable stages available: Z< and Z<<.

# **Setting groups**

There are four settings groups available for each stage. Switching between setting groups can be controlled by digital inputs, virtual inputs (communication, logic) and manually. See Chapter 5.2 General features of protection stages for more details.

Table 5.33: Parameters of the underimpedance stages Z<, Z<< (21)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	-		Current status of the stage	
	Blocked			
	Start			F
	Trip			F
TripTime		s	Estimated time to trip	
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	Clr
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	Clr
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	Set
SGrpDI - Dlx Vlx			Digital signal to select the active setting group	Set
	-		None	
		Digital input		
		Virtual input		
	LEDx		LED indicator signal	
	VOx		Virtual output	
Force	Off		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a	Set
	On		common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	
Z		ohm	The supervised value scaled to primary value. "Inf" = infinite	
Z		xZn	The supervised value scaled to per unit (pu).	
			1 pu = $1xZ_N = U_{GN}/(\sqrt{3} \times I_{GN})$ . "Inf" = infinite	
Z<, Z<<		ohm	Pick-up value scaled to primary value	
Z<, Z<<		xZn	Pick-up setting in per unit (pu).	Set
			1 pu = $1xZ_N = U_{GN}/(\sqrt{3} \times I_{GN})$ .	
t<		s	Definite operation time.	Set
U1		V	Measured value of positive sequence voltage U <sub>1</sub>	
I1		Α	Measured value of positive sequence current I <sub>1</sub>	

Set = An editable parameter (password needed). C = Can be cleared to zero. F = Editable when force flag is on. For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.46.

#### Recorded values of the latest eight faults

There are detailed information available of the eight latest earth faults: Time stamp, fault impedance, elapsed delay and setting group.

Table 5.34: Recorded values of the underimpedance stages Z<, Z<< (21)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	yyyy-mm-dd		Time stamp of the recording, date
	hh:mm:ss.ms		Time stamp, time of day
Flt		Zn	Minimum fault impedance
EDly		%	Elapsed time of the operating time setting. 100% = trip
SetGrp	1		Active setting group during fault
	2		

# 5.19 Under-excitation protection Q< (40)

Synchronous machines need some minimum level of excitation to remain stable throughout their load range. If excitation is too low, the machine may drop out of synchronism. The under-excitation protection protects the generator against the risk of lost of synchronism.

When the generator produces capacitive power, that is when the reactive component of the power phasor is negative, the excitation current can be so low, that the synchronism is lost.

This stage supervises the amount of capacitive power and in case it exceeds the setting a start signal is issued. If the fault continues longer than user's operation delay time setting, a trip signal is issued.

The measurement of the degree of excitation is based on a complex three-phase power vector, which is calculated from the fundamental components of the phase currents and line-to-line voltages.

## Trip area on a PQ-plane

The tripping area of the under-excitation stage on a PQ-plane is defined with two parameters, Q1 and Q2, see Figure 5.40 and Figure 5.41. When the tip of the power phasor lies on the left side of the left side of a straight line drawn through Q1 and Q2 and on the negative side of P-axis, the stage picks up.

The P coordinate of the setting point Q1 has a fixed value equal to zero and the Q coordinate is adjustable.

The P coordinate of the setting point Q2 has a fixed value of 80% of the rated power of the generator and the Q coordinate is adjustable.

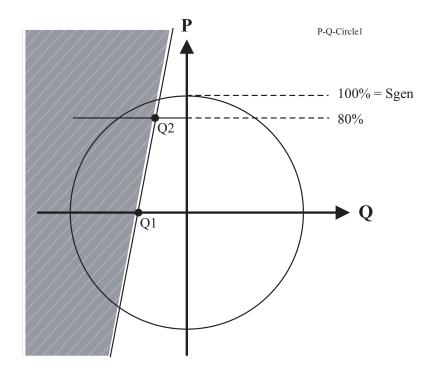


Figure 5.40: Setting of the under-excitation stage by means of the par-meters Q1 and Q2. The shaded area is the area of operation. In this example the operation depends on both P and Q, because the operating line has an  $8^{\circ}$  slope (Q1 - Q2 = 14%).

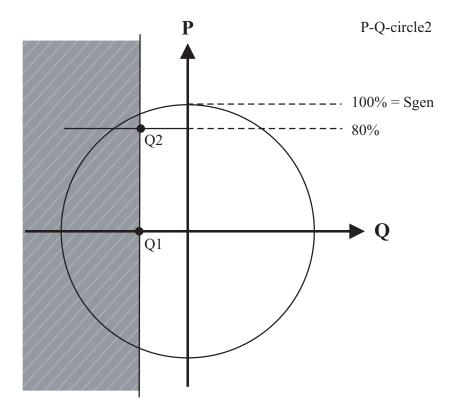


Figure 5.41: Setting of the under-excitation stage by means of the parameters Q1 and Q2. The shaded area constitutes the area of operation. In the above example the operation solely depends on the reactive power, because the operating line is vertical (Q1 - Q2 = 0%).

## **Power swing**

A release time setting is available against prolonged power swings. In a power swing situation the power phasor is swinging back and forth between capacitive and inductive power. With a long enough release time setting the stage accumulates the total fault time and will eventually trip.

# **Setting groups**

There are two settings groups available. Switching between setting groups can be controlled by digital inputs, virtual inputs (mimic display, communication, logic) and manually.

Table 5.35: Parameters of the under-excitation stage Q< (40)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	-		Current status of the stage	
	Blocked			
	Start			F
	Trip			F
TripTime		S	Estimated time to trip	
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	Clr
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	Clr
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	Set
SGrpDI			Digital signal to select the active setting group	Set
	-		None	
	DIx		Digital input	
	VIx		Virtual input	
	LEDx		LED indicator signal	
	VOx		Virtual output	
Force	Off		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a	Set
	On		common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	
Р		%Sgn	The supervised active power value.	
Q		%Sgn	The supervised reactive power value.	
Q@P0%		%Sgn	Setting 1. See Figure 5.40.	Set
		kvar		
Q@P80%		%Sgn	Setting 2. See Figure 5.41.	Set
		kvar		
t<		S	Definite operation time.	Set
RIsDly		s	Release delay for power swing	Set

Set = An editable parameter (password needed). C = Can be cleared to zero. F = Editable when force flag is on.

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.47.

# Recorded values of the latest eight faults

There are detailed information available of the eight latest earth faults: Time stamp, fault power P and Q, elapsed delay and setting group.

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	yyyy-mm-dd		Time stamp of the recording, date
	hh:mm:ss.ms		Time stamp, time of day
P		%Sgn	Active fault power
Q		%Sgn	Reactive fault power
EDly		%	Elapsed time of the operating time setting. 100% = trip
SetGrp	1		Active setting group during fault
	2		

Table 5.36: Recorded values of the under-excitation stage Q< (40)

# 5.20 Under-reactance and loss of excitation protection X< (40)

Synchronous machines need some minimum level of excitation to remain stable throughout their load range. If excitation is lost or is too low, the machine may drop out of synchronism. The loss of excitation stages X< and X<<, are used to supervise that the synchronous machine is working in the stable area.

The protection is based on positive sequence impedance as viewed from the machine terminals. This impedance is calculated using the measured three phase voltages and phase currents according the following equation:

Equation 5.3: Z1 = positive sequence impedance.

U1 = positive sequence voltage phasor

 $\overline{Z}_1 = \frac{\overline{U}_1}{\overline{I}_1}$  I1 = positive sequence current phasor.

If this impedance goes under the steady state stability limit, the synchronous machine may loose its stability and drop out of synchronism.

## **Detecting power swinging**

A release time setting is available against prolonged power swings. In a power swing situation the power phasor is swinging back and forth between capacitive and inductive power. With a long enough release time setting the stage accumulates the total fault time and will eventually trip.

# **Undercurrent blocking**

When for some reason voltage collapses but currents remain at normal load levels, the calculated impedance may fall into the trip area. Inverted start signal from the most sensitive overcurrent stage can be used to block the under-reactance stages during abnormal voltages not caused be short circuit faults.

# Characteristic on an impedance plane

The characteristic on an impedance plane is a circle covering the unstable area of the synchronous machine (Figure 5.42). The radius X< and centre point [Roffset, Xoffset] of the circle are editable. Whenever the positive sequence impedance goes inside this circle the stage will pick-up. If the fault stays on longer than the definite time delay setting, the stage will issue a trip signal.

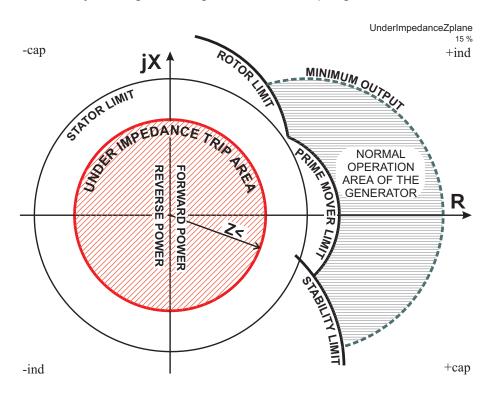


Figure 5.42: The trip region of loss of excitation stage is a circle is covering the unstable area of the generator. The radius X<, Roffset and Xoffset are the setting parameters. Whenever the positive sequence impedance falls inside the X< circle, the stage picks up.

#### Calculating setting values

The machine manufacturer specifies:

X<sub>d</sub> = synchronous unsaturated reactance and the

X'<sub>d</sub> = transient reactance for the synchronous machine.

The settings for loss of excitation stages can be derived from these machine parameters, but there are many practices to do it. Here is one:

Radius of the circle  $X < = X_d/2$ 

Resistive offset Ros =  $0.14 (X'_d + X_d/2)$ 

Reactive offset Xos =  $-(X'_d + X_d/2)$ 

All the settings are in per unit.

$$X_{PU} = \frac{X}{Z_N}$$
  $X_{PU} = \text{Reactance (or resistance) per unit}$   $X = \text{Reactance (or resistance) in ohms}$   $Z_N = \text{Nominal impedance of the machine}$   $Z_N = \text{Nominal impedance of the machine}$   $Z_N = \text{Nominal voltage of the machine}$   $Z_N = \text{Nominal power of the machine}$   $Z_N = \text{Nominal power of the machine}$ 

## Characteristic on power plane

In Figure 5.43 the same characteristics as in the previous figure is drawn on a PQ-power plane assuming a constant voltage of 1 PU. The transformation is  $\underline{S} = U^2/Z^*$ , where U is the voltage and  $Z^*$  is the complex conjugate of impedance Z.

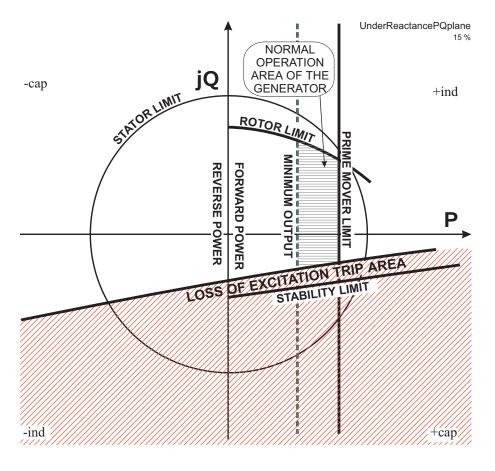


Figure 5.43: The loss of excitation characteristic drawn on a power plane.

# Two independent under-reactance stages

There are two separately adjustable stages available: X< and X<<.

# **Setting groups**

There are two settings groups available. Switching between setting groups can be controlled by digital inputs, virtual inputs (mimic display, communication, logic) and manually.

Table 5.37: Parameters of the under-reactance stages X<, X<< (40)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	-		Current status of the stage	
	Blocked			
	Start			F
	Trip			F
TripTime	p	S	Estimated time to trip	'
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	Clr
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	Clr
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	Set
SGrpDI	-		Digital signal to select the active setting group	Set
•	Dlx		None	
	VIx		Digital input	
	LEDx		Virtual input	
	VOx		LED indicator signal	
			Virtual output	
Force	Off On		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	Set
Z		ohm	The supervised value scaled to primary value. "Inf" = infinite	
Z		xZn	The supervised value scaled to per unit (pu).	
			1 pu = $1xZ_N = UGN/(\sqrt{3} xI_{GN})$ .	
			"Inf" = infinite	
Ζφ		o	Angle of the supervised impedance	
X<; X<<		ohm	Pick-up value scaled to primary value	
X<; X<<		xZn	Pick-up setting in per unit (pu).	Set
			1 pu = $1xZ_N = UGN/(\sqrt{3} xI_{GN})$ .	
t<		S	Definite operation time.	Set
RIsDly		S	Release delay	Set
Ros		xZn	Resistive offset for trip area origin in pu.	Set
Xos		xZn	Reactive offset for trip area origin in pu.	Set
Ros		ohm	Resistive offset for trip area origin in primary ohms.	
Xos		xZn	Reactive offset for trip area origin in primary ohms.	

Set = An editable parameter (password needed). C = Can be cleared to zero. F = Editable when force flag is on.

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.48.

# Recorded values of the latest eight faults

There are detailed information available of the eight latest earth faults: Time stamp, fault impedance, fault angle, elapsed delay and setting group.

Table 5.38: Recorded values of the under-reactance stages X<, X<< (40)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	yyyy-mm-dd		Time stamp of the recording, date
	hh:mm:ss.ms		Time stamp, time of day
Flt		Zn	Fault impedance
Angle		0	Fault angle
EDly		%	Elapsed time of the operating time setting. 100% = trip
SetGrp	1		Active setting group during fault
	2		

# 5.21 Reverse power and under-power protection P< (32)

Reverse power function can be used for generators against motoring to protect the prime mover against over-speeding or to disconnect a motor in case the supply voltage is lost and thus prevent any power generation by the motor. Under-power function can be used to detect loss of the mechanical load of a motor.

Reverse and under power function is sensitive to active power. Whenever the active power goes under the pick-up value, the stage picks up and issues a start signal. If the fault situation stays on longer than the delay setting, a trip signal is issued.

#### Scaling of pick-up setting

The pick-up setting is proportional to the nominal power of the prime mover parameter  $P_M$ , which is part of the basic configuration.

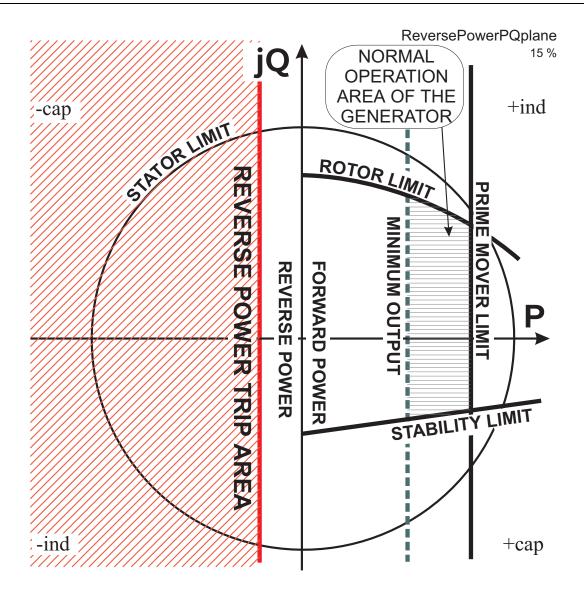


Figure 5.44: Characteristics of reverse power function.

## Reverse power

For reverse power protection a negative pick-up value is used (Figure 5.44).

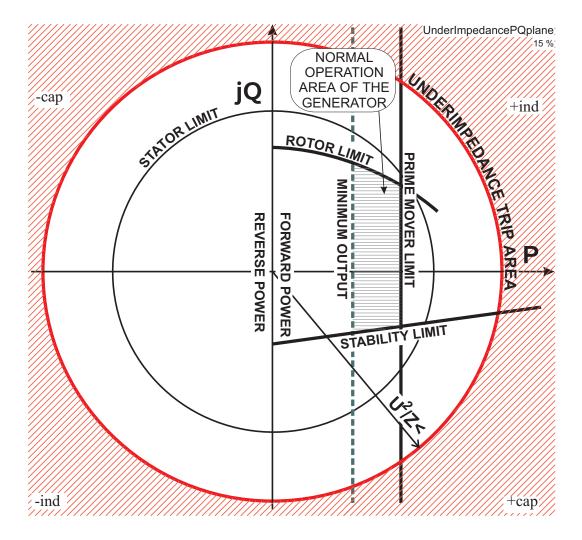


Figure 5.45: Characteristics of under power function.

# **Under power**

When the pick-up value is positive, the function is called under-power (Figure 5.45).

## Two independent stages

There are two separately adjustable stages available: P< and P<<.

## **Setting groups**

There are two settings groups available. Switching between setting groups can be controlled by digital inputs, virtual inputs (mimic display, communication, logic) and manually.

There are two identical stages available with independent setting parameters.

Table 5.39: Parameters of the reverse/under power stages P<, P<< (32)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	-		Current status of the stage	
	Blocked			
	Start			F
	Trip			F
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	Clr
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	Clr
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	Set
SGrpDI	-		Digital signal to select the active setting group	Set
	Dlx		None	
	VIx		Digital input	
	LEDx		Virtual input	
	VOx		LED indicator signal	
			Virtual output	
Force	Off		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a	Set
	On		common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	
P		kW	The supervised value.	
P<, P<<		kW	Pick-up value scaled to primary value	
P<, P<<		%Pm	Pick-up value scaled to pu	Set
t<, t<<		S	Definite operation time.	Set

Set = An editable parameter (password needed). C = Can be cleared to zero. F = Editable when force flag is on.

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.49.

# Recorded values of the latest eight faults

There are detailed information available of the eight latest faults: Time stamp, fault power, elapsed delay and setting group.

Table 5.40: Recorded values of the reverse/under power stages (8 latest faults) P<, P<< (32)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	yyyy-mm-dd		Time stamp of the recording, date
	hh:mm:ss.ms		Time stamp, time of day
Flt		xPm	Minimum power
EDly		%	Elapsed time of the operating time setting. 100% = trip
SetGrp	1		Active setting group during fault
	2		

# 5.22 Magnetishing inrush $I_{f2} > (68F2)$

This stage is mainly used to block other stages. The ratio between the second harmonic component and the fundamental frequency component is measured on all the phase currents. When the ratio in any phase exceeds the setting value, the stage gives a start signal. After a settable delay, the stage gives a trip signal.

The start and trip signals can be used for blocking the other stages.

The trip delay is irrelevant if only the start signal is used for blocking.

The trip delay of the stages to be blocked must be more than 60 ms to ensure a proper blocking.

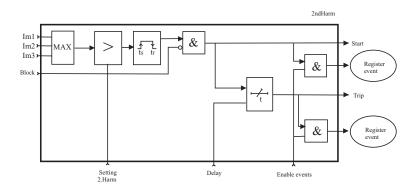


Figure 5.46: Block diagram of the magnetishing inrush stage.

**Parameter** Value Unit Default Description If2> % 10 10 - 100Setting value If2/Ifund t f2 0.05 - 300.00.05 Definite operating time s S\_On Enabled; Disabled Enabled Start on event S Off Enabled; Disabled Enabled Start off event T On Enabled; Disabled Enabled Trip on event T\_Off Enabled; Disabled Enabled Trip off event

Table 5.41: Setting parameters of magnetishing inrush blocking (68F2)

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.41.

Table 5.42: Measured and recorded values of magnetishing inrush blocking (68F2)

	Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
Measured values	IL1H2.		%	2. harmonic of IL1, proportional to the fundamental value of IL1
	IL2H2.		%	2. harmonic of IL2
	IL3H2.		%	2. harmonic of IL3
Recorded values	FIt		%	The max. fault value
	EDly		%	Elapsed time as compared to the set operating time; 100% = tripping

# 5.23 Transformer over exicitation I<sub>f5</sub>> (68F5)

Overexiting for example a transformer creates odd harmonics. This over exicitation stage can be used detect overexcitation. This stage can also be used to block some other stages.

The ratio between the over exicitation component and the fundamental frequency component is measured on all the phase currents. When the ratio in any phase exceeds the setting value, the stage gives a start signal. After a settable delay, the stage gives a trip signal.

The trip delay of the stages to be blocked must be more than 60 ms to ensure a proper blocking.

Table 5.43: Setting parameters of over exicitation blocking (68F5)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Default	Description
If5>	10 – 100	%	10	Setting value If2/Ifund
t_f5	0.05 – 300.0	s	0.05	Definite operating time
S_On	Enabled; Disabled	-	Enabled	Start on event
S_Off	Enabled; Disabled	-	Enabled	Start off event
T_On	Enabled; Disabled	-	Enabled	Trip on event
T_Off	Enabled; Disabled	-	Enabled	Trip off event

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.42.

Table 5.44: Measured and recorded values of over exicitation blocking (68F5)

	Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
Measured values	IL1H5.		%	5. harmonic of IL1, proportional to the fundamental value of IL1
	IL2H5.		%	5. harmonic of IL2
	IL3H5.		%	5. harmonic of IL3
Recorded values	FIt		%	The max. fault value
	EDly		%	Elapsed time as compared to the set operating time; 100% = tripping

# 5.24 Circuit breaker failure protection CBFP (50BF)

The circuit breaker failure protection can be used to trip any upstream circuit breaker (CB), if the fault has not disappeared within a given time after the initial trip command. A different output contact of the device must be used for this backup trip.

The operation of the circuit-breaker failure protection (CBFP) is based on the supervision of the signal to the selected trip relay and the time the fault remains on after the trip command.

If this time is longer than the operating time of the CBFP stage, the CBFP stage activates another output relay, which will remain activated until the primary trip relay resets.

The CBFP stage is supervising all the protection stages using the same selected trip relay, since it supervises the control signal of this device. See Chapter 8.4 Output matrix

Table 5.45: Parameters of the circuit breaker failure stage CBFP (50BF)
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Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	-		Current status of the stage	
	Blocked			
	Start			F
	Trip			F
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	С
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	С
Force	Off On		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	Set
Cbrelay			The supervised output relay*).	Set
	1 – 2		Relay T1 – T2 (depending the ordering code)	
t>		S	Definite operation time.	Set

<sup>\*)</sup> This setting is used by the circuit breaker condition monitoring, too. See Chapter 6.8 Circuit breaker condition monitoring.

Set = An editable parameter (password needed). C = Can be cleared to zero. F = Editable when force flag is on.

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.40.

#### Recorded values of the latest eight faults

There are detailed information available of the eight latest faults: Time stamp and elapsed delay.

Table 5.46: Recorded values of the circuit breaker failure stage (8 latest faults) CBFP (50BF)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	yyyy-mm-dd		Time stamp of the recording, date
	hh:mm:ss.ms		Time stamp, time of day
EDly		%	Elapsed time of the operating time setting. 100% = trip

# 5.25 Programmable stages (99)

For special applications the user can built own protection stages by selecting the supervised signal and the comparison mode.

The following parameters are available:

#### Priority

If operation times less than 80 milliseconds are needed select 10 ms. For operation times under one second 20 ms is recommended. For longer operation times and THD signals 100 ms is recommended.

#### Coupling A

The name of the supervised signal in ">" and "<" modes (see table below). Also the name of the supervised signal 1 in "Diff" and "AbsDiff" modes.

#### Coupling B

The name of the supervised signal 2 in "Diff" and "AbsDiff" modes.

#### Compare condition

Compare mode. '>' for over or '<' for under comparison, "Diff" and "AbsDiff" for comparing Coupling A and Coupling B.

#### Pick-up

Limit of the stage. The available setting range and the unit depend on the selected signal.

#### Operation delay

Definite time operation delay

#### Hysteresis

Dead band (hysteresis)

#### No Compare limit for mode <</li>

Only used with compare mode under ('<'). This is the limit to start the comparison. Signal values under NoCmp are not regarded as fault.

Table 5.47: Available signals to be supervised by the programmable stages

IL1, IL2, IL3	Phase currents
lo1, lo2	Residual current inputs
U12, U23, U31	Line-to-line voltages
UL1, UL2, UL3	Phase-to-ground voltages

Uo	Zero sequence voltage
f	Frequency
Р	Active power
Q	Reactive power
S	Apparent power
loCalc	Phasor sum <u>I</u> <sub>L1</sub> + <u>I</u> <sub>L2</sub> + <u>I</u> <sub>L3</sub>
11	Positive sequence current
12	Negative sequence current
12/11	Relative negative sequence current
I2/In	Negative sequence current in pu
U1	Positive sequence voltage
U2	Negative sequence voltage
U2/U1	Relative negative sequence voltage
IL	Average (I <sub>L1</sub> + I <sub>L2</sub> + I <sub>L3)</sub> / 3
TanFii	Tangent φ [= tan(arccosφ)]
Prms	Active power rms value
Qrms	Reactive power rms value
Srms	Apparent powre rms value
Uphase	Average of UL1, UL2, UL3
Uline	Average of U12, U23, U32
THDIL1	Total harmonic distortion of I <sub>L1</sub>
THDIL2	Total harmonic distortion of I <sub>L2</sub>
THDIL3	Total harmonic distortion of I <sub>L3</sub>
THDUa	Total harmonic distortion of input U <sub>A</sub>
THDUb	Total harmonic distortion of input U <sub>B</sub>
THDUc	Total harmonic distortion of input U <sub>C</sub>
IL1RMS	IL1 RMS for average sampling
IL2RMS	IL2 RMS for average sampling
IL3RMS	IL3 RMS for average sampling
VAI1, VAI2, VAI3, VAI4, VAI5	Virtual analog inputs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 (GOOSE)

# Eight independent stages

The device has eight independent programmable stages. Each programmable stage can be enabled or disabled to fit the intended application.

# **Setting groups**

There are four settings groups available. Switching between setting groups can be controlled by digital inputs, virtual inputs (mimic display, communication, logic) and manually.

There are four identical stages available with independent setting parameters.

See Chapter 5.2 General features of protection stages for more details.

Table 5.48: Parameters of the programmable stages PrgN (99)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note	
Status	-		Current status of the stage		
	Blocked				
	Start			F	
	Trip			F	
SCntr			Cumulative start counter	С	
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	С	
SetGrp	1 or 2		Active setting group	Set	
SGrpDI			Digital signal to select the active setting group		
	-		None		
	Dlx		Digital input		
	VIx		Virtual input		
	LEDx		LED indicator signal		
	VOx		Virtual output		
Force	Off On		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	Set	
Link	See Table 5.47		Name for the supervised signal	Set	
See Table 5.47			Value of the supervised signal		
Cmp			Mode of comparison	Set	
	>		Over protection		
	<		Under protection		
	Diff		Difference		
	AbsDiff		Absolut difference		
Pickup			Pick up value scaled to primary level		
Pickup		pu	Pick up setting in pu	Set	
t		S	Definite operation time.	Set	
Hyster		%	Dead band setting	Set	
NoCmp		pu	Minimum value to start under comparison. (Mode='<')	Set	

Set = An editable parameter (password needed). C = Can be cleared to zero. F = Editable when force flag is on.

# Recorded values of the latest eight faults

There is detailed information available of the eight latest faults: Time stamp, fault value and elapsed delay.

# Table 5.49: Recorded values of the programmable stages PrgN (99)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	yyyy-mm-dd		Time stamp of the recording, date
	hh:mm:ss.ms		Time stamp, time of day
Flt		pu	Fault value
EDly		%	Elapsed time of the operating time setting. 100% = trip
SetGrp	1, 2		Active setting group during fault

# 5.26 Arc fault protection (50ARC/50NARC) optional

**NOTE:** This protection function needs optional hardware in slot X6. More details of the hardware can be found in Chapter 11.5 Optional two channel arc protection card and Table 12.9).

Arc protection is used for fast arc protection. The function is based on simultaneous light and current measurement. Special arc sensors are used to measure the light of an arc.

#### Stages for arc faults

There are three separate stages for the various current inputs:

Arcl>: for phase-to-phase arc faults. Current inputs  $I_{L1}$ ,  $I_{L2}$ ,  $I_{L3}$  are used.

Arcl<sub>01</sub>>: for phase-to-earth arc faults. Current input  $I_{01}$  is used. Arcl<sub>02</sub>>: for phase-to-earth arc faults. Current input  $I_{02}$  is used.

#### Light channel selection

The light information source to the stages can be selected from the following list.

- : No sensor selected. The stage will not work.
- S1: Light sensor S1.
- S2: Light sensor S2.
- S1/S2: Either one of the light sensors S1 or S2.
- BI: Binary input of the arc card. 48 Vdc.
- S1/BI: Light sensor S1 or the binary input.
- S2/BI: Light sensor S2 or the binary input.
- S1/S2/BI: Light sensor S1 or S2 or the binary input.

# **Binary input**

The binary input (BI) on the arc option card (see Chapter 11.5 Optional two channel arc protection card) can be used to get the light indication from another relay to build selective arc protection systems.

The BI signal can also be connected to any of the output relays, BO, indicators etc. offered by the output matrix (see Chapter 8.4 Output matrix). BI is a dry input for 48 Vdc signal from binary outputs of other VAMP devices or dedicated arc protection devices by VAMP.

# **Binary output**

The binary output (BO) on the arc option card (see Chapter 11.5 Optional two channel arc protection card) can be used to give the light indication signal or any other signal or signals to another relay's binary input to build selective arc protection systems.

Selection of the BO connected signal(s) is done with the output matrix (see Chapter 8.4 Output matrix). BO is an internally wetted 48 Vdc signal for BI of other VAMP relays or dedicated arc protection devices by VAMP.

#### **Delayed light indication signal**

Relay output matrix has a delayed light indication output signal (Delayed Arc L>) available for building selective arc protection systems. Any light source combination and a delay can be configured starting from 0.01 s to 0.15 s. The resulting signal is available in the output matrix to be connected to BO, output relays etc.

# Pick up scaling

The per unit (pu) values for pick up setting are based on the current transformer values.

Arcl>: 1 pu = 1 x  $I_N$  = rated phase current CT value

Arcl<sub>01</sub>>: 1 pu = 1 x  $I_{01N}$  = rated residual current CT value for input  $I_{01}$ .

Arcl<sub>02</sub>>: 1 pu = 1 x  $I_{02N}$  = rated residual current CT value for input  $I_{02N}$ 

Table 5.50: Parameters of arc protection stages Arcl>,  $Arcl_{01}$ >,  $Arcl_{02}$ > (50ARC/50NARC)

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Status	-		Current status of the stage	
	Start		Light detected according Arcl <sub>N</sub>	F
	Trip		Light and overcurrent detected	F
LCntr			Cumulative light indication counter. S1, S2 or BI.	С
SCntr			Cumulative light indication counter for the selected inputs according parameter Arcl <sub>N</sub>	С
TCntr			Cumulative trip counter	С
Force	Off On		Force flag for status forcing for test purposes. This is a common flag for all stages and output relays, too. Automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	Set
			Value of the supervised signal	
ILmax			Stage Arcl>	
lo1			Stage Arcl <sub>01</sub> >	
lo2			Stage Arcl <sub>02</sub> >	

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Arcl>		pu	Pick up setting xI <sub>N</sub>	Set
Arclo1>		pu	Pick up setting x I <sub>01N</sub>	
Arclo2>		pu	Pick up setting x I <sub>02N</sub>	
ArcIn			Light indication source selection	Set
	_		No sensor selected	
	S1		Sensor 1 at terminals X6:4 – 5	
	S2		Sensor 2 at terminals X6:6 – 7	
l	S1/S2		Sensor in terminals 1 and 2	
	ВІ		Terminals X6:1 – 3	
	S1/BI		Sensor 1 and BI in use	
	S2/BI		Sensor 2 and BI in use	
	S1/S2/BI		Sensor 1, 2 and BI in use	
Delayed light si	gnal output		·	
Ldly		s	Delay for delayed light output signal	Set
LdlyCn			Light indication source selection	Set
	_		No sensor selected	
	S1		Sensor 1 at terminals X6:4 – 5	
	S2		Sensor 2 at terminals X6:6 – 7	
	S1/S2		Sensor in terminals 1 and 2	
	ВІ		Terminals X6:1 – 3	
	S1/BI		Sensor 1 and BI in use	
	S2/BI		Sensor 2 and BI in use	
	S1/S2/BI		Sensor 1, 2 and BI in use	

Set = An editable parameter (password needed). C = Can be cleared to zero. F = Editable when force flag is on.

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.50.

# Recorded values of the latest eight faults

There is detailed information available of the eight latest faults: Time stamp, fault type, fault value, load current before the fault and elapsed delay.

Table 5.51: Recorded values of the arc protection stages

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
	yyyy-mm-dd		Time stamp of the recording, date
	hh:mm:ss.ms		Time stamp, time of day
Туре		pu	Fault type value. Only for Arcl> stage.
Flt		pu	Fault value
Load		pu	Pre fault current. Only for Arcl> stage.
EDly		%	Elapsed time of the operating time setting. 100% = trip

## 5.27 Inverse time operation

The inverse time operation - i.e. inverse delay minimum time (IDMT) type of operation - is available for several protection functions. The common principle, formulae and graphic representations of the available inverse delay types are described in this chapter.

Inverse delay means that the operation time depends on the measured real time process values during a fault. For example with an overcurrent stage using inverse delay a bigger a fault current gives faster operation. The alternative to inverse delay is definite delay. With definite delay a preset time is used and the operation time does not depend on the size of a fault.

#### Stage specific inverse delay

Some protection functions have their own specific type of inverse delay. Details of these dedicated inverse delays are described with the appropriate protection function.

#### **Operation modes**

There are three operation modes to use the inverse time characteristics:

- Standard delays
   Using standard delay characteristics by selecting a curve family
   (IEC, IEEE, IEEE2, RI) and a delay type (Normal inverse, Very
   inverse etc). See Chapter 5.27.1 Standard inverse delays IEC,
   IEEE, IEEE2, RI.
- Standard delay formulae with free parameters selecting a curve family (IEC, IEEE, IEEE2) and defining one's own parameters for the selected delay formula. This mode is activated by setting delay type to 'Parameters', and then editing the delay function parameters A – E. See Chapter 5.27.2 Free parameterization using IEC, IEEE and IEEE2 equations.
- Fully programmable inverse delay characteristics
   Building the characteristics by setting 16 [current, time] points.
   The relay interpolates the values between given points with 2nd degree polynomials. This mode is activated by setting curve family to 'PrgN". There are maximum three different programmable curves available at the same time. Each programmed curve can be used by any number of protection stages. See Chapter 5.27.3 Programmable inverse time curves.

#### Local panel graph

The device will show a graph of the currently used inverse delay on the local panel display. Up and down keys can be used for zooming. Also the delays at 20 x  $I_{SET}$ , 4 x  $I_{SET}$  and 2 x  $I_{SET}$  are shown.

#### Inverse time setting error signal

If there are any errors in the inverse delay configuration the appropriate protection stage will use definite time delay.

There is a signal 'Setting Error' available in output matrix, which indicates three different situations:

- Settings are currently changed with VAMPSET or local panel, and there is temporarily an illegal combination of curve/delay/points. For example if previous settings were IEC/NI and then curve family is changed to IEEE, the setting error will active, because there is no NI type available for IEEE curves. After changing valid delay type for IEEE mode (for example MI), the 'Setting Error' signal will release.
- 2. There are errors in formula parameters A E, and the device is not able to build the delay curve
- There are errors in the programmable curve configuration and the device is not able to interpolate values between the given points.

#### Limitation

The maximum measured phase current is 50 x  $I_N$  and the maximum directly measured earth fault current is 10 x  $I_{0N}$ . This limits the scope of inverse curves when the setting is more than 2.5 x  $I_N$  (overcurrent stages and earth fault stages using  $I_{0Calc}$  input) or 0.5 x  $I_{01N}$  (earth fault stages using  $I_{01}$  input or  $I_{02}$  input). The  $I_N$  and  $I_{01N}$  and  $I_{02N}$  depend on the order code (See Chapter 14 Order information). The table below gives the limit values in secondary amperes.

#### **Example of limitation**

CT = 750 / 5

 $I_{GN} = 577 A$ 

 $CT_0 = 100 / 1$  (a cable CT for  $I_0$ )

Secondary scaled I<sub>GNsec</sub> is now 3.85 A

For 5 A CT secondaries and 1 A residual current inputs VAMP relay VAMP 210-5D7AAA is used. It has 5 A phase current inputs and 1 A residual inputs.

For overcurrent stage I> the table below gives 12.5 A. Thus the maximum setting for I> stage giving full inverse delay range is 12.5 A / 3.85 A = 3.25 x I<sub>GN</sub>.

For earth fault stage  $I_0$ > and input  $I_{01}$  the table below gives 0.5 A. Thus the maximum setting for  $I_0$ > stage giving full inverse delay range is 0.5 A / 1 A = 0.5 pu. This equals a 50 A primary earth fault current.

When using input signal I0Calc the corresponding setting is 12.5 A / 1 A = 12.5 pu. This equals a 9375 A of primary earth fault current.

	RATED INPUT			Maximum secondar enabling inverse de 20x set	lay time	_
Order code	Ι <sub>L</sub>	I <sub>01</sub>	I <sub>02</sub>	I <sub>L1</sub> , I <sub>L2</sub> , I <sub>L3</sub> & I <sub>0Calc</sub>	I <sub>01</sub>	I <sub>02</sub>
VAMP 210-1_	1			2.5 A		
VAMP 210-5_	5			12.5 A		
VAMP 210A		5	5		2.5 A	2.5 A
VAMP 210B		5	1		2.5 A	0.5 A
VAMP 210C		1	5		0.5 A	2.5 A
VAMP 210D		1	1		0.5 A	0.5 A

## 5.27.1 Standard inverse delays IEC, IEEE, IEEE2, RI

The available standard inverse delays are divided in four categories IEC, IEEE, IEEE2 and RI called delay curve families. Each category of family contains a set of different delay types according the following table.

#### Inverse time setting error signal

The inverse time setting error signal will be activated, if the delay category is changed and the old delay type doesn't exist in the new category. See Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation for more details.

#### Limitations

The minimum definite time delay start latest, when the measured value is twenty times the setting. However, there are limitations at high setting values due to the measurement range. Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation for more details.

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**Curve family Delay type** DT **IEC IEEE** IEEE2 RI DT Definite time Х NI Normal inverse Χ Χ Very inverse Χ ۷I Χ Χ Х ΕI Extremely inverse Х Χ LTI Χ Χ Long time inverse LTEI Х Long time extremely inverse LTVI Long time very inverse Χ MI Moderately inverse Χ Х STI Short time inverse Χ **STEI** Short time extremely inverse Χ RI Old ASEA type Χ

Table 5.52: Available standard delay families and the available delay types within each family.

#### IEC inverse time operation

The operation time depends on the measured value and other parameters according Equation 5.4. Actually this equation can only be used to draw graphs or when the measured value I is constant during the fault. A modified version is implemented in the relay for real time usage.

t = Operation delay in seconds

Equation 5.4:

Old ASEA type

**RXIDG** 

k = User's multiplier

$$t = \frac{k A}{\left(\frac{I}{I_{PICKUP}}\right)^{B} - 1}$$

I = Measured value

I<sub>PICKUP</sub> = User's pick up setting

A, B = Constants parameters according Table 5.53.

There are three different delay types according IEC 60255-3, Normal inverse (NI), Extremely inverse (EI), Very inverse (VI) and a VI extension. Additional there is a de facto standard Long time inverse (LTI).

Table 5.53: Constants for IEC inverse delay equation

	Delay type	Par	ameter
		Α	В
NI	Normal inverse	0.14	0.02
EI	Extremely inverse	80	2
VI	Very inverse	13.5	1
LTI	Long time inverse	120	1

#### **Example for Delay type "Normal inverse (NI)":**

$$k = 0.50$$

I = 4 pu (constant current)

$$I_{PICKUP} = 2 pu$$

$$A = 0.14$$

$$B = 0.02$$

$$t = \frac{0.50 \cdot 0.14}{\left(\frac{4}{2}\right)^{0.02} - 1} = 5.0$$

The operation time in this example will be 5 seconds. The same result can be read from Figure 5.47.

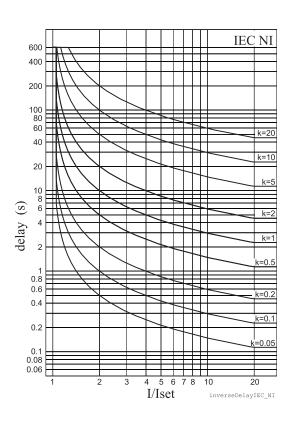
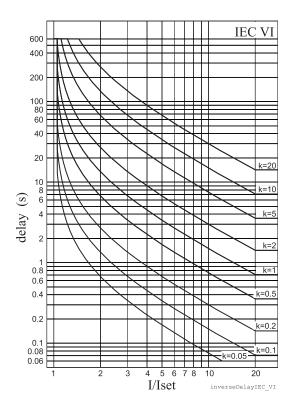


Figure 5.47: IEC normal inverse delay.

Figure 5.48: IEC extremely inverse delay.



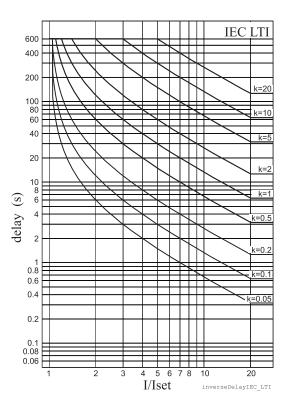


Figure 5.49: IEC very inverse delay.

Figure 5.50: IEC long time inverse delay.

#### **IEEE/ANSI** inverse time operation

There are three different delay types according IEEE Std C37.112-1996 (MI, VI, EI) and many de facto versions according Table 5.54. The IEEE standard defines inverse delay for both trip and release operations. However, in the VAMP relay only the trip time is inverse according the standard but the release time is constant.

The operation delay depends on the measured value and other parameters according Equation 5.5. Actually this equation can only be used to draw graphs or when the measured value I is constant during the fault. A modified version is implemented in the relay for real time usage.

Equation 5.5:

t = Operation delay in seconds

k = User's multiplier

I = Measured value

I<sub>PICKUP</sub> = User's pick up setting
A,B,C = Constant parameter according Table 5.54.

**Parameter Delay type** Α В С LTI Long time inverse 0.086 0.185 0.02 LTVI Long time very inverse 28.55 0.712 2 LTEI Long time extremely inverse 64.07 0.250 2 0.02 MI Moderately inverse 0.0515 0.1140 VI Very inverse 19.61 0.491 2 Extremely inverse 28.2 0.1217 2 ΕI Short time inverse 0.16758 0.11858 0.02 STI 1.281 2 STEI Short time extremely inverse 0.005

Table 5.54: Constants for IEEE/ANSI inverse delay equation

#### Example for Delay type "Moderately inverse (MI)":

k = 0.50

I = 4 pu

 $I_{PICKUP} = 2 pu$ 

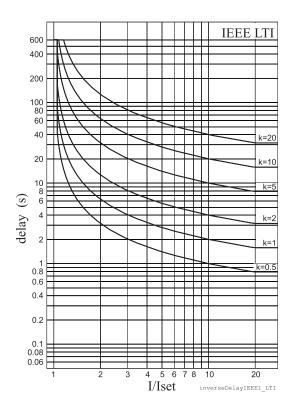
A = 0.0515

B = 0.114

C = 0.02

$$t = 0.50 \cdot \left[ \frac{0.0515}{\left(\frac{4}{2}\right)^{0.02} - 1} + 0.1140 \right] = 1.9$$

The operation time in this example will be 1.9 seconds. The same result can be read from Figure 5.54.



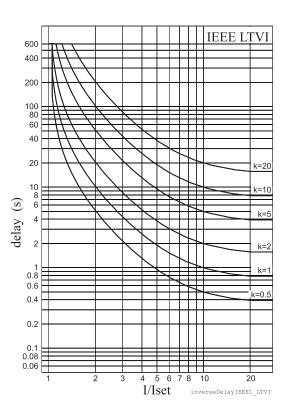
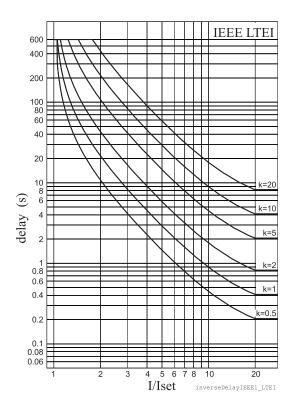


Figure 5.51: ANSI/IEEE long time inverse delay

Figure 5.52: ANSI/IEEE long time very inverse delay



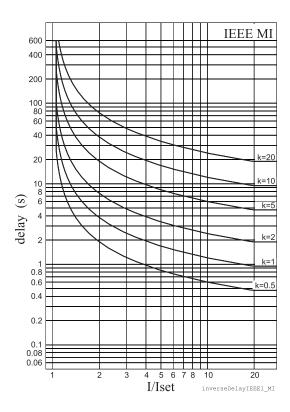
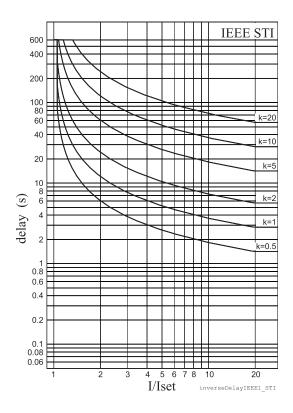


Figure 5.53: ANSI/IEEE long time extremely inverse Figure 5.54: ANSI/IEEE moderately inverse delay delay



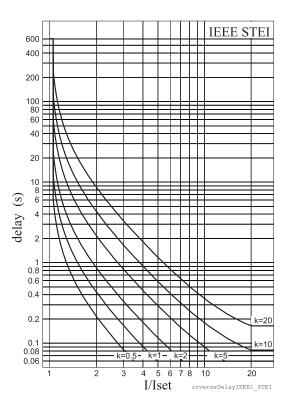


Figure 5.55: ANSI/IEEE short time inverse delay

Figure 5.56: ANSI/IEEE short time extremely inverse delay

#### **IEEE2** inverse time operation

Before the year 1996 and ANSI standard C37.112 microprocessor relays were using equations approximating the behaviour of various induction disc type relays. A quite popular approximation is Equation 5.6, which in VAMP relays is called IEEE2. Another name could be IAC, because the old General Electric IAC relays have been modeled using the same equation.

There are four different delay types according Table 5.55. The old electromechanical induction disc relays have inverse delay for both trip and release operations. However, in VAMP relays only the trip time is inverse the release time being constant.

The operation delay depends on the measured value and other parameters according Equation 5.6. Actually this equation can only be used to draw graphs or when the measured value I is constant during the fault. A modified version is implemented in the relay for real time usage.

Equation 5.6:

$$t = k \left[ A + \frac{B}{\left(\frac{I}{I_{PICKUP}} - C\right)} + \frac{D}{\left(\frac{I}{I_{PICKUP}} - C\right)^{2}} + \frac{E}{\left(\frac{I}{I_{PICKUP}} - C\right)^{3}} \right]$$

t = Operation delay in seconds

k = User's multiplier

I = Measured value

I<sub>PICKUP</sub> = User's pick up setting

A, B, C, D = Constant parameter according Table 5.55.

Table 5.55: Constants for IEEE2 inverse delay equation

	Delay type			Parameter		
		Α	В	С	D	E
MI	Moderately inverse	0.1735	0.6791	0.8	-0.08	0.1271
NI	Normally inverse	0.0274	2.2614	0.3	-0.1899	9.1272
VI	Very inverse	0.0615	0.7989	0.34	-0.284	4.0505
EI	Extremely inverse	0.0399	0.2294	0.5	3.0094	0.7222

#### **Example for Delay type "Moderately inverse (MI)":**

$$k = 0.50$$

$$I = 4 pu$$

 $I_{PICKUP} = 2 pu$ 

A = 0.1735

B = 0.6791

C = 0.8

D = -0.08

E = 0.127

$$t = 0.5 \cdot \left[ 0.1735 + \frac{0.6791}{\left(\frac{4}{2} - 0.8\right)} + \frac{-0.08}{\left(\frac{4}{2} - 0.8\right)^2} + \frac{0.127}{\left(\frac{4}{2} - 0.8\right)^3} \right] = 0.38$$

The operation time in this example will be 0.38 seconds. The same result can be read from Figure 5.57.

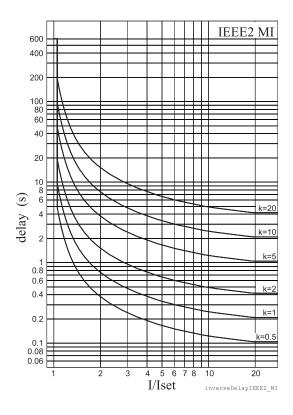


Figure 5.57: IEEE2 moderately inverse delay

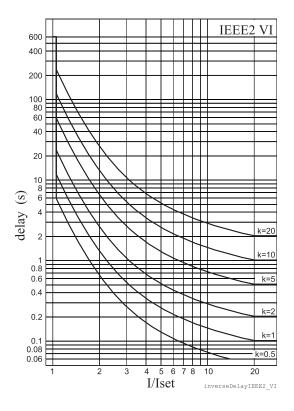


Figure 5.59: IEEE2 very inverse delay

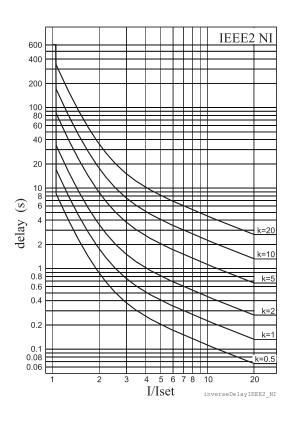


Figure 5.58: IEEE2 normal inverse delay

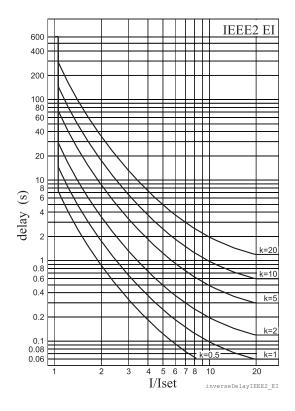


Figure 5.60: IEEE2 extremely inverse delay

#### RI and RXIDG type inverse time operation

These two inverse delay types have their origin in old ASEA (nowadays ABB) earth fault relays.

The operation delay of types RI and RXIDG depends on the measured value and other parameters according Equation 5.7 and Equation 5.8. Actually these equations can only be used to draw graphs or when the measured value I is constant during the fault. Modified versions are implemented in the relay for real time usage.

Equation 5.7: RI

Equation 5.8: RXIDG

$$t_{RI} = \frac{k}{0.339 - \frac{0.236}{\left(\frac{I}{I_{PICKUP}}\right)}}$$

$$t_{RXIDG} = 5.8 - 1.35 \ln \frac{I}{k I_{PICKUP}}$$

t = Operation delay in seconds

k = User's multiplier

I = Measured value

I<sub>PICKUP</sub> = User's pick up setting

#### **Example for Delay type RI**

$$k = 0.50$$

$$I = 4 pu$$

$$I_{PICKUP} = 2 pu$$

$$t_{RI} = \frac{0.5}{0.339 - \frac{0.236}{\left(\frac{4}{2}\right)}} = 2.3$$

The operation time in this example will be 2.3 seconds. The same result can be read from Equation 5.7.

#### **Example for Delay type RXIDG**

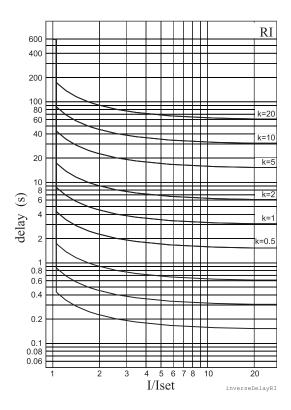
$$k = 0.50$$

$$I = 4 pu$$

$$I_{PICKUP} = 2 pu$$

$$t_{RXIDG} = 5.8 - 1.35 \ln \frac{4}{0.5 \cdot 2} = 3.9$$

The operation time in this example will be 3.9 seconds. The same result can be read from Figure 5.62.



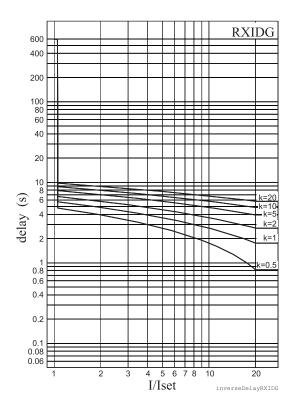


Figure 5.61: Inverse delay of type RI.

Figure 5.62: Inverse delay of type RXIDG.

# 5.27.2 Free parameterization using IEC, IEEE and IEEE2 equations

This mode is activated by setting delay type to 'Parameters', and then editing the delay function constants, i.e. the parameters A-E. The idea is to use the standard equations with one's own constants instead of the standardized constants as in the previous chapter.

#### **Example for GE-IAC51 delay type inverse:**

k = 0.50

I = 4 pu

 $I_{PICKUP} = 2 pu$ 

A = 0.2078

B = 0.8630

C = 0.8000

D = -0.4180

E = 0.1947

$$t = 0.5 \cdot \left[ 0.2078 + \frac{0.8630}{\left(\frac{4}{2} - 0.8\right)} + \frac{-0.4180}{\left(\frac{4}{2} - 0.8\right)^2} + \frac{0.1947}{\left(\frac{4}{2} - 0.8\right)^3} \right] = 0.37$$

The operation time in this example will be 0.37 seconds.

The resulting time/current characteristic of this example matches quite well with the characteristic of the old electromechanical IAC51 induction disc relay.

#### Inverse time setting error signal

The inverse time setting error signal will become active, if interpolation with the given parameters is not possible. See Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation for more details.

#### Limitations

The minimum definite time delay start latest, when the measured value is twenty times the setting. However, there are limitations at high setting values due to the measurement range. See Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation for more details.

## 5.27.3 Programmable inverse time curves

Only with VAMPSET, requires rebooting.

The [current, time] curve points are programmed using VAMPSET PC program. There are some rules for defining the curve points:

- configuration must begin from the topmost line
- line order must be as follows: the smallest current (longest operation time) on the top and the largest current (shortest operation time) on the bottom
- all unused lines (on the bottom) should be filled with [1.00 0.00s]

Here is an example configuration of curve points:

Point	Current I/I <sub>PICKUP</sub>	Operation delay
1	1.00	10.00 s
2	2.00	6.50 s
3	5.00	4.00 s
4	10.00	3.00 s
5	20.00	2.00 s
6	40.00	1.00 s
7	1.00	0.00 s
8	1.00	0.00 s
9	1.00	0.00 s

Point	Current I/I <sub>PICKUP</sub>	Operation delay
10	1.00	0.00 s
11	1.00	0.00 s
12	1.00	0.00 s
13	1.00	0.00 s
14	1.00	0.00 s
15	1.00	0.00 s
16	1.00	0.00 s

#### Inverse time setting error signal

The inverse time setting error signal will be activated, if interpolation with the given points fails. See Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation for more details.

#### Limitations

The minimum definite time delay start latest, when the measured value is twenty times the setting. However, there are limitations at high setting values due to the measurement range. See Chapter 5.27 Inverse time operation for more details.

## 6 Supporting functions

## 6.1 Event log

Event log is a buffer of event codes and time stamps including date and time. For example each start-on, start-off, trip-on or trip-off of any protection stage has a unique event number code. Such a code and the corresponding time stamp is called an event.

As an example of information included with a typical event an overvoltage trip event of the first 59 stage U> is shown in the following table.

EVENT	Description	Local panel	Communication protocols
Code: 30E2	Channel 30, event 2	Yes	Yes
U> trip on	Event text	Yes	No
112.0 %Ugn	Fault value	Yes	No
2007-01-31	Date	Yes	Yes
08:35:13.413	Time	Yes	Yes
Type: U12, U23, U31	Fault type	Yes	No

Events are the major data for a SCADA system. SCADA systems are reading events using any of the available communication protocols. Event log can also be scanned using the front panel or using VAMPSET. With VAMPSET the events can be stored to a file especially in case the relay is not connected to any SCADA system.

Only the latest event can be read when using communication protocols or VAMPSET. Every reading increments the internal read pointer to the event buffer. (In case of communication interruptions, the latest event can be reread any number of times using another parameter.) On the local panel scanning the event buffer back and forth is possible.

#### **Event enabling/masking**

In case of an uninteresting event, it can be masked, which prevents the particular event(s) to be written in the event buffer. As a default there is room for 200 latest events in the buffer. Event buffer size can be modified from 50 to 2000.

Modification can be done in "Local panel conf" –menu.

Indication screen (popup screen) can also be enabled in this same menu when VAMPSET —setting tool is used. The oldest one will be overwritten, when a new event does occur. The shown resolution of a time stamp is one millisecond, but the actual resolution depends of the particular function creating the event. For example most protection stages create events with 5ms, 10 ms or 20 ms resolution.

The absolute accuracy of all time stamps depends on the time synchronizing of the relay. See Chapter 6.10 System clock and synchronization for system clock synchronizing.

#### **Event buffer overflow**

The normal procedure is to poll events from the device all the time. If this is not done then the event buffer could reach its limits. In such case the oldest event is deleted and the newest displayed with OVF code in HMI.

Table 6.1: Setting parameters for events

Parameter	Value	Description	Note	
Count		Number of events		
ClrEn	-	Clear event buffer	Set	
	Clear			
Order	Old-New	Order of the event buffer for local display	Set	
	New-Old			
FVSca		Scaling of event fault value	Set	
	PU	Per unit scaling		
	Pri	Primary scaling		
Display	On	Indication dispaly is enabled	Set	
Alarms	Off	No indication display		
FORMAT OF EVENT	S ON THE LOCAL	DISPLAY	<u> </u>	
Code: Cl	HENN	CH = event channel, NN=event code		
Event des	cription	Event channel and code in plain text		
yyyy-mm-dd		Date		
		(for available date formats, see Chapter 6.10 System clock and	synchronization)	
hh:mm:s	s.nnn	Time		

### 6.2 Disturbance recorder

The disturbance recorder can be used to record all the measured signals, that is, currents, voltage and the status information of digital inputs (DI) and digital outputs (DO).

The digital inputs include also the arc protection signals S1, S2, BI and BO, if the optional arc protection is available.

#### Triggering the recorder

The recorder can be triggered by any start or trip signal from any protection stage or by a digital input. The triggering signal is selected in the output matrix (vertical signal DR). The recording can also be triggered manually. All recordings are time stamped.

#### Reading recordings

The recordings can be uploaded, viewed and analysed with the VAMPSET program. The recording is in COMTRADE format. This also means that other programs can be used to view and analyse the recordings made by the relay.

For more details, please see a separate VAMPSET manual.

#### Number of channels

At the maximum, there can be 12 recordings, and the maximum selection of channels in one recording 12 (limited in wave form) and digital inputs reserve one channel (includes all the inputs). Also the digital outputs reserve one channel (includes all the outputs). If digital inputs and outputs are recorded, there will be still 10 channels left for analogue waveforms.



Table 6.2: VAMP 210 Distrubance recorder waveform

Channel	Description	Available for	· waveform
		Voltage measu	rement mode
		2LL+U <sub>0</sub>	3LN
IL1, IL2, IL3	Phase current	Yes	Yes
lo1, lo2	Measured residual current	Yes	Yes
U12	Line-to-line voltage	Yes	-
U23	Line-to-line voltage	Yes	-
U31	Line-to-line voltage	-	-

Channel	Description	Available for	r waveform
		Voltage measu	rement mode
		2LL+U <sub>0</sub>	3LN
UL1, UL2, UL3	Phase-to-neutral voltage	-	Yes
Uo	Zero sequence voltage	Yes	-
f	Frequency	-	-
P, Q, S	Active, reactive, apparent power	-	-
P.F.	Power factor	-	-
CosFii	cosφ	-	-
IoCalc	Phasor sum Io = (IL1+IL2+IL3) / 3	-	-
I1	Positive sequence current	-	-
12	Negative sequence current	-	-
12/11	Relative current unbalance	-	-
I2/gn	Current unbalance [xlgn]	-	-
U1	Positive sequence voltage	-	-
U2	Negative sequence voltage	-	-
U2/U1	Relative voltage unbalance	-	-
IL	Average (IL1 + IL2 + IL3) / 3	-	-
Uphase	Average (UL1 + UL2 + UL3) / 3	-	-
Uline	Average (U12 + U23 + U31) / 3	-	-
DO	Digital outputs	Yes	Yes
DI	Digital inputs	Yes	Yes
TanFii	tanφ	-	-
THDIL1	Total harmonic distortion of IL1	-	-
THDIL2	Total harmonic distortion of IL2	-	-
THDIL3	Total harmonic distortion of IL3	-	-
THDUa	Total harmonic distortion of Ua	-	-
THDUb	Total harmonic distortion of Ub	-	-
THDUc	Total harmonic distortion of Uc	-	-
DI_2	Digital inputs 21 – 32	Yes	Yes
Prms	Active power rms value	-	-
Qrms	Reactive power rms value	-	-
Srms	Apparent power rms value	-	-
IL1RMS	IL1 RMS for average sampling	-	-
IL2RMS	IL2 RMS for average sampling	-	-
IL3RMS	IL3 RMS for average sampling	-	-

Table 6.3: Disturbance recorder parameters

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Mode			Behavior in memory full situation:	Set
	Saturated		No more recordings are accepted	
	Overflow		The oldest recorder will be overwritten	
SR			Sample rate	Set
	32/cycle		Waveform	
	16/cycle		Waveform	
	8/cycle		Waveform	
	1/10ms		One cycle value *)	
	1/20ms		One cycle value **)	
	1/200ms		Average	
	1/1s		Average	
	1/5s		Average	
	1/10s		Average	
	1/15s		Average	
	1/30s		Average	
	1/1min		Average	
Time		S	Recording length	Set
PreTrig		%	Amount of recording data before the trig moment	Set
MaxLen		s	Maximum time setting.  This value depends on sample rate, number and type of the selected channels and the configured recording length.	
Status			Status of recording	
	-		Not active	
	Run		Waiting a triggering	
	Trig		Recording	
	FULL		Memory is full in saturated mode	
ManTrig	-, Trig		Manual triggering	Set
ReadyRec	n/m		n = Available recordings / m = maximum number of recordings  The value of 'm' depends on sample rate, number and type of the selected channels and the configured recording length.	

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
AddCh			Add one channel. Maximum simultaneous number of channels is 12.	Set
	IL1, IL2, IL3		Phase current	
	lo1, lo2		Measured residual current	•
	U12, U23, U31		Line-to-line voltage	
	UL1, UL2, UL3		Phase-to-neutral voltage	
	Uo		Zero sequence voltage	
	f		Frequency	
	P, Q, S		Active, reactive, apparent power	
	P.F.		Power factor	
	CosFii		cosφ	
	loCalc Phasor sum lo = $(\underline{I}L1+\underline{I}L2+\underline{I}L3)/3$		Phasor sum Io = ( <u>I</u> L1+ <u>I</u> L2+ <u>I</u> L3)/3	
	I1 Positive sequence current			
	I2 Negative sequence current			
	12/11	I2/I1   Relative current unbalance   I2/Ign   Current unbalance [x I <sub>GN</sub> ]		
	I2/Ign			
	U1 Positive sequence voltage		Positive sequence voltage	
	U2		Negateive sequence voltage	
	U2/U1		Relative negative sequence voltage	
	IL		Average (IL1 + IL2 + IL3) / 3	
	Uphase		Average phase voltage	
	Uline		Average line-to-lines voltages	
	DI, DO		Digital inputs, Digital outputs	
	THDIL1, THDIL2, THDIL3		Total harmonic distortion of IL1, IL2 or IL3	
	THDUa, THDUb, THDUc		Total harmonic distortion of Ua, Ub or Uc	
	IL1RMS, IL2MRS, IL3RMS		IL1, IL2, IL3 RMS for average sampling	
	Starts		Protection stage start signals	
	Trips		Protection stage trip signals	
Delete recorder channel			Delete selected channel	
ClrCh	-, Clear		Remove all channels	Set
(Ch)			List of selected channels	

Set = An editable parameter (password needed).

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.51.

<sup>\*)</sup> This is the fundamental frequency rms value of one cycle updated every 10 ms.

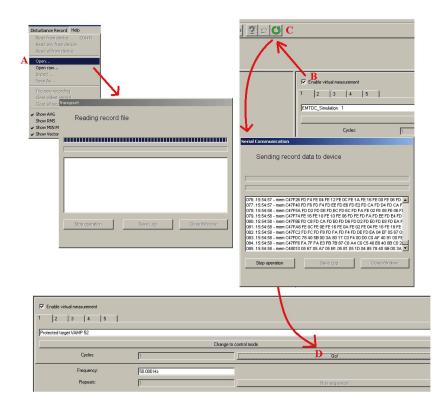
<sup>\*\*)</sup> This is the fundamental frequency rms value of one cycle updated every 20 ms.

## 6.2.1 Running virtual comtrade files

Virtual comtrade files can be run with VAMP relays with the v.10.74 software or a later version. Relay behaviour can be analysed by playing the recorder data over and over again in the relay memory.

Steps of opening the VAMPSET setting tool:

- 1. Go to "Disturbance record" and select Open... (A).
- 2. Select the comtrade file from you hard disc or equivalent. VAMPSET is now ready to read the recording.
- 3. The virtual measurement has to be enabled (B) in order to send record data to the relay (C).
- 4. Sending the file to the device's memory takes a few seconds. Initiate playback of the file by pressing the Go! button (D). The "Change to control mode" button takes you back to the virtual measurement.



**NOTE:** The sample rate of the comtrade file has to be 32/cycle (625 micro seconds when 50 Hz is used). The channel names have to correspond to the channel names in VAMP relays:  $I_{L1}$ ,  $I_{L2}$ ,  $I_{L3}$ ,  $I_{01}$ ,  $I_{02}$ ,  $U_{12}$ ,  $U_{23}$ ,  $U_{L1}$ ,  $U_{L2}$ ,  $U_{L3}$  and  $U_{0}$ .

# 6.3 Cold load pick-up and inrush current detection

#### Cold load pick-up

A situation is regarded as cold load when all the three phase currents have been less than a given idle value and then at least one of the currents exceeds a given pick-up level within 80 ms. In such case the cold load detection signal is activated for a given time. This signal is available for output matrix and blocking matrix. Using virtual outputs of the output matrix setting group control is possible.

#### Application for cold load detection

Right after closing a circuit breaker a given amount of overload can be allowed for a given limited time to take care of concurrent thermostat controlled loads. Cold load pick-up function does this for example by selecting a more coarse setting group for over-current stage(s). It is also possible to use the cold load detection signal to block any set of protection stages for a given time.

#### Inrush current detection

Inrush current detection is quite similar with the cold load detection but it does also include a condition for second harmonic relative content of the currents. When all phase currents have been less than a given idle value and then at least one of them exceeds a given pick-up level within 80 ms and the ratio 2nd harmonic ratio to fundamental frequency,  $I_{f2}/I_{f1}$ , of at least one phase exceeds the given setting, the inrush detection signal is activated. This signal is available for output matrix and blocking matrix. Using virtual outputs of the output matrix setting group control is possible.

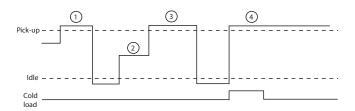
By setting the 2nd harmonic pickup parameter for  $I_{f2}/I_{f1}$  to zero, the inrush signal will behave equally with the cold load pick-up signal.

#### Application for inrush current detection

The inrush current of transformers usually exceeds the pick-up setting of sensitive overcurrent stages and contains a lot of even harmonics. Right after closing a circuit breaker the pick-up and tripping of sensitive overcurrent stages can be avoided by selecting a more coarse setting group for the appropriate over-current stage with inrush detect signal. It is also possible to use the detection signal to block any set of protection stages for a given time.

NOTE: Inrush detection is based on FFT - calculation which recuires full cycle of data for analyzing the harmonic content. Therefore when using inrush blocking function the cold load pick up starting conditions are used for activating the inrush blocking when the current rise is noticed. If in the signal is found second harmonic component after

1st cycle the blocking is continued, otherwise 2nd harmonic based blocking signal is released. Inrush blocking is recommended to be used into time delayed overcurrent stages while non blocked instant overcurrent stage is set to 20 % higher than expected inrush current. By this scheme fast reaction time in short circuit faults during the energization can be achieved while time delayed stages are blocked by inrush function.



- No activation because the current has not been under the set I<sub>DLE</sub> current.
- 2. Current dropped under the I<sub>DLE</sub> current level but now it stays between the I<sub>DLE</sub> current and the pick-up current for over 80ms.
- 3. No activation because the phase two lasted longer than 80ms.
- 4. Now we have a cold load activation which lasts as long as the operation time was set or as long as the current stays above the pick-up setting.

Figure 6.1: Functionality of cold load / inrush current feature.

Table 6.4: Parameters of the cold load & inrush detection function

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
ColdLd	-		Status of cold load detection:	
	Start		Cold load situation is active	
	Trip		Timeout	
Inrush	-		Status of inrush detection:	
	Start		Inrush is detected	
	Trip		Timeout	
ILmax		А	The supervised value. Max. of IL1, IL2 and IL3	
Pickup		А	Primary scaled pick-up value	
Idle		Α	Primary scaled upper limit for idle current	
MaxTime		S		Set
Idle		xlgn	Current limit setting for idle situation	Set
Pickup		xlgn	Pick-up setting for minimum start current	Set
	80	ms	Maximum transition time for start recognition	
Pickupf2		%	Pick-up value for relative amount of 2nd harmonic, I <sub>f2</sub> /I <sub>f1</sub>	Set

Set = An editable parameter (password needed).

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.52.

## 6.4 Voltage sags and swells

The power quality of electrical networks has become increasingly important. The sophisticated loads (e.g. computers etc.) require uninterruptible supply of "clean" electricity. VAMP protection platform provides many power quality functions that can be used to evaluate, monitor and alarm on the basis of the quality. One of the most important power quality functions are voltage sag and swell monitoring.

VAMP provides separate monitoring logs for sags and swells. The voltage log is trigged, if any voltage input either goes under the sag limit (U<) or exceeds the swell limit (U>). There are four registers for both sags and swells in the fault log. Each register will have start time, phase information, duration, minimum, average, maximum voltage values of each sag and swell event. Furthermore, there are total number of sags and swells counters as well as total timers for sags and swells.

The voltage power quality functions are located under the submenu "U".

Parameter	Value	Unit	Default	Description
U>	20 – 150	%	110	Setting value of swell limit
U<	10 – 120	%	90	Setting value of sag limit
Delay	0.04 - 1.00	S	0.06	Delay for sag and swell detection
SagOn	On; Off	-	On	Sag on event
SagOff	On; Off	-	On	Sag off event
SwelOn	On; Off	-	On	Swell on event
SwelOf	On; Off	-	On	Swell off event

Table 6.5: Setting parameters of sags and swells monitoring

**Parameter** Value Unit Description Recorded values Count Cumulative sag counter Total Cumulative sag time counter Count Cumulative swell counter Total Cumulative swell time counter Sag / swell logs 1 - 4 Date of the sag/swell Date Time stamp of the sag/swell Time Voltage inputs that had the sag/swell Type Time Duration of the sag/swell s Min1 % Un Minimum voltage value during the sag/swell in the input Min2 % Un Minimum voltage value during the sag/swell in the input Min3 % Un Minimum voltage value during the sag/swell in the input Ave1 % Un Average voltage value during the sag/swell in the input Ave2 % Un Average voltage value during the sag/swell in the input Ave3 % Un Average voltage value during the sag/swell in the input % Un Max1 Maximum voltage value during the sag/swell in the in-Max2 % Un Maximum voltage value during the sag/swell in the input 2 Max3 % Un Maximum voltage value during the sag/swell in the input 3

Table 6.6: Recorded values of sags and swells monitoring

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.55.

## 6.5 Voltage interruptions

The device includes a simple function to detect voltage interruptions. The function calculates the number of voltage interruptions and the total time of the voltage-off time within a given calendar period. The period is based on the real time clock of the device. The available periods are:

- 8 hours, 00:00 08:00, 08:00 16:00, 16:00 24:00
- one day, 00:00 24:00
- one week, Monday 00:00 Sunday 24:00
- one month, the first day 00:00 the last day 24:00
- one year, 1st January 00:00 31st December 24:00

After each period, the number of interruptions and the total interruption time are stored as previous values. The interruption

counter and the total time are cleared for a new period. The old previous values are overwritten.

The voltage interruption is based on the value of the positive sequence voltage  $U_1$  and a user given limit value. Whenever the measured  $U_1$  goes below the limit, the interruption counter is increased, and the total time counter starts increasing.

Shortest recognized interruption time is 40 ms. If the voltage-off time is shorter it may be recognized depending on the relative depth of the voltage dip.

If the voltage has been significantly over the limit U<sub>1</sub>< and then there is a small and short under-swing, it will not be recognized (Figure 6.2).

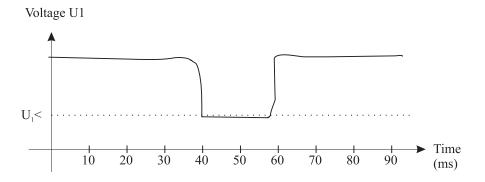


Figure 6.2: A short voltage interruption which is probably not recognized

On the other hand, if the limit  $U_1$ < is high and the voltage has been near this limit, and then there is a short but very deep dip, it will be recognized (Figure 6.3).

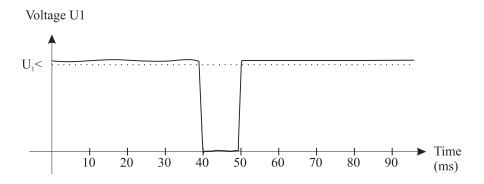


Figure 6.3: A short voltage interrupt that will be recognized

Table 6.7: Setting parameters of the voltage sag measurement function:

Parameter	Value	Unit	Default	Description
U1<	10.0 – 120.0	%	64	Setting value
Period	8h	-	Month	Length of the observation period
	Day			
	Week			
	Month			
Date		-	-	Date
Time		-	-	Time

Table 6.8: Measured and recorded values of voltage sag measurement function:

	Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
Measured value	Voltage	LOW;	-	Current voltage status
		ОК		
	U1		%	Measured positive sequence voltage
Recorded values	Count		-	Number of voltage sags during the current observation period
	Prev		-	Number of voltage sags during the previous observation period
	Total		S	Total (summed) time of voltage sags during the current observation period
	Prev		S	Total (summed) time of voltage sags during the previous observation period

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.56.

## 6.6 Current transformer supervision

The relay supervise the external wiring between the relay terminals and current transformers (CT) and the CT themselves. Furthermore, this is a safety function as well, since an open secondary of a CT, causes dangerous voltages.

The CT supervisor function measures phase currents. If one of the three phase currents drops below  $I_{MIN}$ < setting, while another phase current is exceeding the  $I_{MAX}$ > setting, the function will issue an alarm after the operation delay has elapsed.

		• •		•
Parameter	Value	Unit	Default	Description
Imax>	0.0 – 10.0	xlgn	2.0	Upper setting for CT supervisor current scaled to primary value, calculated by relay
Imin<	0.0 – 10.0	xlgn	0.2	Lower setting for CT supervisor current scaled to primary value, calculated by relay
t>	0.02 - 600.0	S	0.10	Operation delay
CT on	On; Off	-	On	CT supervisor on event
CT off	On: Off		On	CT supervisor off event

Table 6.9: Setting parameters of CT supervisor CTSV

Table 6.10: Measured and recorded values of CT supervisor CTSV

	Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
Measured value	ILmax		А	Maximum of phase currents
	ILmin		A	Minimum of phase currents
Display	Imax>, Imin<		А	Setting values as primary values
Recorded values	Date		-	Date of CT supervision alarm
	Time		-	Time of CT supervision alarm
	Imax		А	Maximum phase current
	Imin		А	Minimum phase current

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.53.

## 6.7 Voltage transformer supervision

The device supervises the VTs and VT wiring between the device terminals and the VTs. If there is a fuse in the voltage transformer circuitry, the blown fuse prevents or distorts the voltage measurement. Therefore, an alarm should be issued. Furthermore, in some applications, protection functions using voltage signals, should be blocked to avoid false tripping.

The VT supervisor function measures the three phase voltages and currents. The negative sequence voltage  $U_2$  and the negative sequence current  $I_2$  are calculated. If  $U_2$  exceed the  $U_2$ > setting and at the same time,  $I_2$  is less than the  $I_2$ < setting, the function will issue an alarm after the operation delay has elapsed.

On; Off

Unit Default **Parameter** Value Description 0.0 - 200.0U2> % Un 34.6 Upper setting for VT supervisor 12< 0.0 - 200.0% In 100.0 Lower setting for VT supervisor t> 0.02 - 600.0s 0.10 Operation delay VT on On: Off On VT supervisor on event

Table 6.11: Setting parameters of VT supervisor VTSV ()

Table 6.12: Measured and recorded values of VT supervisor VTSV ()

VT supervisor off event

On

	Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
Measured value	U2		% Un	Measured negative sequence voltage
	12		% In	Measured negative sequence current
Recorded Values	Date		-	Date of VT supervision alarm
	Time		-	Time of VT supervision alarm
	U2		% Un	Recorded negative sequence voltage
	12		% In	Recorded negative sequence current

For details of setting ranges, see Table 12.54.

VT off

## 6.8 Circuit breaker condition monitoring

The relay has a condition monitoring function that supervises the wearing of the circuit-breaker. The condition monitoring can give alarm for the need of CB maintenance well before the CB condition is critical.

The CB wear function measures the breaking current of each CB pole separately and then estimates the wearing of the CB accordingly the permissible cycle diagram. The breaking current is registered when the trip relay supervised by the circuit breaker failure protection (CBFP) is activated. (See Chapter 5.24 Circuit breaker failure protection CBFP (50BF) for CBFP and the setting parameter "CBrelay".)

#### Breaker curve and its approximation

The permissible cycle diagram is usually available in the documentation of the CB manufacturer (Figure 6.4). The diagram specifies the permissible number of cycles for every level of the breaking current. This diagram is parameterised to the condition monitoring function with maximum eight [current, cycles] points. See Table 6.13. If less than eight points needed, the unused points are set to [ $I_{BIG}$ , 1], where  $I_{BIG}$  is more than the maximum breaking capacity.

If the CB wearing characteristics or part of it is a straight line on a log/log graph, the two end points are enough to define that part of the characteristics. This is because the relay is using logarithmic

interpolation for any current values falling in between the given current points 2 – 8.

The points 4 - 8 are not needed for the CB in Figure 6.4. Thus they are set to 100 kA and one operation in the table to be discarded by the algorithm.

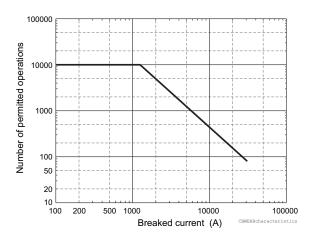


Figure 6.4: An example of a circuit breaker wearing characteristic graph.

Table 6.13: An example of circuit breaker wearing characteristics in a table format. The values are taken from the figure above. The table is edited with VAMPSET under menu "BREAKER CURVE".

Point	Interrupted current	Number of permitted
	(kA)	operations
1	0 (mechanical age)	10000
2	1.25 (rated current)	10000
3	31.0 (maximum breaking current)	80
4	100	1
5	100	1
6	100	1
7	100	1
8	100	1

#### Setting alarm points

There are two alarm points available having two setting parameters each.

#### Current

The first alarm can be set for example to nominal current of the CB or any application typical current. The second alarm can be set for example according a typical fault current.

Operations left alarm limit
 An alarm is activated when there are less operation left at the given current level than this limit.

Any actual interrupted current will be logarithmically weighted for the two given alarm current levels and the number of operations left at the alarm points is decreased accordingly. When the "operations left" i.e. the number of remaining operations, goes under the given alarm limit, an alarm signal is issued to the output matrix. Also an event is generated depending on the event enabling.

#### **Clearing "operations left" counters**

After the breaker curve table is filled and the alarm currents are defined, the wearing function can be initialised by clearing the decreasing operation counters with parameter "Clear" (Clear oper. left cntrs). After clearing the relay will show the maximum allowed operations for the defined alarm current levels.

#### Operation counters to monitor the wearing

The operations left can be read from the counters "Al1Ln" (Alarm 1) and "Al2Ln" (Alarm2). There are three values for both alarms, one for each phase. The smallest of three is supervised by the two alarm functions.

#### Logarithmic interpolation

The permitted number of operations for currents in between the defined points are logarithmically interpolated using equation

Equation 6.1:

$$C = \frac{a}{I^n}$$

C = permitted operations

I = interrupted current

a = constant according Equation 6.2

n = constant according Equation 6.3

Equation 6.2: Equation 6.3:

$$n = \frac{\ln \frac{C_k}{C_{k+1}}}{\ln \frac{I_{k+1}}{I_k}}$$

In = natural logarithm function

 $C_k$ ,  $C_{k+1}$  = permitted operations. k = row 2 - 7 in Table 6.13.

 $I_k$ ,  $I_{k+1}$  = corresponding current. k = row 2 - 7 in Table 6.13.

#### **Example of the logarithmic interpolation**

Alarm 2 current is set to 6 kA. What is the maximum number of operations according Table 6.13.

The current 6 kA lies between points 2 and 3 in the table. That gives value for the index k. Using

$$k = 2$$

$$C_k = 10000$$

$$C_{k+1} = 80$$

$$I_{k+1} = 31 \text{ kA}$$

$$I_k = 1.25 \text{ kA}$$

and the Equation 6.2 and Equation 6.3, the relay calculates

$$n = \frac{\ln \frac{10000}{80}}{\ln \frac{31000}{1250}} = 1.5038$$

$$a = 10000 \cdot 1250^{1.5038} = 454 \cdot 10^6$$

Using Equation 6.1 the relay gets the number of permitted operations for current 6 kA.

$$C = \frac{454 \cdot 10^6}{6000^{1.5038}} = 945$$

Thus the maximum number of current breaking at 6 kA is 945. This can be verified with the original breaker curve in Figure 6.4. Indeed, the figure shows that at 6 kA the operation count is between 900 and 1000. A useful alarm level for operation-left, could be in this case for example 50 being about five per cent of the maximum.

# Example of operation counter decrementing when the CB is breaking a current

Alarm2 is set to 6 kA. CBFP is supervising trip relay T1 and trip signal of an overcurrent stage detecting a two phase fault is connected to this trip relay T1. The interrupted phase currents are 12.5 kA, 12.5 kA and 1.5 kA. How many are Alarm2 counters decremented?

Using Equation 6.1 and values n and a from the previous example, the relay gets the number of permitted operation at 10 kA.

$$C_{10k4} = \frac{454 \cdot 10^6}{12500^{1.5038}} = 313$$

At alarm level 2, 6 kA, the corresponding number of operations is calculated according

Equation 6.4:

$$\Delta = \frac{C_{AlarmMax}}{C}$$

$$\Delta_{L1} = \Delta_{L2} = \frac{945}{313} = 3$$

Thus Alarm2 counters for phases L1 and L2 are decremented by 3. In phase L1 the currents is less than the alarm limit current 6 kA. For such currents the decrement is one.

$$\Delta_{L3} = 1$$

Table 6.14: Local panel parameters of CBWEAR function

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Set
CBWEAR STATUS				
			Operations left for	
Al1L1			- Alarm 1, phase L1	
Al1L2			- Alarm 1, phase L2	
Al1L3			- Alarm 1, phase L3	
Al2L1			- Alarm 2, phase L1	
Al2L2			- Alarm 2, phase L2	
Al2L3			- Alarm 2, phase L3	
Latest trip				
Date			Time stamp of the latest trip operation	
time				
IL1		Α	Broken current of phase L1	
IL2		Α	Broken current of phase L2	
IL3		Α	Broken current of phase L3	
CBWEAR SET		·		·
Alarm1				
Current	0.00 - 100.00	kA	Alarm1 current level	Set
Cycles	100000 – 1		Alarm1 limit for operations left	Set
Alarm2				
Current	0.00 - 100.00	kA	Alarm2 current level	Set
Cycles	100000 – 1		Alarm2 limit for operations left	Set
CBWEAR SET2		'		<u>'</u>
Al1On	On ; Off		'Alarm1 on' event enabling	Set
Al1Off	On ; Off		'Alarm1 off' event enabling	Set
Al2On	On ; Off		'Alarm2 on' event enabling	Set
Al2Off	On ; Off		'Alarm2 off' event enabling	Set
Clear	-; Clear		Clearing of cycle counters	Set

Set = An editable parameter (password needed).

The breaker curve table is edited with VAMPSET.

## 6.9 Energy pulse outputs

The device can be configured to send a pulse whenever certain amount of energy has been imported or exported. The principle is presented in Figure 6.5. Each time the energy level reaches the pulse size, an output relay is activated and the relay will be active as long as defined by a pulse duration setting.

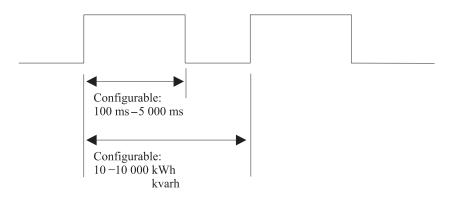


Figure 6.5: Principle of energy pulses

The relay has four energy pulse outputs. The output channels are:

- Active exported energy
- · Reactive exported energy
- Active imported energy
- Reactive imported energy

Each channel can be connected to any combination of the output relays using output matrix. The parameters for the energy pulses can be found in the E menu under the submenus E-PULSE SIZES and E-PULSE DURATION.

Table 6.15: Energy pulse output parameters

	Parameter	Value	Unit	Description
E-PULSE SIZES	E+	10 – 10 000	kWh	Pulse size of active exported energy
	Eq+	10 – 10 000	kvarh	Pulse size of reactive exported energy
	E-	10 – 10 000	kWh	Pulse size of active imported energy
	Eq-	10 – 10 000	kvarh	Pulse size of reactive imported energy
E-PULSE DURATION	E+	100 – 5000	ms	Pulse length of active exported energy
	Eq+	100 – 5000	ms	Pulse length of reactive exported energy
	E-	100 – 5000	ms	Pulse length of active imported energy
	Eq-	100 – 5000	ms	Pulse length of reactive imported energy

#### Scaling examples

1. Average active exported power is 250 MW.

Peak active exported power is 400 MW.

Pulse size is 250 kWh.

The average pulse frequency will be 250/0.250 = 1000 pulses/h.

The peak pulse frequency will be 400/0.250 = 1600 pulses/h.

Set pulse length to 3600/1600 - 0.2 = 2.0 s or less.

The lifetime of the mechanical output relay will be

 $50x10^{6}/1000 h = 6 a.$ 

This is not a practical scaling example unless an output relay lifetime of about six years is accepted.

2. Average active exported power is 100 MW.

Peak active exported power is 800 MW.

Pulse size is 400 kWh.

The average pulse frequency will be 100/0.400 = 250 pulses/h.

The peak pulse frequency will be 800/0.400 = 2000 pulses/h.

Set pulse length to 3600/2000 - 0.2 = 1.6 s or less.

The lifetime of the mechanical output relay will be

 $50x10^{6}/250 h = 23 a.$ 

3. Average active exported power is 20 MW.

Peak active exported power is 70 MW.

Pulse size is 60 kWh.

The average pulse frequency will be 25/0.060 = 416.7 pulses/h.

The peak pulse frequency will be 70/0.060 = 1166.7 pulses/h.

Set pulse length to 3600/1167 - 0.2 = 2.8 s or less.

The lifetime of the mechanical output relay will be

 $50x10^{6}/417 h = 14 a.$ 

4. Average active exported power is 1900 kW.

Peak active exported power is 50 MW.

Pulse size is 10 kWh.

The average pulse frequency will be 1900/10 = 190 pulses/h.

The peak pulse frequency will be 50000/10 = 5000 pulses/h.

Set pulse length to 3600/5000 - 0.2 = 0.5 s or less.

The lifetime of the mechanical output relay will be

 $50x10^{6}/190 h = 30 a.$ 

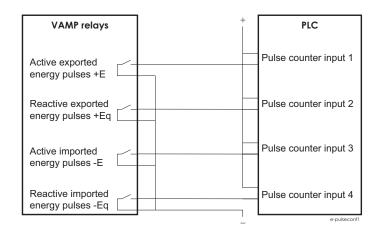


Figure 6.6: Application example of wiring the energy pulse outputs to a PLC having common plus and using an external wetting voltage

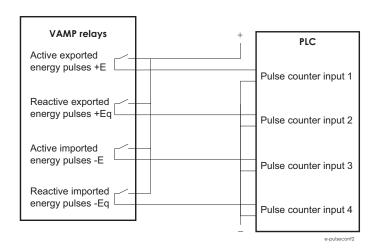


Figure 6.7: Application example of wiring the energy pulse outputs to a PLC having common minus and using an external wetting voltage

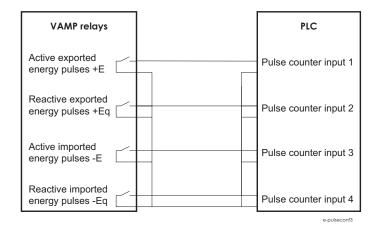


Figure 6.8: Application example of wiring the energy pulse outputs to a PLC having common minus and an internal wetting voltage.

## 6.10 System clock and synchronization

The internal clock of the relay is used to time stamp events and disturbance recordings.

The system clock should be externally synchronised to get comparable event time stamps for all the relays in the system.

The synchronizing is based on the difference of the internal time and the synchronising message or pulse. This deviation is filtered and the internal time is corrected softly towards a zero deviation.

#### Time zone offsets

Time zone offset (or bias) can be provided to adjust the local time for IED. The Offset can be set as a Positive (+) or Negative (-) value within a range of -15.00 to +15.00 hours and a resolution of 0.01/h. Basically quarter hour resolution is enough.

#### Daylight saving time (DST)

IED provides automatic daylight saving adjustments when configured. A daylight savings time (summer time) adjustment can be configured separately and in addition to a time zone offset.



Daylight time standards vary widely throughout the world. Traditional daylight/summer time is configured as one (1) hour positive bias. The new US/Canada DST standard, adopted in the spring of 2007 is: one (1) hour positive bias, starting at 2:00am on the second Sunday in March, and ending at 2:00am on the first Sunday in November. In the European Union, daylight change times are defined relative to the UTC time of day instead of local time of day (as in U.S.) European customers, please carefully find out local country rules for DST.

The daylight saving rules for Finland are the IED defaults (24-hour clock):

- Daylight saving time start: Last Sunday of March at 03.00
- Daylight saving time end: Last Sunday of October at 04.00



To ensure proper hands-free year-around operation, automatic daylight time adjustments must be configured using the "Enable DST" and not with the time zone offset option.

#### Adapting auto adjust

During tens of hours of synchronizing the device will learn its average deviation and starts to make small corrections by itself. The target is that when the next synchronizing message is received, the deviation is already near zero. Parameters "AAIntv" and "AvDrft" will show the adapted correction time interval of this ±1 ms auto-adjust function.

#### Time drift correction without external sync

If any external synchronizing source is not available and the system clock has a known steady drift, it is possible to roughly correct the clock deviation by editing the parameters "AAIntv" and "AvDrft". The following equation can be used if the previous "AAIntv" value has been zero.

$$AAIntv = \frac{604.8}{DriftInOneWeek}$$

If the auto-adjust interval "AAIntv" has not been zero, but further trimming is still needed, the following equation can be used to calculate a new auto-adjust interval.

$$AAIntv_{NEW} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{AAIntv_{PREVIOUS}} + \frac{DriftInOneWeek}{604.8}}$$

The term *DriftInOneWeek*/604.8 may be replaced with the relative drift multiplied by 1000, if some other period than one week has been

used. For example if the drift has been 37 seconds in 14 days, the relative drift is 37\*1000/(14\*24\*3600) = 0.0306 ms/s.

#### **Example 1**

If there has been no external sync and the relay's clock is leading sixty-one seconds a week and the parameter AAIntv has been zero, the parameters are set as

$$AvDrft = Lead$$

$$AAIntv = \frac{604.8}{61} = 9.9s$$

With these parameter values the system clock corrects itself with –1 ms every 9.9 seconds which equals –61.091 s/week.

#### Example 2

If there is no external sync and the relay's clock has been lagging five seconds in nine days and the AAIntv has been 9.9 s, leading, then the parameters are set as

$$AAIntv_{NEW} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{9.9} - \frac{5000}{9 \cdot 24 \cdot 3600}} = 10.6$$

$$AvDrft = Lead$$

When the internal time is roughly correct – deviation is less than four seconds – any synchronizing or auto-adjust will never turn the clock backwards. Instead, in case the clock is leading, it is softly slowed down to maintain causality.

Table 6.16: System clock parameters

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note	
Date			Current date	Set	
Time			Current time	Set	
Style			Date format	Set	
	y-d-m		Year-Month-Day		
	d.m.y		Day.Month.Year		
	m/d/y		Month/Day/Year		
SyncDI	-		DI not used for synchronizing	***)	
	DI1 – DI6		Minute pulse input		
TZone	-15.00 - +15.00 *)		UTC time zone for SNTP synchronization.	Set	
			Note: This is a decimal number. For example for state of Nepal the time zone 5:45 is given as 5.75		
DST	No; Yes		Daylight saving time for SNTP	Set	
SySrc			Clock synchronisation source		
	Internal		No sync recognized since 200s		
	DI		Digital input		
	SNTP		Protocol sync		
	SpaBus		Protocol sync		
	ModBus		Protocol sync		
	ModBus TCP		Protocol sync		
	ProfibusDP		Protocol sync		
	IEC101		Protocol sync		
	IEC103		Protocol sync		
	DNP3		Protocol sync		
	IRIG-B003		IRIG timecode B003 ****)		
MsgCnt	0 – 65535, 0 – etc.		The number of received synchronisation messages or pulses		
Dev	±32767	ms	Latest time deviation between the system clock and the received synchronization		
SyOS	±10000.000	s	Synchronisation correction for any constant deviation in the synchronizing source	Set	
AAIntv	±1000	s	Adapted auto adjust interval for 1 ms correction	Set**)	
AvDrft	Lead; Lag		Adapted average clock drift sign	Set**)	
FilDev	±125	ms	Filtered synchronisation deviation		

Set = An editable parameter (password needed).

<sup>\*)</sup> A range of -11 h - +12 h would cover the whole Earth but because the International Date Line does not follow the 180° meridian, a more wide range is needed.

<sup>\*\*)</sup> If external synchronization is used this parameter will be set automatically.

<sup>\*\*\*)</sup> Set the DI delay to its minimum and the polarity such that the leading edge is the synchronizing edge.

<sup>\*\*\*\*)</sup> Relay needs to be equipped with suitable hardware option module to receive IRIG-B clock synchronization signal. (Chapter 14 Order information).

#### Synchronisation with DI

Clock can be synchronized by reading minute pulses from digital inputs, virtual inputs or virtual outputs. Sync source is selected with **SyncDI** setting. When rising edge is detected from the selected input, system clock is adjusted to the nearest minute. Length of digital input pulse should be at least 50 ms. Delay of the selected digital input should be set to zero.

#### Synchronisation correction

If the sync source has a known offset delay, it can be compensated with **SyOS** setting. This is useful for compensating hardware delays or transfer delays of communication protocols. A positive value will compensate a lagging external sync and communication delays. A negative value will compensate any leading offset of the external synch source.

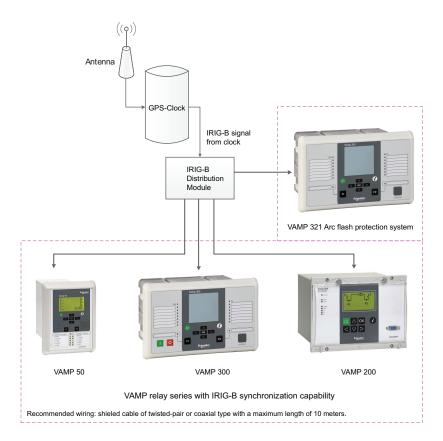
#### Sync source

When the device receives new sync message, the sync source display is updated. If no new sync messages are received within next 1.5 minutes, the device will change to internal sync mode.

#### Sync source: IRIG-B003

IRIG-B003 synchronization is supported with a dedicated communication option with either a two-pole or two pins in a D9 rear connector (See Chapter 14 Order information).

IRIG-B003 input clock signal voltage level is TLL. The input clock signal originated in the GPS receiver must be taken to multiple relays trough an IRIG-B distribution module. This module acts as a centralized unit for a point-to-multiple point connection. Note: Daisy chain connection of IRIG-B signal inputs in multiple relays must be avoided.



The recommended cable must be shielded and either of coaxial or twisted pair type. Its length should not exceed a maximum of 10 meters.

#### **Deviation**

The time deviation means how much system clock time differs from sync source time. Time deviation is calculated after receiving new sync message. The filtered deviation means how much the system clock was really adjusted. Filtering takes care of small deviation in sync messages.

#### Auto-lag/lead

The device synchronizes to the sync source, meaning it starts automatically leading or lagging to stay in perfect sync with the master. The learning process takes few days.

# 6.11 Running hour counter

This function calculates the total active time of the selected digital input, virtual I/O or output matrix output signal. The resolution is ten seconds.

Table 6.17: Running hour counter parameters

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Runh	0 – 876000	h	Total active time, hours	(Set)
			Note: The label text "Runh" can be edited with VAMPSET.	
Runs	0 – 3599	S	Total active time, seconds	(Set)
Starts	0 – 65535		Activation counter	(Set)
Status	Stop		Current status of the selected digital signal	
	Run			
DI			Select the supervised signal	Set
	-		None	
	DI1 – DI6,		Physical inputs	
	VI1 – VI4,		Virtual inputs	
	LedAI,		Output matrix out signal Al	
	LedTr,		Output matrix out signal Tr	
	LedA,		Output matrix out signal LA	
	LedB,		Output matrix out signal LB	
	LedC,		Output matrix out signal LC	
	LedDR,		Output matrix out signal DR	
	VO1 – VO6		Virtual outputs	
Started at			Date and time of the last activation	
Stopped at			Date and time of the last inactivation	

Set = An editable parameter (password needed).

(Set) = An informative value which can be edited as well.

## 6.12 Timers

The VAMP protection platform includes four settable timers that can be used together with the user's programmable logic or to control setting groups and other applications that require actions based on calendar time. Each timer has its own settings. The selected on-time and off-time is set and then the activation of the timer can be set to be as daily or according the day of week (See the setting parameters for details). The timer outputs are available for logic functions and for the block and output matrix.

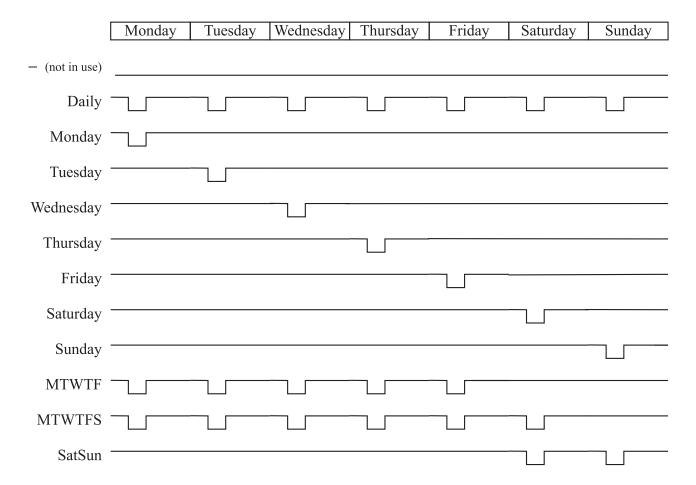


Figure 6.9: Timer output sequence in different modes.

The user can force any timer, which is in use, on or off. The forcing is done by writing a new status value. No forcing flag is needed as in forcing i.e. the output relays.

The forced time is valid until the next forcing or until the next reversing timed act from the timer itself.

The status of each timer is stored in non-volatile memory when the auxiliary power is switched off. At start up, the status of each timer is recovered.

Table 6.18: Setting parameters of timers

Parameter	Value	Description
TimerN		Timer status
	-	Not in use
	0	Output is inactive
	1	Output is active
On	hh:mm:ss	Activation time of the timer
Off	hh:mm:ss	De-activation time of the timer
Mode		For each four timers there are 12 different modes available:
	-	The timer is off and not running. The output is off i.e. 0 all the time.
	Daily	The timer switches on and off once every day.
	Monday	The timer switches on and off every Monday.
	Tuesday	The timer switches on and off every Tuesday.
	Wednesday	The timer switches on and off every Wednesday.
	Thursday	The timer switches on and off every Thursday.
	Friday	The timer switches on and off every Friday.
	Saturday	The timer switches on and off every Saturday.
	Sunday	The timer switches on and off every Sunday.
	MTWTF	The timer switches on and off every day except Saturdays and Sundays
	MTWTFS	The timer switches on and off every day except Sundays.
	SatSun	The timer switches on and off every Saturday and Sunday.

# 6.13 Combined overcurrent status

This function is collecting faults, fault types and registered fault currents of all enabled overcurrent stages.

Table 6.19: Line fault parameters

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
IFItLas		xlgn	Current of the latest overcurrent fault	(Set)
LINE ALARM				
AlrL1			Start (=alarm) status for each phase.	
AlrL2	0		0 = No start since alarm ClrDly	
AlrL3	1		1 = Start is on	
OCs			Combined overcurrent start status.	
	0		AlrL1 = AlrL2 = AlrL3 = 0	
	1		AlrL1 = 1 or AlrL2 = 1 or AlrL3 = 1	
LxAlarm			'On' Event enabling for AlrL1 – 3	Set
l	On / Off		Events are enabled / Events are disabled	
LxAlarmOff			'Off' Event enabling for AlrL1 – 3	Set
	On / Off		Events are enabled / Events are disabled	
OCAlarm			'On' Event enabling for combined o/c starts	Set
	On / Off		Events are enabled / Events are disabled	
OCAlarmOff			'Off' Event enabling for combined o/c starts	Set
	On / Off		Events are enabled / Events are disabled	
IncFltEvnt			Disabling several start and trip events of the same fault	Set
	On		Several events are enabled *)	
	Off		Several events of an increasing fault is disabled **)	
ClrDly	0 – 65535	s	Duration for active alarm status AlrL1, Alr2, AlrL3 and OCs	Set
LINE FAULT				
FltL1			Fault (=trip) status for each phase.	
FltL2	0		0 = No fault since fault ClrDly	
FltL3	1		1 = Fault is on	
OCt			Combined overcurrent trip status.	
	0		FltL1 = FltL2 = FltL3 = 0	
	1		FitL1 = 1 or FitL2 = 1 or FitL3 = 1	
LxTrip			'On' Event enabling for FltL1 – 3	Set
	On / Off		Events are enabled / Events are disabled	
LxTripOff			'Off' Event enabling for FltL1 – 3	Set
	On / Off		Events are enabled / Events are disabled	
OCTrip			'On' Event enabling for combined o/c trips	Set
ı	On / Off		Events are enabled / Events are disabled	

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
OCTripOff			'Off' Event enabling for combined o/c starts	Set
	On / Off		Events are enabled / Events are disabled	
IncFltEvnt			Disabling several events of the same fault	Set
	On		Several events are enabled *)	
	Off		Several events of an increasing fault is disabled **)	
ClrDly	0 – 65535	S	Duration for active alarm status FltL1, Flt2, FltL3 and OCt	Set

Set = An editable parameter (password needed).

<sup>\*)</sup> Used with IEC 60870-105-103 communication protocol. The alarm screen will show the latest if it's the biggest registered fault current, too. Not used with Spabus, because Spabus masters usually don't like to have unpaired On/Off events.

<sup>\*\*)</sup> Used with SPA-bus protocol, because most SPA-bus masters do need an off-event for each corresponding on-event.

## 6.14 Self-supervision

The functions of the microcontroller and the associated circuitry, as well as the program execution are supervised by means of a separate watchdog circuit. Besides supervising the relay, the watchdog circuit attempts to restart the micro controller in an inoperable situation. If the micro controller does not resart, the watchdog issues a self-supervision signal indicating a permanent internal condition.

When the watchdog circuit detects a permanent fault, it always blocks any control of other output relays (except for the self-supervision output relay). In addition, the internal supply voltages are supervised. Should the auxiliary supply of the IED disappear, an indication is automatically given because the IED status inoperative (SF) output relay functions on a working current principle. This means that the SF relay is energized when the auxiliary supply is on and the arc flash protection is healthy.

## 6.14.1 Diagnostics

The device runs self-diagnostic tests for hardware and software in boot sequence and also performs runtime checking.

#### Permanent inoperative state

If permanent inoperative state has been detected, the device releases SF relay contact and status LED is set on. Local panel will also display a detected fault message. Permanet inoperative state is entered when the device is not able to handle main functions.

#### Temporal inoperative state

When self-diagnostic function detects a temporal inoperative state, Selfdiag matrix signal is set and an event (E56) is generated. In case the inoperative state was only temporary, an off event is generated (E57). Self diagnostic state can be reset via local HMI.

#### **Diagnostic registers**

There are four 16-bit diagnostic registers which are readable through remote protocols. The following table shows the meaning of each diagnostic register and their bits.

Register	Bit	Code	Description
SelfDiag1	0 (LSB)	T1	Potential output relay problem
	1	T2	
	4	A1	
	5	A2	
	6	A3	
	7	A4	
	8	A5	
SelfDiag3	0 (LSB)	DAC	Potential mA-output problem
	1	STACK	Potential stack problem
	2	MemChk	Potential memory problem
	3	BGTask	Potential background task timeout
	4	DI	Potential input problem (Remove DI1, DI2)
•	5		
	6	Arc	Potential arc card problem
•	7	SecPulse	Potential hardware problem
	8	RangeChk	DB: Setting outside range
	9	CPULoad	Overload
	10	+24V	Potential internal voltage problem
	11	-15V	
•	12	ITemp	Internal temperature too high
	13	ADChk1	Potential A/D converter problem
	14	ADChk2	Potential A/D converter problem
	15 (MSB)	E2prom	Potential E2prom problem
SelfDiag4	1	ComBuff	Potential BUS: buffer problem

The code is displayed in self diagnostic events and on the diagnostic menu on local panel and VAMPSET.

# 7 Measurement functions

All the direct measurements are based on fundamental frequency values. The exceptions are frequency and instantaneous current for arc protection.

The figure shows a current waveform and the corresponding fundamental frequency component f1, second harmonic f2 and rms value in a special case, when the current deviates significantly from a pure sine wave.

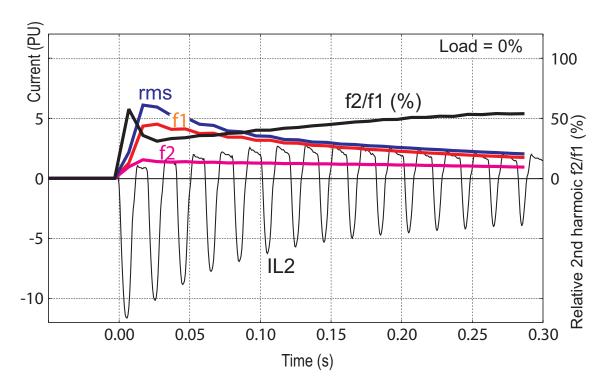


Figure 7.1: Example of various current values of a transformer inrush current

# 7.1 Measurement accuracy

Table 7.1: Phase current inputs  $I_{L1}$ ,  $I_{L2}$ ,  $I_{L3}$ 

Measuring range	25mA – 250 A (5A)	
	5mA – 50 A (1A)	
Inaccuracy:		
I ≤ 7.5 A	±0.5 % of value or ±15 mA	
I > 7.5 A	±3 % of value	
The specified frequency range is 45 Hz – 65 Hz.		
Squelch limit:		
Phase current inputs: 0.5% of I <sub>NOM</sub> (tolerance ±0.05%)		
Residual current: 0.2% of I <sub>0NOM</sub> (tolerance ±0.05%)		

#### Table 7.2: Voltage inputs U<sub>A</sub>, U<sub>B</sub>, U<sub>C</sub>

Measuring range	0.5 – 175 V
Inaccuracy	±0.5 % or ±0.3 V

The usage of voltage inputs depends on the configuration parameter "voltage measurement mode". For example,  $U_C$  is the input for zero sequence voltage  $U_0$  if the mode "2LL +  $U_0$ " is selected but in mode "3LN" the same input is used for phase-to-neutral voltage UL3.

The specified frequency range is 45 Hz - 65 Hz.

#### Table 7.3: Residual current inputs $I_{01}$ , $I_{02}$

Measuring range	$0 - 5 \times I_{0N}$	
Inaccuracy:		
I ≤ 1.5 xI <sub>N</sub>	±0.5 % of value or ±0.3 % of I <sub>0N</sub>	
I > 1.5 xI <sub>N</sub>	±3 % of value	
The rated input low is 5A, 1 A or 0.2 A. It is specified in the order code of the relay.		

The specified frequency range is 45 Hz – 65 Hz.

#### Table 7.4: Frequency

Measuring range	16 Hz – 75 Hz
Inaccuracy	±10 mHz
The frequency is measured from voltage inputs U <sub>A</sub> and/or U <sub>B</sub> .	

#### Table 7.5: Power measurements P, Q, S

Inaccuracy  PF > 0.5	±1 % of value or ±3 VA <sub>SEC</sub>
The specified frequency range is 45 Hz – 65 Hz.	

#### Table 7.6: Power factor cosφ, tanφ

Inaccuracy  PF > 0.5	±2° or ±0.02
The specified frequency range is 45 Hz – 65 Hz.	

#### Table 7.7: Energy counters E+, Eq+, E-, Eq-

Inaccuracy  PF > 0.5	±1 % of value or ±3 Wh <sub>SECONDARY</sub> /1 h	
The specified frequency range is 45 Hz – 65 Hz.		

#### Table 7.8: THD and harmonics

Inaccuracy I, U > 0.1 PU	±2 % units	
Update rate	Once a second	
The specified frequency range is 45 Hz – 65 Hz.		

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## 7.2 RMS values

#### **RMS** currents

The device calculates the RMS value of each phase current. The minimum and the maximum of RMS values are recorded and stored (see Chapter 7.5 Minimum and maximum values).

$$I_{\rm RMS} = \sqrt{{I_{f1}}^2 + {I_{f2}}^2 + ... + {I_{f15}}^2}$$

#### **RMS** voltages

The device calculates the RMS value of each voltage input. The minimum and the maximum of RMS values are recorded and stored (see Chapter 7.5 Minimum and maximum values).

$$U_{\rm RMS} = \sqrt{{U_{f1}}^2 + {U_{f2}}^2 + ... + {U_{f15}}^2}$$

# 7.3 Harmonics and Total Harmonic Distortion (THD)

The device calculates the THDs as percentage of the base frequency for currents and voltages. The device calculates the harmonics from the 2nd to the 15th of phase currents and voltages. (The 17th harmonic component will also be shown partly in the value of the 15th harmonic component. This is due to the nature of digital sampling.)

The harmonic distortion is calculated using equation

$$THD = \frac{\sqrt{\sum_{i=2}^{15} h_i^2}}{h_1}$$

$$h_{2-15}$$
 = Harmonics

#### **Example**

$$h_1 = 100 \text{ A}, \qquad h_3 = 10 \text{ A}, \qquad h_7 = 3 \text{ A}, \qquad h_{11} = 8 \text{ A}$$

$$THD = \frac{\sqrt{10^2 + 3^2 + 8^2}}{100} = 13.2\%$$

For reference the RMS value is

$$RMS = \sqrt{100^2 + 10^2 + 3^2 + 8^2} = 100.9A$$

Another way to calculate THD is to use the RMS value as reference instead of the fundamental frequency value. In the example above the result would then be 13.0 %.

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## 7.4 Demand values

The relay calculates average i.e. demand values of phase currents  $I_{L1}$ ,  $I_{L2}$ ,  $I_{L3}$  and power values S, P and Q.

The demand time is configurable from 10 minutes to 30 minutes with parameter "Demand time".

Table 7.9: Demand value parameters

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Set
Time	10 – 30	min	Demand time (averaging time)	Set
Fundamental free	quency values			
IL1da		А	Demand of phase current IL1	
IL2da		А	Demand of phase current IL2	
IL3da		А	Demand of phase current IL3	
Pda		kW	Demand of active power P	
PFda			Demand of power factor PF	
Qda		Kvar	Demand of reactive power Q	
Sda		kVA	Demand of apparent power S	
RMS values		,		,
IL1da		А	Demand of phase current IL1	
IL2da		А	Demand of phase current IL2	
IL3da		А	Demand of phase current IL3	

Set = An editable parameter (password needed).

## 7.5 Minimum and maximum values

Minimum and maximum values are registered with time stamps since the latest manual clearing or since the device has been restarted. The available registered min & max values are listed in the following table.

Min & Max measurement	Description
IL1, IL2, IL3	Phase current (fundamental frequency value)
IL1RMS, IL2RMS, IL3RMS	Phase current, rms value
I <sub>01</sub> , I <sub>02</sub>	Residual current
Uo	Zero sequence voltage
f	Frequency
P, Q, S	Active, reactive, apparent power
IL1da, IL2da, IL3da	Demand values of phase currents
IL1da, IL2da, IL3da (rms value)	Demand values of phase currents, rms values
PFda	Power factor demand value

The clearing parameter "ClrMax" is common for all these values.

Table 7.10: Parameters

Parameter	Value	Description	Set
ClrMax		Reset all minimum and maximum values	Set
	-		
	Clear		

Set = An editable parameter (password needed).

# 7.6 Maximum values of the last 31 days and 12 months

Maximum and minimum values of the last 31 days and the last twelve months are stored in the non-volatile memory of the relay. Corresponding time stamps are stored for the last 31 days. The registered values are listed in the following table.

Measurement	Max	Min	Description	31 days	12 months
IL1, IL2, IL3	Х		Phase current (fundamental frequency value)		
lo1, lo2	Х		Residual current		
S	Х		Apparent power	Х	Х
Р	Х	Х	Active power	Х	Х
Q	Х	Х	Reactive power	Х	Х

The value can be a one cycle value or an average based on the "Timebase" parameter.

Table 7.11: Parameters of the day and month registers

Parameter	Value	Description	Set
Timebase		Parameter to select the type of the registered values	Set
	20 ms	Collect min & max of one cycle values *	
	200 ms	Collect min & max of 200 ms average values	
	1 s	Collect min & max of 1 s average values	
	1 min	Collect min & max of 1 minute average values	
	demand	Collect min & max of demand values (Chapter 7.4 Demand values)	
ResetDays		Reset the 31 day registers	Set
ResetMon		Reset the 12 month registers	Set

Set = An editable parameter (password needed).

<sup>\*</sup> This is the fundamental frequency rms value of one cycle updated every 20 ms.

## 7.7 Voltage measurement modes

Depending on the application and available voltage transformers, the relay can be connected either to line-to-line voltages or phase-to-ground voltages. The configuration parameter "Voltage measurement mode" must be set according the used connection.

"2LL+Uo"

The device is connected to line-to-line voltages U12 and U23 and to zero sequence voltage U0. The phase-to-ground voltages are calculated. See Figure 7.6 1 and Figure 7.6 2. The network must use only three wires. Any neutral wire must not exist.

"3LN"

The device is connected to phase-to-ground voltages UL1, UL2 and UL3. The zero sequence voltage is calculated. See Figure 7.6 3. There may exist a neutral wire.

The overvoltage protection is always based on the line-to-line voltage regardless of the measurement mode.

**NOTE:** When the 100 % stator earth fault stage  $U_{0f3}$ < is to be used, the mode "2LL+ $U_0$ " must be used and the zero sequence voltage must be measured from the generator's neutral point as in Figure 7.2.

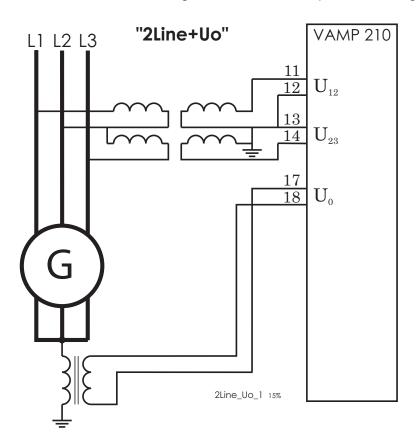


Figure 7.2: The device is connected to line-to-line voltages from V-connected (open delta) voltage transformers. The zero sequence voltage is measured with a voltage transformer between neutral point and ground. Voltage measurement mode is set to " $2LL+U_0$ ".

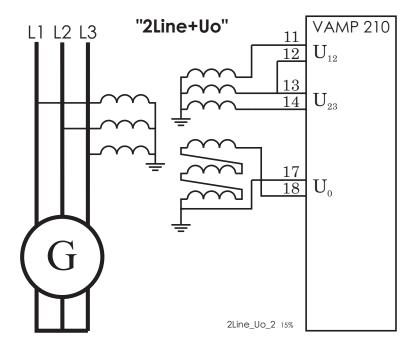


Figure 7.3: The device is connected to line-to-line voltages from three Y-connected voltage transformers. The zero sequence voltage is measured with VT tertiaries in a broken delta connection. Voltage measurement mode is set to " $2LL+U_0$ ".

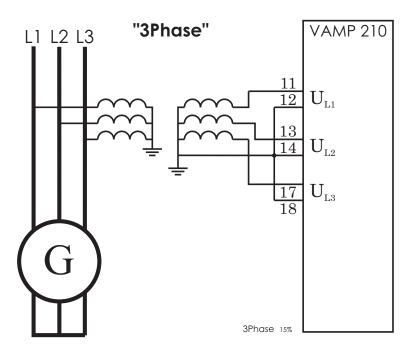


Figure 7.4: The device is connected to phase-to-ground voltages from three Y-connected voltage transformers. The zero sequence is calculated internally. Voltage measurement mode is set to "3LN".

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## 7.8 Power calculations

The power calculation in VAMP devices are dependent on the voltage measurement mode, see Chapter 7.7 Voltage measurement modes. The formulas used for power calculations are described in this chapter.

#### The device is connected to line-to-line voltages

When the device is connected to line-to-line voltages, the voltage measurement mode is set to equal to " $2LL+U_0$ ". The following Aron equation is used for power calculation.

$$\overline{S} = \overline{U}_{12} \cdot \overline{I}_{L1}^* - \overline{U}_{23} \cdot \overline{I}_{L3}^*$$

 $\overline{S}$  = Three phase power phasor

 $\overline{U}_{12}$  = Measured voltage phasor corresponding the fundamental frequency voltage between phases L1 and L2.

 $\bar{I}_{L1}^*$  = Complex conjugate of the measured phase L1 fundamental frequency current phasor.

 $\overline{U}_{23}$  = Measured voltage phasor corresponding the fundamental frequency voltage between phases L2 and L3.

 $\bar{I}_{L3}^*$  = Complex conjugate of the measured phase L3 fundamental frequency current phasor.

Apparent power, active power and reactive power are calculated as follows

$$S = |\overline{S}|$$

$$P = real(\overline{S})$$

$$Q = imag(\overline{S})$$

$$\cos \varphi = \frac{P}{S}$$

#### The device is connected to line-to-neutral voltage

When the device is connected to line-to-neutral voltages, the voltage measurement mode is set to equal to "3LN". The following equation is used for power calculation.

$$\overline{S} = \overline{U}_{L1} \cdot \overline{I}_{L1}^* + \overline{U}_{L2} \cdot \overline{I}_{L2}^* + \overline{U}_{L3} \cdot \overline{I}_{L3}^*$$

 $\overline{S}$  = Three phase power phasor

 $\overline{U}_{\rm L1}$  = Measured voltage phasor corresponding the fundamental frequency voltage of phase L1.

 $\bar{I}_{\text{L1}}^* = \begin{array}{c} \text{Complex conjugate of the measured phase L1 fundamental} \\ \text{frequency current phasor.} \end{array}$ 

 $\overline{U}_{^{L2}}$  = Measured voltage phasor corresponding the fundamental frequency voltage of phase L2.

 $\bar{I}_{L2}^* = \begin{cases} \text{Complex conjugate of the measured phase L2 fundamental} \\ \text{frequency current phasor.} \end{cases}$ 

 $\overline{U}_{^{L3}}$  = Measured voltage phasor corresponding the fundamental frequency voltage of phase L3.

 $\bar{I}_{L3}^* = \begin{array}{c} \text{Complex conjugate of the measured phase L3 fundamental} \\ \text{frequency current phasor.} \end{array}$ 

Apparent power, active power and reactive power are calculated similarly as with line-to-line voltages

$$S = |\overline{S}|$$

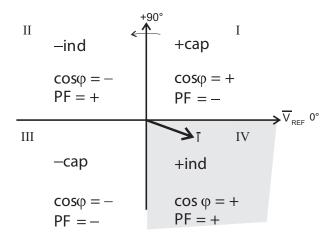
$$P = real(\overline{S})$$

$$Q = imag(\overline{S})$$

$$\cos\varphi = \frac{P}{S}$$

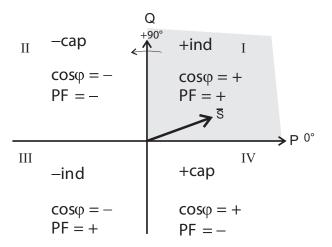
# 7.9 Direction of power and current

Figure 7.5 shows the concept of three phase current direction and sign of cosφ and power factor PF. Figure 7.6 shows the same concepts, but on a PQ-power plane.



- I: Forward capacitive power current is leading
- II: Reverse inductive power current is leading
- III: Reverse capacitive power current is lagging
- IV: Forward inductive power current is lagging

Figure 7.5: Quadrants of voltage/current phasor plane



- I: Forward inductive power current is lagging
- II: Reverse capacitive power current is lagging
- III: Reverse inductive power current is leading
- IV: Forward capacitive power current is leading

Figure 7.6: Quadrants of power plane

Table 7.12: Power quadrants

Power quadrant	Current related to voltage	Power direction	cosφ	Power factor PF
+ inductive	Lagging	Forward	+	+
+ capacitive	Leading	Forward	+	-
- inductive	Leading	Reverse	-	+
- capacitive	Lagging	Reverse	-	-

## 7.10 Symmetric components

In a three phase system, the voltage or current phasors may be divided in symmetric components according C. L. Fortescue (1918). The symmetric components are:

- Positive sequence 1
- Negative sequence 2
- Zero sequence 0

Symmetric components are calculated according the following equations:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \underline{S}_0 \\ \underline{S}_1 \\ \underline{S}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & \underline{a} & \underline{a}^2 \\ 1 & \underline{a}^2 & \underline{a} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \underline{U} \\ \underline{V} \\ \underline{W} \end{bmatrix}$$

 $\underline{S}_0$  = zero sequence component

 $\underline{S}_1$  = positive sequence component

 $\underline{S}_2$  = negative sequence component

$$\underline{a}=1\angle 120^{\circ}=-\frac{1}{2}+j\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$
 , a phasor rotating constant

U = phasor of phase L1 (phase current or line-to-neutral voltage)

 $\underline{V}$  = phasor of phase L2

 $\underline{W}$  = phasor of phase L3

In case the voltage measurement mode is " $2LL+U_0$ " i.e. two line-to-line voltage are measured, the following equation is used instead.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \underline{U}_1 \\ \underline{U}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\underline{a}^2 \\ 1 & -\underline{a} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \underline{U}_{12} \\ \underline{U}_{23} \end{bmatrix}$$

 $U_{12}$  = Voltage between phases L1 and L2

 $U_{23}$  = Voltage between phases L2 and L3

When using line-to-line voltages, any zero sequence voltage can not be calculated.

**NOTE:** The zero sequence or residual measurement signals connected to the device are -U<sub>0</sub> and 3I<sub>0</sub>. However, usually the name "I<sub>0</sub>" is used instead of the correct name "3I<sub>0</sub>".

#### Examples:

#### 1. Single phase injection

$$U_{GN} = 100 \text{ V}$$

Voltage measurement mode is "2LL+U<sub>0</sub>".

Injection:

$$U_A = U_{12} = 100 \text{ V}$$

$$U_{B} = U_{23} = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \underline{U}_1 \\ \underline{U}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\underline{a}^2 \\ 1 & -\underline{a} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 100 \angle 0^\circ \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 100 \angle 0^\circ \\ 100 \angle 0^\circ \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 33 \\ 33 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$U_1 = 33 \%$$

$$U_2 = 33 \%$$

$$U_2/U_1 = 100 \%$$

When using a single phase test device, the relative unbalance  $U_2/U_1$  will always be 100 %.

#### 2. Two phase injection with adjustable phase angle

$$U_{GN} = 100 \text{ V}$$

Voltage measurement mode is " $2LL+U_0$ ".

Injection:

$$U_{\Delta} = U_{12} = 100 \text{ V} \angle 0^{\circ}$$

$$U_B = U_{23} = 100/\sqrt{3} \text{ V } \angle -150^{\circ} = 57.7 \text{ V } \angle -150^{\circ}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \underline{U}_1 \\ \underline{U}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\underline{a}^2 \\ 1 & -\underline{a} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 100\angle 0^{\circ} \\ 100/\sqrt{3}\angle -150^{\circ} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{100}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1\angle 0^{\circ} - 1/\sqrt{3}\angle + 90^{\circ} \\ 1\angle 0^{\circ} - 1/\sqrt{3}\angle -30^{\circ} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{100}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 2/\sqrt{3}\angle -30^{\circ} \\ 1/\sqrt{3}\angle +30^{\circ} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 38.5\angle -30^{\circ} \\ 19.2\angle +30^{\circ} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$U_1 = 38.5 \%$$

$$U_2 = 19.2 \%$$

$$U_2/U_1 = 50 \%$$

Figure 7.7 shows a geometric solution. The input values have been scaled with  $\sqrt{3}/100$  to make the calculation easier.

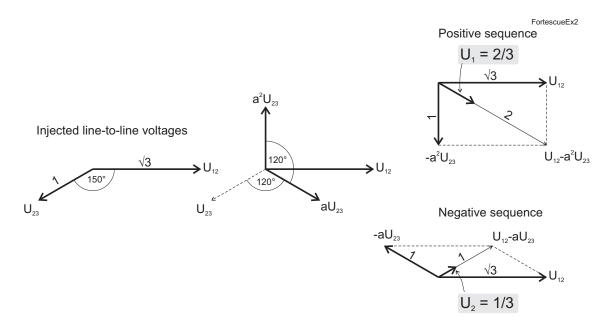


Figure 7.7: Example of symmetric component calculation using line-to-line voltages.

Unscaling the geometric results gives

$$U_1 = 100/\sqrt{3} \times 2/3 = 38.5 \%$$
  
 $U_2 = 100/\sqrt{3} \times 1/3 = 19.2 \%$   
 $U_2/U_1 = 1/3:2/3 = 50 \%$ 

#### 3. Two phase injection with adjustable phase angle

$$U_{GN} = 100 \text{ V}$$

Voltage measurement mode is "3LN".

Injection:

$$U_A = U_{L1} = 100/\sqrt{3} \text{ V } \angle 0^\circ = 57.7 \text{ V } \angle 0^\circ$$

$$U_B = U_{L2} = 100/\sqrt{3} \text{ V } \angle -120^\circ = 57.7 \text{ V } \angle -120^\circ$$

$$U_C = U_{L3} = 0 \text{ V}$$

This is actually identical case with example 2 because the resulting line-to-line voltages  $U_{12} = U_{L1} - U_{L2} = 100 \text{ V} \angle 30^\circ$  and  $U_{23} = U_{L2} - U_{L3} = U_{L2} = 100 / \sqrt{3} \text{ V} \angle -120^\circ$  are the same as in example 2. The only difference is a +30° phase angle difference, but without any absolute angle reference this phase angle difference is not seen by the device.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \underline{U}_{0} \\ \underline{U}_{1} \\ \underline{U}_{2} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & \underline{a} & \underline{a}^{2} \\ 1 & \underline{a}^{2} & \underline{a} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{100}{\sqrt{3}} \angle 0^{\circ} \\ \frac{100}{\sqrt{3}} \angle -120^{\circ} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{3\sqrt{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 100\angle 0^{\circ} + 100\angle -120^{\circ} \\ 100\angle 0^{\circ} + 100\angle 0^{\circ} \\ 100\angle 0^{\circ} + 100\angle +120^{\circ} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 19.2\angle -60^{\circ} \\ 38.5\angle 0^{\circ} \\ 19.2\angle +60^{\circ} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$U_{0} = 19.2 \%$$

$$U_{1} = 38.5 \%$$

$$U_{2} = 19.2 \%$$

$$U_{2}/U_{1} = 50 \%$$

Figure 7.8 shows a graphical solution. The input values have been scaled with  $\sqrt{3}/100$  to make the calculation easier.

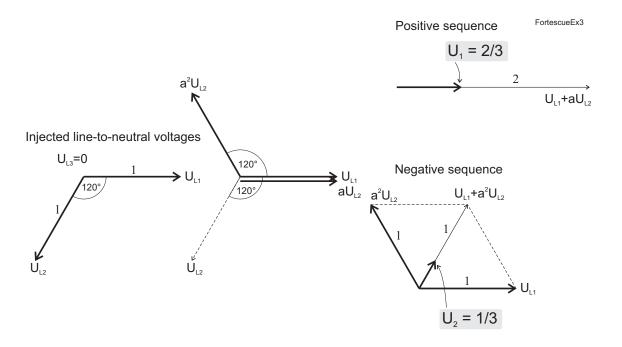


Figure 7.8: Example of symmetric component calculation using line-to-neutral voltages.

Unscaling the geometric results gives

$$U_1 = 100/\sqrt{3} \times 2/3 = 38.5 \%$$
  
 $U_2 = 100/\sqrt{3} \times 1/3 = 19.2 \%$   
 $U_2/U_1 = 1/3:2/3 = 50 \%$ 

## 7.11 Primary secondary and per unit scaling

Many measurement values are shown as primary values although the relay is connected to secondary signals. Some measurement values are shown as relative values - per unit or per cent. Almost all pick-up setting values are using relative scaling.

The scaling is done using the given CT, VT and generator name plate values.

The following scaling equations are useful when doing secondary testing.

## 7.11.1 Current scaling

**NOTE:** The rated value of the device's current input, for example 5 A or 1A, does not have any effect in the scaling equations, but it defines the measurement range and the maximum allowed continuous current. See Table 12.1 for details.

#### Primary and secondary scaling

	Current scaling
secondary → primary	$I_{PRI} = I_{SEC} \cdot \frac{CT_{PRI}}{CT_{SEC}}$
primary → secondary	$I_{SEC} = I_{PRI} \cdot \frac{CT_{SEC}}{CT_{PRI}}$

For residual current to input  $I_{01}$  or  $I_{02}$  use the corresponding  $CT_{PRI}$  and  $CT_{SEC}$  values. For ground fault stages using  $I_{0Calc}$  signals use the phase current CT values for  $CT_{PRI}$  and  $CT_{SEC}$ .

#### Examples:

#### 1. Secondary to primary

CT = 500 / 5

Current to the relay's input is 4 A.

=> Primary current is  $I_{PRI}$  = 4 x 500 / 5 = 400 A

#### 2. Primary to secondary

CT = 500 / 5

The relay displays  $I_{PRI} = 400 \text{ A}$ 

=> Injected current is  $I_{SEC}$  = 400 x 5 / 500 = 4 A

#### Per unit [pu] scaling

For phase currents excluding Arcl> stage:

1 pu = 1 x  $I_{GN}$  = 100 %, where  $I_{GN}$  is the rated current of the generator.

For residual currents and Arcl> stage:

1 pu = 1 x  $CT_{SEC}$  for secondary side and 1 pu = 1 x  $CT_{PRI}$  for primary side.

	Phase current scaling excluding Arcl> stage	Residual current (3I <sub>0</sub> ) scaling and phase current scaling for Arcl> stage
secondary → per unit	$I_{PU} = \frac{I_{SEC} \cdot CT_{PRI}}{CT_{SEC} \cdot I_{GN}}$	$I_{PU} = \frac{I_{SEC}}{CT_{SEC}}$
per unit → secondary	$I_{SEC} = I_{PU} \cdot CT_{SEC} \cdot \frac{I_{GN}}{CT_{PRI}}$	$I_{SEC} = I_{PU} \cdot CT_{SEC}$

#### Examples:

#### 1. Secondary to per unit for phase currents excluding Arcl>

CT = 750/5

 $I_{GN} = 525 A$ 

Current injected to the relay's inputs is 7 A.

Per unit current is  $I_{PU}$  = 7 x 750 / (5 x 525) = 2.00 pu = 2.00 x  $I_{GN}$  = 200 %

#### 2. Secondary to per unit for Arcl>

$$CT = 750 / 5$$

Current injected to the relay's inputs is 7 A.

Per unit current is  $I_{PIJ} = 7 / 5 = 1.4$  pu = 140 %

#### 3. Per unit to secondary for phase currents excluding Arcl>

$$CT = 750 / 5$$

$$I_{GN} = 525 A$$

The device setting is 2 x  $I_{GN}$  = 2 pu = 200 %.

Secondary current is  $I_{SFC} = 2 \times 5 \times 525 / 750 = 7 \text{ A}$ 

#### 4. Per unit to secondary for Arcl>

$$CT = 750 / 5$$

The device setting is 2 pu = 200 %.

Secondary current is  $I_{SEC} = 2 \times 5 = 10 \text{ A}$ 

#### 5. Secondary to per unit for residual current

Input is  $I_{01}$  or  $I_{02}$ .

$$CT_0 = 50 / 1$$

Current injected to the relay's input is 30 mA.

Per unit current is  $I_{PU} = 0.03 / 1 = 0.03 \text{ pu} = 3 \%$ 

#### 6. Per unit to secondary for residual current

Input is  $I_{01}$  or  $I_{02}$ .

$$CT_0 = 50 / 1$$

The relay setting is 0.03 pu = 3 %.

Secondary current is  $I_{SEC} = 0.03 \text{ x } 1 = 30 \text{ mA}$ 

#### 7. Secondary to per unit for residual current

Input is I<sub>0Calc</sub>.

$$CT = 750 / 5$$

Currents injected to the relay's I<sub>L1</sub> input is 0.5 A.

$$I_{12} = I_{13} = 0.$$

Per unit current is  $I_{PU} = 0.5 / 5 = 0.1$  pu = 10 %

#### 8. Per unit to secondary for residual current

Input is I<sub>0Calc</sub>.

$$CT = 750 / 5$$

The relay setting is 0.1 pu = 10 %.

If  $I_{L2} = I_{L3} = 0$ , then secondary current to  $I_{L1}$  is  $I_{SEC} = 0.1 \times 5 = 0.5 \text{ A}$ 

## 7.11.2 Voltage scaling

#### Primary / secondary scaling of line-to-line voltages

	Line-to-line voltage scaling		
	Voltage measurement mode = "2LL+U <sub>0</sub> ".	Voltage measurement mode = "3LN"	
secondary → primary	$U_{PRI} = U_{SEC} \cdot \frac{VT_{PRI}}{VT_{SEC}}$	$U_{PRI} = \sqrt{3} \cdot U_{SEC} \cdot \frac{VT_{PRI}}{VT_{SEC}}$	
primary → secondary	$U_{SEC} = U_{PRI} \cdot \frac{VT_{SEC}}{VT_{PRI}}$	$U_{SEC} = \frac{U_{PRI}}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{VT_{SEC}}{VT_{PRI}}$	

#### Examples:

 Secondary to primary. Voltage measurement mode is "2LL + U<sub>0</sub>".

VT = 12000 / 110

Voltage connected to the device's input  $U_A$  or  $U_B$  is 100 V.

Primary voltage is  $U_{PRI} = 100 \times 12000 / 110 = 10909 \text{ V}$ .

2. Secondary to primary. Voltage measurement mode is "3LN".

VT = 12000 / 110

Three phase symmetric voltages connected to the device's inputs  $U_A$ ,  $U_B$  and  $U_C$  are 57.7 V.

Primary voltage is  $U_{PRI} = \sqrt{3} \times 58 \times 12000 / 110 = 10902 \text{ V}$ 

Primary to secondary. Voltage measurement mode is "2LL + U<sub>0</sub>".

VT = 12000 / 110

The relay displays  $U_{PRI} = 10910 \text{ V}$ .

Secondary voltage is  $U_{SEC} = 10910 \times 110 / 12000 = 100 \text{ V}$ 

4. Primary to secondary. Voltage measurement mode is "3LN".

VT = 12000 / 110

The relay displays  $U_{12} = U_{23} = U_{31} = 10910 \text{ V}.$ 

Symmetric secondary voltages at  $U_A$ ,  $U_B$  and  $U_C$  are  $U_{SEC}$  = 10910 /  $\sqrt{3}$  x 110 / 12000 = 57.7 V.

#### Per unit [pu] scaling of line-to-line voltages

One per unit = 1 pu = 1 x  $U_{GN}$  = 100 %, where  $U_{GN}$  = rated voltage of the generator.

	Line-to-line voltage scaling		
	Voltage measurement mode = "2LL+U <sub>0</sub> ".	Voltage measurement mode = "3LN"	
secondary → per unit	$U_{PU} = \frac{U_{SEC}}{VT_{SEC}} \cdot \frac{VT_{PRI}}{U_{GN}}$	$U_{PU} = \sqrt{3} \cdot \frac{U_{SEC}}{VT_{SEC}} \cdot \frac{VT_{PRI}}{U_{GN}}$	
per unit → secondary	$U_{SEC} = U_{PU} \cdot VT_{SEC} \cdot \frac{U_{GN}}{VT_{PRI}}$	$U_{SEC} = U_{PU} \cdot \frac{VT_{SEC}}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{U_{GN}}{VT_{PRI}}$	

#### Examples:

1. Secondary to per unit. Voltage measurement mode is "2LL + U<sub>0</sub>".

$$VT = 12000 / 110, U_{GN} = 11000 V$$

Voltage connected to the relay's input  $U_A$  or  $U_B$  is 100.8 V.

Per unit voltage is  $U_{PU}$  = 100.8 / 110 x 12000 / 11000 = 1.00 pu = 1.00 x  $U_{GN}$  = 100 %

2. Secondary to per unit. Voltage measurement mode is "3LN".

$$VT = 12000 / 110, U_{GN} = 11000 V$$

Three symmetric phase-to-neutral voltages connected to the relay's inputs Ua,Ub and Uc are 58.2 V.

Per unit voltage is 
$$U_{PU} = 3 \times 58.2 / 110 \times 12000 / 11000$$
  
= 1.00 pu = 1.00 x  $U_{GN} = 100 \%$ 

3. Per unit to secondary. Voltage measurement mode is "2LL+U<sub>0</sub>".

$$VT = 12000/110$$
,  $U_{GN} = 11000 V$ 

The relay displays 1.00 pu = 100 %.

Secondary voltage is  $U_{SEC}$  = 1.00 x 110 x 11000 / 12000 = 100.8 V

Per unit to secondary. Voltage measurement mode is "3LN".

$$VT = 12000 / 110, U_{GN} = 11000 V$$

The relay displays 1.00 pu = 100 %.

Three symmetric phase-to-neutral voltages connected to the device 's inputs  $U_A$ ,  $U_B$  and  $U_C$  are

$$U_{SEC}$$
 = 1.00 x 110 /  $\sqrt{3}$  x 11000 / 12000 = 58.2 V

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#### Per unit [pu] scaling of zero sequence voltage

#### Examples:

1. Secondary to per unit. Voltage measurement mode is "2LL +  $U_0$ ".

 $U_{0SEC}$  = 110 V (This is a configuration value corresponding to  $U_0$  at full ground fault.)

Voltage connected to the device's input U<sub>C</sub> is 22 V.

Per unit voltage is  $U_{PU}$  = 22 / 110 = 0.20 pu = 20 %

2. Secondary to per unit. Voltage measurement mode is "3LN".

VT = 12000 / 110

Voltage connected to the device's input U<sub>A</sub> is 38.1 V, while

$$U_A = U_B = 0$$
.

Per unit voltage is  $U_{PU}$  =  $(38.1 + 0 + 0) / (\sqrt{3} \times 110) = 0.20 \text{ pu} = 20 \%$ 

3. Per unit to secondary. Voltage measurement mode is "2LL + U<sub>0</sub>".

 $U_{0SEC}$  = 110 V (This is a configuration value corresponding to  $U_0$  at full earth fault.)

The device displays  $U_0 = 20 \%$ .

Secondary voltage at input  $U_C$  is  $U_{SEC} = 0.20 \text{ x } 110 = 22 \text{ V}$ 

4. Per unit to secondary. Voltage measurement mode is "3LN".

VT = 12000/110

The device displays  $U_0 = 20 \%$ .

If  $U_B$  =  $U_C$  = 0, then secondary voltages at  $U_A$  is  $U_{SEC}$  =  $\sqrt{3}$  x 0.2 x 110 = 38.1 V

# 8 Control functions

# 8.1 Output relays

The output relays are also called digital outputs. Any internal signal can be connected to the output relays using output matrix. An output relay can be configured as latched or non-latched. See Chapter 8.4 Output matrix for more details.

**NOTE:** If the device has the mA option, it is equipped with only three alarm relays from A1 to A3.

The difference between trip contacts and signal contacts is the DC breaking capacity. See Table 12.4 and Table 12.5 for details. The contacts are SPST normal open type (NO), except alarm relays A1 – A3, which have change over contacts (SPDT). Polarity of all output relays can be changed in VAMPSET or from Local display.

Table 8.1: Parameters of output relays

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
T1 – T2	0		Status of trip output relay	F
	1			
A1 – A5	0		Status of alarm output relay	F
	1			
SF	0		Status of the SF relay	F
	1		In VAMPSET, it is called as "Service status output"	
Force	On		Force flag for output relay forcing for test	Set
	Off		purposes. This is a common flag for all output relays and detection stage status,	
			too. Any forced relay(s) and this flag are automatically reset by a 5-minute timeout.	
REMOTE PUL	SES	l.		
A1 – A5	0.00 - 99.98	S	Pulse length for direct output relay control	ol Set
	or		via communications protocols.	
	99.99		99.99 s = Infinite. Release by writing "0" to the direct control parameter	
NAMES for Ol	JTPUT RELAYS (editable with VAMP	SET only)		
Description	String of max. 32 characters		Names for DO on VAMPSET screens. Default is	Set
			"Trip relay n", n=1 – 2 or "signal relay n", n=1 – 5	

F = Editable when force flag is on. Set = An editable parameter (password needed).

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# 8.2 Digital inputs

There are 6 digital inputs available for control purposes. The polarity - normal open (NO) / normal closed (NC) - and a delay can be configured according the application. The signals are available for the output matrix, block matrix, user's programmable logic etc.

The contacts connected to digital inputs DI1 – DI6 must be dry (potential free). These inputs use the common internal 48 Vdc wetting voltage from pin X3:1, only.

**NOTE:** These digital inputs must not be connected parallel with inputs of another device.

Table 8.2: Summary of digital inputs:

DI	Pins	Operating voltage	Availability
<-	X3:1	48VDC supply for DI1 – 6	
1	X3:2		
2	X3:3		
3	X3:4	Internal 48V dc	
4	X3:5	Internal 46V dC	
5	X3:6		
6	X3:7		
19	X6:1 – 2	External 18 – 265 V dc	ARC card with 2 DIs
		50 – 250 V ac	
20	X6:3 – 4	External 18 – 265 V dc	ARC card with 2 DIs
		50 – 250 V ac	

Label and description texts can be edited with VAMPSET according the application. Labels are the short parameter names used on the local panel and descriptions are the longer names used by VAMPSET.

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Table 8.3: Parameters of digital inputs

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note	
DI1 – DI6	0; 1		Status of digital input		
DI COUNTERS		1			
DI1 – DI6	0 – 65535		Cumulative active edge counter	(Set)	
DELAYS FOR DI	GITAL INPUTS	1			
DI1 – DI6	0.00 - 60.00	S	Definite delay for both on and off transitions	Set	
CONFIGURATIO	N DI1 – DI6				
Inverted	no		For normal open contacts (NO). Active edge is 0 -> 1	Set	
	yes		For normal closed contacts (NC). Active edge is 1 -> 0		
Indication display	no		No pop-up display	Set	
	yes		Indication display is activated at active DI edge		
On event	On		Active edge event enabled	Set	
	Off		Active edge event disabled		
Off event	On		Inactive edge event enabled	Set	
	Off		Inactive edge event disabled		
NAMES for DIGI	TAL INPUTS (editable with V	AMPSET o	only)		
Label	String of max. 10 characters		Short name for DIs on the local display. Default is "DIn", n = 1 – 6	Set	
Description	String of max. 32 characters		Long name for DIs. Default is "Digital input n", n = 1 - 6	Set	

Set = An editable parameter (password needed).

# 8.3 Virtual inputs and outputs

There are four virtual inputs and six virtual outputs. The four virtual inputs acts like normal digital inputs. The state of the virtual input can be changed from display, communication bus and from VAMPSET. For example setting groups can be changed using virtual inputs.

Table 8.4: Parameters of virtual inputs

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
VI1 – VI4	0; 1		Status of virtual input	
Events	On; Off		Event enabling	Set
NAMES for VI	RTUAL INPUTS (editable with \	/AMPSET o	only)	
Label	String of max. 10 characters		Short name for VIs on the local display  Default is "VIn", n = 1 – 4	Set
Description	String of max. 32 characters		Long name for VIs. Default is "Virtual input n", n = 1 – 4	Set

Set = An editable parameter (password needed).

The six virtual outputs do act like output relays, but there are no physical contacts. Virtual outputs are shown in the output matrix and the block matrix. Virtual outputs can be used with the user's programmable logic and to change the active setting group etc.

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# 8.4 Output matrix

By means of the output matrix, the output signals of the various protection stages, digital inputs, logic outputs and other internal signals can be connected to the output relays, front panel indicators, virtual outputs etc.

There are two LED indicators named "Alarm" and "Trip" on the front panel. Furthermore there are three general purpose LED indicators - "A", "B" and "C" - available for customer-specific indications. In addition, the triggering of the disturbance recorder (DR) and virtual outputs are configurable in the output matrix. See an example in Figure 8.1.

An output relay or indicator LED can be configured as latched or non-latched. A non-latched relay follows the controlling signal. A latched relay remains activated although the controlling signal releases.

There is a common "release latched" signal to release all the latched relays. This release signal resets all the latched output relays and indicators. The reset signal can be given via a digital input, via a keypad or through communication. Any digital input can be used for resetting. The selection of the input is done with the VAMPSET software under the menu "Release output matrix latches". Under the same menu, the "Release latches" parameter can be used for resetting.

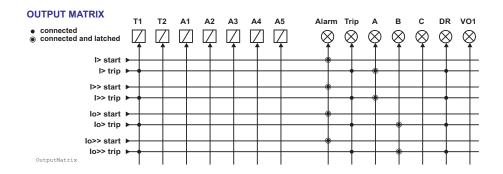


Figure 8.1: Output matrix.

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# 8.5 Blocking matrix

By means of a blocking matrix, the operation of any protection stage can be blocked. The blocking signal can originate from the digital inputs DI1 to DI6, or it can be a start or trip signal from a protection stage or an output signal from the user's programmable logic. In the block matrix Figure 8.2 an active blocking is indicated with a black dot (•) in the crossing point of a blocking signal and the signal to be blocked.

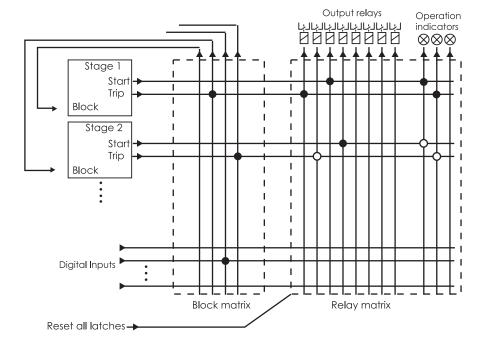


Figure 8.2: Blocking matrix and output matrix

# 8.6 Controllable objects

The device allows controlling of six objects, that is, circuit-breakers, disconnectors and earthing switches. Controlling can be done by "select-execute" or "direct control" principle.

The object block matrix and logic functions can be used to configure interlocking for a safe controlling before the output pulse is issued. The objects 1-6 are controllable while the objects 7-8 are only able to show the status.

Controlling is possible by the following ways:

- through the local HMI
- through a remote communication
- through a digital input

The connection of an object to specific output relays is done via an output matrix (object 1 – 6 open output, object 1 – 6 close output). There is also an output signal "Object failed", which is activated if the control of an object is not completed.

#### **Object states**

Each object has the following states:

Setting	Value	Description
Object state	Undefined (00)	Actual state of the object
	Open	
	Close	
	Undefined (11)	

#### Basic settings for controllable objects

Each controllable object has the following settings:

Setting	Value	Description	
DI for 'obj open'	None, any digital input, virtual input or virtual	Open information	
DI for 'obj close'	output	Close information	
DI for 'obj ready'		Ready information	
Max ctrl pulse length	0.02 – 600 s	Pulse length for open and close commands	
Completion timeout	0.02 – 600 s	Timeout of ready indication	
Object control	Open/Close	Direct object control	

If changing states takes longer than the time defined by "Max ctrl pulse length" setting, object is inoperative and "Object failure" matrix signal is set. Also undefined-event is generated. "Completion timeout" is only used for the ready indication. If "DI for 'obj ready'" is not set, completion timeout has no meaning.

#### Each controllable object has 2 control signals in matrix:

Output signal	Description
Object x Open	Open control signal for the object
Object x Close	Close control signal for the object

These signals send control pulse when an object is controlled by digital input, remote bus, auto-reclose etc.

#### **Settings for read-only objects**

Setting	Value	Description	
DI for 'obj open'	None, any digital input, virtual input or virtual	Open information	
DI for 'obj close'	output	Close information	
Object timeout	0.02 – 600 s	Timeout for state changes	

If changing states takes longer than the time defined by "Object timeout" setting, and "Object failure" matrix signal is set. Also undefined-event is generated.

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## 8.6.1 Controlling with DI

Objects can be controlled with digital input, virtual input or virtual output. There are four settings for each controllable object:

Setting	Active
DI for remote open / close control	In remote state
DI for local open / close control	In local state

If the device is in local control state, the remote control inputs are ignored and vice versa. Object is controlled when a rising edge is detected from the selected input. Length of digital input pulse should be at least 60 ms.

#### 8.6.2 Local/Remote selection

In Local mode, the output relays can be controlled via a local HMI, but they cannot be controlled via a remote serial communication interface.

In Remote mode, the output relays cannot be controlled via a local HMI, but they can be controlled via a remote serial communication interface.

The selection of the Local/Remote mode is done by using a local HMI, or via one selectable digital input. The digital input is normally used to change a whole station to a local or remote mode. The selection of the L/R digital input is done in the "Objects" menu of the VAMPSET software.

**NOTE:** A password is not required for a remote control operation.

# 8.7 Logic functions

The device supports customer-defined programmable logic for boolean signals. The logic is designed by using the VAMPSET setting tool and downloaded to the device. Functions available are:

ANDXORCOUNTERsORNOTRS & D flip-flops

Logic is made with VAMPSET setting tool. Consumed memory is dynamically shown on the configuration view in percentage. The first value indicates amount of used inputs, second amount of gates and third values shows amount of outputs consumed.

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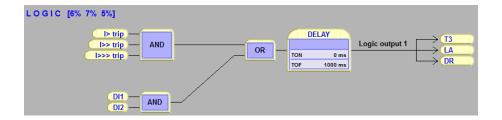


Figure 8.3: Logic can be found and modified in "logic" menu in VAMPSET setting tool

Percentages show used memory amount.

Inputs/Logical functions/Outputs- used. None of these is not allowed to exceed 100%. See guide below to learn basics of logic creation:

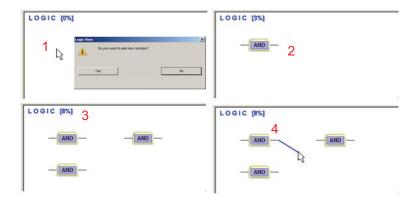


Figure 8.4: How to create logical nodes.

- 1. Press empty area to add a logic gate, confirm new function by pressing "Yes".
- 2. Logic function is always "AND" -gate as a default.
- 3. While logic increases the capacity is increasing as well.
- To joint logic functions, go on top of the output line of gate and hold down mouse left -> make the connection to other logic functions input.

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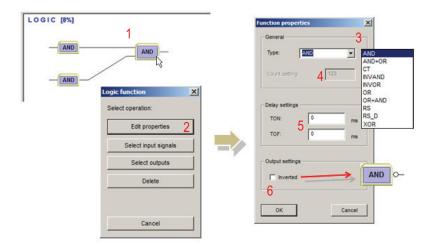


Figure 8.5: Logic creation

- 1. Left click on top of any logic function to activate the "Select operation" view.
- 2. Edit properties button opens the "Function properties" window.
- 3. Generally it is possible to choose the type of logic function between and/or/counter/swing -gate.
- 4. When counter is selected, count setting may be set here.
- 5. Separate delay setting for logic activation and dis-activation.
- 6. Possible to invert the output of logic. Inverted logic output is marked with circle.

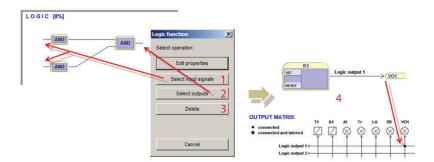


Figure 8.6: Logic creation

- 1. Select input signals can be done by pressing the following button or by clicking mouse left on top of the logic input line.
- 2. Select outputs can be done by pressing the following button or by clicking mouse left on top of the logic output line.
- 3. This deletes the logic function.
- 4. When logic is created and settings are written to the IED the unit requires a restart. After restarting the logic output is automatically assigned in output matrix as well.

**NOTE:** Whenever writing new logic to the IED the unit has to be restarted.

# 9 Communication

# 9.1 Communication ports

The device has three communication ports as standard. A fourth port, Ethernet, is available as option. See Figure 9.1.

There are three communication ports in the rear panel. The Ethernet port is optional. The X4 connector includes two ports: local port and extension port. The front panel RS-232 port will shut off the local port on the rear panel when a VX003 cable is inserted.

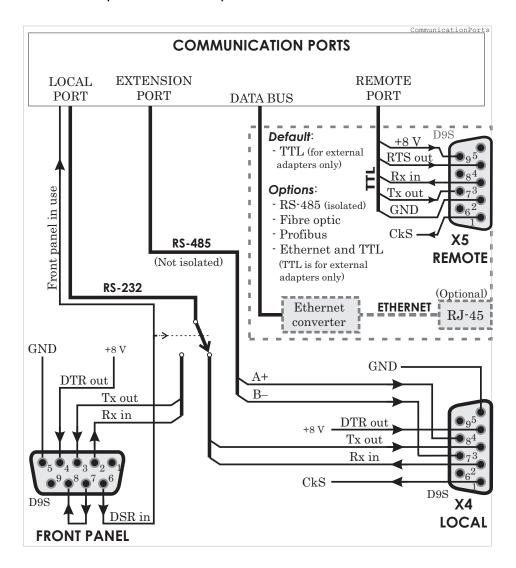


Figure 9.1: Communication ports and connectors. By default the X5 is a D9S type connector with TTL interface. The DSR signal from the front panel port selects the active connector for the RS232 local port.

By default the remote port has a TTL interface. It can only be used together with external converters or converting cables. Inbuilt options for RS-485, fibre optic (plastic/plastic, plastic/glass, glass/plastic or glass/glass), Profibus and Ethernet are available.

## 9.1.1 Local port X4

The local port has two connectors:

- On the front panel
- X4 the rear panel (D9S pins 2, 3 and 5)

Only one can be used at a time.

**NOTE:** The extension port is locating in the same X4 connector.

When the VX003 cable is inserted to the front panel connector it activates the front panel port and disables the rear panel local port by connecting the DTR pin 6 and DSR pin 4 together. See Figure 9.1.

#### Protocol for the local port

The front panel port is always using the command line protocol for VAMPSET regardless of the selected protocol for the rear panel local port.

If other than "None" protocol is selected for the rear panel local port, the front panel connector, when activated, is still using the plain command line interface with the original speed, parity etc. For example if the rear panel local port is used for remote VAMPSET communication using SPA-bus default 9600/7E1, it is possible to temporarily connect a PC with VAMPSET to the front panel connector with the default 38400/8N1. While the front panel connector is in use, the rear panel local port is disabled. The communication parameter display on the local display will show the active parameter values for the local port.

#### **Physical interface**

The physical interface of this port is RS-232.

Table 9.1: Parameters

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Protocol			Protocol selection for the rear panel local port.	Set
	None		Command line interface for VAMPSET	
	SpaBus		SPA-bus (slave)	
	ProfibusDP		Profibus DB (slave)	
	ModbusSla		Modbus RTU slave	
	ModbusTCPs		Modbus TCP slave	
	IEC-103		IEC-60870-5-103 (slave)	
	ExternalIO		Modbus RTU master for external I/O-modules	
	DNP3		DNP 3.0	
Msg#	0 – 2 <sup>32</sup> -1		Message counter since the device has restarted or since last clearing	Clr
Errors	0 – 2 <sup>16</sup> -1		Protocol errors since the device has restarted or since last clearing	Clr
Tout	0 – 2 <sup>16</sup> -1		Timeout errors since the device has restarted or since last clearing	Clr
			Display of actual communication parameters.	1)
	speed/DPS		Speed = bit/s	
	Default = 38400/8N1 for		D = number of data bits	
	VAMPSET		P = parity: none, even, odd	
VAMPEET oo	mmunication (Direct or CDA h	ua ambad	S = number of stop bits	
	mmunication (Direct or SPA-b	us embed	,	
Tx	bytes/size		Unsent bytes in transmitter buffer/size of the buffer	
Msg#	0 – 2 <sup>32</sup> -1		Message counter since the device has restarted or since last clearing	Clr
Errors	0 – 2 <sup>16</sup> -1		Errors since the device has restarted or since last clearing	Clr
Tout	0 – 2 <sup>16</sup> -1		Timeout errors since the device has restarted or since last clearing	Clr

Set = An editable parameter (password needed). Clr = Clearing to zero is possible.

<sup>1)</sup> The communication parameters are set in the protocol specific menus. For the local port command line interface the parameters are set in configuration menu.

## 9.1.2 Remote port X5

#### **Physical interface**

The physical interface of this port depends of the communication letter in the order code. See Figure 9.1, Chapter 11.4.2 Rear panel connector X5 (REMOTE) and the table below. The TTL interface is for external converters and converter cables only. It is not suitable for direct connection to distances more than one meter.

Table 9.2: Parameters

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Protocol			Protocol selection for remote port	Set
	None		-	
	SPA-bus		SPA-bus slave	
	ProfibusDP		Profibus DB slave	
	ModbusSla		Modbus RTU slave	
	ModbusTCPs		Modbus TCP slave	
	IEC-103		IEC-60870-5-103 slave	
	ExternalIO		Modbus RTU master for external I/O-modules	
	DNP3		DNP 3.0	
Msg#	0 – 2 <sup>32</sup> -1		Message counter since the device has restarted or since last clearing	Clr
Errors	0 – 2 <sup>16</sup> -1		Protocol errors since the device has restarted or since last clearing	Clr
Tout	0 – 2 <sup>16</sup> -1		Timeout errors since the device has restarted or since last clearing	Clr
			Display of current communication parameters.	1)
	speed/DPS		Speed = bit/s	
			D = number of data bits	
			P = parity: none, even, odd	
			S = number of stop bits	
Debug			Echo to local port	Set
	No		No echo	
	Binary		For binary protocols	
	ASCII		For SPA-bus protocol	

Set = An editable parameter (password needed). Clr = Clearing to zero is possible.

<sup>1)</sup> The communication parameters are set in the protocol specific menus. For the local port command line interface the parameters are set in configuration menu.

## 9.1.3 Extension port X4

This is a non-isolated RS-485 port for external I/O devices. The port is located in the same rear panel D9S connector X4 as the local port, but pins (7, 8, 5) are used instead of the standard RS-232 pins (2, 3, 5) used by the local port. See Figure 9.1.

Table 9.3: Parameters

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Protocol			Protocol selection for extension port	Set
	None		Command line interface for VAMPSET	
	SPA-bus		SPA-bus slave	
	ProfibusDP		Profibus DB slave	
	ModbusSla		Modbus RTU slave	
	ModbusTCPs		Modbus TCP slave	
	IEC-103		IEC-60870-5-103 slave	
	ExternalIO		Modbus RTU master for external I/O-modules	
	DNP3		DNP 3.0	
Msg#	0 – 2 <sup>32</sup> -1		Message counter since the device has restarted or since last clearing	Clr
Errors	0 – 2 <sup>16</sup> -1		Protocol errors since the device has restarted or since last clearing	Clr
Tout	0 – 216-1		Timeout errors since the device has restarted or since last clearing	Clr
			Display of current communication parameters.	1)
	speed/DPS		Speed = bit/s	
	Default = 38400/8N1		D = number of data bits	
	for VAMPSET		P = parity: none, even, odd	
			S = number of stop bits	

Set = An editable parameter (password needed). Clr = Clearing to zero is possible.

<sup>1)</sup> The communication parameters are set in the protocol specific menus. For the local port command line interface the parameters are set in configuration menu.

## 9.1.4 Ethernet port

TCP port 1st INST and TCP port 2nd INST are ports for ethernet communication protocols. Ethernet communication protocols can be selected to these ports when such hardware option is installed. The parameters for these ports are set via local HMI or with VAMPSET in menus TCP port 1st INST and TCP port 2nd INST. Two different protocols can be used simultaneously on one physical interface (both protocols use the same IP address and MAC address but different IP port).

Protocol configuration menu contains address and other related information for the ethernet port. TCP port 1st and 2nd instance include selection for the protocol, IP port settings and message/error/timeout counters. More information about the protocol configuration menu on table below.

Table 9.4: Main configuration parameters (local display), inbuilt Ethernet port

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Protocol			Protocol selection for the extension port	Set
	None		Command line interface for VAMPSET	
	ModbusTCPs		Modbus TCP slave	
	IEC-101		IEC-101	
	IEC 61850		IEC-61850 protocol	
	EtherNet/IP		Ethernet/IP protocol	
	DNP3		DNP/TCP	
Port	nnn		Ip port for protocol, default 102	Set
IpAddr	n.n.n.n		Internet protocol address (set with VAMPSET)	Set
NetMsk	n.n.n.n		Net mask (set with VAMPSET)	Set
Gatew	default = 0.0.0.0		Gateway IP address (set with VAMPSET)	Set
NTPSvr	n.n.n.n		Network time protocol server (set with VAMPSET)	Set
			0.0.0.0 = no SNTP	
KeepAlive	nn		TCP keepalive interval	Set (1
FTP server	on/off		Enable FTP server	Set
FTP speed	4 Kb/s (default)		Maximum transmission speed for FTP	Set
FTP password	? (user)		FTP password	Set
	config (configurator)			
MAC address	001ADnnnnnn		MAC address	
VS Port	nn		IP port for Vampset	Set
	23 (default)			
Msg#	nnn		Message counter	
Errors	nnn		Error counter	
Tout	nnn		Timeout counter	

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
EthSffEn	on/off		Sniffer port enable	Set
SniffPort	Port2		Sniffer port	

Set = An editable parameter (password needed)

1) KeepAlive: The KeepAlive parameter sets in seconds the time between two keepalive packets are sent from the IED. The setting range for this parameter is between zero (0) and 20 seconds; with the exception that zero (0) means actually 120 seconds (2 minutes). A keep alive's packet purpose is for the VAMP IED to send a probe packet to a connected client for checking the status of the TCP-connection when no other packet is being sent e.g. client does not poll data from the IED. If the keepalive packet is not acknowledged, the IED will close the TCP connection. Connection must be resumed on the client side.

Table 9.5: TCP PORT 1st INST

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Protocol			Protocol selection for the extension port.	Set
	None		Command line interface for VAMPSET	
	ModbusTCPs		Modbus TCP slave	
	IEC 61850		IEC-61850 protocol	
	EtherNet/IP		Ethernet/IP protocol	
	DNP3		DNP/TCP	
Port	nnn		Ip port for protocol, default 502	Set
Msg#	nnn		Message counter	
Errors	nnn		Error counter	
Tout	nnn		Timeout counter	

Table 9.6: CP PORT 2nd INST

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Ethernet port protocol			Protocol selection for the extension port.	Set
(TCP PORT 2nd INST)	None		Command line interface for VAMPSET	
	ModbusTCPs		Modbus TCP slave	
	IEC 61850		IEC-61850 protocol	
	EtherNet/IP		Ethernet/IP protocol	
	DNP3		DNP/TCP	
Port	nnn		Ip port for protocol, default 502	Set
Msg#	nnn		Message counter	
Errors	nnn		Error counter	
Tout	nnn		Timeout counter	

Set = An editable parameter (password needed).

# 9.2 Communication protocols

The protocols enable the transfer of the following type of data:

- events
- status information
- measurements
- · control commands.
- · clock synchronizing
- Settings (SPA-bus and embedded SPA-bus only)

#### 9.2.1 PC communication

PC communication is using a VAMP specified command line interface. The VAMPSET program can communicate using the local RS-232 port or using ethernet interface.

It is also possible to select SPA-bus protocol for the local port and configure the VAMPSET to embed the command line interface inside SPA-bus messages.

For Ethernet configuration, see Chapter 9.1.4 Ethernet port.

## 9.2.2 Modbus TCP and Modbus RTU

These Modbus protocols are often used in power plants and in industrial applications. The difference between these two protocols is the media. Modbus TCP uses Ethernet and Modbus RTU uses asynchronous communication (RS-485, optic fibre, RS-232).

VAMPSET will show the list of all available data items for Modbus.

The Modbus communication is activated usually for remote port via a menu selection with parameter "Protocol". See Chapter 9.1 Communication ports.

For Ethernet interface configuration, see Chapter 9.1.4 Ethernet port.

Table 9.7: Parameters

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Addr	1 – 247		Modbus address for the device.	Set
			Broadcast address 0 can be used for clock synchronizing. Modbus TCP uses also the TCP port settings.	
bit/s	1200	bps	Communication speed for Modbus RTU	Set
	2400			
	4800			
	9600			
	19200			
Parity	None		Parity for Modbus RTU	Set
	Even			
	Odd			

Set = An editable parameter (password needed)

#### 9.2.3 Profibus DP

The Profibus DP protocol is widely used in industry. An inbuilt Profibus option card or external VPA 3CG is required.

#### Device profile "continuous mode"

In this mode, the device is sending a configured set of data parameters continuously to the Profibus DP master. The benefit of this mode is the speed and easy access to the data in the Profibus master. The drawback is the maximum buffer size of 128 bytes, which limits the number of data items transferred to the master. Some PLCs have their own limitation for the Profibus buffer size, which may further limit the number of transferred data items.

#### Device profile "Request mode"

Using the request mode it is possible to read all the available data from the VAMP device and still use only a very short buffer for Profibus data transfer. The drawback is the slower overall speed of the data transfer and the need of increased data processing at the Profibus master as every data item must be separately requested by the master.

**NOTE:** In request mode, it is not possible to read continuously only one single data item. At least two different data items must be read in turn to get updated data from the device.

There is a separate manual for VPA 3CG (VVPA3CG/EN M/xxxx) for the continuous mode and request mode. The manual is available to download from our website.

#### Available data

VAMPSET will show the list of all available data items for both modes. A separate document "Profibus parameters.pdf" is also available.

The Profibus DP communication is activated usually for remote port via a menu selection with parameter "Protocol". See Chapter 9.1 Communication ports.

Table 9.8: Parameters

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Mode			Profile selection	Set
	Cont		Continuous mode	
	Reqst		Request mode	
bit/s	2400	bps	Communication speed from the main CPU to the Profibus converter. (The actual Profibus bit rate is automatically set by the Profibus master and can be up to 12 Mbit/s.)	
Emode			Event numbering style.	(Set)
	Channel		Use this for new installations.	
	(Limit60)		(The other modes are for compatibility with old systems.)	
	(NoLimit)			
InBuf		bytes	Size of Profibus master's Rx buffer. (data to the master)	1. 3.
OutBuf		bytes	Size of Profibus master's Tx buffer. (data from the master)	2. 3.
Addr	1 – 247		This address has to be unique within the Profibus network system.	Set
Conv			Converter type	4.
	-		No converter recognized	
	VE		Converter type "VE" is recognized	

Set = An editable parameter (password needed)

Clr = Clearing to zero is possible

- 1. In continuous mode the size depends of the biggest configured data offset of a data item to be send to the master. In request mode the size is 8 bytes.
- 2. In continuous mode the size depends of the biggest configured data offset of a data to be read from the master. In request mode the size is 8 bytes.
- 3. When configuring the Profibus master system, the lengths of these buffers are needed. The device calculates the lengths according the Profibus data and profile configuration and the values define the in/out module to be configured for the Profibus master.
- 4. If the value is "-", Profibus protocol has not been selected or the device has not restarted after protocol change or there is a communication problem between the main CPU and the Profibus ASIC.

## 9.2.4 SPA-bus

The device has full support for the SPA-bus protocol including reading and writing the setting values. Also reading of multiple consecutive status data bits, measurement values or setting values with one message is supported.

Several simultaneous instances of this protocol, using different physical ports, are possible, but the events can be read by one single instance only.

There is a separate document "Spabus parameters.pdf" of SPA-bus data items available.

Table 9.9: Parameters

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Addr	1 – 899		SPA-bus address. Must be unique in the system.	Set
bit/s	1200	bps	Communication speed	Set
	2400			
	4800			
	9600 (default)			
	19200			
Emode			Event numbering style.	(Set)
	Channel		Use this for new installations.	
	(Limit60)		(The other modes are for compatibility with old sys-	
	(NoLimit)		tems.)	

Set = An editable parameter (password needed)

#### 9.2.5 IEC 60870-5-103

The IEC standard 60870-5-103 "Companion standard for the informative interface of protection equipment" provides standardized communication interface to a primary system (master system).

The unbalanced transmission mode of the protocol is used, and the device functions as a secondary station (slave) in the communication. Data is transferred to the primary system using "data acquisition by polling"-principle.

The IEC functionality includes application functions:

- station initialization
- general interrogation
- clock synchronization and
- command transmission.

It is not possible to transfer parameter data or disturbance recordings via the IEC 103 protocol interface.

The following ASDU (Application Service Data Unit) types will be used in communication from the device:

- ASDU 1: time tagged message
- ASDU 3: Measurands I
- ASDU 5: Identification message
- ASDU 6: Time synchronization and
- ASDU 8: Termination of general interrogation.

The device will accept:

- ASDU 6: Time synchronization
- ASDU 7: Initiation of general interrogation and
- ASDU 20: General command.

The data in a message frame is identified by:

- type identification
- function type and
- information number.

These are fixed for data items in the compatible range of the protocol, for example, the trip of I> function is identified by: type identification = 1, function type = 160 and information number = 90. "Private range" function types are used for such data items, which are not defined by the standard (e.g. the status of the digital inputs and the control of the objects).

The function type and information number used in private range messages is configurable. This enables flexible interfacing to different master systems.

For more information on IEC 60870-5-103 in VAMP devices refer to the "IEC103 Interoperability List" document.

Table 9.10: Parameters

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Addr	1 – 254		An unique address within the system	Set
bit/s	9600 19200	bps	Communication speed	Set
MeasInt	200 – 10000	ms	Minimum measurement response interval	Set
SyncRe	Sync Sync+Proc Msg Msg+Proc		ASDU6 response time mode	Set

Set = An editable parameter (password needed)

Table 9.11: Parameters for disturbance record reading

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
ASDU23	On		Enable record info message	Set
	Off			
Smpls/msg	1 – 25		Record samples in one message	Set
Timeout	10 – 10000	S	Record reading timeout	Set
Fault			Fault identifier number for IEC-103. Starts + trips of all stages.	
TagPos			Position of read pointer	
Chn			Active channel	
ChnPos			Channel read position	
Fault numbering	,			
Faults			Total number of faults	
GridFlts			Fault burst identifier number	
Grid			Time window to classify faults together to the same burst.	Set

Set = An editable parameter (password needed)

## 9.2.6 DNP 3.0

The relay supports communication using DNP 3.0 protocol. The following DNP 3.0 data types are supported:

- binary input
- binary input change
- double-bit input
- · binary output
- analog input
- counters

Additional information can be obtained from the "DNP 3.0 Device Profile Document" and "DNP 3.0 Parameters.pdf". DNP 3.0 communication is activated via menu selection. RS-485 interface is often used but also RS-232 and fibre optic interfaces are possible.

Table 9.12: Parameters

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Set
bit/s	4800	bps	Communication speed	Set
	9600 (default)			
	19200			
	38400			
Parity	None (default)		Parity	Set
	Even			
	Odd			
SlvAddr	1 – 65519		An unique address for the device within the system	Set
MstrAddr	1 – 65519		Address of master	Set
	255 = default			
LLTout	0 – 65535	ms	Link layer confirmation timeout	Set
LLRetry	1 – 255		Link layer retry count	Set
	1 = default			
APLTout	0 – 65535	ms	Application layer confirmation timeout	Set
	5000 = default			
CnfMode	EvOnly (default); All		Application layer confirmation mode	Set
DBISup	No (default); Yes		Double-bit input support	Set
SyncMode	0 – 65535	S	Clock synchronization request interval.	Set
			0 = only at boot	

Set = An editable parameter (password needed)

#### 9.2.7 IEC 60870-5-101

The IEC 60870-5-101 standard is derived from the IEC 60870-5 protocol standard definition. In VAMP devices, IEC 60870-5-101 communication protocol is available via menu selection. The VAMP unit works as a controlled outstation (slave) unit in unbalanced mode.

Supported application functions include process data transmission, event transmission, command transmission, general interrogation, clock synchronization, transmission of integrated totals, and acquisition of transmission delay.

For more information on IEC 60870-5-101 in VAMP devices, refer to the "IEC 101 Profile checklist & datalist.pdf" document.

Table 9.13: Parameters

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
bit/s	1200 2400	bps	Bitrate used for serial communication.	Set
	4800			
	9600			
Parity	None		Parity used for serial communication	Set
	Even			
	Odd			
LLAddr	1 – 65534		Link layer address	Set
LLAddrSize	1 – 2	Bytes	Size of Link layer address	Set
ALAddr	1 – 65534		ASDU address	Set
ALAddrSize	1 – 2	Bytes	Size of ASDU address	Set
IOAddrSize	2 – 3	Bytes	Information object address size. (3-octet addresses are created from 2-octet addresses by adding MSB with value 0.)	Set
COTsize	1	Bytes	Cause of transmission size	
TTFormat	Short Full		The parameter determines time tag format: 3-octet time tag or 7-octet time tag.	Set
MeasFormat	Scaled Normalized		The parameter determines measurement data format: normalized value or scaled value.	Set
DbandEna	No Yes		Dead-band calculation enable flag	Set
DbandCy	100 – 10000	ms	Dead-band calculation interval	Set

Set = An editable parameter (password needed)

## 9.2.8 External I/O (Modbus RTU master)

External Modbus I/O devices can be connected to the relay using this protocol. (See Chapter 11.7.2 Third-party external input / output modules module for more information).

#### 9.2.9 IEC 61850

The relay supports communication using IEC 61850 protocol with native implementation. IEC 61850 protocol is available with the optional inbuilt Ethernet port. The protocol can be used to read / write static data from the relay or to receive events and to receive / send GOOSE messages to other relays.

IEC 61850 server interface is capable of

- Configurable data model: selection of logical nodes corresponding to active application functions
- Configurable pre-defined data sets
- Supported dynamic data sets created by clients
- Supported reporting function with buffered and unbuffered Report Control Blocks
- Sending analogue values over GOOSE
- Supported control modes:
  - direct with normal security
  - direct with enhanced security
  - select before operation with normal security
  - select before operation with enhanced security
- Supported horizontal communication with GOOSE: configurable GOOSE publisher data sets, configurable filters for GOOSE subscriber inputs, GOOSE inputs available in the application logic matrix

Additional information can be obtained from the separate documents "IEC 61850 conformance statement.pdf", "IEC 61850 Protocol data.pdf" and "Configuration of IEC 61850 interface.pdf".

#### 9.2.10 EtherNet/IP

The device supports communication using EtherNet/IP protocol which is a part of CIP (Common Industrial Protocol) family. EtherNet/IP protocol is available with the optional inbuilt Ethernet port. The protocol can be used to read / write data from the device using request / response communication or via cyclic messages transporting data assigned to assemblies (sets of data).

For more detailed information and parameter lists for EtherNet/IP, refer to a separate application note "Application Note EtherNet/IP.pdf".

For the complete data model of EtherNet/IP, refer to the document "Application Note DeviceNet and EtherNetIP Data Model.pdf".

#### **9.2.11** FTP server

The FTP server is available on VAMP IEDs equipped with an inbuilt or optional Ethernet card.

The server enables downloading of the following files from an IED:

- Disturbance recordings.
- The MasterICD and MasterICDEd2 files.

The MasterICD and MasterICDEd2 files are VAMP-specific reference files that can be used for offline IEC61850 configuration.

The inbuilt FTP client in Microsoft Windows or any other compatible FTP client may be used to download files from the device.

Parameter	Value	Unit	Description	Note
Enable FTP server	Yes		Enable or disable the FTP server.	Set
	No			
FTP password	Max 33 characters		Required to access the FTP server with an FTP client. Default is "config". The user name is always "vamp".	Set
FTP max speed	1 – 10	KB/s	The maximum speed at which the FTP server will transfer data.	Set

### 9.2.12 DeviceNet

The device supports communication using DeviceNet protocol which is a part of CIP (Common Industrial Protocol) family. DeviceNet protocol is available with the optional external VSE009 module. The protocol can be used to read / write data from the device using request / response communication or via cyclic messages transporting data assigned to assemblies (sets of data).

For more detailed information about DeviceNet, refer to a separate application note "Application Note DeviceNet.pdf".

For the complete data model of DeviceNet, refer to the document "Application Note DeviceNet and EtherNetIP Data Model.pdf".

# 10 Applications

The device comprises all the essential protection functions needed for a generator, except the differential protection function.

Thanks to the comprehensive range of protection functions the generator protection relay can be used as the main protection for a variety of generators from small diesel power plants to large hydro power plants in the power range from 1 to 100 MW.

Especially versatile and flexible protection functions are provided for the generator earth-fault protection. These features are needed, when for instance, several generators are connected in parallel to the same busbar but their earthing principles differ.

The other energizing connections, except for the ones for the earth-fault protection, are independent of the generator size and type. For large generator a higher accuracy of the protection functions is needed. Being based on numerical signal processing and high-resolution A/D conversion the device fulfils also these requirements.

The three generator protection applications on the following pages illustrate how the flexibility of the device can be utilized.

# 10.1 Directly connected generator

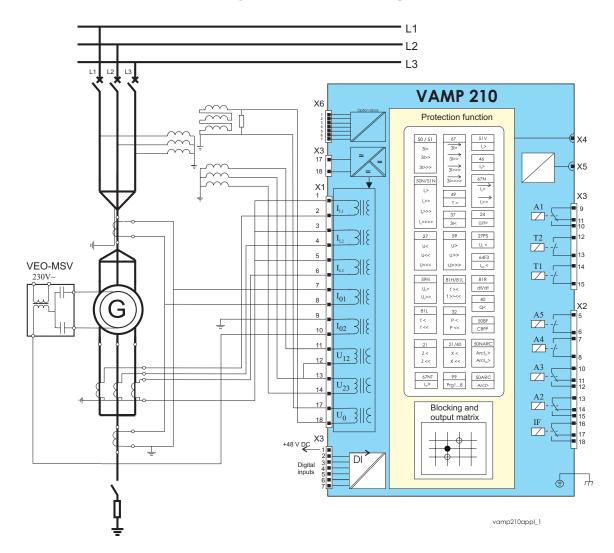


Figure 10.1: Generator connected directly to the distribution busbar. Earthed generator neutral.

The device is suitable for use in directly earthed, high/low resistance earthed and isolated systems. The differential and directional earth-fault protection provides a sensitive and selective protection solution in high resistance earthed and isolated systems.

In directly earthed or low resistance earthed systems the non-directional earth-fault stage constitutes a sufficiently selective earth-fault protection when energized from two current transformers forming a differential current connection.

The rotor earth-fault protection can be realized with the non-directional earth-fault stage using the energizing current input  $I_{02}$  in combination with a simple current injection device, for example type VEO-MSV.

# 10.2 Directly connected generator with unearthed generator neutral

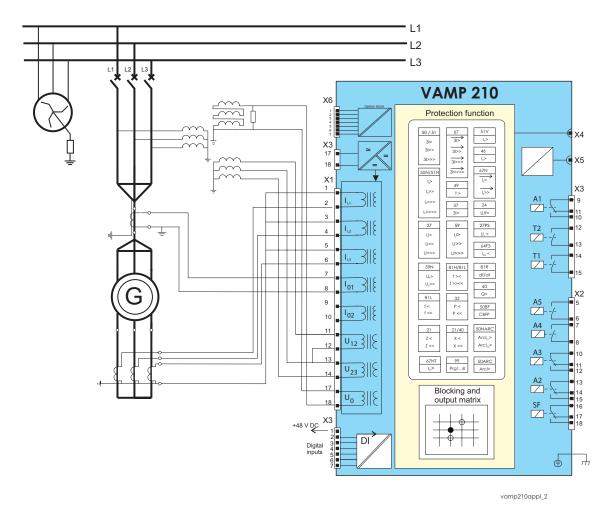


Figure 10.2: Generator connected directly to the distribution busbar. Unearthed generator neutral.

The neutral point of the generator winding is unearthed. The busbar system is earthed via a separate earthing transformer. In this case the earth-fault protection principle is straight-forward. It is simply based on the measurement of the earth-fault current ( $I_{01}$ ) between the generator and the distribution busbar.

## 10.3 Generator-transformer unit

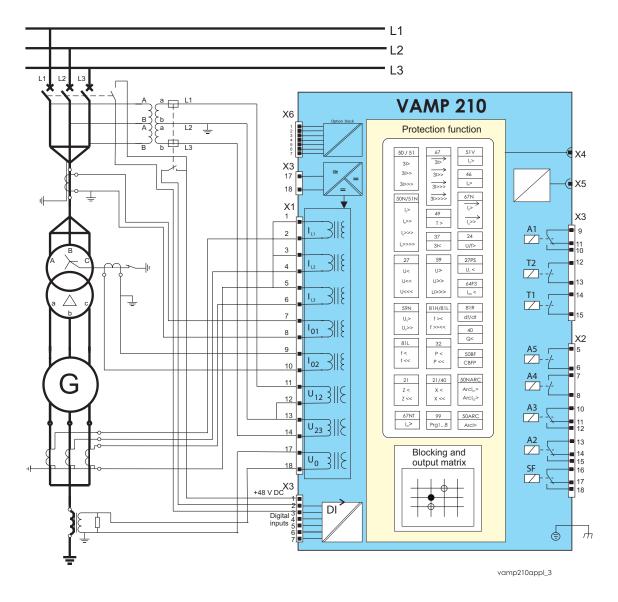


Figure 10.3: Generator-transformer unit

Besides the typical generator protection functions the device includes the transformer earth-fault protection. Whatever phase difference and voltage ratio of the transformer can be compensated in the relay in case VTs and CTs are on different sides of the unit transformer.

The earth-fault protection of the transformer is based on an OR-function between the current inputs  $I_{01}$  and  $I_{02}$ .

The stator earth-fault protection (reach 95%) is based on measuring the fundamental frequency component of the zero sequence voltage  $U_0$  with the overvoltage stage (59GN).

Via the digital inputs of the relay various signals can be transferred into the relay, such as information about the operation of a MCB in the measuring circuit or circuit-breaker status information.

## 10.4 Trip circuit supervision

Trip circuit supervision is used to ensure that the wiring from the protective device to a circuit-breaker is in order. This circuit is unused most of the time, but when a protection device detects a fault in the network, it is too late to notice that the circuit-breaker cannot be tripped because of a broken trip circuitry.

The digital inputs of the device can be used for trip circuit monitoring. The dry digital inputs are most suitable for trip circuit supervision. The first six digital inputs of VAMP 200 series relays are not dry and an auxiliary miniature relay is needed, if these inputs are used for trip circuit supervision.

Also the closing circuit can be supervised, using the same principle.

In many applications the optimum digital inputs for trip circuit supervision are the optional inputs DI19 and DI20. They don't share their terminals with any other digital inputs.

## 10.4.1 Trip circuit supervision with one digital input

The benefits of this scheme is that only one digital inputs is needed and no extra wiring from the relay to the circuit breaker (CB) is needed. Also supervising a 24 Vdc trip circuit is possible.

The drawback is that an external resistor is needed to supervise the trip circuit on both CB positions. If supervising during the closed position only is enough, the resistor is not needed.

- The digital input is connected parallel with the trip contacts (Figure 10.4).
- The digital input is configured as Normal Closed (NC).
- The digital input delay is configured longer than maximum fault time to inhibit any superfluous trip circuit fault alarm when the trip contact is closed.
- The digital input is connected to a relay in the output matrix giving out any trip circuit alarm.
- The trip relay should be configured as non-latched. Otherwise, a superfluous trip circuit fault alarm will follow after the trip contact operates, and the relay remains closed because of latching.
- By utilizing an auxiliary contact of the CB for the external resistor, also the auxiliary contact in the trip circuit can be supervised.
- When using the dry digital inputs DI7 –, using the other inputs of the same group, sharing a common terminal, is limited.
- When using the wet digital inputs DI1 DI6, an auxiliary relay is needed.

#### Using optional DI19 or DI20

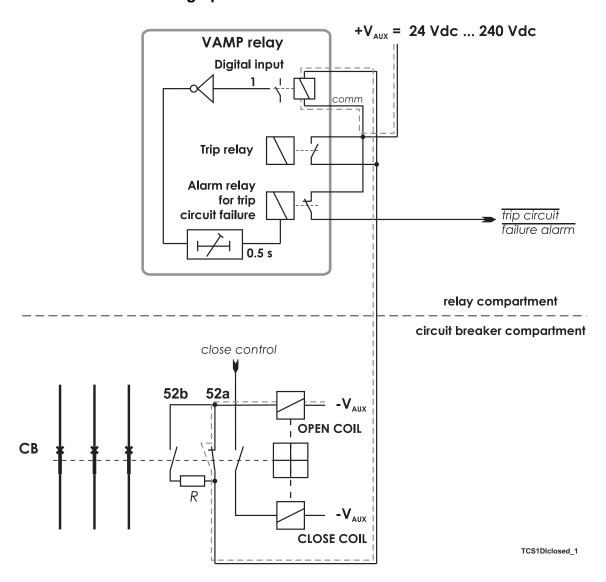


Figure 10.4: Trip circuit supervision using a single digital input and an external resistor R. The circuit-breaker is in the closed position. The supervised circuitry in this CB position is double-lined. The digital input is in active state when the trip circuit is complete. This is applicable for dry inputs DI19 – DI20.

**NOTE:** The need for the external resistor R depends on the application and circuit breaker manufacturer's specifications.

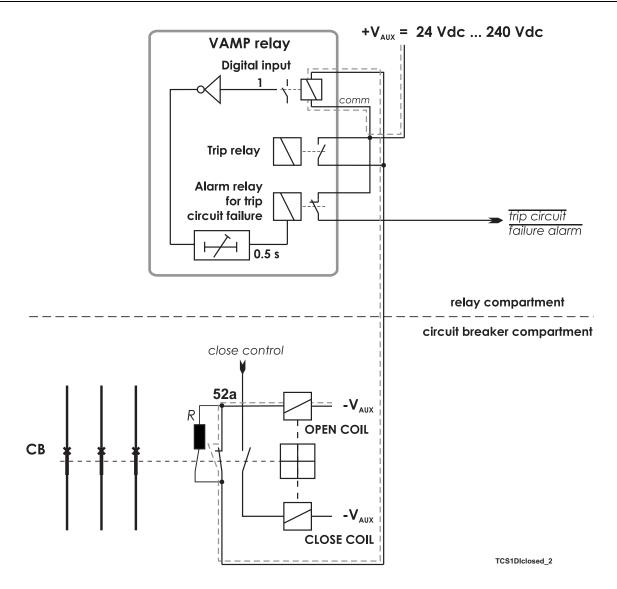


Figure 10.5: Alternative connection without using circuit breaker 52b auxiliary contacts. Trip circuit supervision using a single digital input and an external resistor R. The circuit-breaker is in the closed position. The supervised circuitry in this CB position is double-lined. The digital input is in active state when the trip circuit is complete. This is applicable for dry inputs DI19 – DI20.

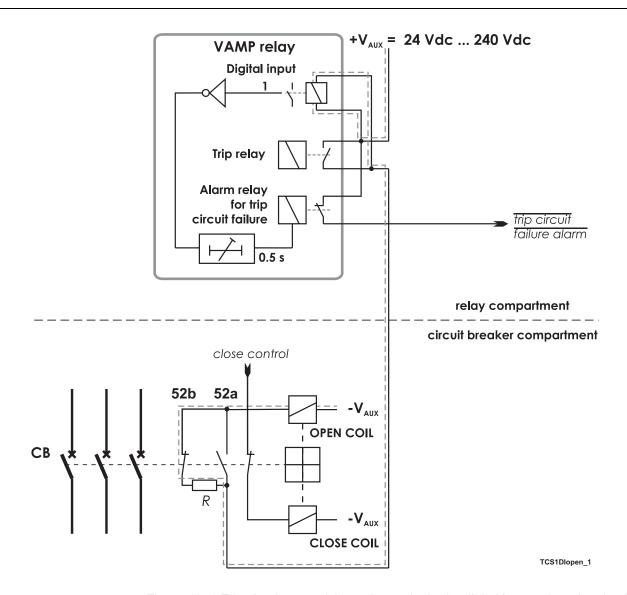


Figure 10.6: Trip circuit supervision using a single dry digital input, when the circuit breaker is in open position.

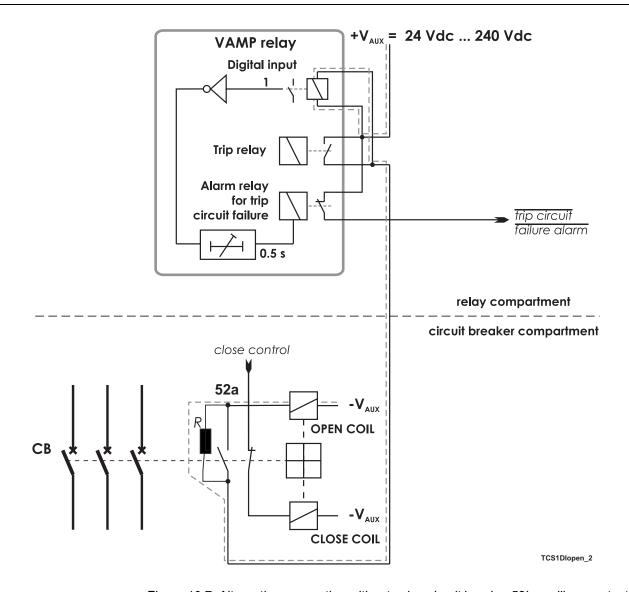


Figure 10.7: Alternative connection without using circuit breaker 52b auxiliary contacts. Trip circuit supervision using a single dry digital input, when the circuit breaker is in open position.

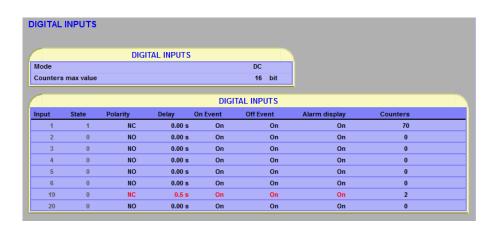


Figure 10.8: An example of digital input DI19 configuration for trip circuit supervision with one dry digital input.

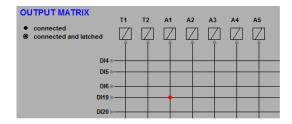


Figure 10.9: An example of output matrix configuration for trip circuit supervision with one digital input.

#### **Example of dimensioning the external resistor R:**

U<sub>AUX</sub> = 110 Vdc - 20 % + 10%, Auxiliary voltage with tolerance

 $U_{DI}$  = 18 Vdc, Threshold voltage of the digital input

I<sub>DI</sub> = 3 mA, Typical current needed to activate the digital

input including a 1 mA safety margin.

P<sub>COII</sub> = 50 W, Rated power of the open coil of the circuit

breaker. If this value is not known, 0  $\Omega$  can be used

for the R<sub>COIL</sub>.

 $U_{MIN} = U_{AUX} - 20 \% = 88 V$ 

 $U_{MAX} = U_{AUX} + 10 \% = 121 V$ 

 $R_{COII} = U_{AUX}^2 / P_{COII} = 242 \Omega.$ 

The external resistance value is calculated using Equation 10.1.

Equation 10.1:

$$R = \frac{U_{MIN} - U_{DI} - I_{DI} \cdot R_{Coil}}{I_{DI}}$$

$$R = (88 - 18 - 0.003*242)/0.003 = 23.1 \text{ k}\Omega$$

(In practice the coil resistance has no effect.)

By selecting the next smaller standard size we get  $22 k\Omega$ .

The power rating for the external resistor is estimated using Equation 10.2 and Equation 10.3. The Equation 10.2 is for the CB open situation including a 100 % safety margin to limit the maximum temperature of the resistor.

Equation 10.2:

$$P = 2 \cdot I_{DI}^2 \cdot R$$

$$P = 2*0.003^2 \times 22000 = 0.40 \text{ W}$$

Select the next bigger standard size, for example **0.5 W**.

When the trip contacts are still closed and the CB is already open, the resistor has to withstand much higher power (Equation 10.3) for this short time.

Equation 10.3:

$$P = \frac{U_{MAX}^2}{R}$$

P = 121<sup>2</sup> / 22000 = 0.67 W

A 0.5 W resistor will be enough for this short time peak power, too. However, if the trip relay is closed for longer time than a few seconds, a 1 W resistor should be used.

#### Using any of the non-dry digital inputs DI1 - DI6

In this scheme an auxiliary relay is needed to connect the wet digital input to the trip circuit (Figure 10.10). The rated coil voltage of the auxiliary relay is selected according the rated auxiliary voltage used in the trip circuit. The operating voltage range of the relay should be as wide as possible to cover the tolerance of the auxiliary voltage.

In this application using the other wet inputs for other purposes is not limited unlike, when using the dry inputs.

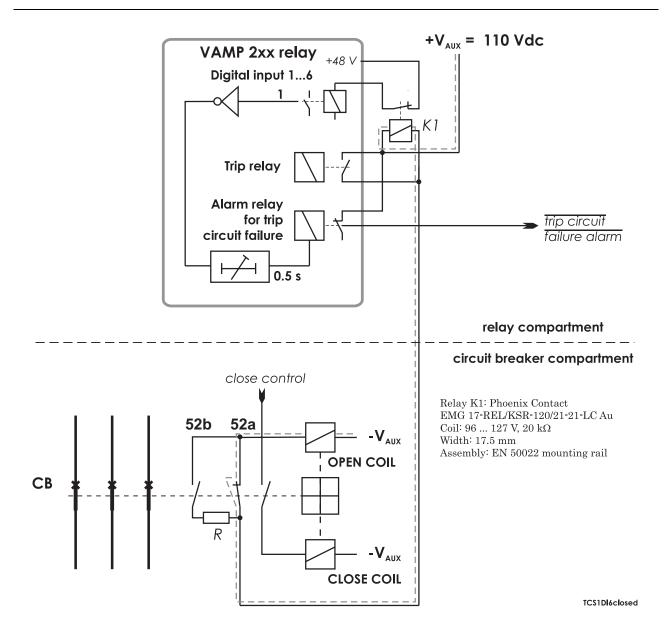


Figure 10.10: Trip circuit supervision using one of the VAMP 200 series internally wetted digital input (DI1 – DI6) and auxiliary relay K1 and an external resistor R. The circuit-breaker is in the closed position. The supervised circuitry in this CB position is double-lined. The digital input is in active state when the trip circuit is complete.

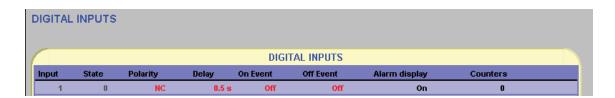


Figure 10.11: An example of digital input DI1 configuration for trip circuit supervision with one wet digital input.

Figure 10.12: An example of output matrix configuration for trip circuit supervision with one wet digital input.

#### Example of dimensioning the external resistor R:

$$U_{AUX} = 110 \text{ Vdc} - 5 \% + 10\%$$

Auxiliary voltage with tolerance. Short time voltage dips more than 5 % are not critical from the trip circuit supervision point of view.

Relay type for the K1 auxiliary relay:

Phoenix Contact 2941455

EMG 17-REL/KSR-120/21-21-LC Au

 $U_{K1} = 120 \text{ Vac/dc} - 20 \% + 10\%$ 

Coil voltage of the auxiliary relay K1

 $I_{K1} = 6 \text{ mA}$ 

Nominal coil current of the auxiliary relay K1

 $P_{CBcoil} = 50 W$ 

Rated power of the open coil of the circuit breaker.

 $U_{MIN} = U_{AUX} - 5 \% = 104.5 V$ 

 $U_{MAX} = U_{AUX} + 10 \% = 121 V$ 

 $U_{K1MIN} = U_{K1} - 20 \% = 96 V$ 

 $U_{K1MAX} = U_{K1} + 10 \% = 132 V$ 

 $R_{K1Coil} = U_{K1} / I_{K1} = 20 k\Omega.$ 

 $I_{K1MIN} = U_{K1MIN} / R_{K1Coil} = 4.8 \text{ mA}$ 

 $I_{K1MAX} = U_{K1MAX} / R_{K1Coil} = 6.6 \text{ mA}$ 

 $R_{CBCoil} = U_{AUX}^2 / P_{CBcoil} = 242 \Omega.$ 

The external resistance value is calculated using Equation 10.4.

Equation 10.4:

$$R = \frac{U_{\mathit{MIN}} - U_{\mathit{K1Min}}}{I_{\mathit{K1Min}}} - R_{\mathit{CBcoil}}$$

$$R = (104.5 - 96) / 0.0048 - 242 = 1529 \Omega$$

By selecting the next smaller standard size we get **1.5**  $k\Omega$ .

The power rating for the external resistor is calculated using Equation 10.5. This equation includes a 100 % safety margin to limit the maximum temperature of the resistor, because modern resistors are extremely hot at their rated maximum power.

Equation 10.5:

$$P = 2 \cdot I_{K1Max}^2 \cdot R$$

 $P = 2*0.0066^2 \times 1500 = 0.13 W$ 

Select the next bigger standard size, for example 0.5 W.

When the trip contacts are still closed and the CB is already open, the resistor has to withstand much higher power (Equation 10.3) for this short time.

A **1 W** resistor should be selected to withstand this short time peak power. However, if the trip relay can be closed for longer time than a few seconds, a 20 W resistor should be used.

### 10.4.2 Trip circuit supervision with DI19 and DI20

The benefits of this scheme is that no external resistor is needed.

The drawbacks are, that two digital inputs from two separate groups are needed and two extra wires from the relay to the CB compartment is needed. Additionally the minimum allowed auxiliary voltage is 48 Vdc, which is more than twice the threshold voltage of the dry digital input, because when the CB is in open position, the two digital inputs are in series.

- The first digital input is connected parallel with the auxiliary contact of the open coil of the circuit breaker.
- Another auxiliary contact is connected in series with the circuitry of the first digital input. This makes it possible to supervise also the auxiliary contact in the trip circuit.
- The second digital input is connected in parallel with the trip contacts.
- Both inputs are configured as normal closed (NC).
- The user's programmable logic is used to combine the digital input signals with an AND port. The delay is configured longer than maximum fault time to inhibit any superfluous trip circuit fault alarm when the trip contact is closed.
- The output from the logic is connected to a relay in the output matrix giving out any trip circuit alarm.
- Both digital inputs must have their own common potential.

Using the other digital inputs in the same group as the upper DI in the Figure 10.13 is not possible in most applications. Using the other digital inputs in the same group as the lower DI in the Figure 10.13 is limited, because the whole group will be tied to the auxiliary voltage  $V_{\rm AUX}$ .

**NOTE:** In many applications the optimum digital inputs for trip circuit supervision are the optional inputs DI19 and DI20 because they don't share their terminals with any other digital inputs.

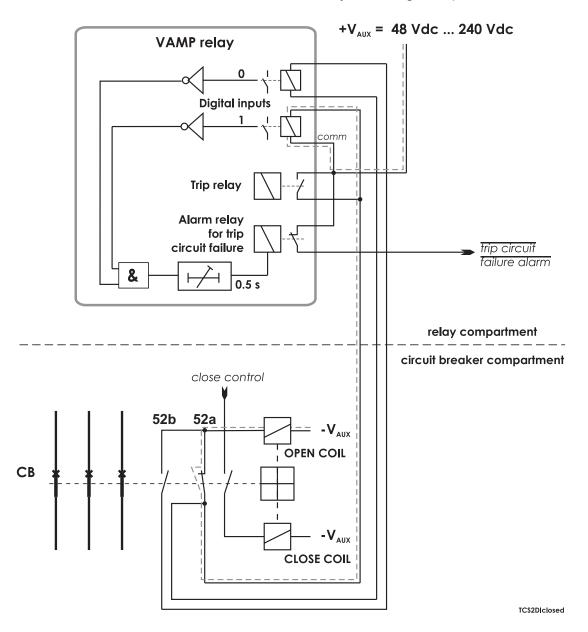


Figure 10.13: Trip circuit supervision with two dry digital input. The CB is closed. The supervised circuitry in this CB position is double-lined. The digital input is in active state when the trip circuit is complete. This is applicable for dry inputs DI19 and D20 only.

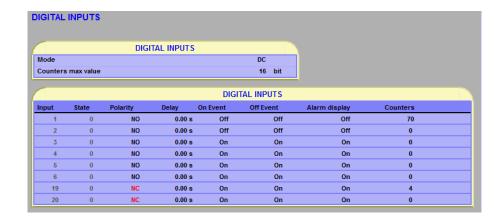


Figure 10.14: An example of digital input configuration for trip circuit supervision with two dry digital inputs DI19 and DI20

**NOTE:** Only inputs DI19 and DI20 can be used for this function in VAMP 210.

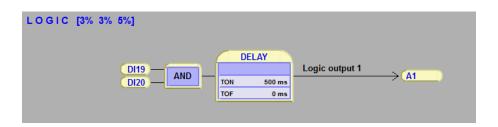


Figure 10.15: An example of logic configuration for trip circuit supervision with two dry digital inputs DI19 and DI20.

**NOTE:** Only inputs DI19 and DI20 can be used for this function in VAMP 210.

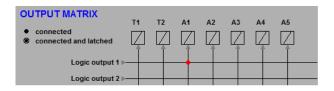


Figure 10.16: An example of output matrix configuration for trip circuit supervision with two digital inputs.

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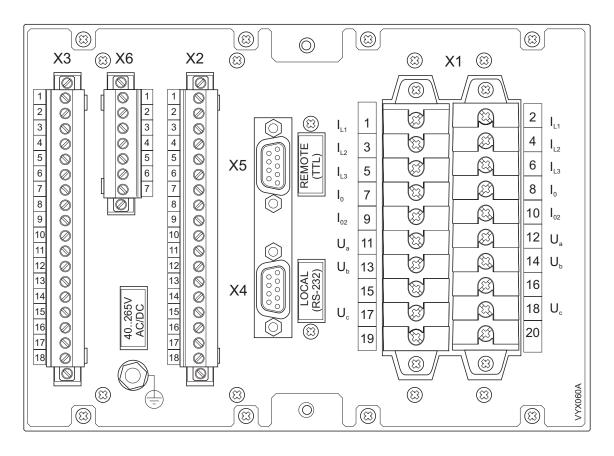


Figure 11.1: Connections on the rear panel of the VAMP 210

The generator protection relay is connected to the protected object through the following measuring and control connections.

- Phase currents I<sub>L1</sub>, I<sub>L2</sub> and I<sub>L3</sub> (terminals X1: 1-6)
- Residual currents I<sub>01</sub> and I<sub>02</sub> (terminals X1: 7-10)
- Phase-to-phase voltages U<sub>12</sub> and U<sub>23</sub> (terminals X1: 11-14)
- Zero sequence voltage U<sub>0</sub> (terminals X1: 17-18)

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#### Terminal X1 left side

		No	Symbol	Description
1		1	IL1(S1)	Phase current L1 (S1)
3	8	3	IL2(S1)	Phase current L2 (S1)
5		5	IL3(S1)	Phase current L3 (S1)
7		7	lo1(S1)	Residual current Io1(S1)
9		9	lo2(S1)	Residual current Io2(S1)
11		11	Ua(a)	Line-to-line voltage U12 (a) or phase-to-neutral voltage UL1 (a)
13		13	Ub(a)	Line-to-line voltage U23 (a) or phase-to-neutral voltage UL2 (a)
15 17		15		
19		17	Uc(dn,n)	Zero sequence voltage Uo (dn) or phase-to-neutral voltage UL3 (b)
		19		-

### Terminal X1 right side

	No	Symbol	Description
2	2	IL1(S2)	Phase current L1 (S2)
4	4	IL2(S2)	Phase current L2 (S2)
6	6	IL3(S2)	Phase current L3 (S2)
8	8	lo1(S2)	Residual current Io1 (S2)
10	10	lo2(S2)	Residual current lo2 (S2)
12	12	Ua(b,n)	Line-to-line voltage U12 (b) or phase-to-neutral voltage UL1 (n)
14	14	Ub(b,n)	Line-to-line voltage U23 (b) or phase-to-neutral voltage UL2 (n)
16	16		
18	18	Uc(da,a)	Zero sequence voltage Uo (da) or phase-to-neutral voltage UL3 (a)
20	20		-

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#### Terminal X2 without the analogue output

	No	Symbol	Description
1	1		-
2	2		
3	3		
4	4		
5	5	A5	Alarm relay 5
6	6	A5	Alarm relay 5
7	7	A4	Alarm relay 4
8	8	A4	Alarm relay 4
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10	10	A3 COM	Alarm relay 3, common connector
11	11	A3 NC	Alarm relay 3, normal closed connector
12	12	A3 NO	Alarm relay 3, normal open connector
13	13	A2 COM	Alarm relay 2, common connector
14	14	A2 NC	Alarm relay 2, normal closed connector
15	15	A2 NO	Alarm relay 2, normal open connector
16	16	SF COM	Internal fault relay, common connector
17	17	SF NC	Internal fault relay, normal closed connector
18	18	SF NO	Internal fault relay, normal open connector

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#### Terminal X2 with analog output

	No	Symbol	Description
1	1	AO1+	Analog output 1, common positive connector
2	2	AO1-	Analog output 1, negative connector
3	3	AO2+	Analog output 2, common positive connector
4	4	AO2-	Analog output 2, negative connector
5	5	AO3+	Analog output 3, common positive connector
6	6	AO3-	Analog output 3, negative connector
7	7	AO4+	Analog output 4, common positive connector
8	8	AO4-	Analog output 4, negative connector
9	9		-
10	10	A3 COM	Alarm relay 3, common connector
11	11	A3 NC	Alarm relay 3, normal closed connector
12	12	A3 NO	Alarm relay 3, normal open connector
13	13	A2 COM	Alarm relay 2, common connector
14	14	A2 NC	Alarm relay 2, normal closed connector
15	15	A2 NO	Alarm relay 2, normal open connector
16	16	SF COM	Internal fault relay, common connector
17	17	SF NC	Internal fault relay, normal closed connector
18	18	SF NO	Internal fault relay, normal open connector

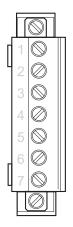
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#### **Terminal X3**

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No	Symbol	Description
1	+48V	Internal control voltage for digital inputs 1 – 6
2	DI1	Digital input 1
3	DI2	Digital input 2
4	DI3	Digital input 3
5	DI4	Digital input 4
6	DI5	Digital input 5
7	DI6	Digital input 6
8		
9	A1 COM	Alarm relay 1, common connector
10	A1 NO	Alarm relay 1, normal open connector
11	A1 NC	Alarm relay 1, normal closed connector
12	T2	Trip relay 2
13	T2	Trip relay 2
14	T1	Trip relay 1
15	T1	Trip relay 1
16		
17	Uaux -/~	Auxiliary voltage
18	Uaux +/~	Auxiliary voltage

#### **Terminal X6**



No	Symbol	Description
1	ВІ	External arc light input
2	ВО	Arc light output
3	COM	Common connector of arc light I/O
4	S1>+	Arc sensor 1, positive connector *
5	S1>-	Arc sensor 1, negative connector *
6	S2>+	Arc sensor 2, positive connector *
7	S2>-	Arc sensor 2, negative connector *

#### \*) Arc sensor itself is polarity free

#### Terminal X6 with DI19/DI20 option



No	Symbol	Description
1	DI19	Digital input 19
2	DI19	Digital input 19
3	DI20	Digital input 20
4	DI20	Digital input 20
5		
6	S1>+	Arc sensor 1, positive connector *
7	S1>-	Arc sensor 1, negative connector

<sup>\*)</sup> Arc sensor itself is polarity free

## 11.2 Auxiliary voltage

The external auxiliary voltage  $U_{AUX}$  (standard 40 – 265 V ac/dc or optional 18 – 36 Vdc) for the pin is connected to the pins X3: 17 – 18.

**NOTE:** When optional 18 – 36 Vdc power module is used the polarity is as follows: X3:17 negative (+), X3:18 positive (-).

# 11.3 Output relays

The terminal is equipped with nine configurable output relays, and a separate output relay for the self-supervision system.

- Trip relays T1 and T2 (terminals X3: 12-13 and 14-15)
- Alarm relays A1 A5 (terminals X3: 9-11, X2: 5-6, 7-8, 10-12, 13-15)
- Self-supervision system output relay IF (terminals X2: 16-18)

### 11.4 Serial communication connection

The pin assignments of communication connectors including internal communication converters are presented in the following figures and tables.

### 11.4.1 Front panel connector

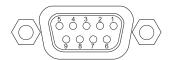


Figure 11.2: Pin numbering of the front panel D9S connector

Pin RS232 signal 1 Not connected Rx in 2 3 Tx out 4 DTR out (+8 V) 5 **GND** 6 DSR in (activates this port and disables the X4 RS232 port) 7 RTS in (Internally connected to pin 8) 8 CTS out (Internally connected to pin 7)

**NOTE:** DSR must be connected to DTR to activate the front panel connector and disable the rear panel X4 RS232 port. (The other port in the same X4 connector will not be disabled.)

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### 11.4.2 Rear panel connector X5 (REMOTE)

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The X5 remote port communication connector options are shown in Figure 11.3. The connector types are listed in Table 11.1.

Without any internal options, X5 is a TTL port for external converters. Some external converters (VSE) are attached directly to the rear panel and X5. Some other types (VEA, VPA) need various TTL/RS-232 converter cables. The available accessories are listed in Chapter 14 Order information.

2 & 4-wire galvanically isolated RS-485 (Figure 11.4), internal options for fibre optic (Figure 11.5), and Profibus (Figure 11.6) are available. See ordering code in Chapter 14 Order information.

Table 11.1: Physical interface and connector types of remote port X5 with various options. Serial interface (A) is the default.

Order Code	Communication interface	Connector type	Pin usage
А	Serial interface for external converters only (REMOTE port)	D9S	1 = reserved
	(INCINOTE port)		2 = TX_out / TTL
			3 = RX_in /TTL
			4 = RTS out /TTL
			7 = GND
			9 = +8V out
В	Plastic fibre interface (REMOTE port)	HFBR-0500	
С	Profibus interface (REMOTE port)	D9S	3=RXD/TXD+/P
			4=RTS
			5= GND
			6=+5V
			8= RXD/TXD-/N
D	RS-485, isolated (REMOTE port)	screw terminal	1= Signal ground
			2= Reciever -
			3= Reciever +
			4= Transmitter -
			5= Transmitter +
E	Glass fibre interface (62.5/125 µm) (REMOTE port)	ST	
F	Plastic / glass (62.5/125 μm) fibre interface	HFBR-0500/ST	Plastic Rx
	(REMOTE port)		Glass Tx
G	Glass (62.5/125 μm) / plastic fibre interface	ST/HFBR-0500	Glass Rx
	(REMOTE port)		Plastic Tx

Order Code	Communication interface	Connector type	Pin usage
Н	Ethernet interface and Serial interface for extern-	D9S and RJ-45	D-connector:
	al converters only (REMOTE port)		1 = reserved
		(00 0 o o o o o o o o o o o o o o o o o	2 = TX_out / TTL
			3 = RX_in /TTL
			4 = RTS out /TTL
			7 = GND
			9 = +8V out
			RJ-45 connector:
			1=Transmit+
			2=Transmit-
			3=Receive+
			4=Reserved
			5=Reserved
			6=Receive-
			7=Reserved
			8=Reserved
М	10Mbps Ethernet interface with IEC 61850 and	D9S and RJ-45	D-connector:
	Serial interface for external converters only (REMOTE port)	9	1 = reserved
		© ○ 04 © ○ 00	2 = TX_out / TTL
			3 = RX_in /TTL
			4 = RTS out /TTL
			7 = GND
			9 = +8V out
			RJ-45 connector:
			1=Transmit+
			2=Transmit-
			3=Receive+
			4=Reserved
			5=Reserved
			6=Receive-
			7=Reserved
			8=Reserved

Order Code	Communication interface	Connector type	Pin usage
0	100 Mbps Ethernet fibre interface with IEC 61850 and Serial interface for external converters only (REMOTE port)	D9S and LC	D-connector:
			1 = reserved
		00 04	2 = TX_out / TTL
			3 = RX_in /TTL
			4 = RTS out /TTL
			7 = GND
			9 = +8V out
			Fiber connector:
			TX=Upper LC-connector
			RX=Lower LC-connector
Р	100Mbps Ethernet interface with IEC 61850 and	D9S and RJ-45	D-connector:
	Serial interface for external converters only (REMOTE port)	<u>Q</u>	1 = reserved
		(%) O4	2 = TX_out / TTL
		\$\frac{1}{2}\cdot \cdot	3 = RX_in /TTL
			4 = RTS out /TTL
			7 = GND
			9 = +8V out
			RJ-45 connector:
			1=Transmit+
			2=Transmit-
			3=Receive+
			4=Reserved
			5=Reserved
			6=Receive-
			7=Reserved
			8=Reserved
R	100 Mbps Ethernet fibre interface with IEC	2 x LC	LC-connector from top:
	61850		-Port 2 Tx
			-Port 2 Rx
			-Port 1 Tx
			-Port 1 Rx
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Order Code	Communication interface	Connector type	Pin usage
S	100Mbps Ethernet interface with IEC 61850	2 x RJ-45	1=Transmit+
			2=Transmit-
			3=Receive+
			4=Reserved
			5=Reserved
			6=Receive-
			7=Reserved
			8=Reserved

**NOTE:** In VAMP device, RS485 interfaces a positive voltage from Tx+ to Tx- or Rx+ to Rx- does correspond to the bit value "1". In X5 connector the optional RS485 is galvanically isolated.

In 2-wire mode the receiver and transmitter are internally connected in parallel. See the table below.

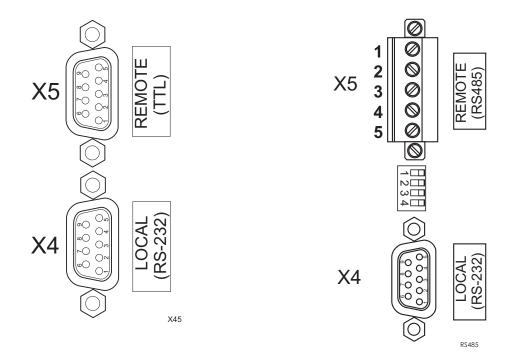


Figure 11.3: Pin numbering of the rear communication ports, REMOTE TTL Figure 11.4: Pin numbering of the rear communication ports, REMOTE RS-485

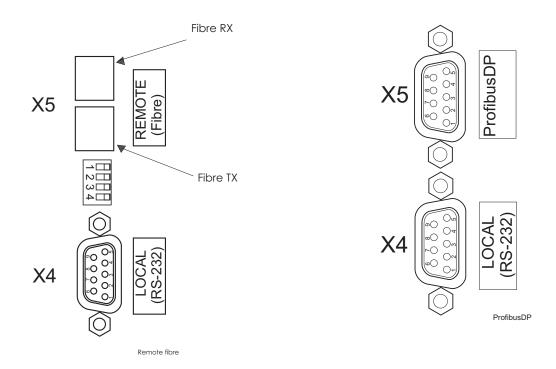


Figure 11.5: Picture of rear communication port, RE- Figure 11.6: Pin numbering of the rear communication ports, Profibus DP

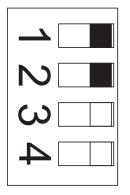


Figure 11.7: Dip switches in RS-485 and optic fibre options.

Dip switch number	Switch position	Function	Function
		RS-485	Fibre optics
1	Left	2 wire connection	Echo off
1	Right	4 wire connection	Echo on
2	Left	2 wire connection	Light on in idle state
2	Right	4 wire connection	Light off in idle state
3	Left	Termination On	Not applicable
3	Right	Termination Off	Not applicable
4	Left	Termination On	Not applicable
4	Right	Termination Off	Not applicable

# 11.4.3 X4 rear panel connector (local RS232 and extension RS485 ports)

Rear panel port (LOCAL)	Pin	Signal
	1	No connection
	2	Rx in, RS232 local
	3	Tx out, RS232 local
	4	DTR out (+8 V)
X4	5	GND
	6	No connection
	7	B- RS485 extension port
	8	A+ RS485 extension port
	9	No connection

**NOTE:** In VAMP devices, a positive RS485 voltage from A+ to B-corresponds to bit value "1". In X4 connector the RS485 extension port is not galvanically isolated.

# 11.5 Optional two channel arc protection card

**NOTE:** When this option card is installed, the parameter "Arc card type" has value "2Arc+BI/O". Please check the ordering code in Chapter 14 Order information.

If the slot X6 is already occupied with the DI19 / DI20 digital input card, this option is not available, but there is still one arc sensor channel available. See Chapter 11.6 Optional digital I/O card (DI19/DI20).

The optional arc protection card includes two arc sensor channels. The arc sensors are connected to terminals X6: 4-5 and 6-7.

The arc information can be transmitted and/or received through digital input and output channels. This is a 48 V dc signal.

#### **Connections:**

X6: 1 Binary input (BI)
X6: 2 Binary output (BO)
X6: 3 Common for BI and BO.
X6: 4-5 Sensor 1
X6: 6-7 Sensor 2

The binary output of the arc option card may be activated by the arc sensors or by any available signal in the output matrix. The binary output can be connected to an arc binary input of another VAMP protection device.

## 11.6 Optional digital I/O card (DI19/DI20)

**NOTE:** When this option card is installed, the parameter "Arc card type" has value "Arc+2DI". With DI19/DI20 option only one arc sensor channel is available. Please check the ordering code in Chapter 14 Order information.

If the slot X6 is already occupied with the two channel arc sensor card (Chapter 11.5 Optional two channel arc protection card), this option is not available.

The DI19/DI20 option enables two more digital inputs. These inputs are useful in applications where the contact signals are not potential free. For example trip circuit supervision is such application. The inputs are connected to terminals X6:1 – X6:2 and X6:3 – X6:4.

#### Connections:

X6:1 DI19+
X6:2 DI19X6:3 DI20+
X6:4 DI20X6:5 NC
X6:6 L+
X6:7 L-

## 11.7 External option modules

#### 11.7.1 External LED module VAM 16D

The optional external VAM 16D led module provides 16 extra led-indicators in external casing. Module is connected to the serial port of the device's front panel. Please refer the User manual VAM 16D for details.

### 11.7.2 Third-party external input / output modules

The device supports optional external input/output modules used to extend the number of digital inputs and outputs. Also modules for analogue inputs and outputs are available.

The following types of devices are supported:

- Analog input modules (RTD)
- Analog output modules (mA-output)
- Binary input/output modules

EXTENSION port is primarily designed for I/O modules. This port is found in the LOCAL connector of the device backplane and I/O devices should be connected to the port with VSE003 adapter.

**NOTE:** If External I/O protocol is not selected to any communication port, VAMPSET doesn't display the menus required for configuring the I/O devices. After changing EXTENSION port protocol to External I/O, restart the relay and read all settings with VAMPSET.

## External analog inputs configuration (VAMPSET only)

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AlFron	5					Scaling	Y2	Scaled value	Point 2
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Ş				7	X: -32000 – 32000 Y: -1000 – 1000		Y1	Scaled value	Point 1
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UTS	ı		•	0	-32000 – 32000		Offset	Subtracted from Mode running XY scaling	ous value, before
ž	HoldingD	Molium	HoldingR	HoldingR	InputR or HoldingR	Modbus regis			
Al ModBue Address	Al Moubus Audi ess	-	2	9	1 – 9999	Modbus regis	ter for the	measurement	
Al Slane Address	ı	-	-	-	1 – 247	Modbus addre	ess of the	I/O device	
Al Ilnit	ı	۰	U	ပ	C, F, K, mA, Ohm or V/A	Unit selection			
Al Mese	- 0	0.00 €	0.00 C	0.00 C		Active value			
Al Enabled	n riignien	5	₹	Œ,	On / Off	Enabling for r	neasureme	ent	

### Alarms for external analog inputs

		T	T	Range		Description	1
	Alarm Hysteresis	1.0	<u> </u>	0 – 10000		Hysteresis f	or alarm limits
	Alarm Limit >>	0.0	8.8	-21x107 – +2	1x107	Alarm >>	Limit setting
	External Al Alarm State >>			- / Alarm		_	Active state
EXTERNAL ANALOG INPUT ALARMS	Alarm Limit >	0.0	6.0	-21x107 – +2	1x107	Alarm >	Limit setting
EXTERNAL ANA	Externa	0.00 C		- / Alarm		-	Active state
	¥	0.0				Active value	
	Al ModBus Address		v (**				
				1 – 9999		Modbus reg	ister for the measurement
	bled Al Slave Address			1 – 247		Modbus add	dress of the I/O device
	AlEna	5 8		On / Off		Enabling for	measurement

Analog input alarms have also matrix signals, "Ext. Aix Alarm1" and "Ext. Aix Alarm2".

## External digital inputs configuration (VAMPSET only)

				Range	Description	
	DI Error Counter	0	0	0		Communication read errors
	DI Selected Bit	1	-	٢	1 – 16	Bit number of Modbus register value
TAL INPUTS	DI Register Type	CoilS	CoilS	CoilS	CoilS, InputS, InputR or HoldingR	Modbus register type
EXTERNAL DIGITAL INPUTS	DI ModBus Address	1	2	က	1 – 9999	Modbus register for the measurement
	DI Slave Address	1	F	٢	1 – 247	Modbus address of the I/O device
	DI State	0	0	0	0/1	Active state
	DI Enabled	On	JJO	₩	On / Off	Enabling for measurement

## External digital outputs configuration (VAMPSET only)

					Range	Description
	DO Error Counter	0	0	0		Communication errors
L OUTPUTS	DO ModBus Address	1	2	က	1 – 9999	Modbus register for the measurement
EXTERNAL DIGITAL OUTPUTS	DO Slave Address D	1	-	-	1 – 247	Modbus address of the I/O device
	DO State DC	0	0	0	0 / 1	Output state
	DO Enabled	On	Off .	₩		Enabling for measurement

## External analog outputs configuration (VAMPSET only)

	Ī			Range	Description
Of Error County	AU EITOI COUNTEI	0	0		Communication errors
ModBra Mar	Modbus Max 100	100	100	-32768 – +32767	Modbus value corresponding Linked Val. Max
	O O	•	0	(0 – 65535)	Modbus value corresponding Linked Val. Min
	s AU kegister lype HoldingR	HoldingR	HoldingR	InputR or HoldingR	Modbus register type
UTS	AO MOdbus Address	2	3	1 – 9999	Modbus register for the output
EXTERNAL ANALOG OUTPUTS	AO SIAVE ADDITESS	-		1 – 247	Modbus address of the I/O device
EXTE	LINKED VAI. MAX 1000 A	1000 A	10001	0 – 42x108,	Maximum limit for lined value, corresponding to "Modbus Max"
	Linked val. Min 0 A	4 0	0 A	-21x108 — +21x108	Minimum limit for lined value, corresponding to "Modbus Min"
100	AO CINK	20 11.2			Link selection
	mA Min mA Max 0 20		0 2	-21x107 – +21x107	Minimum & maximum output values
	Ĭ				Active value
And Co	AO Enabled	Off	δ	On / Off	Enabling for measurement

# 11.8 Block optional diagram

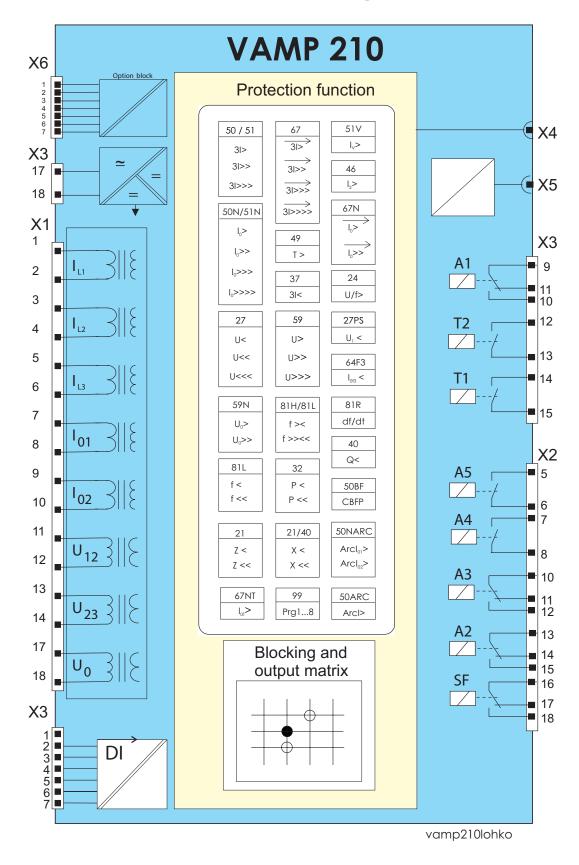


Figure 11.8: Block diagram of the generator protection relay VAMP 210

# 11.9 Block diagrams of option modules

## 11.9.1 Block diagrams of optional arc modules

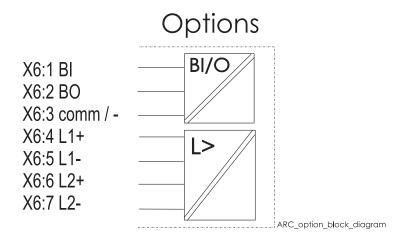


Figure 11.9: Block diagram of optional arc protection module.

### 11.9.2 Block diagram of optional DI19/DI20

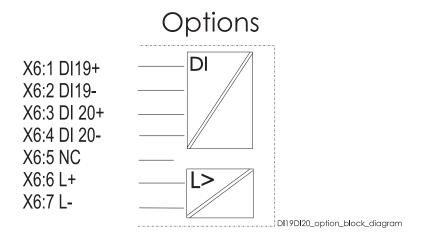


Figure 11.10: Block diagram of optional DI19/DI20 module with one arc channel.

# 11.10 Connection examples

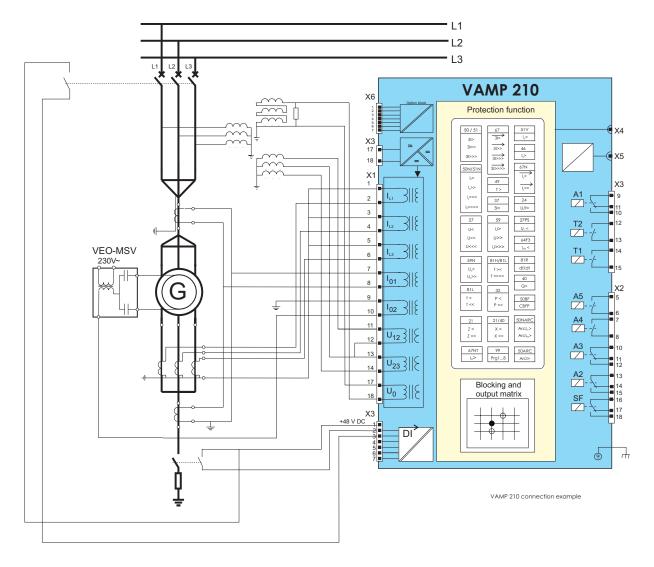


Figure 11.11: Connection example of VAMP 210

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Table 12.1: Measuring circuits

5 A (configurable for CT secondaries 1 – 10 A)
0 – 250 A
20 A (continuously) / 100 A (for 10 s) / 500 A (for 1 s)
0.125 VA
0.005 Ohm
1 A (configurable for CT secondaries 1 – 10 A)
0 – 50 A
4 A (continuously) / 20 A (for 10 s) / 100 A (for 1 s)
0.04 VA
0.04 Ohm
5 A (configurable for CT secondaries 1 – 10 A)
0 – 50 A
20 A (continuously) / 100 A (for 10 s) / 500 A (for 1 s)
0.125 VA
0.005 Ohm
1 A (configurable for CT secondaries 0.1 – 10.0 A)
0 – 10 A
4 A (continuously) / 20 A (for 10 s) / 100 A (for 1 s)
0.04 VA
0.04 Ohm
100 V (configurable for VT secondaries 50 – 120 V)
0 – 190 V (100 V/110 V)
250 V
< 0.5V A
45 – 65 Hz
Maximum wire dimension:
4 mm <sup>2</sup> (10 – 12 AWG)

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Table 12.2: Auxiliary voltage

	Type A (standard)	Type B (option)	
Rated voltage U <sub>AUX</sub>	40 – 265 V ac/dc	18 – 36 V dc	
		Note! Polarity	
		X3:17= negative (-)	
		X3:18= positive (+)	
Start-up peak (DC)			
110 V (Type A)	15 A with time constant of 1ms		
220 V (Type A)	25 A with time constant of 1ms		
Power consumption	< 15 W (normal conditions)		
	< 25 W (output relays a	ctivated)	
Max. permitted interruption time	< 50 ms (110 V dc)		
Terminal block:	Maximum wire dimension	on:	
- Phoenix MVSTBW or equivalent	2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> (13 – 14 AWG	)	

### Table 12.3: Digital inputs internal operating voltage

Number of inputs	6
Internal operating voltage	48 V dc
Current drain when active (max.)	approx. 20 mA
Current drain, average value	< 1 mA
Terminal block:	Maximum wire dimension:
- Phoenix MVSTBW or equivalent	2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> (13 – 14 AWG)

### Table 12.4: Trip contact

Number of contacts	2 making contacts (relays T1 and T2)
Rated voltage	250 V ac/dc
Continuous carry	5 A
Make and carry, 0.5 s	30 A
Make and carry, 3s	15 A
Breaking capacity, DC (L/R=40ms)	
at 48 V dc:	5 A
at 110 V dc:	3 A
at 220 V dc:	1 A
Contact material	AgNi 90/10
Terminal block:	Wire dimension:
- MSTB2.5 - 5.08	Maximum 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> (13 – 14 AWG)
	Minimum 1.5 mm <sup>2</sup> (15 – 16 AWG)

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#### Table 12.5: Signal contacts

Number of contacts:	3 change-over contacts (relays A1, A2 and A3)
	2 making contacts (relays A4 and A5)
	1 change-over contact (SF relay)
Rated voltage	250 V ac/dc
Continuous carry	5 A
Breaking capacity, DC (L/R=40ms)	
at 48 V dc:	1.3 A
at 110 V dc:	0.4 A
at 220 V dc:	0.2 A
Contact material	AgNi 0.15 gold plated
Terminal block	Wire dimension
- MSTB2.5 - 5.08	Maximum 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> (13 – 14 AWG)
	Minimum 1.5 mm <sup>2</sup> (15 – 16 AWG)

#### Table 12.6: Ethernet connection

Number of ports	1
Electrical connection	Ethernet RJ-45 (Ethernet 10-Base-T)
Protocols	VAMPSET
	Modbus TCP
	IEC 61850
Data transfer rate	10 Mb/s

#### Table 12.7: Ethernet fiber interface

Туре	Multimode
Connector	LC
Physical layer	100 Base-Fx
Maximum cable distance	2 km
Optical wavelength	1300 nm
Cable core / cladding size	50/125 or 62.5/125 μm

#### Table 12.8: Local serial communication port

Number of ports	1 on front and 1 on rear panel
Electrical connection	RS 232
Data transfer rate	2 400 – 38 400 kb/s

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Table 12.9: Arc protection interface (option)

Number of arc sensor inputs	2
Sensor type to be connected	VA 1 DA
Operating voltage level	12 V dc
Current drain, when active	> 11.9 mA
Current drain range	1.3 – 31 mA ( <b>Note!</b> If the drain is outside the range, either sensor or the wiring is defected)
Number of binary inputs	1 (optically isolated)
Operating voltage level	+48 V dc
Number of binary outputs	1 (transistor controlled)
Operating voltage level	+48 V dc

**NOTE:** Maximally three arc binary inputs can be connected to one arc binary output without an external amplifier.

Table 12.10: Remote control connection (option)

Number of ports	1 on rear panel
Electrical connection	TTL (standard)
	RS 485 (option)
	RS 232 (option)
	Plastic fibre connection (option)
	Glass fibre connection (option)
	Ethernet 10 Base-T (option, external module)
	100M Ethernet fiber
	100M Ethernet copper (RJ 45)
Protocols	Modbus, RTU master
	Modbus, RTU slave
	SPA-bus, slave
	IEC 60870-5-103
	Profibus DP (option)
	Modbus TCP (internal / external optional module)
	IEC 60870-5-101
	IEC 60870-5-101 TCP
	DNP 3.0
	DNP 3.0 TCP
	IEC 61850

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Table 12.11: Analogue output connection (option)

Maximum output current	1 – 20 mA, step 1 mA
Minimum output current	0 – 19 mA, step 1 mA
Response time	
- normal mode	< 400 ms
- fast mode	< 50 ms
Burden	< 600 Ω

## 12.2 Test and environmental conditions

#### Table 12.12: Disturbance tests

Test	Standard & Test class / level	Test value
Emission	EN 61000-6-4 / IEC 60255-26	
- Conducted	EN 55011, Class A / IEC 60255-25	0.15 – 30 MHz
- Emitted	EN 55011, Class A / IEC 60255-25 / CISPR 11	30 – 1000 MHz
Immunity	EN 61000-6-2 / IEC 60255-26	
- 1Mhz damped oscillatory wave	IEC 60255-22-1	±2.5kVp CM, ±1.0kVp DM
- Static discharge (ESD)	EN 61000-4-2 Level 4 / IEC 60255-22-2 Class	8 kV contact discharge
	4	15 kV air discharge
- Emitted HF field	EN 61000-4-3 Level 3 / IEC 60255-22-3	80 - 1000 MHz, 10 V/m
- Fast transients (EFT)	EN 61000-4-4 Level 3 / IEC 60255-22-4 Class B	2 kV, 5/50 ns, 5 kHz
- Surge	EN 61000-4-5 Level 3 / IEC 60255-22-5	2 kV, 1.2/50 μs, CM
		1 kV, 1.2/50 μs, DM
- Conducted HF field	EN 61000-4-6 Level 3 / IEC 60255-22-6	0.15 - 80 MHz, 10 Vemf
- Power-frequency magnetic field	EN 61000-4-8	300A/m (continuous)
- Pulse magnetic field	EN 61000-4-9 Level 5	1000A/m, 1.2/50 μs
- Voltage interruptions	IEC 60255-11	10ms / 100%
- Voltage dips and short interruptions	EN 61000-4-11	30%/10ms, 100%/10ms, 60%/100ms, >95%/5000ms
- Voltage alternative component	IEC 60255-11	12% of operating voltage (DC)

## Table 12.13: Electrical safety tests

Test	Standard & Test class / level	Test value
- Impulse voltage withstand	EN 60255-5, Class III	5 kV, 1.2/50 ms, 0.5 J
		1 kV, 1.2/50 ms, 0.5 J Communication
- Dielectric test	EN 60255-5, Class III	2 kV, 50 Hz
		0.5 kV, 50 Hz Communication
- Insulation resistance	EN 60255-5	
- Protective bonding resistance	EN 60255-27	
- Power supply burden	IEC 60255-1	

## Table 12.14: Mechanical tests

Vibration (IEC 60255-21-1)	10 – 60 Hz, amplitude ±0.035 mm
Class I	60 – 150 Hz, acceleration 0.5g
	sweep rate 1 octave/min
	20 periods in X-, Y- and Z axis direction
Shock (IEC 60255-21-1)	half sine, acceleration 5 g, duration 11 ms
Class I	3 shocks in X-, Y- and Z axis direction

#### Table 12.15: Environmental conditions

Ambient temperature, in-service	-40 – 60°C (-40 – 140°F)
Ambient temperature, storage	-40 – 70°C (-40 – 158°F)
Relative air humidity	< 95%
Maximum operating altitude	2000 m (6561.68 ft)

## Table 12.16: Casing

Degree of protection (IEC 60529)	Standard: IP30 front panel. IP20 rear panel
	Option: IP54 front panel, IP 20 rear panel
Dimensions (w x h x d):	208 x 155 x 225 mm / 8.19 x 6.10 x 8.86 in
Material	1 mm (0.039 in) steel plate
Weight	4.2 kg (9.272 lb)
Colour code	RAL 7032 (Casing) / RAL 7035 (Back plate)

## Table 12.17: Package

Dimensions (W x H x D)	215 x 160 x 275 mm / 8.46 x 6.30 x 10.83 in
Weight (Terminal, Package and Manual)	5.2 kg (11.479 lb)

## 12.3 Protection functions

For setting values, the step size is mentioned if it differs from the given resolution.

\*) EI = Extremely Inverse, NI = Normal Inverse, VI = Very Inverse, LTI = Long Time Inverse, MI= Moderately Inverse

## 12.3.1 Non-directional current protection

Table 12.18: Overcurrent stage I> (50/51)

Pick-up value	0.10 – 5.00 x I <sub>GN</sub> (step 0.01)
Definite time function:	DT**
- Operating time	0.04 - 300.00 s (step 0.01 s)
IDMT function:	
- Delay curve family	(DT), IEC, IEEE, RI Prg
- Curve type	EI, VI, NI, LTI, MI, depends on the family*
- Time multiplier k	0.05 – 20.0, except
	0.50 – 20.0 for RXIDG, IEEE and IEEE2
Start time	Typically 30 ms
Reset time	<95 ms
Retardation time	< 50 ms
Reset ratio:	0.97
Transient over-reach, any т	< 10 %
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	±3% of the set value or 5 mA secondary
- Operating time at definite time function	±1% or ±25 ms
- Operating time at IDMT function	±5% or at least ±25 ms**

#### *Table 12.19: Overcurrent stage I>> (50/51)*

Pick-up value	0.10 – 20.00 x I <sub>GN</sub> (step 0.01)
Definite time function:	DT**
Operating time	0.04 – 1800.00 s (step 0.01 s)
Start time	Typically 30 ms
Reset time	<95 ms
Retardation time	< 50 ms
Reset ratio:	0.97
Transient over-reach, any τ	< 10 %
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	±3% of the set value or 5 mA secondary
- Operation time	±1% or ±25 ms

<sup>\*\*)</sup> This is the instantaneous time i.e. the minimum total operational time including the fault detection time and operation time of the trip contacts.

## *Table 12.20: Overcurrent stages I>>> (50/51)*

Pick-up value	0.10 – 40.00 x I <sub>GN</sub> (step 0.01)
Definite time function:	DT**
Operating time	0.03 – 300.00 s (step 0.01 s)
Instant operation time:	
I <sub>M</sub> / I <sub>SET</sub> ratio > 1.5	<30 ms
I <sub>M</sub> / I <sub>SET</sub> ratio 1.03 – 1.5	< 50 ms
Start time	Typically 20 ms
Reset time	<95 ms
Retardation time	< 50 ms
Reset ratio:	0.97
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	±3% of the set value or 5 mA secondary
- Operation time DT (I <sub>M</sub> /I <sub>SET</sub> ratio > 1.5)	±1% or ±15 ms
- Operation time DT ( $I_M/I_{SET}$ ratio 1.03 – 1.5)	±1% or ±25 ms

## Table 12.21: Thermal overload stage T> (49)

Maximum continuous current:	0.1 – 2.40 x I <sub>GN</sub>
Alarm setting range:	60 – 99 % (step 1%)
Time constant Tau:	2 – 180 min (step 1)
Cooling time coefficient:	1.0 – 10.0 x Tau (step 0.1)
Max. overload at +40°C	70 – 120 %I <sub>GN</sub> (step 1)
Max. overload at +70°C	50 – 100 %I <sub>GN</sub> (step 1)
Ambient temperature	-55 – 125°C (step 1°)
Resetting ratio (Start & trip)	0.95
Accuracy:	
- Operating time	±5% or ±1 s

## Table 12.22: Current unbalance stage $I_2$ > (46)

Pick-up value	2 – 70% (step 1%)
Definite time characteristic:	
- Operating time	1.0 – 600.0 s (step 0.1 s)
Inverse time characteristic:	
- 1 characteristic curve	Inv
- time multiplier	1 – 50 s (step 1)
- upper limit for inverse time	1000 s
Start time	Typically 300 ms
Reset time	< 450 ms
Reset ratio:	0.95
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	±1% - unit
- Operate time	±5% or ±200 ms

**NOTE:** Stage is operational when all secondary currents are above 250 mA.

Table 12.23: Voltage restrained/controlled overcurrent stage  $I_V > (51V)$ 

Settings:	
- I <sub>V</sub> >	0.50 – 4.00 x I <sub>GN</sub>
- U <sub>X1</sub> , U <sub>X2</sub>	0 – 150 %
- I <sub>Y1</sub> , I <sub>Y2</sub>	0 – 200 %l <sub>V</sub> >
Definite time function:	
- Operating time	0.08** – 300.00 s (step 0.02 s)
Start time	Typically 60 ms
Reset time	<95 ms
Retardation time	< 50 ms
Reset ratio:	0.97
Transient over-reach, any τ	< 10 %
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	±3% of set value
- Operating time at definite time function	±1% or ±30 ms

## Table 12.24: Earth fault stage $I_0$ > (50N/51N)

Pick-up value	$0.005 - 8.00$ pu (when $I_{01}$ or $I_{02}$ ) (step $0.001$ )	
	0.05 – 20.0 pu (when I <sub>0Calc</sub> )	
Definite time function:	DT**	
- Operating time	0.04** – 300.00 s (step 0.01 s)	
IDMT function:		
- Delay curve family	(DT), IEC, IEEE, RI Prg	
- Curve type	EI, VI, NI, LTI, MI, depends on the family*	
- Time multiplier k	0.05 – 20.0, except	
	0.50 – 20.0 for RXIDG, IEEE and IEEE2	
Start time	Typically 30 ms	
Reset time	<95 ms	
Reset ratio:	0.95	
Inaccuracy:		
- Starting	±2% of the set value or ±0.3% of the rated value	
- Starting (Peak mode)	±5% of the set value or ±2% of the rated value (Sine wave <65 Hz)	
- Operating time at definite time function	±1% or ±25 ms	
- Operating time at IDMT function	±5% or at least ±25 ms**	

Table 12.25: Earth fault stages  $I_0 >>$ ,  $I_0 >>>$ ,  $I_0 >>>$  (50N/51N)

Input signal	I <sub>01</sub> (input X1:7 – 8)	
	I <sub>02</sub> (input X1:9 – 10)	
	$I_{0Calc} (= I_{L1} + I_{L2} + I_{L3})$	
Pick-up value	0.01 – 8.00 pu (When I <sub>01</sub> or I <sub>02</sub> ) (step 0.01)	
	0.05 – 20.0 pu (When I <sub>0Calc</sub> ) (step 0.01)	
Definite time function:		
- Operating time	0.04** - 300.00 s (step 0.01 s)	
Start time	Typically 30 ms	
Reset time	<95 ms	
Reset ratio:	0.95	
Inaccuracy:		
- Starting	±2% of the set value or ±0.3% of the rated value	
- Starting (Peak mode)	±5% of the set value or ±2% of the rated value (Sine wave <65 Hz)	
- Operate time	±1% or ±25 ms	

## 12.3.2 Directional current protection

Table 12.26: Directional overcurrent stages  $I_{\varphi}$ >,  $I_{\varphi}$ >> (67)

Mode	Directional/Directional+BackUp	
Minimum voltage for the direction solving	2 V <sub>SECONDARY</sub>	
Base angle setting range	-180° – +179°	
Operation angle	±88°	
Definite time function:	DT**	
- Operating time	0.04 – 300.00 s (step 0.01)	
IDMT function:		
- Delay curve family	(DT), IEC, IEEE, RI Prg	
- Curve type	EI, VI, NI, LTI, MIdepends on the family*	
- Time multiplier k	0.05 – 20.0, except	
	0.50 – 20.0 for RXIDG, IEEE and IEEE2	
Start time	Typically 30 ms	
Reset time	<95 ms	
Retardation time	< 50 ms	
Reset ratio:	0.95	
Reset ratio (angle)	2°	
Transient over-reach, any τ	< 10 %	
Adjustable voltage memory length	0.2 – 3.2 s	
Inaccuracy:		
- Starting (rated value I <sub>N</sub> = 1–5A)	±3% of the set value or ±0.5% of the rated value	
- Angle	±2° U>5 V	
	±30° U= 0.1 – 5.0 V	
- Operate time at definite time function	±1% or ±25 ms	
- Operate time at IDMT function	±5% or at least ±30 ms**	

Table 12.27: Directional overcurrent stages  $I_{\varphi}>>>, I_{\varphi}>>>>$  (67)

Mode	Directional/Directional+BackUp	
Minimum voltage for the direction solving	2 V <sub>SECONDARY</sub>	
Base angle setting range	-180° – +179°	
Operation angle	±88°	
Definite time function:	DT**	
- Operating time	0.04 – 300.00 s (step 0.01)	
Reset time	<95 ms	
Retardation time	< 50 ms	
Reset ratio:	0.95	
Reset ratio (angle)	2°	
Transient over-reach, any τ	< 10 %	
Adjustable voltage memory length	0.2 – 3.2 s	
Inaccuracy:		
- Starting (rated value I <sub>N</sub> = 1 – 5A)	±3% of the set value or ±0.5% of the rated value	
- Angle	±2° U> 5 V	
	±30° U= 0.1 – 5.0 V	
- Operate time at definite time function	±1% or ±25 ms	

Table 12.28: Directional earth fault stages  $I_{0\phi}$ >,  $I_{0\phi}$ >> (67N)

Pick-up value	$0.005 - 8.00 \times I_{0N}$	
	0.05 – 20.0 When I <sub>0Calc</sub>	
Start voltage	1 – 50 %U <sub>0N</sub> (step 1%)	
Input signal	I <sub>01</sub> (input X1:7 – 8)	
	I <sub>02</sub> (input X1:9 – 10)	
	$I_{\text{0Calc}} (= I_{\text{L1}} + I_{\text{L2}} + I_{\text{L3}})$	
Mode	Non-directional/Sector/ResCap	
Base angle setting range	-180° – 179°	
Operation angle	±88°	
Definite time function:		
- Operating time	0.10** - 300.00 s (step 0.02 s)	
IDMT function:		
- Delay curve family	(DT), IEC, IEEE, RI Prg	
- Curve type	EI, VI, NI, LTI, MI, depends on the family*	
- Time multiplier k	0.05 – 20.0, except	
	0.50 – 20.0 for RI, IEEE and IEEE2	
Start time	Typically 60 ms	
Reset time	<95 ms	
Reset ratio:	0.95	
Reset ratio (angle)	2°	
Inaccuracy:	Inaccuracy:	
- Starting U <sub>0</sub> & I <sub>0</sub> (rated value In= 1 – 5A)	±3% of the set value or ±0.3% of the rated value	
- Starting $\rm U_0$ & $\rm I_0$ (Peak Mode when, rated value $\rm I_{0n}$ = 1 $-$ 10A)	$\pm 5\%$ of the set value or $\pm 2\%$ of the rated value (Sine wave <65 Hz)	
- Starting U <sub>0</sub> & I <sub>0</sub> (I <sub>0Calc</sub> )	±3% of the set value or ±0.5% of the rated value	
- Angle	$\pm 2^{\circ}$ when U> 1V and I <sub>0</sub> > 5% of I <sub>0N</sub> or > 50 mA	
	else ±20°	
- Operate time at definite time function	±1% or ±30 ms	
- Operate time at IDMT function	±5% or at least ±30 ms**	

## 12.3.3 Voltage protection

Table 12.29: Overvoltage stage U> (59)

Pick-up value	50 – 150 %U <sub>N</sub> (step 1%)
	The measurement range is up to 160 V. This limit is the maximum usable setting when rated VT secondary is more than 100 V.
Definite time characteristic:	
- Operating time	0.08** - 300.00 s (step 0.02)
Hysteresis	0.99 – 0.800 (0.1 – 20.0 %, step 0.1 %)
Start time	Typically 60 ms
Release delay	0.06 - 300.00 s (step 0.02)
Reset time	<95 ms
Retardation time	< 50 ms
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	±3% of the set value
- operate time	±1% or ±30 ms

## Table 12.30: Overvoltage stage U>> (59)

Pick-up value	50 – 150 %U <sub>N</sub> (step 1%)
	The measurement range is up to 160 V. This limit is the maximum usable setting when rated VT secondary is more than 100 V.
Definite time characteristic:	
- Operating time	0.06** - 300.00 s (step 0.02)
Hysteresis	0.99 – 0.800 (0.1 – 20.0 %, step 0.1 %)
Start time	Typically 60 ms
Reset time	<95 ms
Retardation time	< 50 ms
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	±3% of the set value
- operate time	±1% or ±30 ms

Table 12.31: Overvoltage stage U>>> (59)

Pick-up value	50 – 160 %U <sub>N</sub> (step 1%)
	The measurement range is up to 160 V. This limit is the maximum usable setting when rated VT secondary is more than 100 V.
Definite time characteristic:	
- Operating time	0.04 – 300.00 s (step 0.01)
Hysteresis	0.99 – 0.800 (0.1 – 20.0 %, step 0.1 %)
Start time	Typically 30 ms
Reset time	<95 ms
Retardation time	< 50 ms
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	±3% of the set value
- operate time	±1% or ±25 ms

## Table 12.32: Volts/hertz over-excitation protection $U_i$ >, $U_i$ >> (24)

Pick-up setting range	100 – 200 %
Operating time	0.3 – 300.0 s
Start time	Typically 200 ms
Reset time	< 450 ms
Reset ratio:	0.995
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	U < 0.5 % unit
	f < 0.05 Hz
- Operating time at definite time function	±1 % or ±150 ms

## Table 12.33: Positive sequence undervoltage stages $U_1$ <, $U_1$ << (27P)

Pick-up value	20 – 120% x U <sub>N</sub>
Definite time function:	
- Operating time	0.08**) – 300.00 s
Undervoltage blocking	2 – 100% x U <sub>N</sub> (common for both stages)
- Blocking time, when I< 1% x I <sub>GN</sub>	2 – 100% x U <sub>GN</sub> (common for both stages)
	0 – 30 s (common for both stages)
Start time	Typically 60 ms
Reset time	<95 ms
Retardation time	< 50 ms
Reset ratio:	1.05
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	1% unit
- Operating time	±1% or ±30 ms

**NOTE:** To make the relay trip after low voltage blocking, the positive sequence voltage has to go above the pick-up setting.

## Table 12.34: Undervoltage stage U< (27)

Pick-up value	20 – 120 %U <sub>N</sub> (step 1%)
Definite time characteristic:	
- Operating time	0.08** - 300.00 s (step 0.02)
Hysteresis	1.001 – 1.200 (0.1 – 20.0 %, step 0.1 %)
Self-blocking value of the undervoltage	0 – 80 %U <sub>N</sub>
Start time	Typically 60 ms
Release delay	0.06 - 300.00 s (step 0.02 s)
Reset time	<95 ms
Retardation time	< 50 ms
Reset ratio (Block limit)	0.5 V or 1.03 (3 %)
Reset ratio:	1.03 (depends on the hysteresis setting)
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	±3% of the set value
- blocking	±3% of set value or ±0.5 V
- operate time	±1% or ±30 ms

## Table 12.35: Undervoltage stage U<< (27)

Pick-up value	20 – 120 %U <sub>N</sub> (step 1%)
Definite time characteristic:	
- Operating time	0.06** - 300.00 s (step 0.02)
Hysteresis	1.001 – 1.200 (0.1 – 20.0 %, step 0.1 %)
Self-blocking value of the undervoltage	0 – 80 %U <sub>N</sub>
Start time	Typically 60 ms
Reset time	<95 ms
Retardation time	< 50 ms
Reset ratio (Block limit)	0.5 V or 1.03 (3 %)
Reset ratio:	1.03 (depends on the hysteresis setting)
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	±3% of the set value
- blocking	±3% of set value or ±0.5 V
- operate time	±1% or ±30 ms

## Table 12.36: Undervoltage stage U<<< (27)

Pick-up value	20 – 120 %U <sub>N</sub> (step 1%)
Definite time characteristic:	
- Operating time	0.04 – 300.00 s (step 0.01)
Hysteresis	1.001 – 1.200 (0.1 – 20.0 %, step 0.1 %)
Self-blocking value of the undervoltage	0 - 80 %U <sub>N</sub>
Start time	Typically 30 ms
Reset time	<95 ms
Retardation time	< 50 ms
Reset ratio (Block limit)	0.5 V or 1.03 (3 %)
Reset ratio:	1.03 (depends on the hysteresis setting)
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	±3% of the set value
- blocking	±3% of set value or ±0.5 V
- operate time	±1% or ±25 ms

## Table 12.37: Zero sequence voltage stage $U_0$ > (59N)

	<b>3</b> 0 ( )	
Pick-up value	1 – 60 %U <sub>0N</sub> (step 1%)	
Definite time function:		
- Operating time	0.3 – 300.0 s (step 0.1 s)	
Start time	Typically 200 ms	
Reset time	< 450 ms	
Reset ratio:	0.97	
Inaccuracy:		
- Starting	±2% of the set value or ±0.3% of the rated value	
- Starting UoCalc (3LN mode)	±1 V	
- Operate time	±1 % or ±150 ms	

## Table 12.38: Zero sequence voltage stage $U_0 >> (59N)$

Pick-up value	1 – 60 %U <sub>0N</sub> (step 1%)	
Definite time function:		
- Operating time	0.08 – 300.0 s (step 0.02 s)	
Start time	Typically 60 ms	
Reset time	<95 ms	
Reset ratio:	0.97	
Inaccuracy:		
- Starting	±2% of the set value or ±0.3% of the rated value	
- Starting U <sub>0Calc</sub> (3LN mode)	±1 V	
- Operate time	±1% or ±30 ms	

Table 12.39: 100% stator earth fault protection  $U_{0f3}$ < (64F3)

Pick-up value	1 – 50 %
Definite time function:	
- Operating time	0.5 – 30.0 minutes
Start time	<2 s
Reset time	<4 s
Reset ratio:	1.05 (When pick-up setting is below 5%, reset value is less than set value +0.5 % unit)
Fundamental low voltage block limit	Blocked when U <sub>12</sub> and U <sub>23</sub> < 65 % of
(U12 and U23)	nominal
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	±1 % units
- Operating time at definite time function	±1% or ±2 s

**NOTE:** The voltage measurement mode must be "2LL +  $U_0$ " when this protection stage is used.

## 12.3.4 Circuit-breaker failure protection CBFP (50BF)

Table 12.40: Circuit-breaker failure protection CBFP (50BF)

Relay to be supervised	T1 or T2 (This setting is used by CB condition monitoring function, too.)
Definite time function:	
- Operating time	0.1** – 10.0 s (step 0.1 s)
Inaccuracy	
- Operating time	±20 ms

## 12.3.5 Magnetising inrush 68F2

Table 12.41: Magnetising inrush 68F2

Settings:	
- Pick-up value	10 – 100 % (step 1%)
- Operating time	0.03 – 300.00 s (step 0.01 s)
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	±1% - unit

**NOTE:** The amplitude of second harmonic content has to be at least 2% of the nominal of CT. If the moninal current is 5 A, the 100 Hz component needs to exceed 100 mA.

## 12.3.6 Over exicitation 68F5

Table 12.42: Over exicitation 68F5

Settings:	
- Setting range over exicitation	10 – 100 % (step 1%)
- Operating time	0.03 – 300.00 s (step 0.01 s)
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	±2%- unit

**NOTE:** The amplitude of fifth harmonic content has to be at least 2% of the nominal of CT. If the moninal current is 5 A, the 250 Hz component needs to exceed 100 mA.

#### **Frequency protection** 12.3.7

Table 12.43: Overfrequency and underfrequency stages f><, f>><< (81H/81L)

Frequency measuring area	16.0 – 75.0 Hz
Current and voltage meas. range	45.0 – 65.0 Hz
Frequency stage setting range	40.0 – 70.0 Hz (step 0.01)
Low voltage blocking	10 – 100 %U <sub>N</sub>
	Suitable frequency area for low voltage blocking is 45 – 65 Hz. Low voltage blocking is checking the maximum of line to line voltages.
Definite time function:	
- Operating time	0.10** – 300.0 s (step 0.02 s)
Start time	< 100 ms
Reset time	<120 ms
Reset ratio (f> and f>>)	0.998
Reset ratio (f< and f<<)	1.002
Reset ratio (LV block)	Instant (no hysteresis)
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	±20 mHz
- starting (LV block)	3% of the set value or ±0.5 V
- Operating time	±1% or ±30 ms

**NOTE:** If device restarts for some reason there will be no trip even if the frequency is below the set limit during the start up (Start and trip is blocked). To cancel this block, frequency has to rise above the set limit.

Table 12.44: Underfrequency stages f<, f<< (81L)

Frequency measuring area	16.0 – 75.0 Hz
Current and voltage meas. range	45.0 – 65.0 Hz
Frequency stage setting range	40.0 – 64.0 Hz
Low voltage blocking	10 – 100 %U <sub>N</sub>
	Suitable frequency area for low voltage blocking is 45 – 65 Hz. Low voltage blocking is checking the maximum of line to line voltages.
Definite time function:	
- Operating time	0.10** - 300.0 s (step 0.02 s)
Undervoltage blocking	2 – 100 %
Start time	< 100 ms
Reset time	<120 ms
Reset ratio:	1.002
Reset ratio (LV block)	Instant (no hysteresis)
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	±20 mHz
- starting (LV block)	3% of the set value or ±0.5 V
- Operating time	±1% or ±30 ms

Table 12.45: Rate of change of frequency (ROCOF) stage df/dt> (81R)

Pick-up setting df/dt	0.2 – 10.0 Hz/s (step 0.1 Hz/s)
Definite time delay (t> and t <sub>Min</sub> > are equal):	
- operating time t>	0.14** – 10.00 s (step 0.02 s)
Inverse time delay (t> is more than t <sub>Min</sub> >):	
- minimum operating time t <sub>Min</sub> >	0.14** - 10.00 s (step 0.02 s)
Start time	Typically 140 ms
Reset time	150 ms
Retardation time	< 90 ms
Reset ratio:	1
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	10% of set value or ±0.1 Hz/s
- operating time(overshoot ≥ 0.2 Hz/s)	±35 ms, when area is 0.2 – 1.0 Hz/s

**NOTE:** ROCOF stage is using the same low voltage blocking limit as the frequency stages.

## 12.3.8 Power protection

Table 12.46: Under-impedance stages Z<, Z<< (21)

Pick-up value	0.05 – 2.00 x Z <sub>N</sub>
Definite time function:	
- Operating time	0.08** – 300.00 s (step 0.02 s)
Start time	Typically 60 ms
Reset time	<95 ms
Retardation time	< 50 ms
Reset ratio:	1.05
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	±4 % of set value or ±0.01 x Z <sub>N</sub>
- Operating time at definite time function	±1 % or ±30 ms

## Table 12.47: Under-excitation stage Q< (40)

Settings:	
- Q@P0%, Reactive power limit at P=0 %	-100 – 0 % x S <sub>GN</sub>
- Q@P80%, Reactive power limit at P=80	-100 – 0 % x S <sub>GN</sub>
Definite time function:	
- Operating time	0.08** - 300.00 s (step 0.02 s)
Start time	Typically 60 ms
Reset time	0.06 - 300.00 s (step 0.02 s)
Retardation time	< 50 ms
Reset ratio:	0.98 (x S <sub>GN</sub> )
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	±3% of set value or ±0.5% of S <sub>GN</sub>
- Operating time	±1 % or ±30 ms

Table 12.48: Under reactance and loss of excitation stages X<, X<< (40)

Trip area radius setting range	0.05 – 2.00 x Z <sub>N</sub>
Resistive offset Ros	-2.00 – 2.00 x Z <sub>N</sub>
Reactive offset Xos	-2.00 – 2.00 x Z <sub>N</sub>
Definite time function:	
- Operating time	0.08** – 300.00 s (step 0.02 s)
Start time	<80 ms
Reset time	0.08 - 300.00 s (step 0.02 s)
Reset ratio:	1.05
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	±4 % of set value or ±0.01 x Z <sub>N</sub>
- Operating time at definite time function	±1 % or ±30 ms

Table 12.49: Directional power stages P<, P<< (32)

Pick-up value	-200.0 - +200.0 %P <sub>M</sub> (step 0.5)
Definite time function:	
- Operating time	0.3 – 300.0 s (step 0.1)
Start time	Typically 200 ms
Reset time	<500 ms
Reset ratio:	1.05
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	±3 % of set value or ±0.5 % of rated value
- Operating time at definite time function	±1 % or ±150 ms

**NOTE:** When pick-up setting is +1 – +200% an internal block will be activated if max. voltage of all phases drops below 5% of rated.

## 12.3.9 Arc fault protection (option)

The operation of the arc protection depends on the setting value of the Arcl $_{01}$ > and Arcl $_{02}$ > current limits.

The arc current limits cannot be set, unless the relay is provided with the optional arc protection card.

Table 12.50: Arc protection stage Arcl> (50ARC),  $Arcl_{01}$ > (50NARC),  $Arcl_{02}$ > (50NARC)

Pick-up value	0.5 – 10.0 x I <sub>N</sub>
Arc sensor connection:	S1, S2, S1/S2, BI, S1/BI, S2/BI, S1/S2/BI
- Operating time (Light only)	13 ms
- Operating time (4 x I <sub>SET</sub> + light)	17ms
- Operating time (BIN)	10 ms
- Operating time (Delayed Arc L>)	0.01 - 0.15 s
- BO operating time	< 3 ms
Reset time	<95 ms
Reset time (Delayed ARC L)	<120 ms
Reset time (BO)	< 85 ms
Reset ratio:	0.90
Inaccuracy:	
- Starting	10% of the set value
- Operating time	±5 ms
- Delayed ARC light	±10 ms

# 12.4 Supporting functions

Table 12.51: Disturbance recorder (DR)

Mode of recording	Saturated / Overflow	
Sample rate:		
- Waveform recording	32/cycle, 16/cycle, 8/cycle	
- Trend curve recording	10, 20, 200 ms	
	1, 5, 10, 15, 30 s	
	1 min	
Recording time (one record)	0.1 s – 12 000 min (According recorder setting)	
Pre-trigger rate	0 – 100%	
Number of selected channels	0 – 12	

The recording time and the number of records depend on the time setting and the number of selected channels.

Table 12.52: Inrush current detection

Cold load settings:	
- Idle current	$0.01 - 0.50 \times I_N$
- Pickup current	0.30 – 10.00 x I <sub>N</sub>
- Maximum time	0.01** – 300.00 s (step 0.01 s)
Inrush settings:	
- Pickup for 2nd harmonic	0 – 99 %

#### Table 12.53: Current transformer supervision

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I <sub>MAX</sub> > setting	0.00 – 10.00 x I <sub>N</sub> (step 0.01)
I <sub>MIN</sub> < setting	0.00 – 10.00 x I <sub>N</sub> (step 0.01)
Definite time function:	DT
- Operating time	0.04 – 600.00 s (step 0.02 s)
Reset time	< 60 ms
Reset ratio I <sub>MAX</sub> >	0.97
Reset ratio I <sub>MIN</sub> <	1.03
Inaccuracy:	
- Activation	±3% of the set value
- Operating time at definite time function	±1% or ±30 ms

Table 12.54: Voltage transformer supervision

U <sub>2</sub> > setting	0.0 – 200.0 % (step 0.1%)
I <sub>2</sub> < setting	0.0 – 200.0 % (step 0.1%)
Definite time function:	DT
- Operating time	0.04 – 600.00 (step 0.02s)
Reset time	< 60 ms
Reset ratio:	3% of the pick-up value
Inaccuracy:	
- Activation U <sub>2</sub> >	±1% - unit
- Activation I <sub>2</sub> <	±1% - unit
- Operating time at definite time function	±1% or ±30 ms

## Table 12.55: Voltage sag & swell

Voltage sag limit	10 – 120 %U <sub>N</sub> (step 1%)
Voltage swell limit	20 – 150 %U <sub>N</sub> (step 1%)
Definite time function:	DT
- Operating time	0.08 – 1.00 s (step 0.02 s)
Low voltage blocking	0 – 50 %
Reset time	< 60 ms
Reset ration:	
- Sag	1.03
- Swell	0.97
Block limit	0.5 V or 1.03 (3 %)
Inaccuracy:	
- Activation	±0.5 V or ±3% of the set value
- Activation (block limit)	±5% of the set value
- Operating time at definite time function	±1% or ±30 ms

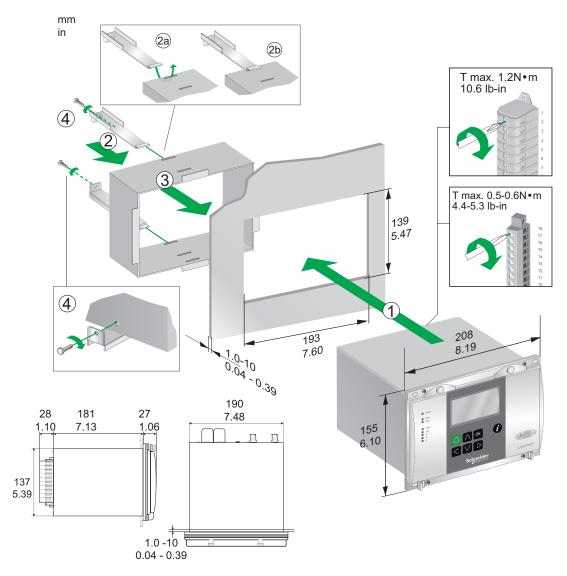
If one of the phase voltages is below sag limit and above block limit but another phase voltage drops below block limit, blocking is disabled.

Table 12.56: Voltage interruptions

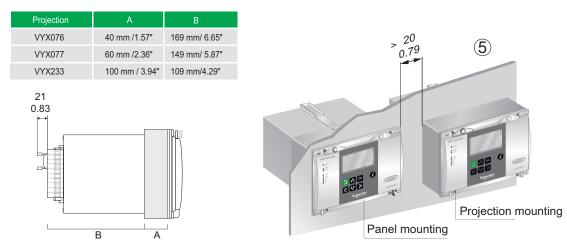
Voltage low limit (U <sub>1</sub> )	10 – 120 %U <sub>N</sub> (step 1%)
Definite time function:	DT
- Operating time	<60 ms (Fixed)
Reset time	< 60 ms
Reset ratio:	1.03
Inaccuracy:	
- Activation	3% of the set value

# 13 Mounting

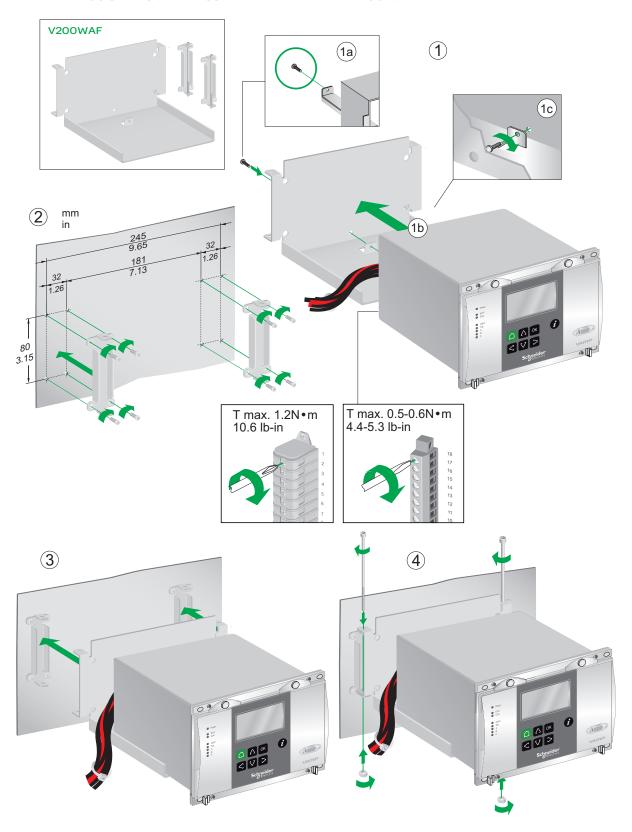
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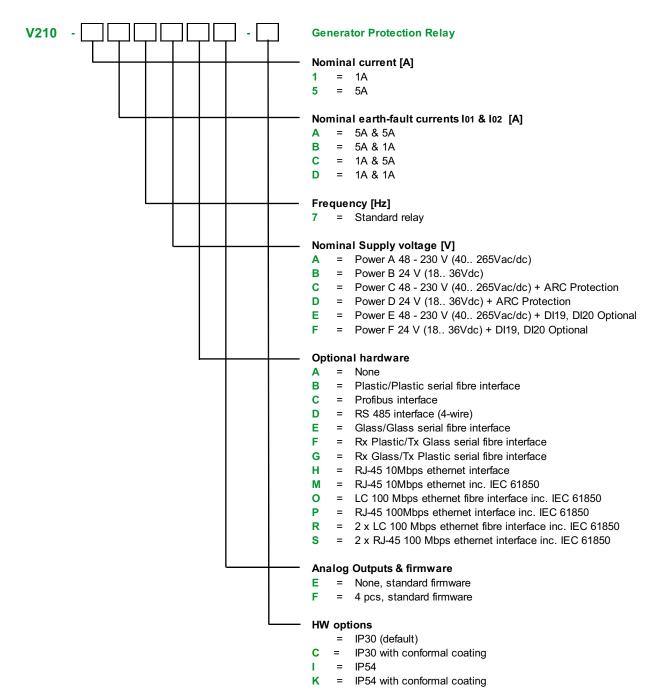
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## 14 Order information

When ordering, please state:

- Type designation:
- Quantity:
- Options (see respective ordering code):



## Accessories

Order code	Description	Note
VEA 3CGi	Ethernet adapter	
VPA 3CG	Profibus DP fieldbus option board	
VSE001PP	Fibre optic Interface Module (plastic - plastic)	Max. distance 30 m
VSE002	RS485 Interface Module	
VSE003	Local port RS-485 interface module,Ext I/O interface	
VSE009	External DeviceNet interface module	
VIO 12 AB	RTD Module, 12pcs RTD inputs, RS 485 Communication (24-230 Vac/dc)	
VIO 12 AC	RTD/mA Module, 12pcs RTD inputs, PTC, mA inputs/outputs, RS232, RS485 and Optical Tx/Rx Communication (24 Vdc)	
VIO 12 AD	RTD/mA Module, 12pcs RTD inputs, PTC, mA inputs/outputs, RS232, RS485 and Optical Tx/Rx Communication (48-230 Vac/dc)	
VX003-3	RS232 programming cable (VAMPSET, VEA 3CGi)	Cable length 3m
3P025	USB to RS232 adapter	
VX004-M3	TTL/RS232 converter cable (PLC, VEA 3CGi)	Cable length 3m
VX004-M10	TTL/RS232 converter cable (PLC, VEA 3CGi)	Cable length 10m
VX007-F3	TTL/RS232 converter cable (VPA 3CG)	Cable length 3m
VA 1 DA-6	Arc Sensor	Cable length 6m
VAM 16D	External LED module	Disables rear local communication
VYX 076	Projection for 200 series	Height 40mm
VYX 077	Projection for 200 series	Height 60mm
VYX 233	Projection for 200 series	Height 100mm
V200WAF	V200 wall assembly frame	
VM690/230	3 Phase Nominal Voltage Matching Transformer	690V->230V , 400V->110V

# 15 Firmware history

10.58	New features in IEC 61850 added
	Outputs vef files with suomi & russian language packets
10.65	100 Mbps option card support
10.67	Default font sizes changed
	I <sub>0</sub> >> minimum delay setting changed to 0.05s with 0.01s step
	Popup window added for language packet init
	EF items: EFDX, EFDFph, EFctr and EFDFltDist added to IEC103
10.68	Default font sizes changed
	Popup window added for language packet init
10.74	I> and I <sub>0</sub> > - I <sub>0</sub> >>>> -stages with faster operation time
	Lower 3rd harmonic limit for U <sub>0f3</sub> <
10.106	GOOSE supervision signals added
	Automatic LED latch release added
	Disturbance recorder full event added
10.108	Use of recorder memory in percents added
	Various additions to IEC 61850
10.113	U12y voltage measurement to IEC 60870-5-101 protocol
	NOTE! Vampset version 2.2.59 required
10.116	IP and other TCP parameters are able to change without reboot
	Logic output numbering is not changed when changes are made in the logic
	NOTE! Vampset version 2.2.97 required
10.118	Enable sending of analog data in GOOSE message
	Day light saving (DST) rules added for system clock
	HMI changes:
	Order of the first displays changed, 1.measurement, 2. mimic, 3. title
	timeout does not apply if the first 3 displays are active
10.126	Stages renamed:
	• I <sub>f2</sub> > = MAGNETISING INRUSH 68F2
	• I <sub>f5</sub> > = OVER EXCITATION 68F5
	P< = DIRECTIONAL POWER 32
	P<< = DIRECTIONAL POWER 32
	IEC 101 over Ethernet added
	IEC 61850: analog values received via GOOSE for display on MIMIC and MEASUREMENT DISPLAYS added

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- IEC 101 over Ethernet added
- I>>> protection stage operation time changed from 40ms to <30ms
- Direction mode added to Directional O/C stages
- Possibility to compare two signals in programmable stages added
- Alarms for ExtAl/RTD: RTD open/RTD shorted/RTD communication loss added
- FTP file transfer passive mode added
- Back-up SNTP server added
- Support for HTTP server added
- UDP mode for IEC 101 over Ethernet added
- Support for folder view in VAMPSET added
- U>> minimum operation delay reduced from 0.08 s to 0.06 s
- U<<< & U>>> minimum operation delay reduced from 0.06 s to 0.04 s
- U<<< & U>>> operation delay setting step reduced from 0.02 s to 0.01 s
- U<sub>0</sub>>> minimum operation delay reduced from 0.3 s to 0.08 s
- U<sub>0</sub>>> operation delay setting step reduced from 0.1 s to 0.02 s
- U<sub>0</sub>>> release delay reduced from <250 ms to <95 ms
- Adjustable angle memory length 0.2 3.2 s added
- Disturbance recorder memory doubled
- Protection stage start & trips signals to Disturbance recorder added
- More memory for MIMIC added
- IEC 61850: file transfer added
- IEC 61850: new LN to indicate the status and setting group of stage 50, 51, 50N, 51N, and 46 added
- IEC 61850: record fault currents by phase and I<sub>0</sub> added
- IEC 61850: new LN PTRC to indicate A, B, C phase Start and Trip added
- IEC 61850: object inactivity alarms added
- IEC 61850: phase indications from EF to PTRC added
- IEC 61850: new LN for EF trip indication EFPTRC2 including neutral component added
- IEC 61850: new LN containing indications from DR and remote triggering of DR added
- IEC 61850: event COMTRADE file ready added
- IEC 61850: new LNs with CT parameters added
- IEC 61850: default value for every GOOSE NI
- IEC 61850: support for bitstrings in GOOSE added
- IEC 61850: setting GOOSE to test mode via DI/VI/local HMI added
- IEC 61850: analog values received via GOOSE for display on MIMIC and MEASUREMENT DISPLAYS added
- IEC 61850: all Data Sets and In Use Columns set to "NO" by default added
- IEC 61850: Delay characteristics support added

	- IEC 61850: LED reset command
	- T> Time to trip also available as seconds
	- Inverse stall delay is now propotional to (Istart/Imeas)^2 instead of the plain ratio (Istart/Imeas)
	- Analog output: Fast DAC mode scaling and PF corrected
	- ModbusTCPs allows 2 simultaneous connections
	- ModbusTCPs and ModbusSlv can be used simultaneously
	- New "Webset" web server added
	- IF relay -> SF relay (Service status output)
	- Possible to remove linked channels from disturbance recorder one by one
	- Thermal overload available as AO Link in EXTERNAL ANALOG OUTPUTS added
	- Default sample rate is now 32/cycle in disturbance recorder
	- Virtual inputs have possibility take account R/L position added
	- LED status indication
	- Parameter for setting Inv time coefficient k -Remote rebooting of the relay added
	- Object 6 to object block matrix added
	- Disturbance Recorder's NVRAM memory size increased to double amount
	- Day light saving automatic change improvement
	- Following stages renamed:
	1. If2> = MAGNETISING INRUSH 68F2
	2. If5> = OVER EXCITATION 68F5
10.175	l>: Pick-up limit setting minimum value changed from 0.10 to 0.05
	Number of setting groups increased from 2 to 4
	When accept zero delay enabled, stages' definite operation delay can be set to 0
	Relay name can be 10 characters long



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