#### PARAMETERIZATION OF PROTECTION RELAYS IN POWER SYSTEMS

#### PROTECTION SYSTEMS IN ELECTRIC POWER SYSTEM

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The teaching text describes complex procedures for parameterization of overcurrent, differential, and distance protection relays from the company SEL, a theoretical basis for protection relays, description, and connection of individual parts of protection relays. The following obtains instructional videos along with wiring for Omicron testing.

The teaching text is intended for students of electrical engineering faculties in study programs focused on electric power engineering, users of electric power equipment, and the professional public.

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### Theory of protections

The main task of equipment protection is to ensure the equipment or section is unexposed to adverse conditions, e.g., overloading of the device and thus reducing the service life of the device or an accidental fault condition due to a short circuit on the device.

For these reasons, it is necessary to know the relationship between the device or section in relation to the surrounding space, which has a very significant impact on the device. Therefore, we need to know the interactions of the device on the environment and the surroundings on the device. When setting up and designing, we should have as detailed information as possible for the reasons mentioned. In the case of incomplete or unclear information, we should not even start with a calculation to protect the facility or section, or more rigorously assess the impact of the environment on the facility.





<u>Stepped protections</u> - to ensure the selected shutdown, we need to ensure action with a time delay, which will be suitably graduated and thus ensure mutual backup protection. For this reason, they contain a start-up and time element which, if necessary, will switch off the protection with the measuring and directional element determined by the fault condition and, depending on the set times. Tiered protections include overcurrent and distance protections.

<u>Overcurrent protections</u> work on a simple principle and are used as backups or for HV lines and less important lines of lower voltage levels than the main ones. As already follows, the protection responds to the adjusted current value with the adjusted starting current adjustment Ir, in the case of lines or short circuits.



<u>Time-dependent</u> - has a decreasing dependence similar to fuses, according to the equation  $t = K/(I/I_N - I)$  for  $I/I_N > I$  and  $t = \infty$  for  $I/I_N \le I$ ,

<u>Semi-dependent</u> - has the same characteristics up to size I<sub>0</sub>. For larger currents  $I/I_N > I_0$  it already has a constant operating time and does not depend on the current change.

Pd – permitted area; Pz – forbidden area; h0 – limit of action



Fig. 1 Speed characteristics a) time-dependent; b) semi-dependent



**Immediate** - acts when the set current ki> is exceeded, almost without delay. The delay represents a protection response time of up to 10 ms.

> Pd – permitted area; Pz – forbidden area; h0 – limit of action; t> - time delay; k1> - current extension



Fig. 2 Speed characteristics c) definite time; d) immediately acting



The setting of independent times is generally based on the assumption that the farthest protection switches off the fastest, for which the equation  $t_2 = t_1 + \Delta t$  applies. The coordination time interval  $\Delta t$  depends on the design of the time relay and switch, while it is most often in the range of 0.2 to 0.5 s. Simultaneously, it is important to forget the current setting of the relay so that the protections back up. To set the starting currents Ir correctly, I need to know the current ratios of short-circuit currents may vary for unique operating times. For these reasons, it is necessary to know the maximum and minimum short-circuit current.

When changing the network scheme, it is necessary to check whether the given protection settings suit and, if necessary, it is possible to use another set of protection settings, as digital protections have 4 sets by default, between which it is possible to switch.



# Setting of overcurrent protections

Determining the size of the time coordination interval  $\Delta t$ :

- maximum time relay errors,
- the time of switching off the circuit breakers,
- backup safety time, which is selected at about 0.1 s.

**Setting the starting current I**<sub>r</sub>:

• <u>the starting current of the relay  $I_r$  must be greater than  $I_n$ :</u>

$$I_r \ge I_n * \frac{k_b}{k_p * p_i} \qquad (1)$$

where  $k_b$  is the safety factor and is selected from the range 1.1 to 1.35

 $k_{\rm p}$  is the holding ratio of the relay and is specified by the manufacturer in the range 0.94 to 0.98

p<sub>i</sub> is the rated conversion of current transformers.



Ikmax - maximum short-circuit current (3f); Ikmin - minimum short-circuit current; Ir - starting current; Io - waste current; IzmaxOz - maximum inrush current for reconnection; IzmaxM - maximum starting current of motors; In - nominal current; Ipmax - maximum operating current







# Setting of overcurrent protections

Furthermore, the starting current of the overcurrent relay must be less than the minimum calculated short-circuit current  $I_{k2fmin}$  at the end of the backup section.

$$I_r \le I_{k2fmin} * \frac{1}{k_c * p_i}$$
 (2)  $k_c = \frac{I_{k2fmin}}{I_r * p_i}$  (3)

Where  $k_c$  is the sensitivity coefficient for at least the immediate 2 and the other 1.5.

#### $p_i$ is the rated conversion of current transformers.

If the sensitivity coefficient  $k_c$  is less than 1.5 for overcurrent independent time protections, then the sensitivity of the protection is increased by reducing the value of the starting current Ir. This change in protection will start at lower currents.



# Setting of overcurrent protections

The three-phase short-circuit current is usually the largest. In the event of a short circuit in the vicinity of a transformer with a grounded node or a grounding transformer, the single-phase short-circuit current may be greater than the three-phase. This is especially true for transformers with Yz, Dy, and Dz connections to ground the winding y or z on the lower voltage side of the transformer. For this reason, a two-phase short-circuit current is considered when calculating the starting short-circuit currents.

Since electrical devices are rated for the highest short-circuit current, in most cases it is just a three-phase short-circuit current. Unlike overhead lines, cable lines have almost three-phase shorts in almost all cases, with the arc breaking the insulation of all three phases. Two-phase short-circuits on the lines can cause increased stress for single-phase transformers that are connected to three-phase busbars.



#### Characteristics of overcurrent relays

t> - time delay for overload; t>> - time delay for short-circuits; I> current extension for overload; I>> - short-circuit current ejection





- The 2 × 16 character LCD provides navigation, relay control, data, and diagnostics via default messages or up to 32 customizable display messages
- 2 Programmable front-panel LEDs with userconfigurable labels alert operators to faulted phases and element operation
- 3 Programmable operator pushbuttons with user-configurable labels allow front-panel customization





- The 5-inch, 800 × 480 display offers direct navigation via a capacitive touchscreen
- 2 Folders and applications provide quick access to bay screens, metering and monitoring data, reports, settings, and more
- 3 The home pushbutton allows you to easily return to the default home screen
- 4 Programmable front-panel LEDs with user-configurable labels alert operators to faulted phases and element operation
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#### Outlet diagram and element control

Choose from predefined wiring diagrams or configure up to five custom wiring diagrams using the acSELerator® Bay Screen Builder SEL-5036 software and the acSELerator QuickSet® SEL-5030 software.

You can control one circuit breaker, eight two-position disconnectors, and two threeposition disconnectors, as well as analog and digital data on the context display.

To control a circuit breaker or disconnector, simply tap the Bay Screens app on the home screen and then the circuit breaker or disconnector you want to control.





#### **Basic measurement**

It shows the real, reactive and apparent power of each phase in the system, as well as power factor information to see if the phase current is ahead or lagging the phase voltage.

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#### Display of measured phasors

Display of graphical and textual representation of voltages and currents in the power system in real-time during balanced and unbalanced conditions.





- A wide variety of communications protocols and media provide flexibility to communicate with other devices and control systems
- 2 Power supply options include 24–48 Vdc or 110–250 Vdc/110–240 Vac
- 3 The optional fiber-optic serial port provides quick and easy engineering access
- 4 Card slots include positions for optional I/O, a voltage input card, or an arc-flash detection card with sensors that help improve safety and prevent damage
- 5 Phase current and optional phase voltage inputs are on one card, freeing up space for additional SELECT™ I/O card options







Tab. 1 Terminal protection functions SEL-751A

25	Synchronism Check*
27	Undervoltage*
32	Directional Power*
50	Adaptive Overcurrent
50 (P,G,Q)	Overcurrent (Phase, Ground, Neg. Seq.)
50N	Neutral Overcurrent
50N AF	Arc-Flash Neutral Overcurrent*
50P AF	Arc-Flash Phase Overcurrent*
51 (P,G,Q)	Time Overcurrent (Phase, Ground, Neg. Seq.)
51N	Neutral Time Overcurrent
52PB	Trip/Close Pushbuttons
55	Power Factor*
59	Overvoltage*
79	Autoreclosing*
81 (O,U,R,RF)	Over-/Underfrequency (Rate, Fast Rate)*
85 RIO	SEL MIRRORED BITS® Communications
AFD	Arc-Flash Detector*
BRM	Breaker Wear Monitor
DFR	Event Reports
LOP	Loss-of-Potential Logic*

Additional Functions		
HMI	Operator Interface	
LDP	Load Data Profiling	
LGC	SELogic <sup>®</sup> Control Equations	
PMU	Synchrophasors	
RTD	Temperature	
RTU	Remote Terminal Unit	
SBM	Station Battery Monitor*	
SER	Sequential Events Recorder	





**Schema parameters:** 

V1: 240 AlFe RM1 = 0.121Ω/km, XM1 = 0.392Ω/km, IN = 579A, l = 5km V2: 185 AlFe RM1 = 0.156Ω/km, XM1 = 0.4Ω/km, IN = 486A, l = 3km V3: 185 AlFe RM1 = 0.156Ω/km, XM1 = 0.4Ω/km, IN = 486A, l = 1km Used CT = 600A/5A; we are considering an 80% load on the line.





**Calculated parameters:** 

End of the line V3

 $Zk1_V3 = (1.6503 + 7.7727i) \Omega$ ;  $Ik2_V3 = 1.3843kA$ 

Bus W2

 $Zk1_V2 = (1.4943 + 7.3727i) \Omega$ ;  $Ik2_V2 = 1.4623kA$ 

Bus W1

 $Zk1_V1 = (1.0263 + 6.1727i) \Omega; Ik2_V1 = 1.7579kA$ 





**Calculated parameters:** 

End of the line V3

 $I > = 3.7516A \le IR > = 4A;$ 

 $I >> = 7.6908A \ge IR >> = 6A > IR > = 4A$ 

t> = 0.35s

t>>=0.1s

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	FEEDER RELAY				
	TARGET ESC C				
•	ENABLED AUX 1				
۲	INST OC AUX 2 ENABLED LOCK				
•	PHASE OC DISABLED GND/NEU OC AUX 3 BLOCK CLOSE CLOSE				
۲	NEG SEQ OC				
٩	AUX 4 ( TRIP				
	PORT F				



I > = 4A < IR > = 5A & 6A

 $\mathbf{I} {>>} = \mathbf{8.1236A} \geq \mathbf{IR2} {>>} = \mathbf{8A} > \mathbf{IR1} {>} = \mathbf{7A}$ 

t1> = 0.55s; t2> = 0.75s; t2> > t1>

t1>> = 0.15s; t2>> = 0.2s; t2>> > t1>>





 $I >> = 9.7661A \ge IR3 >> = 9A > IR2 > = 8A$ 

t3> = 0.95s; t3> > t2>









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**Calculated parameters:** 

**Bus W1** 

 $Zk1_w1_right = (1.6503 + 7.7727i) \Omega$ ;  $Ik2_W1_right = 1.3843kA$ 

 $Zk1_w1_left = (1.0263 + 6.1727i) \Omega$ ;  $Ik2_W1_left = 1.7579kA$ 

Bus W2

 $Zk1_w2_right = (1.1823 + 6.5727i) \Omega$ ;  $Ik2_W2_right = 1.6471kA$ 

 $Zk1_w2_left = (1.4943 + 7.3727i) \Omega; Ik2_W2_left = 1.4623kA$ 





**Calculated parameters:** 

Bus W3

 $Zk1_w1_right = (1.0263 + 6.1727i) \Omega$ ;  $Ik2_W1_right = 1.7579kA$ 

 $Zk1_w1_left = (1.6503 + 7.7727i) \Omega$ ;  $Ik2_W1_left = 1.3843kA$ 













**Calculated parameters:** 

W1\_right

 $I >> = 7.6908A \ge IR >> = 7A > IR_W2 > = 6A$ 

t>> = 0s

W3\_left

 $I >> = 7.6908A \ge IR >> = 7A > IR_W2 > = 6A$ 

t>> = 0s










#### Theory of protections differential protections



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<u>Comparative protections</u> - they work on the principle of comparing measured physical quantities at the input and output of a protected section or object. From the name of the group of protections itself, this is a comparison of two measured quantities from two places, usually measured at the beginning and end of the protected section or object.

For comparators otherwise called differential protections to compare these quantities between input and output, they must be connected by an auxiliary line. This type of connection is a typical feature of given protection. If the protected section or object inside this section is faultfree, the values of the comparison quantities are the same. At different comparison values, the protection evaluates whether the fault is inside the protected area and gives an impulse to switch off in the event of an internal fault. *Comparative protections only monitor their protected object or section, they do not need to adapt in time to other protections and belong to the basic quick protections.* 



The purpose of differential protection is to protect electrical machines sensitively and selectively. The most common are transformers, generators, or large motors.

Differential line protections are now commonly used. Differential protections are quite often used to protect alternators, both rotor and stator protection. Differential protections are connected before and after the winding. For this reason, it is necessary for the generator to have a stator winding a node connected.

The calculation of operating characteristics is based on measurement errors that affect the individual deviations of the unique devices used. Therefore, it is necessary to have information about all used devices i.e., complete information about the operation and parameters of all used devices.

The similar principles apply to each instrument current transformer as to a conventional transformer, with deviations in the linear range being at least depending on the type of CT. The error rate increases significantly mainly in the saturation range when the deviations of the measurement inaccuracy are high. Compensation for such errors is calculated as the sum of all fault factors.



#### Calculation of the total error current:

 $I_{d2} = CT_{error} + excitation current + TR_{error} + safety margin + relay errors$ 

(4)

(5)

 $I_{d2} = 2 * 5\% + 1\% + 5\% + 5\% + 5\% = 26\%$ 

<u>Calculation of the first slope setting:</u>

 $SLP_1 = CT_{error} + excitation current + TR_{error} + safety margin + relay errors$ 

 $SLP_1 = 2 * 7\% + 1\% + 5\% + 5\% + 5\% = 30\%$ 

Calculation of the second slope setting:

 $SLP_2 = 2 * SLP_1 = 60\%$  (6)

To ensure safety at high fault currents outside the protected zone, CT saturation may occur. For this reason, it is recommended to set the slope by doubling the first.





Fig. 4 Characteristics of the effect of differential protection

The remaining missing points are calculated according to the relationship:

$$SLPx = \frac{I_{di} - I_{di-1}}{I_{bi} - I_{bi-1}}$$
(7)

The CT TAP compensation factor is calculated according to the relationship:

$$TAP = \frac{S*1000}{\sqrt{3}*U_{L-L}} * CT = \frac{10,5*1000}{\sqrt{3}*11} * \frac{5}{600} = 4.592$$
(8)

<u>Checks for correct CT sizing are calculated according to the relationship:</u>

$$\frac{TAP_{max}}{TAP_{min}} \le 7.5 \tag{9}$$



Differential protection relays

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LEDs on the front panel alert the operator to a fault and basic operations. 2\*16-character LCD display provides navigation, relay control, data, and diagnostics via preset messages or up to 32 customizable messages on the display

#### 3 Differential protection control buttons

Image: Strate of the trap into the trap interval trap interval trap interva



Differential protection relays

3

Card slots contain slots for inputs/outputs

Wide range of communication protocols and media provides flexibility in communicating with other devices and control systems. A label indicating the permitted supply voltage for the differential relay

Voltage and current input card slots





### Theory of protections differential protections

Factors affecting CT saturation:

- Residual magnetism in the CT core
- Mismatch of CT characteristics
- CT circuit overload

The breakpoint is determined for the stabilization current  $I_b$  in the range of 1.5 to 2.5 to ensure the stability and sensitivity of the protected section.

Specify the end of the first slope and the beginning of the second slope in the operating characteristic.

The upper limit of the differential current  $I_{dmax}$  is selected in the range of 8 to 10.







#### Differential protection characteristics























#### Differential protection of the generator





Differential protection of the generator

Vector representation of G currents







Differential protection of the generator

#### QuickCMC test



The angle of the vector depends on the connection of the test device to the protection and on the device itself.



#### Differential protection of the transformer





Differential protection of the transformer

Vector representation of TR currents



Dyn11 transformer clock angle



### Differential protection of the transformer

QuickCMC test





The angle of the vector depends on the connection of the test device to the protection and on the device itself.



### Differential protection of the generator

#### Large 2 × 16 character LCD

- 2 Default messages or up to 32 customizable display labels notify personnel of power system events or the relay status
- Programmable front-panel tricolor LEDs
- 4 Customizable pushbuttons and labels
- 5 User-configurable label kit
- 6 Two programmable tricolor LEDs per pushbutton





### Differential protection of the generator

- Power supply options include 110–250 Vdc/110–240 Vac or 24–48 Vdc
- 2 An integrated web server enables direct relay access for metering and monitoring data without the need for external PC software
- A wide variety of communications protocols and media provide flexibility to communicate with other devices and control systems
- Fiber-optic serial port
- 5 MIRRORED BITS communications provides fast and reliable relay-to-relay communication
- 6 Positions for optional expansion cards
- 7 Optional RTD inputs
- 8 CT and PT inputs are located on one card, allowing for more I/O in other slots





## Differential protection of the transformer

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### Differential protection of the transformer

- 1 Power supply options include 110–250 Vdc/110–240 Vac or 24–48 Vdc
- 2 digital inputs (DI) and 3 digital outputs (DO)
- 3 A wide variety of communications protocols and media for flexibility to communicate with other devices and control systems
- 4 An integrated web server enables direct relay access for metering and monitoring data
- 5 EIA-232 serial port (P3) and fiber-optic EIA-232 serial port (P2) with IRIG-B input
- 6 Positions for optional I/O cards
- 7 Positions for current and voltage options





*Theory of protections– frequency protection* 



### *Theory of protections– frequency protection*

To protect an important global parameter, such as frequency, it is necessary to use frequency protection when changing frequencies (81).

Under frequency protection (81U):

• Setting range: 45 – 50 Hz

**Over frequency protection (810):** 

• Setting range: 50 – 55 Hz

Frequency protection setting (81):

- Under frequency (81U): f< = 48 Hz; t> = 0.1s
- Over frequency (810): f> = 52 Hz; t> = 0.1s



Fig. 5 Characteristics of frequency protection operation

Pa – permitted area Pz – forbidden area h0 – limit of operation t> – time delay



*Theory of protections – over voltage/under voltage protection* 



## *Theory of protections – overvoltage/undervoltage protection*

It is always necessary to find out the actual VT conversion before the actual setting. The most common secondary voltage VT is 100V or 110V. To set more levels, we must observe  $\Delta U \ge 0.1 *$  Un. Under voltage protection is used in practice with overcurrent protection and interlocking, i.e., as overcurrent protection with under voltage interlock (50/27).





# *Theory of protections – distance protection*





Fig. 7 Schematic designation of distance protection zones

The scheme of designation of distance protection zones shows the action of individual zones, for the forward area they are zones 1, 2 and 3 and for the reverse area zone 0.

Zone 1 shows line protection No. 1 at 85%.

Zone 2 shows line 2 protection at 60% and line 1 protection at 100%.

Zone 3 shows the protection of line No. 3 at 35% and sections No. 1 and No. 2 at 100%.

Zone 0 shows line protection No. 0 at 30%. This zone protects the return area.

The time delay of the individual zones is graded by a constant  $\Delta t$  with a value of 0.4 s, while the time t1 is determined from the range of 20 to 50 ms + the switch-off time of the circuit-breaker.

Туре	Rm <sub>1</sub>	Xm <sub>1</sub>	Bm <sub>1</sub>	I <sub>dov</sub>	Rm <sub>0</sub>	Xm <sub>0</sub>	Bm <sub>0</sub>	Voltage
	[W/km]	[W/km]	[mS/km]	[A]	[W/km]	[W/km]	[mS/km]	[kV]
150 AlFe 3.6	0.201	0.403	2.810	420	0.603	1.209	8.430	110
185 AlFe	0.156	0.400	2.860	486	0.468	1.200	8.580	110
240 AlFe	0.121	0.392	2.920	579	0.363	1.176	8.760	110
450 AlFe	0.067	0.387	3.150	825	0.201	1.161	9.450	110
AAAC182- AL3	0.183	0.400	?	490	0.548	1.200	?	110
AAAC243- AL3	0.137	0.400	?	585	0.412	1.200	?	110
AAAC299- AL3	0.111	0.400	?	670	0.334	1.200	?	110

Tab. 2 Line type table (specific parameters per 1 km of line)



AAAC (All Aluminium Alloy Conductors)

%Line impedance calculation

Zline1 = l1\*(Rm+jXm)

%Conversion according to the specified current and voltage transformer

p = CT/VT = (300A/5A)/(22000V/100V)

%Impedance calculation for given zone 1

%Positive sequence vector

*Z1zone1* = *p*\*0.85\**Zline1* 

%Zero sequace vector

*Z0zone1* = *p*\*0.85\**Zline0* 

*Line Angle = angel(Zline1)* 

#### **Calculation procedure:**

<u>Zone 1</u>: is set to 85% of line impedance 1. Transformer: current transfer in the given station, where the distance protection is located is 300A/5A and the voltage is 22000V/100V.

The instrument current transformer must be able to handle 20x overload with an accuracy of  $\pm 10\%$  (saturation limit).

The impedance calculation for zone 1 is performed for the consecutive and nonrotating impedance components according to the parameters of the given line.

%Line impedance calculation

Zline2 = l2\*(Rm+jXm)

%Conversion according to the specified current and voltage transformer

p = CT/VT = (300A/5A)/(22000V/100V)

%Impedance calculation for given zone 2

%Positive sequence vector

Z1zone2 = p\*(0.6\*Zline2+Zline1)

%Zero sequence vector

Z0zone2 = p\*(0.6\*Zline2+Zline1)

A similar calculation is considered for the other zones.

#### **Calculation procedure:**

Zone 2: is set to 60% of line no. 2 impedance and 100% of line no. 1.

Transformer: current transfer in the given station, where the distance protection is located is 300A/5A and the voltage is 22000V/100V.

The instrument current transformer must be able to handle 20x overload with an accuracy of  $\pm 10\%$  (saturation limit).

The impedance calculation for zone 2 consists of the impedance of line No. 1 and line No. 2 for the positive and zero sequance component impedance according to the parameters of the given line.



Fig. 8 Directional characteristic of distance protection R-X graph

#### *Distance protection*

This type of characteristic was created by a combination of directional, reactance, and resistance characteristics.

Polygonal characteristics consist of two lines. The lines are in most cases passing through the origin of the coordinate system and with the + R axis form angles a1 = 115 to 125 degrees and a2 = -15 to -25 degree.

These lines divide the R-X characteristic into four quadrants, using the forward region in the first quadrant and the reverse region in the third quadrant.



Fig. 9 Impedance polygonal characteristics of distance protection

*Distance protection* 

The polygonal shape of the characteristic is further bounded by lines parallel to the real and imaginary axis.

In order to ensure selectivity, the characteristics are arranged in five levels with the possibility of different time settings. Usually, the first 4th characteristic are set in the direction of the line and the fifth characteristic in the direction of the busbar.



Fig. 10 Polygon characteristics of distance protection

#### To draw a polygonal characteristic:

<u>Line 1</u>: the size of the line is based on the calculation of the size of the sides of the triangle known angles (Line Angle a a2 = 22) and coordinates (R, 0).

<u>Line 2</u>: the size of the line is based on the calculation of the size of the sides of a right triangle known angles (Line Angle and 90) and coordinates (0, X).

<u>Line 3</u>: the size of the line is based on the calculation for Line 2 and coordinates (0, X).

<u>Line 4</u>: the size of the line is based on the calculation of the size of the sides of a right triangle known angles (90° and 30°) and coordinates (0,0).

## Sample calculation of protection settings


# Calculation of overcurrent protection relay settings



Overcurrent relay

%Grid impedance

 $Z1grid = c*Un/(sqrt(3)*Ik3grid) = 1*22e3/sqrt(3)*3.2328e3 = 3.929\Omega$   $X1grid = 0.995*Z1grid = 0.995*3.929 = 3.909\Omega$   $R1grid = 0.1*X1grid = 0,1*3.909 = 0.391 \Omega$   $Z1grid = R1grid+1j*X1grid = 0.391+j3.909\Omega$ % Nominal feeder current IN = Sn/(sqrt(3)\*Un1) = 1000e3/sqrt(3)\*22e3 = 26.243 A%Cable line impedance

 $Rl = p/qn*1000 = 1/54/35*1000 = 0.529\Omega/km$ 

 $Xl = 0.14 \Omega/km$ 

 $Z1line = l^{*}(Rl + 1j^{*}Xl) = 1^{*}(0.529 + j0.14) = 0.529 + j0.14\Omega$ 



Overcurrent relay

%Short-circuit current calculation

 $Z1fault = Z1grid+Z1line= 0.391+j3.909 + 0.529+j0.14 = 0.92+j4.049\Omega$ Ik3R1 = (c\*Un)/(sqrt(3)\*abs(Zk1)) = 1\*22e3/sqrt(3)\*abs(Z1fault) = 3.058kAIk2R1 = sqrt(3)/2\*Ik3R1 = sqrt(3)/2\*3.058 = 2.649kA% Calculation of the inrush overload protection current I > = (kb\*IN)/(kp\*pp) = 1.1\*26.243 / 0.95\*300/5 = 0.506A% Calculation of the inrush current of short-circuit protection I >> = (0.8\*Ik2R1)/(kc\*pp) = 0.8\*2.649e3/1.5\*300/5 = 23.547A



Overcurrent relay

%Overload protection inrush current

 $I_{>} \leq I_{R>}$  $0.506A \leq I_{R>}$  $I_{R>} = 1A$ 

%Short-circuit protection inrush current

 $I_{\gg} \ge I_{R\gg} > I_{R>}$  $23.547A \ge I_{R\gg} > 1A$  $I_{R\gg} = 3.5A$ 

We choose the time delay for overload t > 0.25s and for short-circuits, t >> 0s with consideration for protection of other sections only by using fuses and circuit breakers.



#### Calculation of generator overcurrent protection settings



When calculating Rg, we calculate the ratio coefficient, which converts the reactance to an approximate resistance according to the size of the reactance. Thus, it considers the resistance of the conductor used for the winding according to the magnitude of the power reactance and the voltage of the generator.

Rg = 0.05\*Xd'' for generators with  $Urg > 1 \ kV \ a \ Sg \ge 100 \ MVA$ . Rg = 0.07\*Xd'' for generators with  $Urg > 1 \ kV \ a \ Sg < 100 \ MVA$ . Rg = 0.15\*Xd'' for generators with  $Urg \le 1000 \ V$ .

#### %Generator impedance

 $Xd = xd''^*ZrG = 0.165^*11.618 = 1.917\Omega$ 

 $Rg = 0.07*Xd'' = 0.07*1.917 = 0.134 \ \Omega$ 

Kg = Un/Urg\*c/(1+xd''\*sin(pf)) = 11e3/11e3\*1/(1+0.165\*sin(acos(0.9)) = 0.933

 $Z1g = Kg^{*}(Rg+1j^{*}Xd'') = 0.933^{*}(0.134 + j1.917) = 0.125 + j1.788\Omega$ 



%Short-circuit current calculation

Ik3g = (c\*Un)/(sqrt(3)\*abs(Z1g)) = 1\*11e3/sqrt(3)\*abs(Z1g) = 3542.569A

Ik2g = sqrt(3)/2\*Ik3g = sqrt(3)/2\*3542.569 = 3067.956A

IN = 547A

%Calculation of the inrush overload protection current

I > = (kb\*IN)/(kp\*pp) = 1.1\*547/0.95\*600/5 = 5.28A

%Calculation of the inrush current of short-circuit protection I >> = (0.8\*Ik2g)/(kc\*pp) = 0.8\*3067.956/1.5\*600/5 = 13.635A



%Overload protection inrush current

 $I_{>} \leq I_{R>}$  $5,284 \leq I_{R>}$  $I_{R>} = 5.7A$ %Short-circuit protection inrush current

> $I_{\gg} \ge I_{R\gg} > I_{R>}$  $13.635A \ge I_{R\gg} > 5.7A$  $I_{R\gg} = 10A$

We choose the time delay for overload t> 0.25 s and for short circuits, t>>



Overcurrent protection of the generator with respect to the protected device for this example, it is necessary for the generator to switch off this protection last if there are others before this protection. This principle is critically for the correct selective shutdown of a fault section or device, as the generator acts in the network, both the power supply and its time delay for shorts and overloads are ranked among the slowest to maintain the stability of the electrical system and not the worst BLACKOUT state for misconfigured protective devices.

<u>BLACKOUT</u> - This term refers to a large-scale power outage in a vast area for tens of hours or days, which will affect many people. Transmission system decay into separate islands => cascade fault propagation => BLACKOUT.



#### Calculation of generator differential protection settings



Differential protection of the generator

Calculation of the total error current O87P:

 $I_{d2} = CT_{error} + excitation current + TR_{error} + safety margin + relay errors$ 

 $I_{d2} = 2 * 5\% + 1\% + 5\% + 5\% + 5\% = 26\%$ 

Calculation of the first slope setting:

 $SLP_1 = CT_{error} + excitation current + TR_{error} + safety margin + relay errors$ 

 $SLP_1 = 2 * 7\% + 1\% + 5\% + 5\% + 5\% = 30\%$ 

Calculation of the second slope setting:

 $SLP_2 = 2 * SLP_1 = 60\%$ 



Calculation of current transformer coefficient:

$$CT_1 = \frac{600}{5} = 120$$
  $CT_2 = \frac{600}{5} = 120$ 

<u>The breakpoint IRS1</u> is determined for a stabilization current Ib in the range of 1.5 to 2.5. For example, we choose 1.5. <u>The upper limit U87P</u> of the differential current Idmax is selected in the range 8 to 10. For the example, we choose 8. We set the second harmonic to 20%, and we set the fifth harmonic to 40%.

The CT TAP compensation factor is calculated according to the relationship:

$$TAP = \frac{S*1000}{\sqrt{3}*U_{L-L}} * CT = \frac{10.5*1000}{\sqrt{3}*11} * \frac{5}{600} = 4.593$$

<u>A differential protection start-up test</u>

 $Id_{Prim.} = Id_{Sec.} = TAP * SLP_1 = 4.593 * 0.3 = 1.378A$ 



Transformer overcurrent protection calculation calculation



The current transformer has a transmission of pp = 300/5A and is connected to the primary winding of the transformer. At the nominal current of the primary winding for a given section  $I_N = 209.5 A$ .

The current transformer has a transmission of pp = 600/5A and is connected to the secondary winding of the transformer. At the nominal secondary winding current for the given section  $I_N = 419$  A.

The change is that for setting the overcurrent protection for the primary winding we count on a short circuit on the secondary side of the transformer and for the secondary winding of the transformer on the contrary i.e., a short circuit on the primary side of the transformer.



%Grid impedance primary winding TR

 $ZPgrid = c*Un/(sqrt(3)*Ik3grid) = 1*22e3/sqrt(3)*3.2328e3 = 3.929\Omega$ 

 $XPgrid = 0.995 * ZPgrid = 0.995 * 3.929 = 3.909\Omega$ 

*RPgrid* = 0.1 \* XPgrid =  $0.1 * 3.909 = 0.391 \Omega$ 

 $Zpgrid = RPgrid+1j*XPgrid = 0.391+j3.909\Omega$ 

%Grid impedance secondary winding TR

 $ZSgrid = c*Un/(sqrt(3)*Ik3grid) = 1*11e3/sqrt(3)*3.5425e3 = 1.793\Omega$ 

 $XSgrid = 0.995 * Zsgrid = 0.995 * 1.793 = 1.784\Omega$ 

 $RSgrid = 0.1 * XSgrid = 0.1 * 1.784 = 0.178 \Omega$ 

 $ZSgrid = RSgrid+1j*Xsgrid = 0.178+j1.784\Omega$ 



% Nominal feeder current TR

*INP* = 209.5A

*INS = 419A* 

%Primary winding cable impedance TR

 $RlP = p/qn*1000 = 1/54/120*1000 = 0.154\Omega/km$ 

 $XlP = 0.12\Omega/km$ 

 $ZPline = l^{*}(RlP + 1j^{*}XlP) = 0.075^{*}(0.154 + j0.12) = 0.012 + j0.009\Omega$ 

%Secondary winding cable impedance TR

 $RlS = p/qn*1000 = 1/54/300*1000 = 0.062\Omega/km$ 

 $XlS = 0.1\Omega/km$ 

 $ZSline = l^{*}(RlS + 1j^{*}XlS) = 0.05^{*}(0.062 + j0.1) = 0.003 + j0.005\Omega$ 



%Transformer impedance calculation

ur = dPk/Sn = 0.0036

$$\begin{split} Rt &= (ur^*Un1^2)/Sn = (0.0036^*22e3^2)/10e6 = 0.174\Omega \\ ux &= sqrt(uk^2-ur^2) = sqrt(0.06^2-0.0036^2) = 0.0599 \\ Xt &= (ux^*Un1^2)/Sn = (0.0599^*22e3^2)/10e6 = 2.899\Omega \\ Kt1 &= 0.95^*c/(1+0.6^*(Xt/(Un1^2/Sn))) \\ &= 0.95^*1/(1+0.6^*(2.899/(22e3^2/10e6))) = 0.917 \\ Z1T1 &= Kt1^*(Rt+1j^*Xt) = 0.917^*(0.174+j2.899) = 0.16+j2.658\Omega \end{split}$$



%Calculation of short-circuit current of primary winding TR

 $Z1P = ZSgrid*((22e3/11e3)^2) + ZSline*((22e3/11e3)^2) + Z1T1$ 

 $= (0.178 + j1.784) * ((22e3/11e3)^2) + (0.003 + j0.005) * ((22e3/11e3)^2) + (0.16 + j2.658) = 0.886 + j9.814\Omega$ 

Ik3P = (c\*Un)/(sqrt(3)\*abs(Zk1)) = 1\*22e3/sqrt(3)\*abs(Z1P) = 1.289kA

Ik2P = sqrt(3)/2\*Ik3P = sqrt(3)/2\*1.289e3 = 1.116kA

%Calculation of short-circuit current of secondary winding TR  $Z1S = ZPgrid*((11e3/22e3)^{2})+ZPline*((11e3/22e3)^{2})+Z1T1*((11e3/22e3)^{2})$   $=(0.391+j3.909)*((11e3/22e3)^{2})+(0.012+j0.009)*((11e3/22e3)^{2})+0.16+j2.658*((11e3/22e3)^{2})$   $= 0.141+j1.644\Omega$ 

Ik3S = (c\*Un)/(sqrt(3)\*abs(Zk1)) = 1\*11e3/sqrt(3)\*abs(Z1P) = 3.849kA

Ik2S = sqrt(3)/2\*Ik3S = sqrt(3)/2\*3.849e3 = 3.333kA



%Calculation of the inrush current of the primary winding overload

I > P = (kb\*INP)/(kp\*pp) = (1.1\*209.5)/(0.95\*300/5) = 4.043A

%Calculation of the inrush current of the secondary winding overload

I > S = (kb\*INS)/(kp\*pp) = (1.1\*419)/(0.95\*600/5) = 4.043A

%Calculation of the inrush current of protection for short-circuits of the primary winding

I >> P = (0.8\*Ik2S)/(kc\*pp) = (0.8\*3.333e3)/(1.5\*300/5) = 29.627A

%Calculation of the inrush current of the protection for short-circuits of the secondary winding

I >> S = (0.8\*Ik2P)/(kc\*pp) = (0.8\*1.116e3)/(1.5\*600/5) = 4.96A



% Protection inrush current for primary TR overload

 $I_{>} \leq I_{R>}$  $4.043A \leq I_{R>}$  $I_{R>} = 4.5A$ 

%Protection inrush current value for primary TR short circuit

 $I_{\gg} \geq I_{R\gg} > I_{R>}$ 29.627 $A \geq I_{R\gg} > 4.5A$  $I_{R\gg} = 7A$ 

We choose the time delay for overload t> 0.25s and for short-circuits, t>> 0s.



%Protection inrush current value for secondary TR overload

 $I_{>} \leq I_{R>}$  $4.043A \leq I_{R>}$  $I_{R>} = 4.1A$ 

%Protection inrush current value for secondary TR short-circuit

 $I_{\gg} \geq I_{R\gg} > I_{R>}$  $4.96A \geq I_{R\gg} > 4.1A$  $I_{R\gg} = 4.8A$ 

We choose the time delay for overload t > 0.25s and for short-circuits, t >> 0s with consideration for protection of other sections only by using fuses and circuit breakers.



## Transformer differential protection setting calculation



Transformer differential protection

Calculation of total error current O87P:

 $I_{d2} = CT_{error} + excitation current + TR_{error} + safety margin + relay errors$ 

 $I_{d2} = 2 * 5\% + 1\% + 5\% + 5\% + 5\% = 26\%$ 

Calculation of the first slope setting:

 $SLP_1 = CT_{error} + excitation current + TR_{error} + safety margin + relay errors$ 

 $SLP_1 = 2 * 7\% + 1\% + 5\% + 5\% + 5\% = 30\%$ 

Calculation of the second slope setting:

 $SLP_2 = 2 * SLP_1 = 60\%$ 



# Transformer differential protection

Calculation of current transformer coefficient:

$$CTR_1 = \frac{300}{5} = 60$$
  $CTR_2 = \frac{600}{5} = 120$ 

<u>The breakpoint IRS1</u> is determined for a stabilization current I<sub>b</sub> in the range of 1.5 to 2.5. For example, we choose 1.5.

<u>The upper limit U87P</u> of the differential current Idmax is chosen in the range 8 to 10. For example, we choose 8.

We set the second harmonic to 20%, and we set the fifth harmonic to 40%.



# Transformer differential protection

The CT TAP compensation factor is calculated according to the relationship:

 $TAP = \frac{S*1000}{\sqrt{3}*U_{L-L}} * CT = \frac{10*1000}{\sqrt{3}*22} * \frac{5}{300} = 4.374$ 

The CT TAP compensation factor is calculated according to the relationship:

$$TAP = \frac{S*1000}{\sqrt{3}*U_{L-L}} * CT = \frac{10*1000}{\sqrt{3}*11} * \frac{5}{600} = 4.374$$

**Differential protection start-up test** 

 $Id_{Prim.} = Id_{Sec.} = TAP * SLP_1 = 4.374 * 0.3 = 1.312A$ 



# Sample connection of set protections and testing



#### *Feeder protection relay SEL-751/751A*

Instructional video manual for measuring SEL-751/751A



https://selinc.com/products/751/?vidId=117499#tab-video

#### **T**UKE **moode**

https://moodle.tuke.sk/moodle/mod/resource/view.php?id=50793



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aWA-BxFz1vM&t=1s



#### *Feeder protection relay SEL-751/751A*

Wiring diagram from the video measurement manual REF 543









#### *Generator protection relay SEL-700G/700GT*

Instructional video manual for measuring SEL-700G/700GT

#### **T**TUKE **moodle**

https://moodle.tuke.sk/moodle/mod/resource/view.php?id=50810

🕨 YouTube

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Pk44-tIxNDU



#### *Generator protection relay SEL-700G/700GT*

Wiring diagram from the video manual for measuring SEL-700GT









#### *Transformer protection relay SEL-787*

Instructional video manual for measuring SEL-787

SEL-787 overcurrent protection

#### **T**UKE **moodle**

https://moodle.tuke.sk/moodle/mod/resource/view.php?id=50818



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Qm3J9yngE5I



#### *Transformer protection SEL-787 overcurrent primary*

Wiring diagram from the video manual for measuring SEL-787









#### Transformer protection SEL-787 overcurrent secondary

Wiring diagram from the video manual for measuring SEL-787









#### *Transformer protection relay SEL-787*

Instructional video manual for measuring SEL-787

**Differential protection SEL-787** 

#### **T**UKE **moode**

https://moodle.tuke.sk/moodle/mod/resource/view.php?id=50828



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=d8hEM48tIh4



#### *Transformer protection relay SEL-787*

Wiring diagram from the video manual for measuring SEL-787









# Sample connection and testing using SEL-AMS



### SEL-AMS relay test system

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The LEDs on the front panel show the status of the test equipment inputs and outputs

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3 SEL-AMS (4000) relay test device On / Off Switch

Switch for switching on / off the DC power supply 24V and 125V.

•	0	SENSE INPUT STATUS CONTACT OUTPUT STATUS 1 2 3 4 5 6 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 CONTACT OUTPUT STATUS CONTACT OUTPUT	
		SEL-AMS ADAPTIVE MULTICHANNEL SOURCE	
		MAIN POWER   SUPPLY 2   Supply 2   Supply 2   Supply 3	



### SEL-AMS relay test system

Analog outputs for powering current and voltage inputs of the protection relay.

3 DC power supply outputs for 24V and 125V

5 SEL-AMS (4000) power connector and ground terminal





Switching contact output strip





SEL-AMS relay test system

#### **SEL-AMS relay test system parameters**

Frequency range 10 - 300 Hz

The input signal time must not exceed 255 milliseconds.

*The voltage and current range cannot reach 3.535 times the preset output values for each protection relay.* 

#### **Example for SEL-787**

Voltage range 0 - 720 V

Current range 0 - 374.5 A

Software required to control the SEL-5401 tester.



### SEL-AMS relay test system

Compatibility with the tested relay is also a condition of using this SEL-AMS relay test system. This can easily be seen by looking at board E (input board for CT and VT), where the inputs for connecting the ribbon cable and the contacts of the AMS must be available.





### SEL-AMS relay test system

#### Wiring diagram of SEL-AMS and tested relay





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