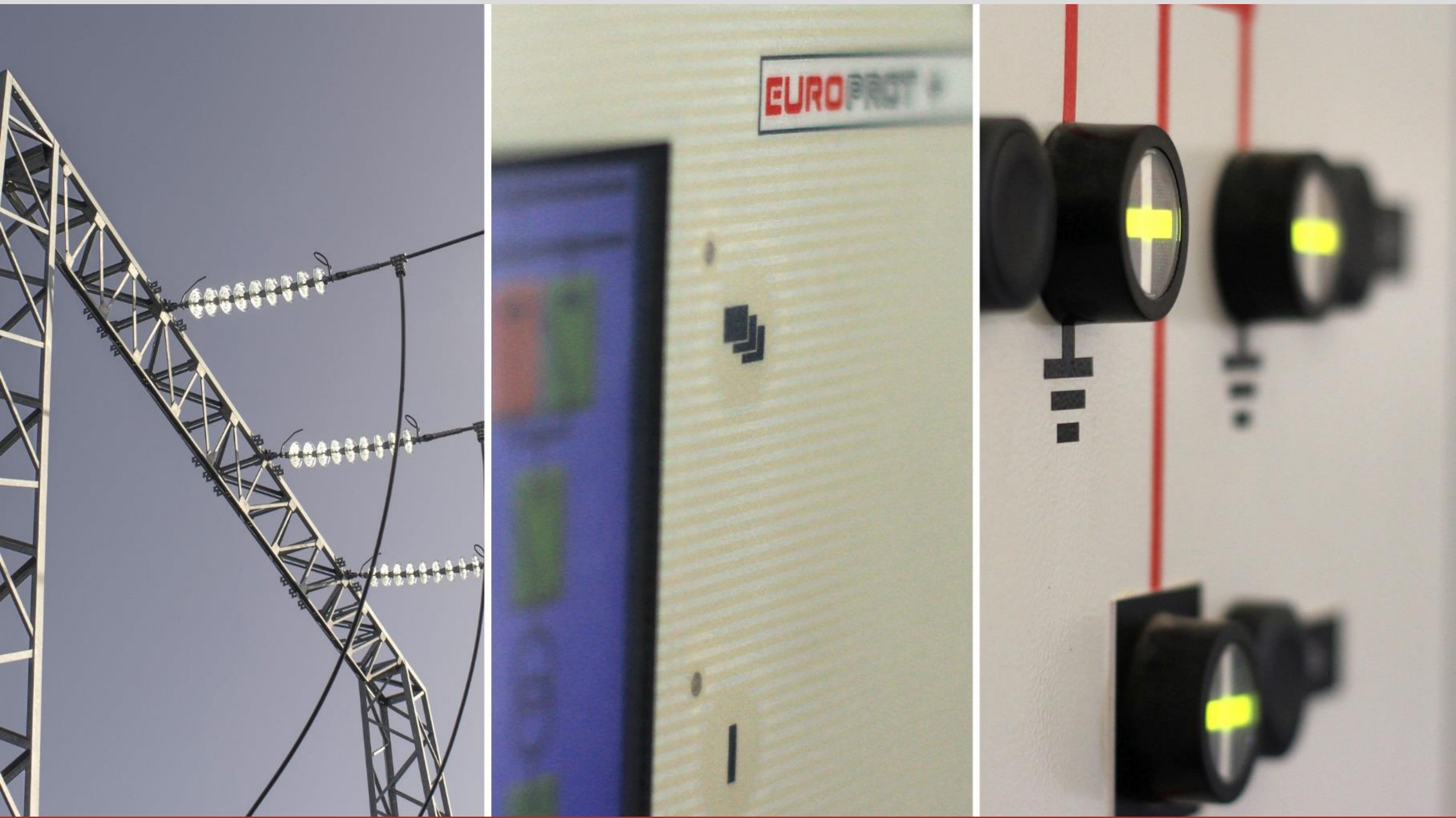

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EuroProt+ DTVA type

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1 Introduction

The DTVA product type is a member of the ***EuroProt+*** product line, made by Protecta Co. Ltd. The ***EuroProt+*** omplex protection in respect of hardware and software is a modular device. The modules are assembled and configured according to the requirements, and then the software determines the functions. This manual describes the DTVA product type.

1.1 Application

The DTVA product type is configured to protect, control and supervise the elements of the transmission network, where systems are typically solidly grounded. In these networks single phase-to-ground faults result in high currents, similar to line-to-line faults; therefore, both fault types need fast protection functions.

The relays of this type can be used for single- or three-phase tripping and support double breaker terminals such as breaker and a half or ring bus topology.

The main protection functions of the DTVA type include high-speed distance protection with five independent protection zones and line differential protection. The relays support the general teleprotection schemes (POTT, PUTT etc.).

Additionally, the DTVA product type includes a variety of versatile protection functions: directional and non-directional overcurrent protections, voltage-based protections and frequency-based protections.

The HV automatic reclosing function provides multi-shot autoreclosing with a synchro-check feature. The dead times can be set individually for each reclosing and separately for single-phase faults and multi-phase faults.

Because of the implemented control, measuring and monitoring function, the IEDs can also be used as a bay control unit.

The EuroCAP configuration tool, which is available free of charge, offers a user-friendly and flexible application for protection, control and measurement functions to ensure that the IED-EP+ devices are fully customizable.

1.1.1 General features

- Native IEC 61850 IED with Edition 2 compatibility
- Scalable hardware to adapt to different applications
- 84 HP or 42HP wide rack size (height: 3U)
- The pre-defined factory configuration can be customized to the user's specification with the powerful EuroCAP tool
- Flexible protection and control functionality to meet special customer requirements
- Advanced HMI functionality via color touchscreen and embedded WEB server, extended measuring, control and monitoring functions
- User configurable LCD user screens, which can display SLDs (Single Line Diagrams) with switchgear position indication and control as well as measuring values and several types of controllable objects.
- Various protection setting groups available
- Enhanced breaker monitoring and control
- High capacity disturbance recorder (DRE) and event logging (data is stored in non-volatile memory):
    - DRE for up to 32 analogue and 64 digital signal channels.
    - Event recorder can store more than 10,000 events.
- Several mounting methods: Rack; Flush mounting; Semi-flush mounting; Wall mounting; Wall-mounting with terminals; Flush mounting with IP54 rated cover.

- Wide range of communication protocols:
  - Ethernet-based communication: IEC61850; IEC60870-5-104; DNP3.0 TCP; Modbus TCP
  - Serial communication: DNP3.0; IEC60870-5-101/103; MODBUS, SPA
- The EuroProt+ family can handle several communication protocols simultaneously.
- Built-in self-monitoring to detect internal hardware or software errors
- Different time sources available: NTP server; Minute pulse; Legacy protocol master; IRIG-B000 or IRIG-B12X, IEEE1588 (PTP; firmware 2.10.2.3018-H1 and up)

1.2 Pre-defined configuration variants

The number and the functionality of the members of each product type is put together according to the application philosophy, keeping in mind the possible main usages. The available configurations of the DTVA type are listed in the table below.

VARIANT	MAIN APPLICATION
E1-Line	High-voltage distance protection, control and automation
E2-Line	Combined high-voltage distance and line differential protection, control and automation

Table 1-1 The members of the DTVA type

1.3 Meeting the device

Each configuration of has its own basic hardware arrangement according to the contained functions. The remaining free slots are filled up according to the user's requirements during ordering.

The technical specification of the hardware of the device (detailed descriptions of the modules, compliance to the IEC standards, etc.) is in the document "***Hardware description***" which can be found on the protecta website:
https://www.protecta.hu/protecta_open/fileOpen.php?documentation=10

The devices are made in two sizes, see the pictures below.

*Figure 1-1 The 84HP (19") rack of **EuroProt+** family*

*Figure 1-2 The 42HP (½*19") rack of **EuroProt+** family*

The basic information for working with the ***EuroProt+*** devices are described in the document "***Operating Manual and Troubleshooting Guide - system version: 2.10***" which can be found on the Protecta website:
https://www.protecta.hu/downloads/downloads_epplus_operating_manual_2.10

2 Function and I/O listing

The functions listed in Table 2-1 on the next page are the ones that are present most commonly in the configurations, thus they can be considered as factory default arrangements. The hardware information corresponds to the maximum available number of digital I/O, and the default number of analog inputs.

For short descriptions for each function please refer to Chapter 3. Detailed information is available in their respective stand-alone descriptions on the Protecta website after logging in.

*The 'INST.' column contains the numbers of the pre-configured function blocks in the factory configuration. These numbers may be different in order to meet the user's requirements.

Transmission line protection, control & automation							
					FAMILY	EuroProt+	
					TYPE	DTVA	
					CONFIGURATION	E1	E2
HARDWARE					CT inputs	4	4
HARDWARE					VT inputs	4	4
HARDWARE					Digital inputs (max)	128	128
HARDWARE					Signaling relay outputs (max)	60	60
HARDWARE					Fast Trip outputs (max)	12	12
FUNCTIONALITY		Function name	IEC	ANSI	*INST.	E1	E2
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Distance protection HV	Z <,FL	21	1	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Teleprotection		85	1	op.	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Switch onto fault preparation function			1	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Synchrocheck	SYNC	25	1	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Definite time undervoltage protection	U <, U <<	27	2	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Directional overpower	P >	32	2	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Directional underpower	P <	37	2	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Negative sequence overcurrent protection	I2 >	46	1	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Negative sequence overvoltage protection	U2 >	47	2	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Thermal protection line	T >	49	1	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Three-phase instantaneous overcurrent protection	I >>>	50	1	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Residual instantaneous overcurrent protection	Io >>>	50N	1	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Breaker failure protection	CBFP	50BF	1	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Three-phase time overcurrent protection	I >, I >>	51	2	✔	Op.
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Residual time overcurrent protection	Io >, Io >>	51N	2	✔	Op.
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Definite time overvoltage protection	U >, U >>	59	2	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Residual overvoltage protection	Uo >, Uo >>	59N	2	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Three-phase directional overcurrent protection	I Dir >, I Dir >>	67	2	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Residual directional overcurrent protection	Io Dir >, Io Dir >>	67N	2	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Power swing detection	ΔZ/Δt	68	1	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Inrush detection and blocking	I2h >	68	1	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Out-of-step/Pole slip	ΔZ/Δt	78	1	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Auto-reclose HV	0 - > 1	79	1	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Overfrequency protection	f >, f >>	81O	2	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Underfrequency protection	f <, f <<	81U	2	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Rate of change of frequency protection	df/dt	81R	2	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Protection	Line differential	3IdL >	87L	1		✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Control & supervision	Trip Logic		94	1	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Control & supervision	Lockout Trip Logic		86	1	Op.	Op.
FUNCTIONALITY	Control & supervision	Busbar sub-unit				Op.	
FUNCTIONALITY	Control & supervision	Bay control				✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Control & supervision	Circuit breaker wear				✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Control & supervision	Circuit breaker control				✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Control & supervision	Disconnector control				✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Control & supervision	Ethernet Links				Op.	Op.
FUNCTIONALITY	Control & supervision	Trip Circuit Supervision		74TC		✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Control & supervision	Fuse failure (VTS)		60	1	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Control & supervision	Current unbalance protection		60	1	✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Measuring	Current input				✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Measuring	Voltage input				✔	✔
FUNCTIONALITY	Measuring	Line measurement				✔	✔

Table 2-1 Basic functionality and I/O

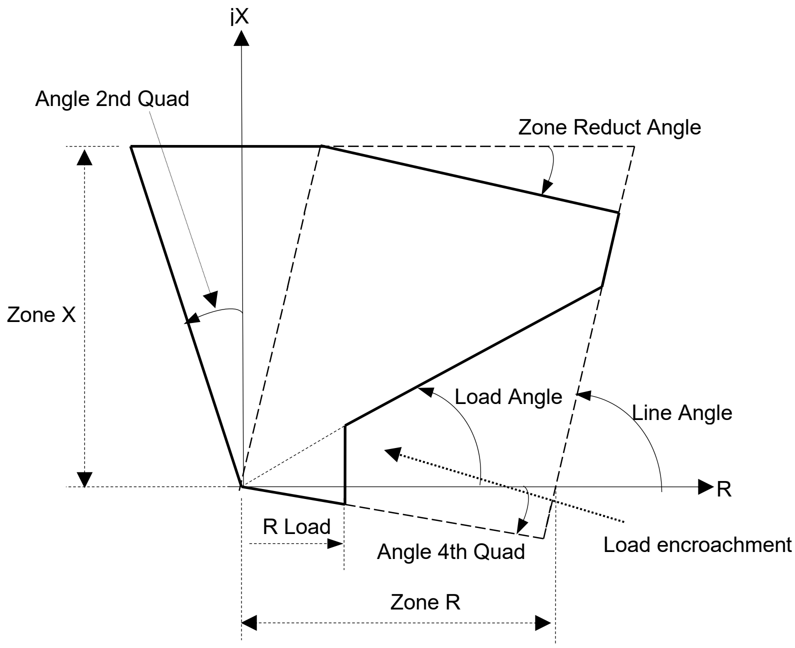
3 Software configuration

3.1 Protection functions

3.1.1 Distance protection function (DIS21)

The distance protection function provides main protection for overhead lines and cables of solidly grounded networks. Its main features are as follows:

- A full-scheme system provides continuous measurement of impedance separately in three independent phase-to-phase measuring loops as well as in three independent phase-to-earth measuring loops.
- The complex earth fault compensation factor is applied for correct impedance measuring on single-phase-to-earth fault.
- Analogue input processing is applied to the zero sequence current of the parallel line.
- Impedance calculation is conditional of the values of phase currents being sufficient. The current is considered to be sufficient for impedance calculation if it is above the level set by parameter.
- To decide the presence or absence of the zero sequence current, biased characteristics are applied.
- Full-scheme faulty phase identification by minimum impedance detection.
- Five independent distance protection zones are configured.
- The operating decision is based on polygon-shaped characteristics by default, that is the one described here. Optionally, other characteristics are also available:
    - Polygon characteristics for all types of faults (default)
    - Mho characteristics for all types of faults
    - Polygon for Ph-Ph faults and Mho for Ph-N faults
    - Mho for Ph-Ph faults and Polygon for Ph-N faults
    - Polygon and mho characteristics (basically two functions at the same time)
    - (for other special combinations please contact Protecta)



- Load encroachment characteristics can be selected (see Figure) determined by two parameters.
- The directional decision is dynamically based on:
    - measured loop voltages if they are sufficient for decision,
    - healthy phase voltages if they are available for asymmetrical faults,
    - voltages stored in the memory if they are available,
- Directional decision of any zones can be reversed.
- The operation of any zones is non-directional if it is optionally selected.
- The distance protection function can operate properly if CVT is applied as well.

- Non-directional impedance protection function or high speed OC protection function is applied in case of switch-onto-fault.
- Distance-to-fault evaluation is implemented (fault locator function).
- Binary input signals and conditions can influence the operation:
  - blocking/enabling
  - VT failure signal
- Integrated high-speed overcurrent back-up function is also implemented.
- The power swing detection function can block the distance protection function in case of stable swings, or it can generate a trip command if the system operates out of step.

Technical data

Function	Value
Number of zones	5
Rated current (In)	1/5A, parameter setting
Rated voltage (Un)	100/200V phase to phase, parameter setting
Effective range – current	50% – 2000% In
Operating range – current	10% – 5000% In
Effective range – voltage	10% – 130% Un
Operating range – voltage	0% – 130% Un
Effective and operating range – frequency fn = 50 Hz fn = 60 Hz	 49Hz – 51Hz 58.8Hz – 61.2Hz
Impedance effective setting range (may differ from the technical setting range of the parameters) Un = 57,74V; In = 1A Un = 57,74V; In = 5A	 0.1 –200Ω 0.1 – 40Ω
Characteristic accuracy ε_X Un = 57,74V In = 1A; fn = 50 Hz Un = 57,74V In = 1A; fn = 60 Hz	 ± 1,6 % ± 1,8 %
Characteristic accuracy ε_R Un = 57,74V In = 1A; fn = 50 Hz Un = 57,74V In = 1A; fn = 60 Hz	 ± 3,6 % ± 2,8 %
Basic directional accuracy	± 0,9°
Operate time (Zone 1)	27ms ± 8ms
Min. operate time	19 ms
Time delay accuracy (t = 30 sec)	± 2,7 ms
Reset time	68 ms
Reset ratio	1.1

Table 3-1 Technical data of the distance protection function

Measured values

Measured value	Dim.	Explanation
ZL1 = RL1+j XL1	ohm	Measured positive sequence impedance in the L1N loop, using the zero sequence current compensation factor for zone 1
ZL2 = RL2+j XL2	ohm	Measured positive sequence impedance in the L2N loop, using the zero sequence current compensation factor for zone 1
ZL3 = RL3+j XL3	ohm	Measured positive sequence impedance in the L3N loop, using the zero sequence current compensation factor for zone 1
ZL1L2 = RL1L2+j XL1L2	ohm	Measured positive sequence impedance in the L1L2 loop
ZL2L3 = RL2L3+j XL2L3	ohm	Measured positive sequence impedance in the L2L3 loop
ZL3L1 = RL3L1+j XL3L1	ohm	Measured positive sequence impedance in the L3L1 loop
Fault location	km	Measured distance to fault
Fault react.	ohm	Measured reactance in the fault loop

Table 3-2 Measured values of the distance protection function

Parameters

Enumerated parameters

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Parameters to select directionality of the individual zones:			
DIS21_Z1_EPar_	Operation Zone1	Off, Forward, Backward	Forward
DIS21_Z2_EPar_	Operation Zone2	Off, Forward, Backward, NonDirectional	Forward
DIS21_Z3_EPar_	Operation Zone3	Off, Forward, Backward, NonDirectional	Forward
DIS21_Z4_EPar_	Operation Zone4	Off, Forward, Backward, NonDirectional	Forward
DIS21_Z5_EPar_	Operation Zone5	Off, Forward, Backward, NonDirectional	Backward
Parameters for power swing detection:			
DIS21_PSD_EPar_	Operation PSD	Off,1 out of 3, 2 out of 3, 3 out of 3	1 out of 3
Parameter enabling “out-of-step” function:			
DIS21_Out_EPar_	Oper OutOfStep	Off, On	Off
Parameter for selecting one of the zones or “high speed overcurrent protection” for the “switch-onto-fault” function:			
DIS21_SOTFMd_EPar _	SOTF Zone	Off, Zone1, Zone2, Zone3, Zone4, Zone5, HSOC	Zone1

Table 3-3 The enumerated parameters of the distance protection function

Boolean parameters

To generate trip command (0) or to indicate starting only (1):

Parameter name	Title	Default	Explanation
DIS21_Z1St_BPar_	Zone1 Start Only	0	0 for Zone1 to generate trip command
DIS21_Z2St_BPar_	Zone2 Start Only	0	0 for Zone2 to generate trip command
DIS21_Z3St_BPar_	Zone3 Start Only	0	0 for Zone3 to generate trip command
DIS21_Z4St_BPar_	Zone4 Start Only	0	0 for Zone4 to generate trip command
DIS21_Z5St_BPar_	Zone5 Start Only	0	0 for Zone5 to generate trip command

Table 3-4 The boolean parameters of the distance protection function

Integer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Definition of minimal current enabling impedance calculation:						
DIS21_Imin_IPar_	IPh Base Sens	%	10	30	1	20
Definition of zero sequence current characteristic enabling impedance calculation in phase-to-earth loops:						
DIS21_IoBase_IPar_	IRes Base Sens	%	10	50	1	10
DIS21_IoBias_IPar_	IRes Bias	%	5	30	1	10
Definition of the polygon characteristic angle in the 4th quadrant of the impedance plane:						
DIS21_dirRX_IPar_	Angle 4th Quad	deg	0	30	1	15
Definition of the polygon characteristic angle in the 2nd quadrant of the impedance plane:						
DIS21_dirXR_IPar_	Angle 2nd Quad	deg	0	30	1	15
Definition of the polygon characteristic's zone reduction angle on the impedance plane:						
DIS21_Cut_IPar_	Zone Reduct Angle	deg	0	40	1	0
Definition of the load angle of the polygon characteristic:						
DIS21_LdAng_IPar_	Load Angle	deg	0	45	1	30
Definition of the line angle:						
DIS21_LinAng_IPar_	Line Angle	deg	45	90	1	75
Definition of the ratio of the characteristics for power swing detection:						
DIS21_RRat_IPar_	PSD R_out/R_in	%	120	160	1	130
DIS21_XRat_IPar_	PSD X_out/X_in	%	120	160	1	130
Definition of the overcurrent setting for the switch-onto-fault function, for the case where the DIS21_SOTFMd_EPar_ (SOTF Zone) parameter is set to "HSOC":						
DIS21_SOTFOC_IPar_	SOTF Current	%	10	1000	1	200

Table 3-5 The integer parameters of the distance protection function

Floating point parameters

Parameter name	Title	Dim.	Min	Max	Default
R and X setting values for the five zones individually:					
DIS21_Z1R_FPar	Zone1 R	ohm	0.1	200	10
DIS21_Z2R_FPar	Zone2 R	ohm	0.1	200	10
DIS21_Z3R_FPar	Zone3 R	ohm	0.1	200	10
DIS21_Z4R_FPar	Zone4 R	ohm	0.1	200	10
DIS21_Z5R_FPar	Zone5 R	ohm	0.1	200	10
DIS21_Z1X_FPar	Zone1 X	ohm	0.1	200	10
DIS21_Z2X_FPar	Zone2 X	ohm	0.1	200	10
DIS21_Z3X_FPar	Zone3 X	ohm	0.1	200	10
DIS21_Z4X_FPar	Zone4 X	ohm	0.1	200	10
DIS21_Z5X_FPar	Zone5 X	ohm	0.1	200	10
Load encroachment setting:					
DIS21_LdR_FPar	R Load	ohm	0.1	200	10
Zero sequence current compensation factors for the five zones individually:					
DIS21_Z1aX_FPar_	Zone1 (Xo-X1)/3X1		0	5	1
DIS21_Z1aR_FPar_	Zone1 (Ro-R1)/3R1		0	5	1
DIS21_Z2aX_FPar_	Zone2 (Xo-X1)/3X1		0	5	1
DIS21_Z2aR_FPar_	Zone2 (Ro-R1)/3R1		0	5	1
DIS21_Z3aX_FPar_	Zone3 (Xo-X1)/3X1		0	5	1
DIS21_Z3aR_FPar_	Zone3 (Ro-R1)/3R1		0	5	1
DIS21_Z4aX_FPar_	Zone4 (Xo-X1)/3X1		0	5	1
DIS21_Z4aR_FPar_	Zone4 (Ro-R1)/3R1		0	5	1
DIS21_Z5aX_FPar_	Zone5 (Xo-X1)/3X1		0	5	1
DIS21_Z5aR_FPar_	Zone5 (Ro-R1)/3R1		0	5	1
Parallel line coupling factor:					
DIS21_a2X_FPar_	Par Line Xm/3X1		0	5	0
DIS21_a2R_FPar_	Par Line Rm/3R1		0	5	0
Data of the protected line for displaying distance:					
DIS21_Lgth_FPar_	Line Length	km	0.1	1000	100
DIS21_LReact_FPar_	Line Reactance	ohm	0.1	200	10
Characteristics for the power swing detection function:					
DIS21_Xin_FPar	PSD Xinner	ohm	0.1	200	10
DIS21_Rin_FPar	PSD Rinner	ohm	0.1	200	10

Table 3-6 The floating point parameters of the distance protection function

Timer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Time delay for the zones individually:						
DIS21_Z1Del_TPar_	Zone1 Time Delay	ms	0	60000	1	0
DIS21_Z2Del_TPar_	Zone2 Time Delay	ms	0	60000	1	400
DIS21_Z3Del_TPar_	Zone3 Time Delay	ms	0	60000	1	800
DIS21_Z4Del_TPar_	Zone4 Time Delay	ms	0	60000	1	2000
DIS21_Z5Del_TPar_	Zone5 Time Delay	ms	0	60000	1	2000
Parameters for the power swing detection function:						
DIS21_PSDDel_TPar_	PSD Time Delay	ms	10	1000	1	40
DIS21_PSDSlow_TPar_	Very Slow Swing	ms	100	10000	1	500
DIS21_PSDRes_TPar_	PSD Reset	ms	100	10000	1	500
DIS21_OutPs_TPar_	OutOfStep Pulse	ms	50	10000	1	150

Table 3-7 The timer parameters of the distance protection function

3.1.2 Teleprotection function

The non-unit protection functions, generally distance protection, can have two, three or even more zones available. These are usually arranged so that the shortest zone corresponds to an impedance slightly smaller than that of the protected section (underreach) and is normally instantaneous in operation. Zones with longer reach settings are normally time-delayed to achieve selectivity.

As a consequence of the underreach setting, faults near the ends of the line are cleared with a considerable time delay. To accelerate this kind of operation, protective devices at the line ends exchange logic signals (teleprotection). These signals can be direct trip command, permissive or blocking signals.

In some applications even the shortest zone corresponds to an impedance larger than that of the protected section (overreach).

As a consequence of the overreach setting, faults outside the protected line would also cause an immediate trip command that is not selective. To prevent such unselective tripping, protective devices at the line ends exchange blocking logic signals.

The combination of the underreach – overreach settings with direct trip command, permissive of blocking signals facilitates several standard solutions, with the aim of accelerating the trip command while maintaining selectivity.

The teleprotection function block is pre-programmed for some of these modes of operation. The required solution is selected by parameter setting; the user has to assign the appropriate inputs by graphic programming.

Similarly, the user has to assign the “send” signal to a relay output and to transmit it to the far end relay. The trip command is directed graphically to the appropriate input of the trip logic, which will energize the trip coil.

Depending on the selected mode of operation, the simple binary signal sent and received via a communication channel can have several meanings:

- Direct trip command
- Permissive signal
- Blocking signal

To increase the reliability of operation, in this implementation of the telecommunication function the sending end generates a signal, which can be transmitted via two different channels.

NOTE: the type of the communication channel is not considered here. It can be

- Pilot wire
- Fiber optic channel
- High frequency signal over transmission line
- Radio or microwave
- Binary communication network
- Etc.

The function receives the binary signal via optically isolated inputs. It is assumed that the signal received through the communication channel is converted to a DC binary signal matching the binary input requirements.

For the selection of one of the standard modes of operation, the function offers two enumerated parameters, Operation and PUTT Trip. With the parameter Operation, the following options are available: PUTT, POTT, Dir. Comparison, Dir. Blocking, DUTT while with the parameter PUTT Trip: with Start,with Overreach can be set.

Permissive Underreach Transfer Trip (PUTT)

The IEC standard name of this mode of operation is Permissive Underreach Protection (PUP).

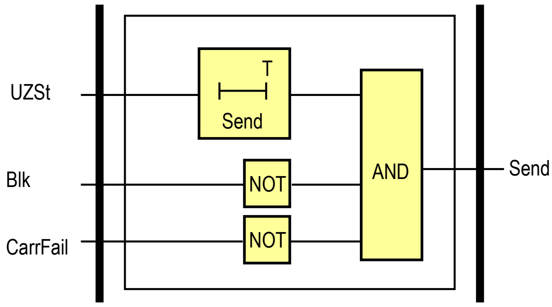
The protection system uses telecommunication, with underreach setting at each section end. The signal is transmitted when a fault is detected by the underreach zone. Receipt of the signal at the other end initiates tripping if other local permissive conditions are also fulfilled, depending on parameter setting.

For trip command generation using the parameter SCH85_PUTT_EPar_ (PUTT Trip), the following options are available:

- with Start
- with Overreach

Permissive Underreach Transfer Trip (PUTT) with start

The protection system uses telecommunication, with underreach setting at each section end. The signal is transmitted when a fault is detected by the underreach zone. The signal is prolonged by a drop-down timer. Receipt of the signal at the other end initiates tripping in the local protection if it is in a started state.



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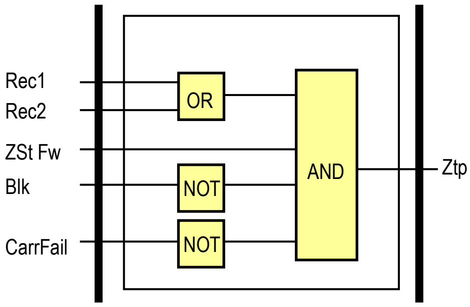

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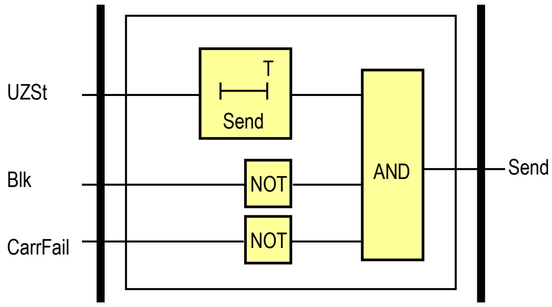
Permissive Underreach Transfer Trip (PUTT) with Overreach

The protection system uses telecommunication, with underreach setting at each section end. The signal is transmitted when a fault is detected by the underreach zone. The signal is prolonged by a drop-down timer. Receipt of the signal at the other end initiates tripping if the local overreaching zone detects fault.



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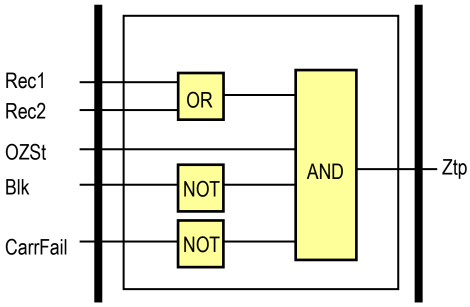

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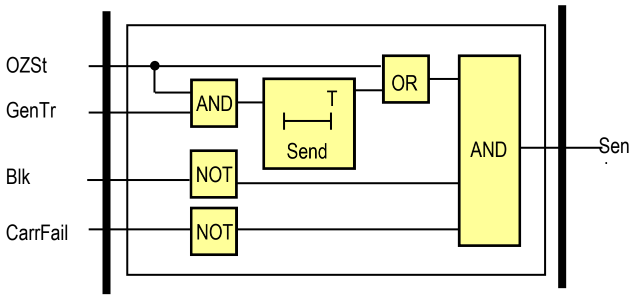
Permissive Overreach Transfer Trip (POTT)

The IEC standard name of this mode of operation is Permissive Overreach Protection (POP).

The protection system uses telecommunication, with overreach setting at each section end. The signal is transmitted when a fault is detected by the overreach zone. This signal is prolonged if a general trip command is generated. Receipt of the signal at the other end permits the initiation of tripping by the local overreach zone.



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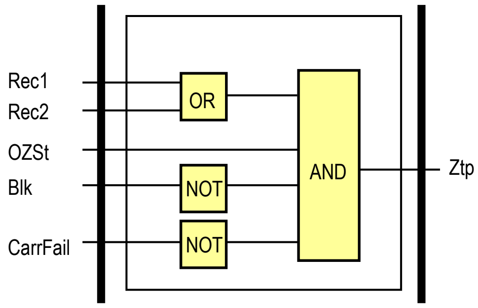

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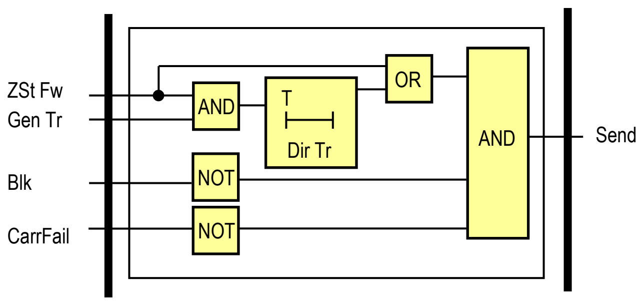
Directional comparison (Dir.Comparison)

The protection system uses telecommunication. The signal is transmitted when a fault is detected in forward direction. This signal is prolonged if a general trip command is generated. Receipt of the signal at the other end permits the initiation of tripping by the local protection if it detected a fault in forward direction.



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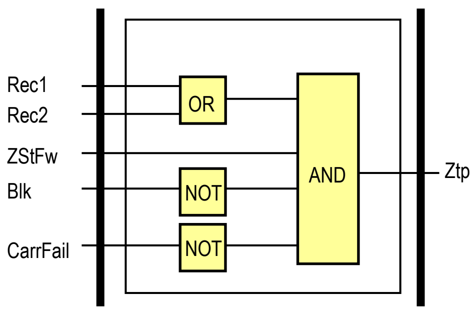

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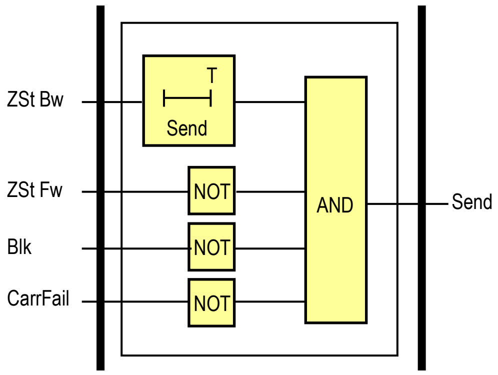
Blocking directional comparison (Dir.Blocking)

The IEC standard name of this mode of operation is Blocking Overreach Protection (BOP).

The protection system uses telecommunication, with overreach setting at each section end. The blocking signal is transmitted when a reverse external fault is detected. The signal is prolonged by a drop-down timer. For the trip command, the forward fault detection is delayed to allow time for a blocking signal to be received from the opposite end. Receipt of the signal at the other end blocks the initiation of tripping of the local protection. The received signal is accepted only if the duration is longer then the parameter *Min.Block Time*, and the signal is prolonged by a drop-down timer.



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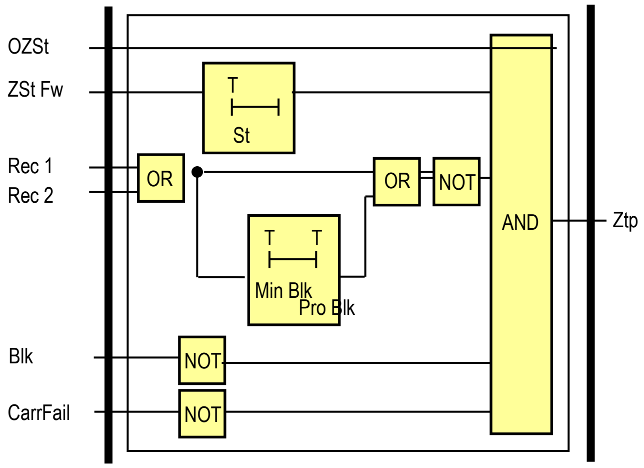

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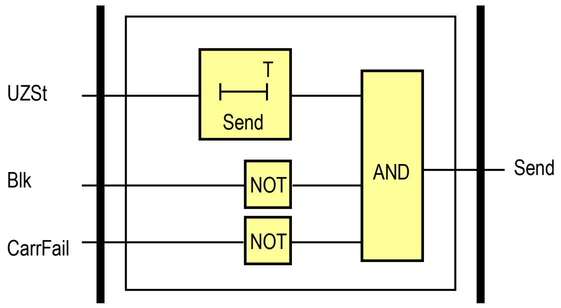
Direct underreaching transfer trip (DUTT)

The IEC standard name of this mode of operation is Intertripping Underreach Protection (IUP). The protection system uses telecommunication, with underreach setting at each section end. The signal is transmitted when a fault is detected by the underreach zone. Receipt of the signal at the other end initiates tripping, independent of the state of the local protection.



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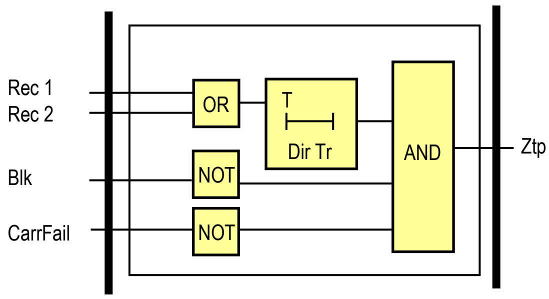

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Technical data

Function	Accuracy
Operate time accuracy	±5% or ±15 ms, whichever is greater

Parameters

Enumerated parameters

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Parameter for teleprotection type selection:			
SCH85_**Op**_EPar_	Operation	Off, PUTT, POTT, Dir. comparison, Dir. blocking, DUTT	Off
Parameter for PUTT type selection:			
SCH85_**PUTT**_EPar_	PUTT Trip	with Start, with Overreach	with Over-reach

Timer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Send signal prolong time:						
SCH85_**Send**_TPar_	Send Prolong time	ms	1	10000	1	10
Received direct trip delay time for DUTT:						
SCH85_**DirTr**_TPar_	Direct Trip delay DUTT	ms	1	10000	1	10
Forward fault detection delaying for Dir. Blocking:						
SCH85_**St**_TPar_	Z Start delay (block)	ms	1	10000	1	10
Duration limit for Dir. Blocking:						
SCH85_**MinBlk**_TPar_	Min. Block time	ms	1	10000	1	10
Prolong duration for Dir. Blocking:						
SCH85_**ProBlk**_TPar_	Prolong Block time	ms	1	10000	1	10

Binary output status signals

Binary output status signals	Signal title	Explanation
SCH85_**Ztp**_Grl_	Z Teleprot. Trip	Teleprotection trip command
SCH85_**Send**_Grl_	Send signal	Teleprotection signal to be transmitted to the far end

Binary input status signals

The binary input status signals are the results of logic equations graphically edited by the user.

Binary input signals	Signal title	Explanation
SCH85_**Blk**_GrO_	Block	Blocking signal
SCH85_**CarFail**_GrO_	Carrier fail	Signal indicating the failure of the communication channel
SCH85_**Rec1**_GrO_	Receive opp.1	Signal 1 received from the opposite end
SCH85_**Rec2**_GrO_	Receive opp.2	Signal 2 received from the opposite end
SCH85_**ZStFw**_GrO_	Z Gen.start Fw	Protection start in forward direction
SCH85_**UZSt**_GrO_	Z Underreach Start	Start of the underreaching zone (e.g. Z1)
SCH85_**OZSt**_GrO_	Z Overreach Start	Start of the overreaching zone (e.g. Z2)
SCH85_**GenTr**_GrO_	General Trip	General protection trip
SCH85_**ZStBw**_GrO_	Z Gen.start Bw	Protection start in backward direction

3.1.3 Switch-onto-fault preparation function (SOTF)

Some protection functions, e.g. distance protection, directional overcurrent protection, etc. also need to decide the direction of the fault. This decision is based on the angle between the voltage and the current. In case of close-up faults, however, the voltage of the faulty loop is near zero: it is not sufficient for a directional decision. If there are no healthy phases, then the voltage samples stored in the memory are applied to decide if the fault is forward or reverse.

If the protected object is energized, the close command for the circuit breaker is received in "dead" condition. This means that the voltage samples stored in the memory have zero values. In this case the decision on the trip command is based on the programming of the protection function for the "switch-onto-fault" condition. This "switch-onto-fault" detection function prepares the conditions for the subsequent decision.

The function can handle both automatic and manual close commands.

The automatic close command is not an input for this function. It receives the "Dead line" status signal from the DLD (dead line detection) function block. After dead line detection, the AutoSOTF binary output is delayed by a timer with a constant 200 ms time delay. After voltage detection (resetting of the dead line detection input signal), the drop-off of the output signal is delayed by a timer set by the user.

The manual close command is an input binary signal. The drop-off of this signal is delayed by a timer with timing set by the user.

The fault detection is the task of the subsequent distance protection, directional overcurrent protection, etc.

The operation of the "switch-onto-fault" detection function is shown in Figure 3-1.

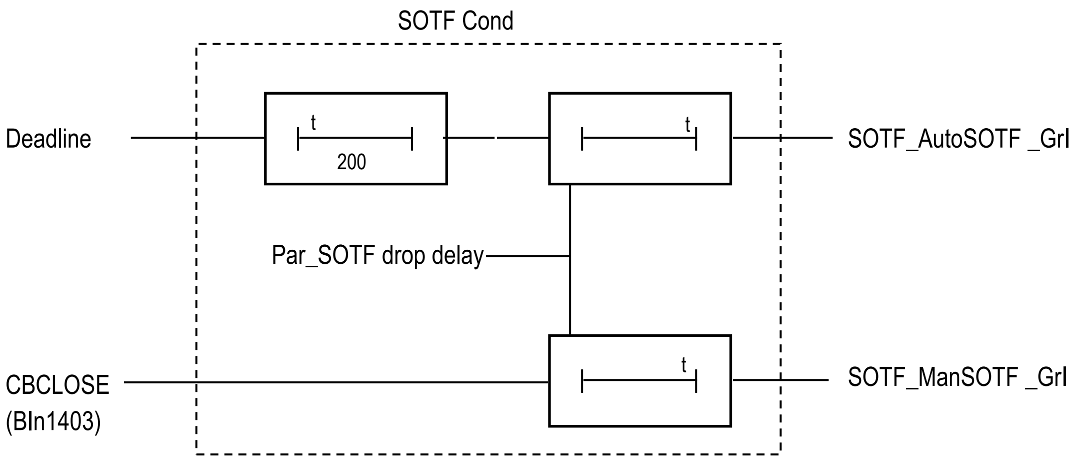

Figure 3-1 The scheme of the "switch-onto-fault" preparation

Technical data

Function	Accuracy
Timer accuracy	±5% or ±15 ms, whichever is greater

Table 3-8 Technical data of the switch-onto-fault detection

Parameters

Timer parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Drop-off time delay for the signal						
SOTF_SOTFDel_TPar_	SOTF Drop Delay	msec	100	10000	1	1000

Table 3-9 The timer parameter of the switch-onto-fault detection function

3.1.4 Synchrocheck function (SYN25)

Several problems can occur in the electric power system if the circuit breaker closes and connects two systems operating asynchronously. The high current surge can cause damage in the interconnecting elements, the accelerating forces can overstress the shafts of rotating machines or, at last, the actions taken by the protective system can result in the unwanted separation of parts of the electric power system.

To prevent such problems, this function checks whether the systems to be interconnected are operating synchronously. If yes, then the close command is transmitted to the circuit breaker. In case of asynchronous operation, the close command is delayed to wait for the appropriate vector position of the voltage vectors on both sides of the circuit breaker. If the conditions for safe closing cannot be fulfilled within an expected time, then closing is declined.

The conditions for safe closing are as follows:

- The difference of the voltage magnitudes is below the declared limit,
- The difference of the frequencies is below the declared limit and
- The angle difference between the voltages on both sides of the circuit breaker is within the declared limit.

The function processes both automatic reclosing and manual close commands.

The limits for automatic reclosing and manual close commands can be set independently of each other.

The function compares the voltage of the line and the voltage of one of the bar sections (Bus1 or Bus2). The bus selection is made automatically based on a binary input signal defined by the user applying the graphic equation editor.

As to voltages: any phase-to-ground or phase-to-phase voltage can be selected.

The function processes the signals of the voltage transformer supervision function and enables the close command only in case of plausible voltages.

There are three modes of operation:

- Energizing check:
  - Dead bus, live line,
  - Live bus, dead line,
  - Any Energizing Case (including Dead bus, dead line).
- Synchro check (Live line, live bus)
- Synchro switch (Live line, live bus)

If the conditions for “Energizing check” or “Synchro check” are fulfilled, then the function generates the release command, and in case of a manual or automatic close request, the close command is generated.

If the conditions for energizing or synchronous operation are not met when the close request is received, then synchronous switching is attempted within the set time-out. In this case, the rotating vectors must fulfill the conditions for safe switching within the declared waiting time: at the moment the contacts of the circuit breaker are closed, the voltage vectors must match each other with appropriate accuracy. For this mode of operation, the expected operating time of the circuit breaker must be set as a parameter value, to generate the close command in advance taking the relative vector rotation speed into consideration.

The started checking procedure can be interrupted by a cancel command defined by the user in the graphic equation editor.

In “bypass” operation mode, the function generates the release signals and simply transmits the close command.

The function can be started by the switching request signals initiated both the automatic reclosing and the manual closing. The binary input signals are defined by the user, applying the graphic equation editor.

Blocking signal of the function are defined by the user, applying the graphic equation editor.

Blocking signal of the voltage transformer supervision function for all voltage sources are defined by the user, applying the graphic equation editor.

Signal to interrupt (cancel) the automatic or the manual switching procedure are defined by the user, applying the graphic equation editor.

Technical data

Function	Effective range	Accuracy in the effective range
Rated Voltage Un	100/200V, parameter setting	
Voltage effective range	10-110 % of Un	±1% of Un
Frequency	47.5 – 52.5 Hz	±10 mHz
Phase angle		±3 °
Operate time	Setting value	±3 ms
Reset time	<50 ms	
Reset ratio	0.95 Un	

Table 3-10 Technical data of the synchro check / synchro switch function

Parameters

Enumerated parameters

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Selection of the processed voltage			
SYN25_VoltSel_EPar_	Voltage Select	L1-N,L2-N,L3-N,L1-L2,L2-L3,L3-L1	L1-N
Operation mode for automatic switching			
SYN25_OperA_EPar_	Operation Auto	Off, On, ByPass	On
Enabling/disabling automatic synchro switching			
SYN25_SwOperA_EPar_	SynSW Auto	Off, On	On
Energizing mode for automatic switching			
SYN25_EnOperA_EPar_	Energizing Auto	Off, DeadBus LiveLine, LiveBus DeadLine, Any energ case	DeadBus LiveLine
Operation mode for manual switching			
SYN25_OperM_EPar_	Operation Man	Off, On, ByPass	On
Enabling/disabling manual synchro switching			
SYN25_SwOperM_EPar_	SynSW Man	Off, On	On
Energizing mode for manual switching			
SYN25_EnOperM_EPar_	Energizing Man	Off,DeadBus LiveLine, LiveBus DeadLine, Any energ case	DeadBus LiveLine

Table 3-11 The enumerated parameters of the synchro check / synchro switch function

Integer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Voltage limit for “live line” detection						
SYN25_LiveU_IPar_	U Live	%	60	110	1	70
Voltage limit for “dead line” detection						
SYN25_DeadU_IPar_	U Dead	%	10	60	1	30
Voltage difference for automatic synchro checking mode						
SYN25_ChkUdA_IPar_	Udiff SynCheck Auto	%	5	30	1	10
Voltage difference for automatic synchro switching mode						
SYN25_SwUdA_IPar_	Udiff SynSW Auto	%	5	30	1	10
Phase difference for automatic switching						
SYN25_MaxPhDiffA_IPar_	MaxPhaseDiff Auto	deg	5	80	1	20
Voltage difference for manual synchro checking mode						
SYN25_ChkUdM_IPar_	Udiff SynCheck Man	%	5	30	1	10
Voltage difference for manual synchro switching mode						
SYN25_SwUdM_IPar_	Udiff SynSW Man	%	5	30	1	10
Phase difference for manual switching						
SYN25_MaxPhDiffM_IPar_	MaxPhaseDiff Man	deg	5	80	1	20

Table 3-12 The integer parameters of the synchro check / synchro switch function

Floating point parameters

Parameter name	Title	Dim.	Min	Max	Default
Frequency difference for automatic synchro checking mode					
SYN25_ChkFrDA_FPar_	FrDiff SynCheck Auto	Hz	0.02	0.5	0.02
Frequency difference for automatic synchro switching mode					
SYN25_SwFrDA_FPar_	FrDiff SynSW Auto	Hz	0.10	1.00	0.2
Frequency difference for manual synchro checking mode					
SYN25_ChkFrDM_FPar_	FrDiff SynCheck Man	Hz	0.02	0.5	0.02
Frequency difference for manual synchro switching mode					
SYN25_SwFrDM_FPar_	FrDiff SynSW Man	Hz	0.10	1.00	0.2

Table 3-13 The floating point parameters of the synchro check / synchro switch function

Timer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Breaker operating time at closing						
SYN25_CBTrav_TPar_	Breaker Time	msec	0	500	1	80
Impulse duration for close command						
SYN25_SwPu_TPar_	Close Pulse	msec	10	60000	1	1000
Maximum allowed switching time						
SYN25_MaxSw_TPar_	Max Switch Time	msec	100	60000	1	2000

Table 3-14 The timer parameters of the synchro check / synchro switch function

3.1.5 Definite time undervoltage protection function (TUV27)

The definite time undervoltage protection function measures the RMS values of the fundamental Fourier component of three phase voltages.

The Fourier calculation inputs are the sampled values of the three phase voltages (UL1, UL2, UL3), and the outputs are the basic Fourier components of the analyzed voltages (UL1Four, UL2Four, UL3Four). They are not part of the TUV27 function; they belong to the preparatory phase.

The function generates start signals for the phases individually. The general start signal is generated if the voltage is below the preset starting level parameter setting value and above the defined blocking level.

The function generates a trip command only if the definite time delay has expired and the parameter selection requires a trip command as well.

The operation mode can be chosen by the type selection parameter. The function can be disabled, and can be set to “1 out of 3”, “2 out of 3”, and “All”.

The overvoltage protection function has a binary input signal, which serves the purpose of disabling the function. The conditions of disabling are defined by the user, applying the graphic equation editor.

Technical data

Function	Value	Accuracy
Pick-up starting accuracy		< ± 0,5 %
Blocking voltage		< ± 1,5 %
Reset time U> → Un U> → 0	 50 ms 40 ms	
Operate time accuracy		< ± 20 ms
Minimum operate time	50 ms	

Table 3-15 Technical data of the definite time undervoltage protection function

Parameters

Enumerated parameter

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Parameter for type selection			
TUV27_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off, 1 out of 3, 2 out of 3, All	1 out of 3

Table 3-16 The enumerated parameter of the definite time undervoltage protection function

Integer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Starting voltage level setting						
TUV27_StVol_IPar_	Start Voltage	%	30	130	1	52
Blocking voltage level setting						
TUV27_BlkVol_IPar_	Block Voltage	%	0	20	1	10

Table 3-17 The integer parameters of the definite time undervoltage protection function

Boolean parameter

Parameter name	Title	Default
Enabling start signal only:		
TUV27_StOnly_BPar_	Start Signal Only	FALSE

Table 3-18 The boolean parameter of the definite time undervoltage protection function

Timer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Time delay of the undervoltage protection function.						
TUV27_Delay_TPar_	Time Delay	ms	0	60000	1	100

Table 3-19 The timer parameter of the definite time undervoltage protection function

3.1.6 Directional over-power protection function (DOP32)

The directional over-power protection function can be applied to protect any elements of the electric power system mainly generators if the active and/or reactive power has to be limited.

Technical data

Function	Effective range	Accuracy
P,Q measurement	I>5% In	<3%

Table 3-20 Technical data of the directional over-power protection function

Parameters

Enumerated parameter

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Switching on/off of the function			
DOP32_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off,On	On

Table 3-21 The enumerated parameter of the directional over-power protection function

Boolean parameter

Parameter name	Title	Default
Selection: start signal only or both start signal and trip command		
DOP32_StOnly_BPar_	Start Signal Only	0

Table 3-22 The Boolean parameter of the directional over-power protection function

Integer parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Direction angle						
DOP32_RCA_IPar_	Direction Angle	deg	-179	180	1	0

Table 3-23 Integer parameter of the directional over-power protection function

Float parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Minimum power setting						
DOP32_StPow_FPar_	Start Power	%	1	200	0.1	10

Table 3-24 Float parameter of the directional over-power protection function

Timer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Definite time delay of the trip command						
DOP32_Delay_TPar_	Time Delay	msec	0	60000	1	100

Table 3-25 Timer parameter of the directional over-power protection function

3.1.7 Directional under-power protection function (DUP32)

The directional under-power protection function can be applied mainly to protect any elements of the electric power system, mainly generators, if the active and/or reactive power has to be limited in respect of the allowed minimum power.

Technical data

Function	Effective range	Accuracy
P,Q measurement	I>5% In	<3%

Table 3-26 Technical data of the directional under-power protection function

Parameters

Enumerated parameter

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Switching on/off of the function			
DUP32_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off, On	On

Table 3-27 The enumerated parameter of the directional under-power protection function

Boolean parameter

Parameter name	Title	Default
Selection: start signal only or both start signal and trip command		
DUP32_StOnly_BPar_	Start Signal Only	0

Table 3-28 The Boolean parameter of the directional under-power protection function

Integer parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Direction angle						
DUP32_RCA_IPar_	Direction Angle	deg	-179	180	1	0

Table 3-29 Integer parameter of the directional under-power protection function

Float parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Minimum power setting						
DUP32_StPow_FPar_	Start Power	%	1	200	0,1	10

Table 3-30 Float parameter of the directional under-power protection function

Timer parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Definite time delay of the trip command						
DUP32_Delay_TPar_	Time Delay	msec	0	60000	1	100

Table 3-31 Timer parameter of the directional under-power protection function

3.1.8 Negative sequence overcurrent protection function (TOC46)

The negative sequence overcurrent protection function (TOC46) block operates if the negative sequence current is higher than the preset starting value.

In the negative sequence overcurrent protection function, definite-time or inverse-time characteristics are implemented, according to IEC or IEEE standards. The function evaluates a single measured current, which is the RMS value of the fundamental Fourier component of the negative sequence current. The characteristics are harmonized with IEC 60255-151, Edition 1.0, 2009-08.

The definite (independent) time characteristic has a fixed delaying time when the current is above the starting current G_s previously set as a parameter.

The standard dependent time characteristics of the negative sequence overcurrent protection function are as follows.

$$t(G) = TMS\left[\frac{k}{\left(\frac{G}{G_S}\right)^{\alpha} - 1} + c\right] \text{ when } G > G_S$$

where

t(G)(seconds)	theoretical operate time with constant value of G,
k, c	constants characterizing the selected curve (in seconds),
α	constant characterizing the selected curve (no dimension),
G	measured value of the characteristic quantity, Fourier base harmonic of the negative sequence current (INFour),
G_S	preset starting value of the characteristic quantity,
TMS	preset time multiplier (no dimension).

	IEC ref		k_r	c	α
1	A	IEC Inv	0,14	0	0,02
2	B	IEC VeryInv	13,5	0	1
3	C	IEC ExtInv	80	0	2
4		IEC LongInv	120	0	1
5		ANSI Inv	0,0086	0,0185	0,02
6	D	ANSI ModInv	0,0515	0,1140	0,02
7	E	ANSI VeryInv	19,61	0,491	2
8	F	ANSI ExtInv	28,2	0,1217	2
9		ANSI LongInv	0,086	0,185	0,02
10		ANSI LongVeryInv	28,55	0,712	2
11		ANSI LongExtInv	64,07	0,250	2

Table 3-32 The constants of the standard dependent time characteristics

A parameter (Operation) serves for choosing overcurrent function of independent time delay or dependent one with type selection above.

Time multiplier of the inverse characteristics (TMS) is also a parameter to be preset.

The end of the effective range of the dependent time characteristics (G_D) is:

$$G_D = 20 * G_S$$

Above this value the theoretical operating time is definite. The inverse type characteristics are also combined with a minimum time delay, the value of which is set by user parameter TOC46_MinDel_TPar_ (Min. Time Delay).

The negative phase sequence components calculation is based on the Fourier components of the phase currents.

The binary output status signals of the negative sequence overcurrent protection function are the general starting and the general trip command of the function.

The negative sequence overcurrent protection function has a binary input signal, which serves the purpose of disabling the function. The conditions of disabling are defined by the user, applying the graphic equation editor.

Technical data

Function	Value	Accuracy
Operating accuracy	$10 \leq G_s$ [%] ≤ 200	< 2 %
Operate time accuracy		±5% or ±15 ms, whichever is greater
Reset ratio	0,95	
Reset time * Dependent time charact. Definite time charact.	 approx. 60 ms	<2 % or ±35 ms, whichever is greater
Transient overreach		< 2 %
Pickup time at 2* G_s	<40 ms	
Overshot time Dependent time charact. Definite time charact.	 25 ms 45 ms	
Influence of time varying value of the input current (IEC 60255-151)		< 4 %

* *Measured with signal contacts*

Table 3-33 Technical data of the negative sequence overcurrent protection function

Parameters

Enumerated parameter

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Parameter for type selection			
TOC46_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off, DefinitTime, IEC Inv, IEC VeryInv, IEC ExtInv, IEC LongInv, ANSI Inv, ANSI ModInv, ANSI VeryInv, ANSI ExtInv, ANSI LongInv, ANSI LongVeryInv, ANSI LongExtInv	Definit Time

Table 3-34 The enumerated parameter of the negative sequence overcurrent protection function

Integer parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Starting current parameter:						
TOC46_StCurr_IPar_	Start Current	%	5	200	1	50

Table 3-35 The integer parameter of the negative sequence overcurrent protection function

Float point parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Time multiplier of the inverse characteristics (OC module)						
TOC46_Multip_FPar_	Time Multiplier		0.05	999	0.01	1.0

*Valid for inverse type characteristics

Table 3-36 The float point parameter of the time overcurrent protection function

Timer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Minimal time delay for the inverse characteristics:						
TOC46_MinDel_TPar_	Min Time Delay*	msec	0	60000	1	100
Definite time delay:						
TOC46_DefDel_TPar_	Definite Time Delay**	msec	0	60000	1	100
Reset time delay for the inverse characteristics:						
TOC46_Reset_TPar_	Reset Time*	msec	0	60000	1	100

**Valid for inverse type characteristics*

***Valid for definite type characteristics only*

Table 3-37 The timer parameter of the negative sequence overcurrent protection function

3.1.9 Line thermal protection function (TTR49L)

Basically, line thermal protection measures the three sampled phase currents. RMS values are calculated and the temperature calculation is based on the highest RMS value of the phase currents.

The temperature calculation is based on the step-by-step solution of the thermal differential equation. This method yields “overtemperature”, meaning the temperature above the ambient temperature. Accordingly, the temperature of the protected object is the sum of the calculated “overtemperature” and the ambient temperature.

If the calculated temperature (calculated “overtemperature”+ambient temperature) is above the threshold values, alarm, trip and restart blocking status signals are generated.

For correct setting, the following values must be measured and set as parameters: rated load current is the continuous current applied for the measurement, rated temperature is the steady state temperature at rated load current, base temperature is the temperature of the environment during the measurement and the time constant is the measured heating/cooling time constant of the exponential temperature function.

When energizing the protection device, the algorithm permits the definition of the starting temperature as the initial value of the calculated temperature. The parameter Startup Term. is the initial temperature above the temperature of the environment as compared to the rated temperature above the temperature of the environment

The ambient temperature can be measured using e.g. a temperature probe generating electric analog signals proportional to the temperature. In the absence of such measurement, the temperature of the environment can be set using the dedicated parameter TTR49L_Amb_IPar_ (Ambient Temperature). The selection between parameter value and direct measurement is made by setting the binary Boolean parameter.

The problem of metal elements (the protected line) exposed to the sun is that they are overheated as compared to the „ambient” temperature even without a heating current; furthermore, they are cooled mostly by the wind and the heat transfer coefficient is highly dependent on the effects of the wind. As the overhead lines are located in different geographical environments along the tens of kilometers of the route, the effects of the sun and the wind cannot be considered in detail. The best approximation is to measure the temperature of a piece of overhead line without current but exposed to the same environmental conditions as the protected line itself.

The application of thermal protection of the overhead line is a better solution than a simple overcurrent-based overload protection because thermal protection “remembers” the preceding load states of the line and the setting of the thermal protection does not need so a high security margin between the permitted current and the permitted continuous thermal current of the line. In a broad range of load states and in a broad range of ambient temperatures this permits the better exploitation of the thermal and consequently current carrying capacity of the line.

The thermal differential equation to be solved is:

$\frac{d\Theta}{dt} = \frac{1}{T}\left(\frac{I^2(t)R}{hA} - \Theta\right)$, and the definition of the heat time constant is: $T = \frac{cm}{hA}$

In this differential equation:

I(t) (RMS)	heating current, the RMS value usually changes over time;
R	resistance of the line;
c	specific heat capacity of the conductor;
m	mass of the conductor;
θ	rise of the temperature above the temperature of the environment;
h	heat transfer coefficient of the surface of the conductor;
A	area of the surface of the conductor;
t	time.

The solution of the thermal differential equation for constant current is the temperature as the function of time (the mathematical derivation of this equation is described in a separate document):

$$\Theta(t) = \frac{I^2 R}{hA}\left(1 - e^{-\frac{t}{T}}\right) + \Theta_o e^{-\frac{t}{T}}$$

where

Θ_o is the starting temperature.

Remember that the calculation of the measurable temperature is as follows:

Temperature(t) = Θ(t)+Temp_ambient

where

Temp_ambient is the ambient temperature.

In a separate document it is proven that some more easily measurable parameters can be introduced instead of the aforementioned ones. Thus, the general form of equation above is:

$$H(t) = \frac{\Theta(t)}{\Theta_n} = \frac{I^2}{I_n^2}\left(1 - e^{-\frac{t}{T}}\right) + \frac{\Theta_o}{\Theta_n} e^{-\frac{t}{T}}$$

where:

H(t) is the „thermal level" of the heated object, this is the temperature as a percentage of the Θ_n reference temperature**.** (This is a dimensionless quantity but it can also be expressed in a percentage form.)

Θ_n is the reference temperature above the temperature of the environment, which can be measured in steady state, in case of a continuous I_n reference current.

I_n is the reference current (can be considered as the nominal current of the heated object). If it flows continuously, then the reference temperature can be measured in steady state.

$\frac{\Theta_o}{\Theta_n}$ is a parameter of the starting temperature related to the reference temperature

The *RMS calculations module* calculates the RMS values of the phase currents individually. The sampling frequency of the calculations is 1 kHz; therefore, theoretically, the frequency components below 500Hz are considered correctly in the RMS values. This module is not part of the thermal overload function; it belongs to the preparatory phase.

The *Max selection module* selects the maximal value of the three RMS phase currents.

The *Thermal replica module* solves the first order thermal differential equation using a simple step-by-step method and compares the calculated temperature to the values set by parameters. The temperature sensor value proportional to the ambient temperature can be an input (this signal is optional, defined at parameter setting).

The function can be disblaed by parameter, or generates a trip pulse if the calculated temperature exceeds the trip value, or generates a trip signal if the calculated temperature exceeds the trip value given by a parameter but it resets only if the temperature cools below the "Unlock temperature".

The line thermal protection function has two binary input signals. The conditions of the input signal are defined by the user, applying the graphic equation editor. One of the signals can block the line thermal protection function, the other one can reset the accumulated heat and set the temperature to the defined value for the subsequent heating test procedure.

Technical data

Function	Accuracy
Operate time at I>1.2*Itrip	<3 % or <+ 20 ms

Table 3-38 Technical data of the line thermal protection function

Parameters

Enumerated parameter

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Parameter for mode of operation			
TTR49L_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off, Pulsed, Locked	Pulsed

Table 3-39 The enumerated parameter of the line thermal protection function

The meaning of the enumerated values is as follows:

Off the function is switched off; no output status signals are generated;

Pulsed the function generates a trip pulse if the calculated temperature exceeds the trip value

Locked the function generates a trip signal if the calculated temperature exceeds the trip value. It resets only if the temperature cools below the “Unlock temperature”.

Integer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Alarm Temperature						
TTR49L_Alm_IPar_	Alarm Temperature	deg	60	200	1	80
Trip Temperature						
TTR49L_Trip_IPar_	Trip Temperature	deg	60	200	1	100
Rated Temperature						
TTR49L_Max_IPar_	Rated Temperature	deg	60	200	1	100
Base Temperature						
TTR49L_Ref_IPar_	Base Temperature	deg	0	40	1	25
Unlock Temperature						
TTR49L_Unl_IPar_	Unlock Temperature	deg	20	200	1	60
Ambient Temperature						
TTR49L_Amb_IPar_	Ambient Temperature	deg	0	40	1	25
Startup Term.						
TTR49L_Str_IPar	Startup Term	%	0	60	1	0
Rated Load Current						
TTR49L_Inom_IPar_	Rated Load Current	%	20	150	1	100
Time constant						
TTR49L_pT_IPar_	Time Constant	min	1	999	1	10

Table 3-40 The integer parameters of the line thermal protection function

Boolean parameter

Boolean parameter	Signal title	Selection range	Default
Parameter for ambient temperature sensor application			
TTR49L_Sens_BPar_	Temperature Sensor	No, Yes	No

Table 3-41 The boolean parameter of the line thermal protection function

3.1.10 Three-phase instantaneous overcurrent protection function (IOC50)

The three-phase instantaneous overcurrent protection function (IOC50) operates immediately if the phase currents are higher than the setting value.

The setting value is a parameter, and it can be doubled by graphic programming of the dedicated input binary signal defined by the user.

The function is based on peak value selection or on the RMS values of the Fourier basic harmonic calculation, according to the parameter setting. The fundamental Fourier components are results of an external function block.

Parameter for type selection has selection range of Off, Peak value and Fundamental value. When Fourier calculation is selected then the accuracy of the operation is high, the operation time however is above one period of the network frequency. If the operation is based on peak values then fast sub-cycle operation can be expected, but the transient overreach can be high.

The function generates trip commands without additional time delay if the detected values are above the current setting value. The function generates trip commands for the three phases individually and a general trip command as well.

The instantaneous overcurrent protection function has a binary input signal, which serves the purpose of disabling the function. The conditions of disabling are defined by the user, applying the graphic equation editor.

Technical data

Function		Accuracy
Using peak value calculation		
Operating characteristic	Instantaneous	<6%
Reset ratio	0.85	
Operate time at $2*I_S$	<15 ms	
Reset time *	< 40 ms	
Transient overreach	90 %	
Using Fourier basic harmonic calculation		
Operating characteristic	Instantaneous	<2%
Reset ratio	0.85	
Operate time at $2*I_S$	<25 ms	
Reset time *	< 60 ms	
Transient overreach	15 %	

**Measured with signal contacts*

Table 3-42 Technical data of the instantaneous overcurrent protection function

Parameters

Enumerated parameter

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Parameter for type selection			
IOC50_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off, Peak value, Fundamental value	Peak value

Table 3-43 The enumerated parameter of the instantaneous overcurrent protection function

Integer parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Starting current parameter:						
IOC50_StCurr_IPar_	Start Current	%	20	3000	1	200

Table 3-44 The integer parameter of the instantaneous overcurrent protection function

3.1.11 Residual instantaneous overcurrent protection function (IOC50N)

The residual instantaneous overcurrent protection function (IOC50N) block operates immediately if the residual current (3Io) is above the setting value. The setting value is a parameter, and it can be doubled by a dedicated binary input signal defined by the user applying the graphic programming.

The function is based on peak value selection or on the RMS values of the Fourier basic harmonic component of the residual current, according to the parameter setting. The fundamental Fourier component calculation is not part of the IOC50N function.

Parameter for type selection has selection range of Off, Peak value and Fundamental value.

The function generates a trip commands without additional time delay if the detected values are above the current setting value.

The residual instantaneous overcurrent protection function has a binary input signal, which serves the purpose of disabling the function. The conditions of disabling are defined by the user, applying the graphic equation editor.

Technical data

Function		Accuracy
Using peak value calculation		
Operating characteristic (I>0.1 In)	Instantaneous	<6%
Reset ratio	0.85	
Operate time at $2*I_s$	<15 ms	
Reset time *	< 35 ms	
Transient overreach	85 %	
Using Fourier basic harmonic calculation		
Operating characteristic (I>0.1 In)	Instantaneous	<3%
Reset ratio	0.85	
Operate time at $2*I_s$	<25 ms	
Reset time *	< 60 ms	
Transient overreach	15 %	

**Measured with signal contacts*

Table 3-45 Technical data of the residual instantaneous overcurrent protection function

Parameters

Enumerated parameter

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Parameter for type selection			
IOC50N_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off, Peak value, Fundamental value	Peak value

Table 3-46 The enumerated parameter of the residual instantaneous overcurrent protection function

Integer parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Starting current parameter:						
IOC50N_StCurr_IPar_	Start Current	%	10	400	1	200

Table 3-47 The integer parameter of the residual instantaneous overcurrent protection function

3.1.12 Breaker failure protection function (BRF50)

After a protection function generates a trip command, it is expected that the circuit breaker opens and the fault current drops below the pre-defined normal level.

If not, then an additional trip command must be generated for all backup circuit breakers to clear the fault. At the same time, if required, a repeated trip command can be generated to the circuit breakers which are a priori expected to open.

The breaker failure protection function can be applied to perform this task.

The starting signal of the breaker failure protection function is usually the trip command of any other protection function assigned to the protected object. The user has the task to define these starting signals using the graphic equation editor, or if the operation of the individual phases is needed, then the start signals for the phases individually.

Two dedicated timers start at the rising edge of the start signals at the same time, one for the backup trip command and one for the repeated trip command, separately for operation in the individual phases. During the running time of the timers the function optionally monitors the currents, the closed state of the circuit breakers or both, according to the user's choice. The selection is made using an enumerated parameter.

If current supervision is selected by the user then the current limit values must be set correctly. The binary inputs indicating the status of the circuit breaker poles have no meaning.

If contact supervision is selected by the user then the current limit values have no meaning. The binary inputs indicating the status of the circuit breaker poles must be programmed correctly using the graphic equation editor.

If the parameter selection is "Current/Contact", the current parameters and the status signals must be set correctly. The breaker failure protection function resets only if all conditions for faultless state are fulfilled.

If at the end of the running time of the backup timer the currents do not drop below the pre-defined level, and/or the monitored circuit breaker is still in closed position, then a backup trip command is generated.

If repeated trip command is to be generated for the circuit breakers that are expected to open, then the enumerated parameter Retrip must be set to "On". In this case, at the end of the retrip timer(s) a repeated trip command is also generated in the phase(s) where the retrip timer(s) run off.

The pulse duration of the trip command is not shorter than the time defined by setting the parameter Pulse length.

The breaker failure protection function can be disabled by setting the enabling parameter to "Off".

Dynamic blocking (inhibition) is possible using the binary input Block. The conditions are to be programmed by the user, using the graphic equation editor.

Technical data

Function	Effective range	Accuracy
Current accuracy		<2 %
Retrip time	approx. 15 ms	
BF time accuracy		± 5 ms
Current reset time	20 ms	

Table 3-48 Technical data of the breaker failure protection function

Parameters

Enumerated parameters

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Selection of the operating mode			
BRF50_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off, Current, Contact, Current/Contact	Current
Switching on or off of the repeated trip command			
BRF50_ReTr_EPar_	Retrip	Off, On	On

Table 3-49 The enumerated parameters of the breaker failure protection function

Integer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Phase current setting						
BRF50_StCurrPh_IPar_	Start Ph Current	%	20	200	1	30
Neutral current setting						
BRF50_StCurrN_IPar_	Start Res Current	%	10	200	1	20

Table 3-50 The integer parameters of the breaker failure protection function

Timer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Time delay for repeated trip command generation						
BRF50_TrDel_TPar_	Retrip Time Delay	msec	0	10000	1	200
Time delay for trip command generation for the backup circuit breaker(s)						
BRF50_BUDel_TPar_	Backup Time Delay	msec	60	10000	1	300
Trip command impulse duration						
BRF50_Pulse_TPar_	Pulse Duration	msec	0	60000	1	100

Table 3-51 The timer parameters of the breaker failure protection function

3.1.13 Three-phase time overcurrent protection function (TOC51)

The overcurrent protection function realizes definite time or inverse time characteristics according to IEC or IEEE standards, based on three phase currents. The characteristics are harmonized with IEC 60255-151, Edition 1.0, 2009-08. This function can be applied as main protection for medium-voltage applications or backup or overload protection for high-voltage network elements.

The definite (independent) time characteristic has a fixed time delay when the current is above the starting current I_s previously set as a parameter.

The standard operating characteristics of the inverse time overcurrent protection function are defined by the following formula:

$$t(G) = TMS\left[\frac{k}{\left(\frac{G}{G_S}\right)^{\alpha} - 1} + c\right] \quad \text{when } G > G_S$$

where

t(G)(seconds)	theoretical operate time with constant value of G,
k, c	constants characterizing the selected curve (in seconds),
α	constants characterizing the selected curve (no dimension),
G	measured value of the characteristic quantity, Fourier base harmonic of the phase currents (IL1Four, IL2Four, IL3Four),
G_S	preset value of the characteristic quantity (Start current),
TMS	preset time multiplier (no dimension).

	IEC ref	Title	k_r	c	α
1	A	IEC Inv	0,14	0	0,02
2	B	IEC VeryInv	13,5	0	1
3	C	IEC ExtInv	80	0	2
4		IEC LongInv	120	0	1
5		ANSI Inv	0,0086	0,0185	0,02
6	D	ANSI ModInv	0,0515	0,1140	0,02
7	E	ANSI VeryInv	19,61	0,491	2
8	F	ANSI ExtInv	28,2	0,1217	2
9		ANSI LongInv	0,086	0,185	0,02
10		ANSI LongVeryInv	28,55	0,712	2
11		ANSI LongExtInv	64,07	0,250	2

The end of the effective range of the dependent time characteristics (G_D) is:

$$G_D = 20 * G_S$$

Above this value the theoretical operating time is definite:

$$t(G) = TMS\left[\frac{k}{\left(\frac{G_D}{G_S}\right)^{\alpha} - 1} + c\right] \quad \text{when } G > G_D = 20 * G_S$$

Additionally a minimum time delay can be defined by a dedicated parameter. This delay is valid if it is longer than t(G), defined by the formula above.

Resetting characteristics:

- for IEC type characteristics the resetting is after a fix time delay defined by TOC51_Reset_TPar_ (Reset delay),
- for ANSI types however according to the formula below:

$$t_r(G) = TMS\left[\frac{k_r}{1-\left(\frac{G}{G_S}\right)^{\alpha}}\right] \quad \text{when } G < G_S$$

where

$t_r(G)$(seconds)	theoretical reset time with constant value of G,
k_r	constants characterizing the selected curve (in seconds),
α	constants characterizing the selected curve (no dimension),
G	measured value of the characteristic quantity, Fourier base harmonic of the phase currents,
G_S	preset value of the characteristic quantity (Start current),
TMS	preset time multiplier (no dimension).

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<tr><td>3</td><td>C</td><td>IEC ExtInv</td></tr>
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The binary output status signals of the three-phase overcurrent protection function are starting signals of the three phases individually, a general starting signal and a general trip command.

The overcurrent protection function has a binary input signal, which serves the purpose of disabling the function. The conditions of disabling are defined by the user, applying the graphic equation editor.

Technical data

Function	Value	Accuracy
Operating accuracy	$20 \le G_S \le 1000$	< 2 %
Operate time accuracy		±5% or ±15 ms, whichever is greater
Reset ratio	0,95	
Reset time * Dependent time char. Definite time char.	 Approx 60 ms	< 2% or ±35 ms, whichever is greater
Transient overreach		< 2 %
Pickup time *	< 40 ms	
Overshot time Dependent time char. Definite time char.	 30 ms 50 ms	
Influence of time varying value of the input current (IEC 60255-151)		< 4 %

** Measured with signal relay contact*

Table 3-52 Technical data of of the instantaneous overcurrent protection function

Parameters

Enumerated parameters

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Parameter for type selection			
TOC51_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off, DefinitTime, IEC Inv, IEC VeryInv, IEC ExtInv, IEC LongInv, ANSI Inv, ANSI ModInv, ANSI VeryInv, ANSI ExtInv, ANSI LongInv, ANSI LongVeryInv, ANSI LongExtInv	Definit Time

Table 3-53 The enumerated parameters of the time overcurrent protection function

Integer parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Starting current parameter:						
TOC51_StCurr_IPar_	Start Current	%	20	1000	1	200

Table 3-54 The integer parameter of the time overcurrent protection function

Float point parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Time multiplier of the inverse characteristics (OC module)						
TOC51_Multip_FPar_	Time Multiplier	sec	0.05	999	0.01	1.0

Table 3-55 The float point parameter of the time overcurrent protection function

Timer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Minimal time delay for the inverse characteristics:						
TOC51_MinDel_TPar_	Min Time Delay *	msec	0	60000	1	100
Definite time delay:						
TOC51_DefDel_TPar_	Definite Time Delay **	msec	0	60000	1	100
Reset time delay for the inverse characteristics:						
TOC51_Reset_TPar_	Reset Time*	msec	0	60000	1	100

**Valid for inverse type characteristics*
***Valid for definite type characteristics only*

Table 3-56 The timer parameters of the time overcurrent protection function

3.1.14 Residual overcurrent protection function (TOC51N)

The residual delayed overcurrent protection function can realize definite time or inverse time characteristics according to IEC or IEEE standards, based on the RMS value of the fundamental Fourier component of a single measured current, which can be the measured residual current at the neutral point (3Io) or the calculated zero sequence current component. The characteristics are harmonized with IEC 60255-151, Edition 1.0, 2009-08.

The definite (independent) time characteristic has a fixed time delay when the current is above the starting current I_s previously set as a parameter.

The standard operating characteristics of the inverse time overcurrent protection function are defined by the following formula:

$$t(G) = TMS\left[\frac{k}{\left(\frac{G}{G_S}\right)^{\alpha} - 1} + c\right] \quad \text{when } G > G_S$$

where

t(G)(seconds)	theoretical operate time with constant value of G,
k, c	constants characterizing the selected curve (in seconds),
α	constant characterizing the selected curve (no dimension),
G	measured value of the characteristic quantity, Fourier base harmonic of the residual current (INFour),
G_S	preset value of the characteristic quantity (Start current),
TMS	preset time multiplier (no dimension).

	IEC ref		k_r	c	α
1	A	IEC Inv	0,14	0	0,02
2	B	IEC VeryInv	13,5	0	1
3	C	IEC ExtInv	80	0	2
4		IEC LongInv	120	0	1
5		ANSI Inv	0,0086	0,0185	0,02
6	D	ANSI ModInv	0,0515	0,1140	0,02
7	E	ANSI VeryInv	19,61	0,491	2
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9		ANSI LongInv	0,086	0,185	0,02
10		ANSI LongVeryInv	28,55	0,712	2
11		ANSI LongExtInv	64,07	0,250	2

The end of the effective range of the dependent time characteristics (G_D) is:

$$G_D = 20 * G_S$$

Above this value the theoretical operating time is definite:

$$t(G) = TMS\left[\frac{k}{\left(\frac{G_D}{G_S}\right)^{\alpha} - 1} + c\right] \quad \text{when } G > G_D = 20 * G_S$$

Additionally a minimum time delay can be defined by a dedicated parameter (Min. Time Delay). This delay is valid if it is longer than t(G), defined by the formula above.

Resetting characteristics:

- for IEC type characteristics the resetting is after a fix time delay,
- for ANSI types however according to the formula below:

$$t_r(G) = TMS\left[\frac{k_r}{1-\left(\frac{G}{G_S}\right)^{\alpha}}\right] \quad \text{when } G < G_S$$

where

$t_r(G)$(seconds)	theoretical reset time with constant value of G,
k_r	constants characterizing the selected curve (in seconds),
α	constant characterizing the selected curve (no dimension),
G	measured value of the characteristic quantity, Fourier base harmonic of the residual current,
G_S	preset value of the characteristic quantity (Start current),
TMS	preset time multiplier (no dimension).

	IEC ref		k_r	α
1	A	IEC Inv	Resetting after fix time delay, according to preset parameter TOC51_Reset_TPar_ “Reset delay”	
2	B	IEC VeryInv		
3	C	IEC ExtInv		
4		IEC LongInv		
5		ANSI Inv	0,46	2
6	D	ANSI ModInv	4,85	2
7	E	ANSI VeryInv	21,6	2
8	F	ANSI ExtInv	29,1	2
9		ANSI LongInv	4,6	2
10		ANSI LongVeryInv	13,46	2
11		ANSI LongExtInv	30	2

The binary output status signals of the residual overcurrent protection function are the general starting signal and the general trip command if the time delay determined by the characteristics expired.

The residual overcurrent protection function has a binary input signal, which serves the purpose of disabling the function. The conditions of disabling are defined by the user, applying the graphic equation editor.

Technical data

Function	Value	Accuracy
Operating accuracy *	$20 \leq G_S \leq 1000$	< 3 %
Operate time accuracy		±5% or ±15 ms, whichever is greater
Reset ratio	0,95	
Reset time * Dependent time char. Definite time char.	 Approx 60 ms	< 2% or ±35 ms, whichever is greater
Transient overreach		2 %
Pickup time	≤ 40 ms	
Overshot time Dependent time char. Definite time char.	 30 ms 50 ms	
Influence of time varying value of the input current (IEC 60255-151)		< 4 %

* *Measured in version In = 200 mA*

Table 3-57 The technical data of the residual overcurrent protection function

Parameters

Enumerated parameters

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Parameter for type selection			
TOC51N_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off, DefinitTime, IEC Inv, IEC VeryInv, IEC ExtInv, IEC LongInv, ANSI Inv, ANSI ModInv, ANSI VeryInv, ANSI ExtInv, ANSI LongInv, ANSI LongVeryInv, ANSI LongExtInv	Definite Time

Table 3-58 The enumerated parameters of the residual overcurrent protection function

Integer parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Starting current parameter:						
TOC51N_StCurr_IPar_	Start Current *	%	5	200	1	50
TOC51N_StCurr_IPar_	Start Current **	%	10	1000	1	50

* *In = 1 A or 5 A*
** *In = 200 mA or 1 A*

Table 3-59 The integer parameter of the residual overcurrent protection function

Float point parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Time multiplier of the inverse characteristics (OC module)						
TOC51N_Multip_FPar_	Time Multiplier	sec	0.05	999	0.01	1.0

Table 3-60 The float parameter of the residual overcurrent protection function

Timer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Minimal time delay for the inverse characteristics:						
TOC51N_MinDel_TPar_	Min Time Delay*	msec	0	60000	1	100
Definite time delay:						
TOC51N_DefDel_TPar_	Definite Time Delay**	msec	0	60000	1	100
Reset time delay for the inverse characteristics:						
TOC51N_Reset_TPar_	Reset Time*	msec	0	60000	1	100

**Valid for inverse type characteristics*
***Valid for definite type characteristics only*

Table 3-61 The timer parameters of the residual overcurrent protection function

3.1.15 Definite time overvoltage protection function (TOV59)

The definite time overvoltage protection function measures three voltages. The measured values of the characteristic quantity are the RMS values of the basic Fourier components of the phase voltages.

The Fourier calculation inputs are the sampled values of the three phase voltages (UL1, UL2, UL3), and the outputs are the basic Fourier components of the analyzed voltages (UL1Four, UL2Four, UL3Four). They are not part of the TOV59 function; they belong to the preparatory phase.

The function generates start signals for the phases individually. The general start signal is generated if the voltage in any of the three measured voltages is above the level defined by parameter setting value.

The function generates a trip command only if the definite time delay has expired and the parameter selection requires a trip command as well.

The overvoltaget protection function has a binary input signal, which serves the purpose of disabling the function. The conditions of disabling are defined by the user, applying the graphic equation editor.

Technical data

Function	Value	Accuracy
Pick-up starting accuracy		< ± 0,5 %
Blocking voltage		< ± 1,5 %
Reset time U< → Un U< → 0	 60 ms 50 ms	
Operate time accuracy		< ± 20 ms
Minimum operate time	50 ms	

Table 3-62 Technical data of the definite time overvoltage protection function

Parameters

Enumerated parameter

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Enabling or disabling the overvoltage protection function			
TOV59_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off, On	On

Table 3-63 The enumerated parameter of the definite time overvoltage protection function

Integer parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Voltage level setting. If the measured voltage is above the setting value, the function generates a start signal.						
TOV59_StVol_IPar_	Start Voltage	%	30	130	1	63

Table 3-64 The integer parameter of the definite time overvoltage protection function

Boolean parameter

Parameter name	Title	Default
Enabling start signal only:		
TOV59_StOnly_BPar_	Start Signal Only	FALSE

Table 3-65 The boolean parameter of the definite time overvoltage protection function

Timer parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Time delay of the overvoltage protection function.						
TOV59_Delay_TPar_	Time Delay	ms	0	60000	1	100

Table 3-66 The timer parameter of the definite time overvoltage protection function

3.1.16 Residual definite time overvoltage protection function (TOV59N)

The residual definite time overvoltage protection function operates according to definite time characteristics, using the RMS values of the fundamental Fourier component of the zero sequence voltage (UN=3Uo).

The Fourier calculation inputs are the sampled values of the residual or neutral voltage (UN=3Uo) and the outputs are the RMS value of the basic Fourier components of those.

The function generates start signal if the residual voltage is above the level defined by parameter setting value.

The function generates a trip command only if the definite time delay has expired and the parameter selection requires a trip command as well.

The residual overvoltage protection function has a binary input signal, which serves the purpose of disabling the function. The conditions of disabling are defined by the user, applying the graphic equation editor.

Technical data

Function	Value	Accuracy
Pick-up starting accuracy	2 – 8 % 8 – 60 %	< ± 2 % < ± 1.5 %
Reset time U> → Un U> → 0	 60 ms 50 ms	
Operate time	50 ms	< ± 20 ms

Table 3-67 Technical data of the residual definite time overvoltage protection function

Parameters

Enumerated parameter

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Parameter for enabling/disabling:			
TOV59N_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off, On	On

Table 3-68 The enumerated parameter of the residual definite time overvoltage protection function

Integer parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Starting voltage parameter:						
TOV59N_StVol_IPar_	Start Voltage	%	2	60	1	30

Table 3-69 The integer parameter of the residual definite time overvoltage protection function

Boolean parameter

Parameter name	Title	Default
Enabling start signal only:		
TOV59N_StOnly_BPar_	Start Signal Only	FALSE

Table 3-70 The boolean parameter of the residual definite time overvoltage protection function

Timer parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Definite time delay:						
TOV59N_Delay_TPar_	Time Delay	ms	0	60000	1	100

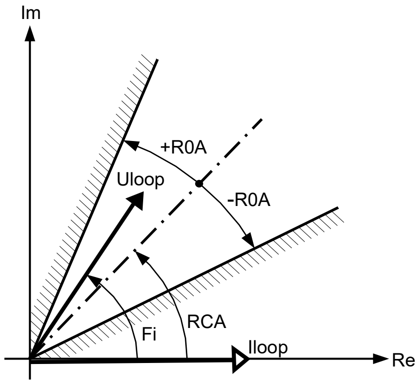
Table 3-71 The time parameter of the residual definite time overvoltage protection function

3.1.17 Three-phase directional overcurrent protection function (TOC67)

The directional three-phase delayed overcurrent protection function can be applied on solidly grounded networks, where the overcurrent protection must be supplemented with a directional decision.

The inputs of the function are the Fourier basic harmonic components of the three phase currents and those of the three phase voltages and the three line-to-line voltages.

Based on the measured voltages and currents from among the six loops (L1L2, L2L3, L3L1, L1N, L2N, L3N), the function selects the one with the smallest calculated loop impedance. Based on the loop voltage and loop current of the selected loop, the directional decision generates a signal of TRUE value if the voltage and the current is sufficient for directional decision, and the angle difference between the vectors is within the setting range. This decision enables the output start and trip signal of a non-directional three-phase overcurrent protection function block, based on the selected current.



The function can be enabled or disabled by a parameter. The status signal of the VTS (voltage transformer supervision) function can also disable the directional operation.

The voltage must be above 5% of the rated voltage and the current must also be measurable.

If the voltages are below 5% of the rated voltage then the algorithm substitutes the small values with the voltages stored in the memory.

The directional decision module calculates the phase angle between the selected loop voltage and the loop current. The reference signal is the current according to *Figure*.

The three-phase non-directional delayed overcurrent function block (TOC51) is described in a separate document. The additional input binary signal enables the operation of the OC function if the directional decision module generates a logic TRUE value, indicating that the phase angle is in the range defined by the preset parameters or that non-directional operation is set by a parameter.

Technical data

Function	Value	Accuracy
Operating accuracy		< 2 %
Operate time accuracy	If Time multiplier is >0.1	±5% or ±15 ms, whichever is greater
Accuracy in minimum time range		±35 ms
Reset ratio	0,95	
Reset time	Approx 100 ms	
Transient overreach	2 %	
Pickup time	<100 ms	
Memory storage time span 50 Hz 60 Hz	 70 ms 60 ms	
Angular accuracy		<3°

Table 3-72 Technical data of the three-phase directional overcurrent protection function

Parameters

Enumerated parameters

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Directionality of the function			
TOC67_Dir_EPar_	Direction	NonDir, Forward, Backward	Forward
Operating characteristic selection of the TOC51 module			
TOC67_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off, DefiniteTime, IEC Inv, IEC VeryInv, IEC ExtInv, IEC LongInv, ANSI Inv, ANSI ModInv, ANSI VeryInv, ANSI ExtInv, ANSI LongInv, ANSI LongVeryInv, ANSI LongExtInv	DefiniteTime

Table 3-73 The enumerated parameters of the three-phase directional overcurrent protection function

Integer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Operating angle (see *Figure*)						
TOC67_ROA_IPar_	Operating Angle	deg	30	80	1	60
Characteristic angle (see *Figure*)						
TOC67_RCA_IPar_	Characteristic Angle	deg	40	90	1	60
Start current (OC module)						
TOC67_StCurr_IPar_	Start Current	%	20	1000	1	50

Table 3-74 The integer parameters of the three-phase directional overcurrent protection function

Float point parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Digits	Default
Time multiplier of the inverse characteristics (OC module)						
TOC67_Multip_FPar_	Time Multiplier		0.05	999	0.01	1.0

Table 3-75 The float point parameter of the three-phase directional overcurrent protection function

Timer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Minimal time delay for the inverse characteristics (OC module):						
TOC67_MinDel_TPar_	Min. Time	msec	50	60000	1	100
Definite time delay (OC module):						
TOC67_DefDel_TPar_	Definite Time	msec	0	60000	1	100
Reset time delay for the inverse characteristics (OC module):						
TOC67_Reset_TPar_	Reset Time	msec	0	60000	1	100

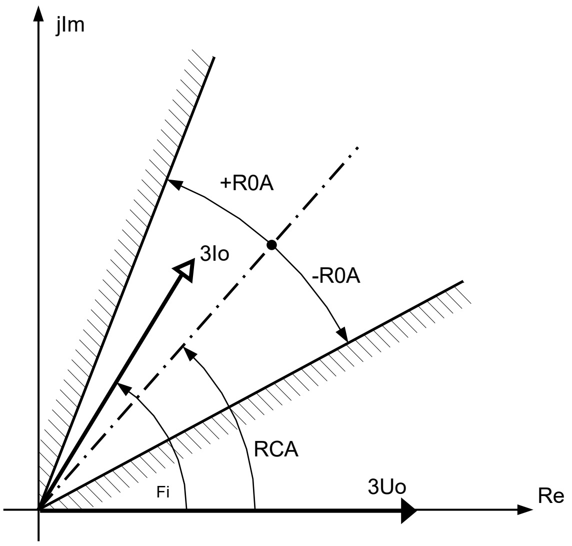
Table 3-76 The timer parameters of the three-phase directional overcurrent protection function

3.1.18 Residual directional overcurrent protection function (TOC67N)

The main application area of the directional residual delayed overcurrent protection function is an earth-fault protection.

The inputs of the function are the RMS value of the Fourier basic harmonic components of the zero sequence current (IN=3Io) and those of the zero sequence voltage (UN=3Uo).

The block of the directional decision generates a signal of TRUE value if the UN=3Uo zero sequence voltage and the IN=3Io zero sequence current are above the limits needed for correct directional decision, and the angle difference between the vectors is within the preset range. The decision enables the output start and trip signal of an overcurrent protection function block (TOC51N). This non-directional residual overcurrent protection function block is described in a separate document.



The directional decision module calculates the phase angle between the residual voltage and the residual current. The reference signal is the residual voltage according to the *Figure.*

The output of the directional decision module is OK, namely it is TRUE if the phase angle between the residual voltage and the residual current is within the limit range defined by the preset parameter OR if non-directional operation is selected by the preset parameter (Direction=NonDir).

Technical data

Function	Value	Accuracy
Operating accuracy		< ±2 %
Operate time accuracy		±5% or ±15 ms, whichever is greater
Accuracy in minimum time range		±35 ms
Reset ratio	0,95	
Reset time	Approx 50 ms	±35 ms
Transient overreach	<2 %	
Pickup time	25 – 30 ms	
Angular accuracy Io ≤ 0.1 In 0.1 In < Io ≤ 0.4 In 0.4 In < Io		 < ±10° < ±5° < ±2°
Angular reset ratio Forward and backward All other selection	 10° 5°	

Table 3-77 The technical data of the residual directional overcurrent protection function

Parameters

Enumerated parameters

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Directionality of the function			
TOC67N_Dir_EPar_	Direction	NonDir,Forward-Angle,Backward-Angle,Forward-I*cos(fi),Backward-I*cos(fi),Forward-I*sin(fi),Backward-I*sin(fi),Forward-I*sin(fi+45),Backward-I*sin(fi+45)	Forward-Angle
Operating characteristic selection of the TOC51N module			
TOC67N_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off,DefiniteTime,IEC Inv,IEC VeryInv,IEC ExtInv,IEC LongInv,ANSI Inv,ANSI ModInv,ANSI VeryInv,ANSI ExtInv,ANSI LongInv,ANSI LongVeryInv,ANSI LongExtInv	DefiniteTime

Table 3-78 The enumerated parameters of the residual directional overcurrent protection function

Short explanation of the enumerated parameter "Direction"

Selected value	Explanation
NonDir,	Operation according to non-directional TOC51N
Forward-Angle	See *Figure*, set RCA (Characteristic Angle) and ROA (Operating Angle) as required
Backward-Angle	RCAactual=RCAset+180°, set RCA (Characteristic Angle) and ROA (Operating Angle) as required
Forward-I*cos(fi)	RCA=0°fix, ROA=85°fix, the setting values RCA and ROA are not applied
Backward-I*cos(fi)	RCA=180°fix, ROA=85°fix, the setting values RCA and ROA are not applied
Forward-I*sin(fi)	RCA=90°fix, ROA=85°fix, the setting values RCA and ROA are not applied
Backward-I*sin(fi)	RCA=–90°fix, ROA=85°fix, the setting values RCA and ROA are not applied
Forward-I*sin(fi+45)	RCA=45°fix, ROA=85°fix, the setting values RCA and ROA are not applied
Backward-I*sin(fi+45)	RCA=–135°fix, ROA=85°fix, the setting values RCA and ROA are not applied

Table 3-79 The short explanation of the enumerated parameters of the residual directional overcurrent protection function

Integer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
The threshold value for the 3Uo zero sequence voltage, below which no directionality is possible. % of the rated voltage of the voltage transformer input						
TOC67N_UoMin_IPar_	URes Min	%	1	10	1	2
The threshold value for the 3Io zero sequence current, below which no operation is possible. % of the rated current of the current transformer input						
TOC67N_IoMin_IPar_	IRes Min	%	1	50	1	5
Operating angle (See *Figure*)						
TOC67N_ROA_IPar_	Operating Angle	deg	30	80	1	60
Characteristic angle (See *Figure*)						
TOC67N_RCA_IPar_	Characteristic Angle	deg	-180	180	1	60
Start current (TOC51N module)						
TOC67N_StCurr_IPar_	Start Current	%	5	200	1	50

Table 3-80 The integer parameters of the residual directional overcurrent protection function

Float point parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Step	Step	Default
Time multiplier of the inverse characteristics (TOC51N module)						
TOC67N_Multip_FPar_	Time Multiplier		0.05	999	0.01	1.0

Table 3-81 The float point parameter of the residual directional overcurrent protection function

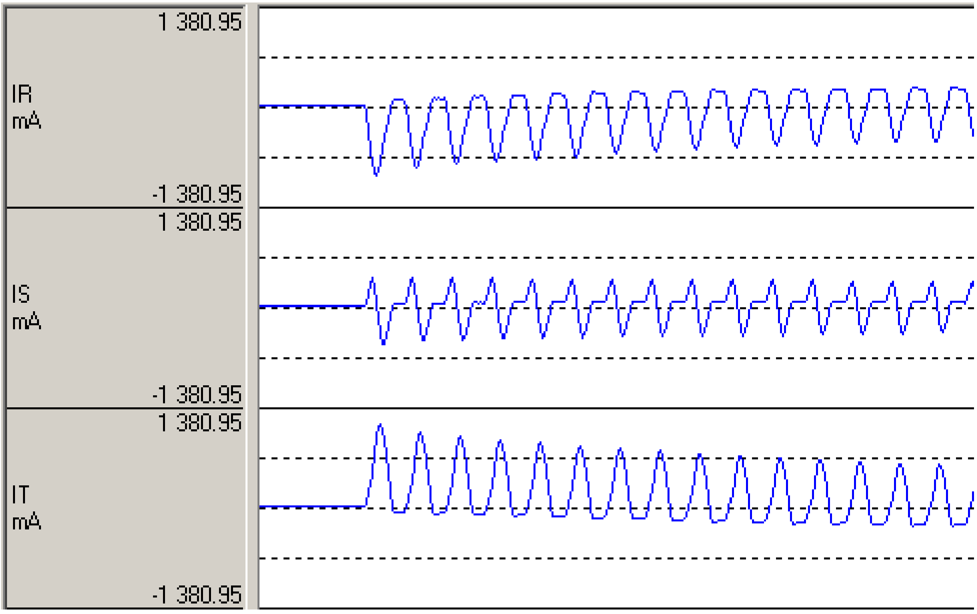
Timer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Minimal time delay for the inverse characteristics (TOC 51N module):						
TOC67N_MinDel_TPar_	Min Time Delay	msec	50	60000	1	100
Definite time delay (TOC 51N module):						
TOC67N_DefDel_TPar_	Definite Time Delay	msec	0	60000	1	100
Reset time delay for the inverse characteristics (TOC 51N module):						
TOC67N_Reset_TPar_	Reset Time	msec	0	60000	1	100

Table 3-82 The timer parameters of the residual directional overcurrent protection function

3.1.19 Inrush detection function (INR68)

When an inductive element with an iron core (transformer, reactor, etc.) is energized, high current peak values can be detected. This is caused by the transient asymmetric saturation of the iron core as a nonlinear element in the power network. The sizing of the iron core is usually sufficient to keep the steady state magnetic flux values below the saturation point of the iron core, so the inrush transient slowly dies out. These current peaks depend also on random factors such as the phase angle at energizing. Depending on the shape of the magnetization curve of the iron core, the detected peaks can be several times above the rated current peaks. Additionally, in medium or high voltage networks, where losses and damping are low, the indicated high current values may be sustained at length. Figure below shows a typical example for the inrush current shapes of a three-phase transformer.



A typical inrush current

As a consequence, overcurrent relays, differential relays or distance relays may start, and because of the long duration of the high current peaks, they may generate an unwanted trip command.

The inrush current detection function can distinguish between high currents caused by overload or faults and the high currents during the inrush time.

The operating principle of the inrush current detection function is based on the special shape of the inrush current.

The typical inrush current in one or two phases is asymmetrical to the time axis. For example, in IT of the Figure above the positive peaks are high while no peaks can be detected in the negative domain.

The theory of the Fourier analysis states that even harmonic components (2^{nd}, 4^{th} etc.) are dominant in waves asymmetrical to the time axis. The component with the highest value is the second one.

Typical overload and fault currents do not contain high even harmonic components.

The inrush current detection function processes the Fourier basic harmonic component and the second harmonic component of the three phase currents. If the ratio of the second harmonic and the base Fourier harmonic is above the setting value of the parameter *2nd Harm Ratio*, an inrush detection signal is generated.

The signal is output only if the base harmonic component is above the level defined by the setting of the parameter *IPh Base Sens.* This prevents unwanted operation in the event that low currents contain relatively high error signals.

The function operates independently using all three phase currents individually, and additionally, a general inrush detection signal is generated if any of the phases detects inrush current.

The function can be disabled by the binary input *Disable*. This signal is the result of logic equations graphically edited by the user.

Using the inrush detection binary signals, other protection functions can be blocked during the transient period so as to avoid the unwanted trip.

Some protection functions use these signals automatically, but a stand-alone inrush detection function block is also available for application at the user's discretion.

Technical data

Function	Range	Accuracy
Current accuracy	20 … 2000% of In	±1% of In

Table 3-83 Technical data of the inrush detection function

Parameters

Enumerated parameter

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Disabling or enabling the operation of the function			
INR2_Op_EPar_	Operation	Off,On	On

Table 3-84 The enumerated parameter of the inrush detection function

Integer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Ratio of the second and basic harmonic Fourier components						
INR2_2HRat_IPar_,	2nd Harm Ratio	%	5	50	1	15
Basic sensitivity of the function						
INR2_MinCurr_IPar_	IPh Base Sens	%	20	100	1	30

Table 3-85 The integer parameter of the inrush detection function

3.1.20 Automatic reclosing function (REC79HV)

The HV automatic reclosing function for high voltage networks can realize up to four shots of reclosing. The dead time can be set individually for each reclosing and separately for single-phase faults and for multi-phase faults.

The starting signal of the cycles can be generated by any combination of the protection functions or external signals of the binary inputs. The selection is made by graphic equation programming.

The automatic reclosing function is triggered if as a consequence of a fault a protection function generates a trip command to the circuit breaker and the protection function resets because the fault current drops to zero or the circuit breaker's auxiliary contact signals open state. According to the preset parameter values, either of these two conditions starts counting the dead time, at the end of which the HV automatic reclosing function generates a close command automatically. If the fault still exists or reappears, then within the "Reclaim time" started at the close command the protection functions picks up again and the subsequent cycle is started. If no pickup is detected within this time, then the HV automatic reclosing cycle resets and a new fault will start the procedure with the first cycle again.

At the moment of generating the close command, the circuit breaker must be ready for operation, which is signaled via a binary input (CB Ready). The Boolean parameter „ CB State Monitoring" enables the function. The preset parameter value (CB Supervision time) decides how long the HV automatic reclosing function is allowed to wait at the end of the dead time for this signal. If the signal is not received during this dead time extension, then the HV automatic reclosing function terminates.

Depending on binary parameter settings, the automatic reclosing function block can accelerate trip commands of the individual reclosing cycles. This function needs user-programmed graphic equations to generate the accelerated trip command.

In case of a manual close command which is assigned to the logic variable "Manual Close" using graphic equation programming, a preset parameter value decides how long the HV automatic reclosing function should be disabled after the manual close command.

The duration of the close command depends on preset parameter value "Close command time", but the close command terminates if any of the protection functions issues a trip command.

The HV automatic reclosing function can control up to four reclosing cycles. Depending on the preset parameter value "Reclosing cycles", there are different modes of operation:

Disabled	No automatic reclosing is selected,
1. Enabled	Only one automatic reclosing cycle is selected,
1.2. Enabled	Two automatic reclosing cycles are activated,
1.2.3. Enabled	Three automatic reclosing cycles are activated,
1.2.3.4. Enabled	All automatic reclosing cycles are activated.

The function can be switched Off /On using the parameter "Operation"

The user can also block the HV automatic reclosing function applying the graphic equation editor. The binary status variable to be programmed is "Block".

Depending on the present parameter value "Reclosing started by", the HV automatic reclosing function can be started either by resetting of the TRIP command or by the binary signal indicating the open state of the circuit breaker.

If the reset state of the TRIP command is selected to start the HV automatic reclosing function, then the conditions are defined by the user applying the graphic equation editor. The binary status variable to be programmed is "AutoReclosing Start".

If the open state of the circuit breaker is selected to start the HV automatic reclosing function, then additionally to programming the “AutoReclosing Start“ signal, the conditions for detecting the open state of the CB are defined by the user applying the graphic equation editor.

For all four reclosing cycles, separate dead times can be defined for single-phase-reclosing after single-phase trip commands (as a consequence of single-phase faults) and for three-phase-reclosing after three-phase trip commands (as a consequence of multi-phase faults).

The different dead time settings of single-phase-reclosing and three-phase-reclosing can be justified as follows: in case of a single-phase fault, only the circuit breakers of the faulty phase open. In this case, due to the capacitive coupling of the healthy phases, the extinction of the secondary arc at the fault location can be delayed. Consequently, a longer dead time is needed for the fault current to die out than in the case of a three-phase open state, when no coupled voltage can sustain the fault current.

From other point of view, in case of a transmission line connecting two power systems, only a shorter dead time is allowed for the three-phase open state because, due to the possible power unbalance between the interconnected systems, a large angle difference can be reached if the dead time is too long. If only a single phase is open, then the two connected healthy phases and the ground can sustain the synchronous operation of both power systems.

Special dead time can be necessary if a three-phase fault arises near either substation of a line and the protection system operates without tele-protection. If the three-phase dead time is too short, the HV automatic reclosing may attempt to close the circuit breaker during the running time of the second zone trip at the other side. Consequently, a prolonged dead time is needed if the fault was detected in the first zone.

Dead time reduction may be applicable if healthy voltage is measured in all three phases during the dead time, this means that no fault exists on the line. In this case, the expiry of the normal dead time need not be waited for; a reclosing attempt can be initiated immediately.

If, during the cycles, the three-phase dead time is applied once, then all subsequent cycles will consider the three-phase dead time settings, too.

Three-phase reclosing can be disabled by a preset parameter value.

At the end of the dead time, reclosing is possible only if the circuit breaker can perform the command. The conditions are defined by the user applying the graphic equation editor.

Reclosing is possible only if the conditions required by the “synchro-check” function are fulfilled. The conditions are defined by the user applying the graphic equation editor. The HV automatic reclosing function waits for a pre-programmed time for this signal. This time is defined by the user. If the “SYNC Release” signal is not received during the running time of this timer, then the “synchronous switch” operation is started.

The separate function controls the generation of the close command in case of relatively rotating voltage vectors on both sides of the open circuit breaker to make contact at the synchronous state of the rotating vectors. For this calculation, the closing time of the circuit breaker must be defined.

When the close command is generated, a timer is started to measure the “Reclaim time”. If the fault is detected again during this time, then the sequence of the HV automatic reclosing cycles continues. If no fault is detected, then at the expiry of the reclaim time the reclosing is evaluated as successful and the function resets. If fault is detected after the expiry of this timer, then the cycles restart with the first reclosing cycle.

If the manual close command is received during the running time of any of the cycles, then the HV automatic reclosing function resets.

After a manual close command, the HV automatic reclosing function does not operate for the time period defined by a parameter.

In case of evolving faults i.e. when a detected single-phase fault changes to multi-phase fault, the behavior of the automatic reclosing function is controlled by the preset parameter value "Evolving fault". The options are "Block Reclosing" or "Start 3Ph Rec."

Depending on binary parameter settings, the automatic reclosing function block can accelerate trip commands of the individual reclosing cycles.

Technical data

Function	Accuracy
Operating time	±1% of setting value or ±30 ms

Table 3-86 Technical data of the rate of auto-reclose function

Parameters

Enumerated parameters

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Switching ON/OFF the HV automatic reclosing function			
REC79_Op_EPar_	Operation	Off, On	On
Selection of the number of reclosing sequences			
REC79_CycEn_EPar_	Reclosing Cycles	Disabled, 1. Enabled, 1.2. Enabled, 1.2.3. Enabled, 1.2.3.4. Enabled	1. Enabled
Selection of triggering the dead time counter (trip signal reset or circuit breaker open position)			
REC79_St_EPar_	Reclosing Started by	Trip reset, CB open	Trip reset
Selection of behavior in case of evolving fault (block reclosing or perform three-phase automatic reclosing cycle)			
REC79_EvoFlt_EPar_	Evolving Fault	Block Reclosing, Start 3Ph Rec.	Block Reclosing

Table 3-87 The enumerated parameters of the rate of auto-reclose function

Timer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Dead time setting for the first reclosing cycle for single-phase fault						
REC79_1PhDT1_TPar_	1. Dead Time 1Ph	msec	0	100000	10	500
Dead time setting for the second reclosing cycle for single-phase fault						
REC79_1PhDT2_TPar_	2. Dead Time 1Ph	msec	10	100000	10	600
Dead time setting for the third reclosing cycle for single-phase fault						
REC79_1PhDT3_TPar_	3. Dead Time 1Ph	msec	10	100000	10	700
Dead time setting for the fourth reclosing cycle for single-phase fault						
REC79_1PhDT4_TPar_	4. Dead Time 1Ph	msec	10	100000	10	800
Dead time setting for the first reclosing cycle for multi-phase fault						
REC79_3PhDT1_TPar_1	1. Dead Time 3Ph	msec	0	100000	10	1000
Special dead time setting for the first reclosing cycle for multi-phase fault						
REC79_3PhDT1_TPar_2	1. Special DT 3Ph	msec	0	100000	10	1350
Dead time setting for the second reclosing cycle for multi-phase fault						
REC79_3PhDT2_TPar_	2. Dead Time 3Ph	msec	10	100000	10	2000
Dead time setting for the third reclosing cycle for multi-phase fault						
REC79_3PhDT3_TPar_	3. Dead Time 3Ph	msec	10	100000	10	3000
Dead time setting for the fourth reclosing cycle for multi-phase fault						
REC79_3PhDT4_TPar_	4. Dead Time 3Ph	msec	10	100000	10	4000
Reclaim time setting						
REC79_Rec_TPar_	Reclaim Time	msec	100	100000	10	2000
Impulse duration setting for the CLOSE command						
REC79_Close_TPar_	Close Command Time	msec	10	10000	10	100
Setting of the dynamic blocking time						
REC79_DynBlk_TPar_	Dynamic Blocking Time	msec	10	100000	10	1500
Setting of the blocking time after manual close command						
REC79_MC_TPar_	Block after Man.Close	msec	0	100000	10	1000
Setting of the action time (max. allowable duration between protection start and trip)						
REC79_Act_TPar_	Action Time	msec	0	20000	10	1000
Limitation of the starting signal (trip command is too long or the CB open signal received too late)						
REC79_MaxSt_TPar_	Start Signal Max Time	msec	0	10000	10	1000
Max. delaying the start of the dead-time counter						
REC79_DtDel_TPar_	DeadTime Max Delay	msec	0	100000	10	3000
Waiting time for circuit breaker ready to close signal						
REC79_CBTO_TPar_	CB Supervision Time	msec	10	100000	10	1000
Waiting time for synchronous state signal						
REC79_SYN1_TPar_	Syn Check Max Time	msec	500	100000	10	10000
Waiting time for synchronous switching signal						
REC79_SYN2_TPar_	SynSw Max Time	msec	500	100000	10	10000

Table 3-88 The timer parameters of the rate of auto-reclose function

Boolean parameters

Parameter name	Title	Default	Explanation
REC79_CBState_BPar_	CB State Monitoring	0	Enable CB state monitoring for “Not Ready” state
REC79_3PhRecBlk_BPar_	Disable 3Ph Rec.	0	Disable three-phase reclosing
REC79_Acc1_BPar_	Accelerate 1.Trip	0	Accelerate trip command at starting cycle 1
REC79_Acc2_BPar_	Accelerate 2.Trip	0	Accelerate trip command at starting cycle 2
REC79_Acc3_BPar_	Accelerate 3.Trip	0	Accelerate trip command at starting cycle 3
REC79_Acc4_BPar_	Accelerate 4.Trip	0	Accelerate trip command at starting cycle 4
REC79_Acc5_BPar_	Accelerate FinTrip	0	Accelerate final trip command

Table 3-89 The boolean parameters of the rate of auto-reclose function

3.1.21 Over-frequency protection function (TOF81)

The deviation of the frequency from the rated system frequency indicates unbalance between the generated power and the load demand. If the available generation is large compared to the consumption by the load connected to the power system, then the system frequency is above the rated value. The over-frequency protection function is usually applied to decrease generation to control the system frequency.

Another possible application is the detection of unintended island operation of distributed generation and some consumers. In the island, there is low probability that the power generated is the same as consumption; accordingly, the detection of high frequency can be one of the indication of island operation.

Accurate frequency measurement is also the criterion for the synchro-check and synchro-switch functions.

The accurate frequency measurement is performed by measuring the time period between two rising edges at zero crossing of a voltage signal. For the acceptance of the measured frequency, at least four subsequent identical measurements are needed. Similarly, four invalid measurements are needed to reset the measured frequency to zero. The basic criterion is that the evaluated voltage should be above 30% of the rated voltage value.

The over-frequency protection function generates a start signal if at least five measured frequency values are above the preset level.

Time delay can also be set.

The function can be enabled/disabled by a parameter.

The over-frequency protection function has a binary input signal. The conditions of the input signal are defined by the user, applying the graphic equation editor. The signal can block the under-frequency protection function.

Technical data

Function	Range	Accuracy
Operate range	40 - 70 Hz	30 mHz
Effective range	45 - 55 Hz / 55 - 65 Hz	2 mHz
Operate time		min 140 ms
Time delay	140 – 60000 ms	± 20 ms
Reset ratio		0,99

Table 3-90 Technical data of the over-frequency protection function

Parameters

Enumerated parameter

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Selection of the operating mode			
TOF81_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off,On	On

Table 3-91 The enumerated parameter of the over-frequency protection function

Boolean parameter

Parameter name	Title	Default
Enabling start signal only:		
TOF81_StOnly_BPar_	Start Signal Only	FALSE

Table 3-92 The boolean parameter of the over-frequency protection function

Float point parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Setting value of the comparison						
TOF81_St_FPar_	Start Frequency	Hz	40	60	0.01	51

Table 3-93 The float point parameter of the over-frequency protection function

Timer parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Time delay						
TOF81_Del_TPar_	Time Delay	msec	100	60000	1	200

Table 3-94 The timer parameter of the over-frequency protection function

3.1.22 Underfrequency protection function (TUF81)

The deviation of the frequency from the rated system frequency indicates unbalance between the generated power and the load demand. If the available generation is small compared to the consumption by the load connected to the power system, then the system frequency is below the rated value. The under-frequency protection function is usually applied to increase generation or for load shedding to control the system frequency.

Another possible application is the detection of unintended island operation of distributed generation and some consumers. In the island, there is low probability that the power generated is the same as consumption; accordingly, the detection of low frequency can be one of the indications of island operation.

Accurate frequency measurement is also the criterion for the synchro-check and synchro-switch functions.

The accurate frequency measurement is performed by measuring the time period between two rising edges at zero crossing of a voltage signal. For the acceptance of the measured frequency, at least four subsequent identical measurements are needed. Similarly, four invalid measurements are needed to reset the measured frequency to zero. The basic criterion is that the evaluated voltage should be above 30% of the rated voltage value.

The under-frequency protection function generates a start signal if at least five measured frequency values are below the setting value.

Time delay can also be set.

The function can be enabled/disabled by a parameter.

The under-frequency protection function has a binary input signal. The conditions of the input signal are defined by the user, applying the graphic equation editor. The signal can block the under-frequency protection function.

Technical data

Function	Range	Accuracy
Operate range	40 - 70 Hz	30 mHz
Effective range	45 - 55 Hz / 55 - 65 Hz	2 mHz
Operate time		min 140 ms
Time delay	140 – 60000 ms	± 20 ms
Reset ratio		0,99

Table 3-95 Technical data of the under-frequency protection function

Parameters

Enumerated parameter

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Selection of the operating mode			
TUF81_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off, On	On

Table 3-96 The enumerated parameter of the under-frequency protection function

Boolean parameter

Parameter name	Title	Default
Enabling start signal only:		
TUF81_StOnly_BPar_	Start Signal Only	FALSE

Table 3-97 The boolean parameter of the under-frequency protection function

Float point parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Digits	Default
Preset value of the comparison						
TUF81_St_FPar_	Start Frequency	Hz	40	60	0.01	49

Table 3-98 The float point parameter of the under-frequency protection function

Timer parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Time delay						
TUF81_Del_TPar_	Time Delay	ms	100	60000	1	200

Table 3-99 The timer parameter of the under-frequency protection function

3.1.23 Rate of change of frequency protection function (FRC81)

The deviation of the frequency from the rated system frequency indicates unbalance between the generated power and the load demand. If the available generation is large compared to the consumption by the load connected to the power system, then the system frequency is above the rated value, and if it is small, the frequency is below the rated value. If the unbalance is large, then the frequency changes rapidly. The rate of change of frequency protection function is usually applied to reset the balance between generation and consumption to control the system frequency.

Another possible application is the detection of unintended island operation of distributed generation and some consumers. In the island, there is low probability that the power generated is the same as consumption; accordingly, the detection of a high rate of change of frequency can be an indication of island operation.

Accurate frequency measurement is also the criterion for the synchro-switch function.

The source for the rate of change of frequency calculation is an accurate frequency measurement. This performed by measuring the time period between two rising edges at zero crossing of a voltage signal. For the acceptance of the measured frequency, at least four subsequent identical measurements are needed. Similarly, four invalid measurements are needed to reset the measured frequency to zero. The basic criterion is that the evaluated voltage should be above 30% of the rated voltage value.

The rate of change of frequency protection function generates a start signal if the df/dt value is above the setting value. The rate of change of frequency is calculated as the difference of the frequency at the present sampling and at three periods earlier.

The rate of change of frequency protection function has a binary input signal. The conditions of the input signal are defined by the user, applying the graphic equation editor. The signal can block the rate of change of frequency protection function.

Technical data

Function	Effective range	Accuracy
Operating range	-5 - -0.05 and +0.05 - +5 Hz/sec	
Pick-up accuracy		±20 mHz/sec
Operate time	min 140 ms	
Time delay	140 – 60000 ms	± 20 ms

Table 3-100 Technical data of the rate of change of frequency protection function

Parameters

Enumerated parameter

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Selection of the operating mode			
FRC81_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off,On	On

Table 3-101 The enumerated parameter of the rate of change of frequency protection function

Boolean parameter

Parameter name	Title	Default
Enabling start signal only:		
FRC81_StOnly_BPar_	Start Signal Only	True

Table 3-102 The boolean parameter of the rate of change of frequency protection function

Float point parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Setting value of the comparison						
FRC81_St_FPar_	Start df/dt	Hz/sec	-5	5	0.01	0.5

Table 3-103 The float point parameter of the rate of change of frequency protection function

Timer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Time delay						
FRC81_Del_TPar_	Time Delay	msec	100	60000	1	200

Table 3-104 The timer parameter of the rate of change of frequency protection function

3.1.24 Line differential protection function (DIF87L)

The line differential protection function provides main protection for two terminal transmission lines. The line differential protection function does not apply vector shift compensation, thus transformers must be excluded from the protected section.

The operating principle is based on synchronized Fourier basic harmonic comparison between the line ends.

The devices at both line ends sample the phase currents and calculate the Fourier basic harmonic components. These components are exchanged between the devices synchronized via communication channels. The differential characteristic is a biased characteristic with two break points. Additionally, an unbiased overcurrent stage is applied, based on the calculated differential current.

The EuroProt+ protection devices communicate via fiber optic cables. Generally, mono-mode cables are required, but for distances below 2 km a multi-mode cable may be sufficient. The line differential protection can be applied up to the distance of 120 km. (The limiting factor is the damping of the fiber optic channel: up to 30 dB is permitted to prevent the disturbance of operation.)

The hardware module applied is the CPU module of the EuroProt+ protection device. The two devices are interconnected via the "process bus".

Technical data

Function	Value	Accuracy
Operating characteristic	2 breakpoints and unrestrained decision	
Reset ratio	0.95	
Characteristic accuracy (Ibias>2xIn)		<2%
Operate time (Ibias>0.3xIn)	Typically 35 ms	
Reset time	Typically 60 ms	

Table 3-105 Technical data of the line differential protection

Parameters

Enumerated parameter for the line differential protection function:

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Parameter to enable the line differential protection function:			
DIFF87L_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off, On	Off

Table 3-106 The enumerated parameter of the line differential protection function

Integer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Parameters of the percentage characteristic curve:						
Base sensitivity:						
DIFF87L_f1_IPar_	Base Sensitivity	%	10	50	1	30
Slope of the second section of the characteristics:						
DIFF87L_f21_IPar_	1st Slope	%	10	50	1	30
Slope of the third section of the characteristics						
DIFF87L_f2_IPar_	2nd Slope	%	50	100	1	70
Bias limit of the first slope:						
DIFF87L_f2Brk_IPar_	1st Slope Bias Limit	%	100	400	1	200
Unrestrained line differential protection current level:						
DIFF87L_HS_IPar_	UnRst Diff Current	%	500	1500	1	800

Table 3-107 The integer parameters of the line differential protection function

Floating point parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
DIFF87L_LocalRatio_FPar_	Local Ratio	-	0.10	2.00	0.01	1.00
DIFF87L_RemoteRatio_FPar_,	Remote Ratio	-	0.10	2.00	0.01	1.00

Table 3-108 The float parameters of the line differential protection function

Timer parameters

The line differential protection function does not have timers.

3.2 Control & supervision functions

3.2.1 Phase-selective trip logic (TRC94_PhS)

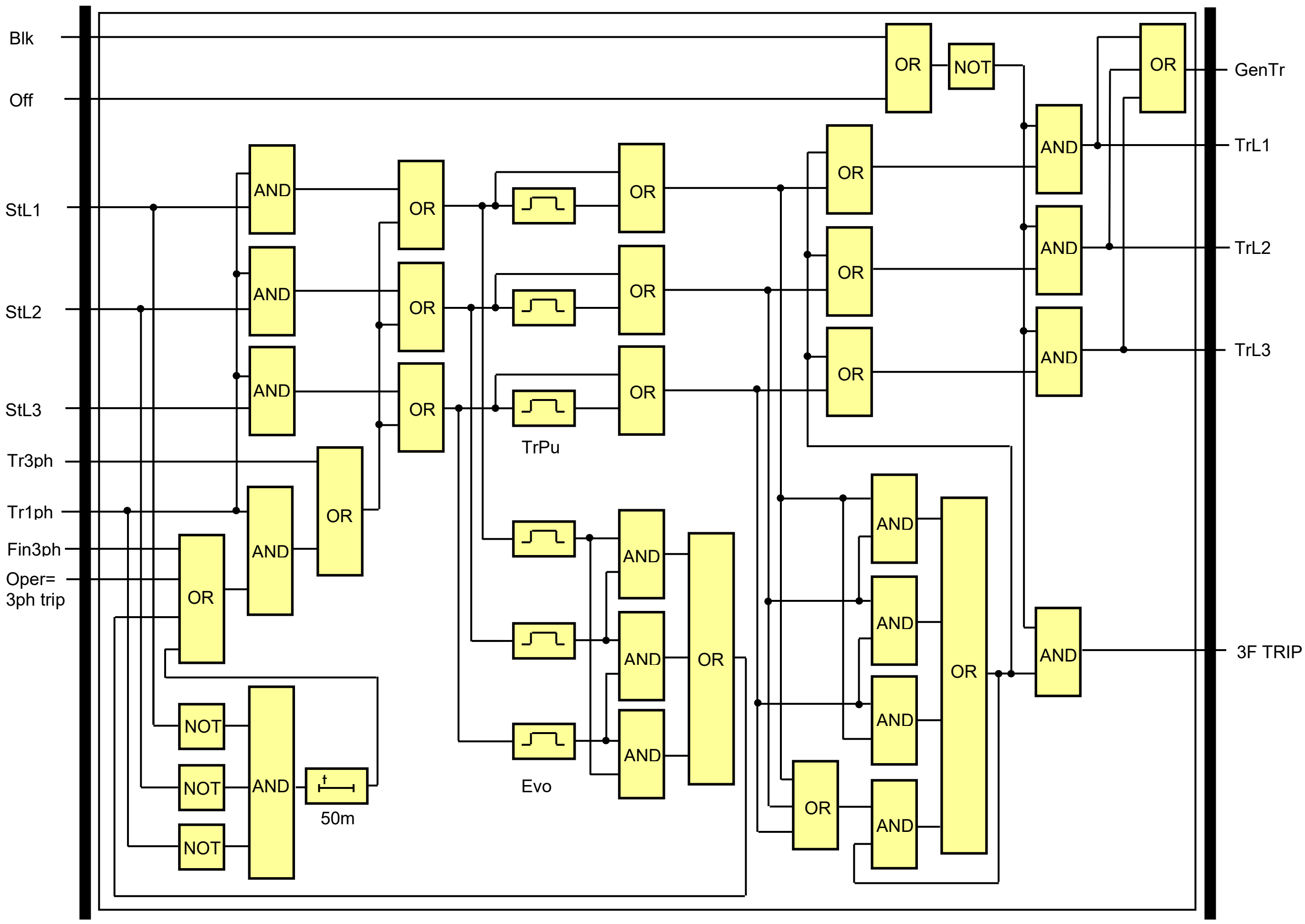
The phase-selective trip logic function operates according to the functionality required by the IEC 61850 standard for the “Trip logic logical node”.

The function receives the trip requirements of the protective functions implemented in the device and combines the parameters and the binary signals into the outputs of the device.

The trip requirements are programmed by the user, using the graphic equation editor. The decision logic has the following aims:

- define a minimal impulse duration even if the protection functions detect a very short time fault,
- in case of phase-to-phase faults, involve the third phase in the trip command,
- fulfill the requirements of the automatic reclosing function to generate a three-phase trip command even in case of single-phase faults,
- in case of an evolving fault, during the evolving fault waiting time include all three phases into the trip command.

The decision logic module combines the status signals and enumerated parameters to generate the trip commands on the output module of the device.



Technical data

Function	Accuracy
Timer accuracy	±5% or ±15 ms, whichever is greater

Table 3-109 Technical data of the phase-selective trip logic function

Parameters

Enumerated parameter

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Selection of the operating mode			
TRC94_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off, 3ph trip, 1ph/3ph trip	3ph trip

Tables 3-110 The enumerated parameter of the phase-selective trip logic function

Timer parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Minimum duration of the generated impulse						
TRC94_TrPu_TPar_	Min Pulse Duration	msec	50	60000	1	150
Waiting time for evolving fault						
TRC94_Evo_TPar_	Evolving Fault Time	msec	50	60000	1	1000

Table 3-111 Timer parameter of the phase-selective trip logic function

3.2.2 Circuit breaker wear monitoring function (CBWear)

If a circuit breaker interrupts a current, the electric arc between the contacts results some metal loss. If the metal loss due to the burning of the electric arc becomes substantial, the contacts must be replaced.

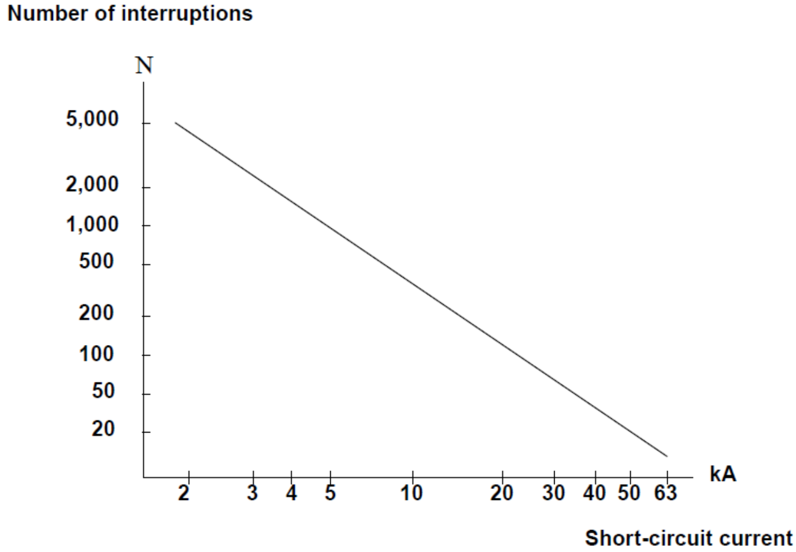
Manufacturers define the permitted number of short circuits by formulas such as:

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} I_i^k = CycNum$$

where

n = number of short circuits
k = exponent, calculated by the algorithm, based on the parameters
I = short-circuit current, kA (RMS)
CycNum = total value of weighted breaking currents.

Similar information is conveyed by the diagram below. This shows the number of permitted interruptions (logarithmic scaling) versus short-circuit current (logarithmic scaling).



Example: Number of permitted interruptions as the function of the interrupted current

The straight line of the curve is defined by two points:

- The number of permitted interruptions of 1 kA current, by parameter “CycNum - 1kA”
- The permitted number of interruptions of the rated breaking current of the circuit breaker by parameter “CycNum – I Rated Trip”. The rated breaking current of the circuit breaker is set by parameter “Rated Trip Current”

The circuit breaker wear monitoring function processes the Fourier basic harmonic component of the three phase currents.

The circuit breaker wear monitoring function finds the maximum value of the phase current of each interruption and calculates the wear caused by the operation performed. If the sum of the calculated wear reaches the limit, a warning signal is generated. This indicates the time of the required preventive maintenance of the circuit breaker.

The procedure of monitoring starts at the receipt of a trip command on the dedicated input (Trip). For the start of this procedure, the circuit breaker also needs to be in closed state. This signal is received on the dedicated binary input (CB Closed).

The procedure of identifying the maximum phase current value terminates when the current falls below the minimum current defined by the parameter Min Current AND the circuit breaker gets in open position. This signal is received on the dedicated binary input (CB Open).

The procedure also stops if the time elapsed since its start exceeds 1 s. In this case no CB wear is calculated.

Based on the characteristic defined above, the function calculates the wear caused by the operation performed. If the sum of the calculated wear reaches the limit defined by the parameter "CycNum – Alarm", a warning signal is generated (Alarm). This indicates the advised time of the preventive maintenance of the circuit breaker.

The accumulated "wear" of the circuit breaker is stored on non-volatile memory; therefore, the value is not lost even if the power supply of the devices is switched off.

This information is displayed among the on-line data as "Actual wear". This counter indicates how many 1 kA equivalent switches were performed since the last maintenance (reset).

When preventive maintenance is performed, the accumulated "wear" of the circuit breaker must be reset to 0 to start a new maintenance cycle. The circuit breaker wear monitoring function offers two ways of resetting:

- Binary True signal programmed to the "Reset" input of the function
- Performing a direct command via the Commands menu of the supervising WEB browser (for details, see the "Europrot+ manual", "Remote user interface description" document).

The **inputs** of the circuit breaker wear monitoring function are

- the Fourier components of three phase currents,
- binary inputs,
- parameters.

The **output** of the circuit breaker wear monitoring function is

- the Alarm binary output status signal.

Technical data

Function	Range	Accuracy
Current accuracy	20 – 2000% of In	±1% of In
Accuracy in tracking the theoretical wear characteristics		5%

Table 3-112 Technical data of the circuit breaker wear monitoring function

Parameters

Enumerated parameters

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Disabling or enabling the operation of the function			
CBWear_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off, On	Off

Table 3-113 Enumerated parameter of the circuit breaker wear monitoring function

Integer parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Permitted number of trip operation if the breaking current is 1kA						
CBWear_CycNumIn_IPar_	CycNum - 1kA		1	100000	1	50000
Permitted number of trip operation if the breaking current is InTrip (see floating parameter "Rated Trip Current")						
CBWear_CycNumInTrip_IPar_	CycNum – I Rated Trip		1	100000	1	100
Permitted level of the weighted sum of the breaking currents						
CBWear_CycNumAlm_IPar_	CycNum - Alarm		1	100000	1	50000

Table 3-114 Integer parameters of the circuit breaker wear monitoring function

Float point parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Rated breaking current of the circuit breaker						
CBWear_InTrCB_FPar_	Rated Trip Current	kA	10	100	0.01	10
Minimum level of the current below which the procedure to find the highest breaking current is stopped						
CBWear_Imin_FPar_	Min Current	kA	0.10	0.50	0.01	0.10

Table 3-115 Float parameter of the circuit breaker wear monitoring function

Binary output status signal

Binary output status signal	Signal title	Explanation
Alarm signal of the function block		
CBWear_Alarm_GrI_	Alarm	Alarm signal is generated if the weighted sum of the breaking currents is above the permitted level

Table 3-116 Binary output status signal of the circuit breaker wear monitoring function

Binary input status signals

The **binary inputs** are signals influencing the operation of the circuit breaker wear monitoring function. These signals are the results of logic equations graphically edited by the user.

Binary input status signals	Signal title	Explanation
Disabling the function		
CBWear_Blk_GrO_	Blk	The programmed True state of this input disables the operation of the function
Open state of the circuit breaker		
CBWear_Open_GrO_	Open	The open state of the circuit breaker is needed to stop the procedure to find the maximum breaking current
Closed state of the circuit breaker		
CBWear_Closed_GrO_	Closed	The closed state of the circuit breaker is needed to perform the procedure to find the maximum breaking current
Trip command to the circuit breaker		
CBWear_Trip_GrO_	Trip	This signal starts the procedure to find the highest breaking current
Reset command		
CBWear_Reset_GrO_	Reset	If this input is programmed to logic True, at maintenance the weighted sum of the breaking currents can be set to 0

Table 3-117 Binary input status signals of the circuit breaker wear monitoring function

3.2.3 Circuit breaker control function block (CB1Pol)

The Circuit breaker control function block can be used to integrate the circuit breaker control of the EuroProt+ device into the station control system and to apply active scheme screens of the local LCD of the device.

The Circuit breaker control function block receives remote commands from the SCADA system and local commands from the local LCD of the device, performs the prescribed checking and transmits the commands to the circuit breaker. It processes the status signals received from the circuit breaker and offers them to the status display of the local LCD and to the SCADA system.

Main features:

- Local (LCD of the device) and Remote (SCADA) operation modes can be enabled or disabled individually.
- The signals and commands of the synchro check / synchro switch function block can be integrated into the operation of the function block.
- Interlocking functions can be programmed by the user applying the inputs “EnaOff” (enabled trip command) and “EnaOn” (enabled close command), using the graphic equation editor.
- Programmed conditions can be used to temporarily disable the operation of the function block using the graphic equation editor.
- The function block supports the control models prescribed by the IEC 61850 standard.
- All necessary timing tasks are performed within the function block:
    - Time limitation to execute a command
    - Command pulse duration
    - Filtering the intermediate state of the circuit breaker
    - Checking the synchro check and synchro switch times
    - Controlling the individual steps of the manual commands
- Sending trip and close commands to the circuit breaker (to be combined with the trip commands of the protection functions and with the close command of the automatic reclosing function; the protection functions and the automatic reclosing function directly gives commands to the CB). The combination is made graphically using the graphic equation editor
- Operation counter
- Event reporting

The Circuit breaker control function block has binary input signals. The conditions are defined by the user applying the graphic equation editor. The signals of the circuit breaker control are seen in the binary input status list.

Technical data

Function	Accuracy
Operate time accuracy	±5% or ±15 ms, whichever is greater

Table 3-118 Technical data of the circuit breaker control function

Parameters

Enumerated parameter

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
The control model of the circuit breaker node according to the IEC 61850 standard			
CB1Pol_ctlMod_EPar_	ControlModel*	Direct normal, Direct enhanced, SBO enhanced	Direct normal

**ControlModel*

- Direct normal: only command transmission
- Direct enhanced: command transmission with status check and command supervision
- SBO enhanced: Select Before Operate mode with status check and command supervision

Table 3-119 Enumerated parameter of the circuit breaker control function

Boolean parameter

Boolean parameter	Title	Explanation
CB1Pol_DisOverR_BPar_	Forced check	If true, then the check function cannot be neglected by the check attribute defined by the IEC 61850 standard

Table 3-120 Boolean parameter of the circuit breaker control function

Timer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Timeout for signaling failed operation						
CB1Pol_TimOut_TPar_	Max.Operating time	msec	10	1000	1	200
Duration of the generated On and Off impulse						
CB1Pol_Pulse_TPar_,	Pulse length	msec	50	500	1	100
Waiting time, at expiry intermediate state of the CB is reported						
CB1Pol_MidPos_TPar_	Max.Intermediate time	msec	20	30000	1	100
Length of the time period to wait for the conditions of the synchron state. After expiry of this time, the synchro switch procedure is initiated (see synchro check/ synchro switch function block description)						
CB1Pol_SynTimOut_TPar_	Max.SynChk time	msec	10	5000	1	1000
Length of the time period to wait for the synchro switch impulse (see synchro check/ synchro switch function block description). After this time the function resets, no switching is performed						
CB1Pol_SynSWTimOut_TPar_	Max.SynSW time*	msec	0	60000	1	0
Duration of the waiting time between object selection and command selection. At timeout no command is performed						
CB1Pol_SBOTimeout_TPar_	SBO Timeout	msec	1000	20000	1	5000

* If this parameter is set to 0, then the “StartSW” output is not activated

Table 3-121 Timer parameters of the circuit breaker control function

Available internal status variable and command channel
To generate an active scheme on the local LCD, there is an internal status variable indicating the state of the circuit breaker. Different graphic symbols can be assigned to the values. (See Chapter 3.2 of the document “EuroCAP configuration tool for EuroProt+ devices”).

Status variable	Title	Explanation
CB1Pol_stVal_Ist_	Status	Can be: 0: Intermediate 1: Off 2: On 3: Bad

The available control channel to be selected is:

Command channel	Title	Explanation
CB1Pol_Oper_Con_	Operation	Can be: On Off

Using this channel, the pushbuttons on the front panel of the device can be assigned to close or open the circuit breaker. These are the “Local commands”.

3.2.4 Disconnector control function (DisConn)

The Disconnector control function block can be used to integrate the disconnector control of the EuroProt+ device into the station control system and to apply active scheme screens of the local LCD of the device.

The Disconnector control function block receives remote commands from the SCADA system and local commands from the local LCD of the device, performs the prescribed checking and transmits the commands to the disconnector. It processes the status signals received from the disconnector and offers them to the status display of the local LCD and to the SCADA system.

Main features:

- Local (LCD of the device) and Remote (SCADA) operation modes can be enabled or disabled individually.
- Interlocking functions can be programmed by the user applying the inputs “EnaOff” (enabled trip command) and “EnaOn” (enabled close command), using the graphic equation editor.
- Programmed conditions can be used to temporarily disable the operation of the function block using the graphic equation editor.
- The function block supports the control models prescribed by the IEC 61850 standard.
- All necessary timing tasks are performed within the function block:
    - Time limitation to execute a command
    - Command pulse duration
    - Filtering the intermediate state of the disconnector
    - Controlling the individual steps of the manual commands
- Sending trip and close commands to the disconnector
- Operation counter
- Event reporting

The Disconnector control function block has binary input signals. The conditions are defined by the user applying the graphic equation editor. The signals of the disconnector control are seen in the binary input status list.

Technical data

Function	Accuracy
Operate time accuracy	±5% or ±15 ms, whichever is greater

Table 3-122 Technical data of the disconnector control function

Parameters

Enumerated parameters

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
The control model of the disconnector node according to the IEC 61850 standard			
DisConn_ctlMod_EPar_	ControlModel*	Direct normal, Direct enhanced, SBO enhanced	Direct normal
Type of switch			
DisConn_SwTyp_EPar_	Type of Switch	N/A,Load break, Disconnector, Earthing Switch, HS Earthing Switch	Disconnector

**ControlModel*

- Direct normal: only command transmission
- Direct enhanced: command transmission with status check and command supervision
- SBO enhanced: Select Before Operate mode with status check and command supervision

Table 3-123 Enumerated parameters of the disconnector control function

Boolean parameter

Boolean parameter	Title	Explanation
DisConn_DisOverR_BPar_	Forced check	If true, then the check function cannot be neglected by the check attribute defined by the IEC 61850 standard

Table 3-124 Boolean parameter of the disconnector control function

Timer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Timeout for signaling failed operation						
DisConn_TimOut_TPar_	Max.Operating time	msec	10	20000	1	1000
Duration of the generated On and Off impulse						
DisConn_Pulse_TPar_	Pulse length	msec	50	30000	1	100
Waiting time, at expiry intermediate state of the disconnector is reported						
DisConn_MidPos_TPar_	Max.Intermediate time	msec	20	30000	1	100
Duration of the waiting time between object selection and command selection. At timeout no command is performed						
DisConn_SBOTimeout_TPar_	SBO Timeout	msec	1000	20000	1	5000

Table 3-125 Timer parameters of the disconnector control function

Available internal status variable and command channel

To generate an active scheme on the local LCD, there is an internal status variable indicating the state of the disconnector. Different graphic symbols can be assigned to the values. (See Chapter 3.2 of the document “EuroCAP configuration tool for EuroProt+ devices”).

Status variable	Title	Explanation
DisConn I_stVal_Ist_	Status	Can be: 0: Intermediate 1: Off 2: On 3:Bad

The available control channel to be selected is:

Command channel	Title	Explanation
DisConn _Oper_Con_	Operation	Can be: On Off

Using this channel, the pushbuttons on the front panel of the device can be assigned to close or open the disconnector. These are the “Local commands”.

3.2.5 Ethernet Links function (EthLinks)

The EuroProt+ device constantly checks the statuses of its connections to the outside world (wherever possible). These statuses can be seen on the **status/log** page in the advanced menu on the web page of the device.

When further indications are needed or the signals of the statuses (such as events, logic signals for the user logic, LEDs etc.), the Ethernet Links function block makes these available for the user.

Ports

The function can check the following types of communication ports:

- Fiber Optic (MM – multi mode)
- Fiber Optic (SM – single mode)
- RJ45
- PRP/HSR
- EOB (Ethernet On Board on the front HMI of the device)

See the EuroProt+ Hardware Description (different document) for the list of the CPU modules that contain any of these ports.

Ethernet Links function overview

The graphic appearance of the function block is shown on Figure 3-2. These blocks show all binary input and output status signals, which are applicable in the graphic equation editor.

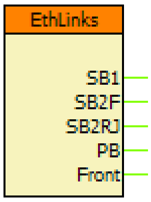


Figure 3-2 Graphic appearance of the function block of the ethernet links function

Function I/O

This section describes briefly the analogue and digital inputs and outputs of the function block.

This function block owns only binary output signals.

Binary output signals (graphed input statuses)

The binary output status signals of the Ethernet Links function. **P**arts written in **bold** are seen on the function block in the logic editor.

BINARY OUTPUT SIGNAL	SIGNAL TITLE	EXPLANATION
EthLnk_**SB1**_Grl_	Station Bus1	Active if the first (upper) fiber optic port of the CPU module has an active connection.
EthLnk_**SB2F**_Grl_	Station Bus2 – Fiber	Active if the second (middle) fiber optic port of the CPU module has an active connection.
EthLnk_**SB2RJ**_Grl_	Station Bus2 –RJ4	Active if the RJ45 port of the CPU module has an active connection.
EthLnk_**PB**_Grl_	Process Bus	Active if the third (lower) fiber optic port of the CPU module has an active connection
EthLnk_**Front**_Grl_	RJ45/EOB on front panel	Active if the front RJ45 port (or EOB) has an active connection

Table 3-126 The binary output status signals of the ethernet links function

On-line data

Visible values on the on-line data page:

SIGNAL TITLE	DIMENSION	EXPLANATION
Station Bus1	-	Active if the first (upper) fiber optic port of the CPU module has an active connection.
Station Bus2 – Fiber	-	Active if the second (middle) fiber optic port of the CPU module has an active connection.
Station Bus2 –RJ4	-	Active if the RJ45 port of the CPU module has an active connection.
Process Bus	-	Active if the third (lower) fiber optic port of the CPU module has an active connection
RJ45/EOB on front panel	-	Active if the front RJ45 port (or EOB) has an active connection

Table 3-127 The measured analogue values of the ethernet links function

Events

The following events are generated in the event list, as well as sent to SCADA according to the configuration.

EVENT	VALUE	EXPLANATION
Station Bus1	off, on	Active if the first (upper) fiber optic port of the CPU module has an active connection.
Station Bus2 – Fiber	off, on	Active if the second (middle) fiber optic port of the CPU module has an active connection.
Station Bus2 –RJ4	off, on	Active if the RJ45 port of the CPU module has an active connection.
Process Bus	off, on	Active if the third (lower) fiber optic port of the CPU module has an active connection
RJ45/EOB on front panel	off, on	Active if the front RJ45 port (or EOB) has an active connection

Table 3-128 Events of the ethernet links function

3.2.6 Trip Circuit Supervision (TCS)

The trip circuit supervision is utilized for checking the integrity of the circuit between the trip coil and the tripping output of the protection device.

It is realized by injecting a small DC current (around 1-5 mA) into the trip circuit. If the circuit is intact, the current flows, which lights up a LED that provides an active signal to the opto coupler input of the trip contact.

The state of the input is shown on the devices' binary input listing among the other binary inputs, and it can be handled like any other of them (it can be added to the user logic, etc.)

This document describes the applicable hardware and provides guidelines for usage in the device configuration.

Hardware application

Applicable modules

The following modules contain trip outputs with trip circuit supervision. The information here is restricted to the trip circuit supervision only. For more details please refer to the EuroProt+ Hardware description from which these were extracted. Note that there are other modules without trip circuit supervision, those are not listed here.

MODULE TYPE	TRIP+4201	TRIP+2101	TRIP+2201	PSTP+4201	PSTP+2101
CHANNEL NUMBER	4	4	4	2	2
RATED VOLTAGE	24 V DC and 48 V DC	110 V DC	220 V DC	24 V DC and 48 V DC and 60 V DC	110 V DC and 220 V DC
THERMAL WITHSTAND VOLTAGE	72 V DC	132 V DC	242 V DC	72 V DC	242 V DC

Table 3-129 Modules with Trip Circuit Supervision

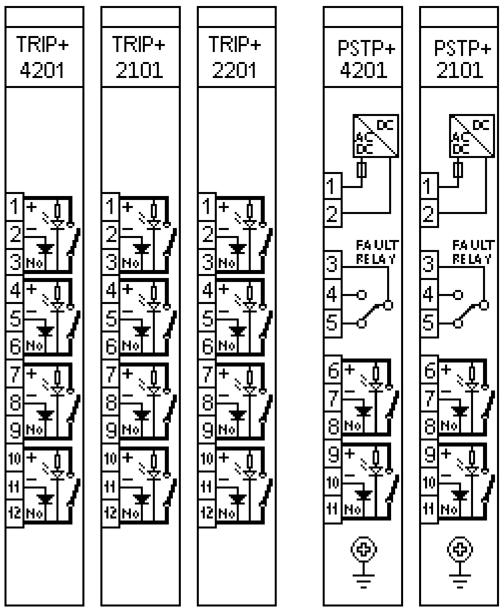


Figure 3-3 I/O arrangement of the modules with TCS

Wiring

The wiring of these modules can be 2-wire or 3-wire. (TCS function is active for both methods.)

The voltage of the "No" contact is maximized at 15 V by a zener-diode. Make sure that the voltage caused by the resistance of the circuit breaker and the injected current from the TRIP+ module does not reach 10 V.

Our TRIP+ modules are made to switch DC circuits. **Using reversed polarity or AC voltage can cause the damage of the internal circuits.**

3-wire TRIP+ wiring methods

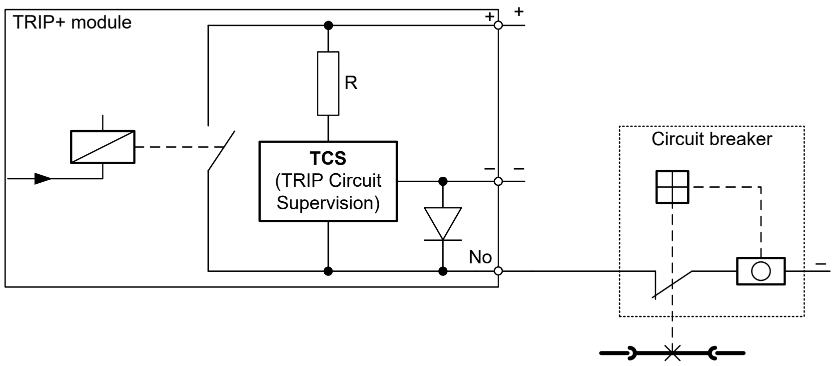


Figure 3-4 3-wire TRIP+ wiring

It is possible to use parallel connected TRIP+ modules. In this case the negative contacts must be common.

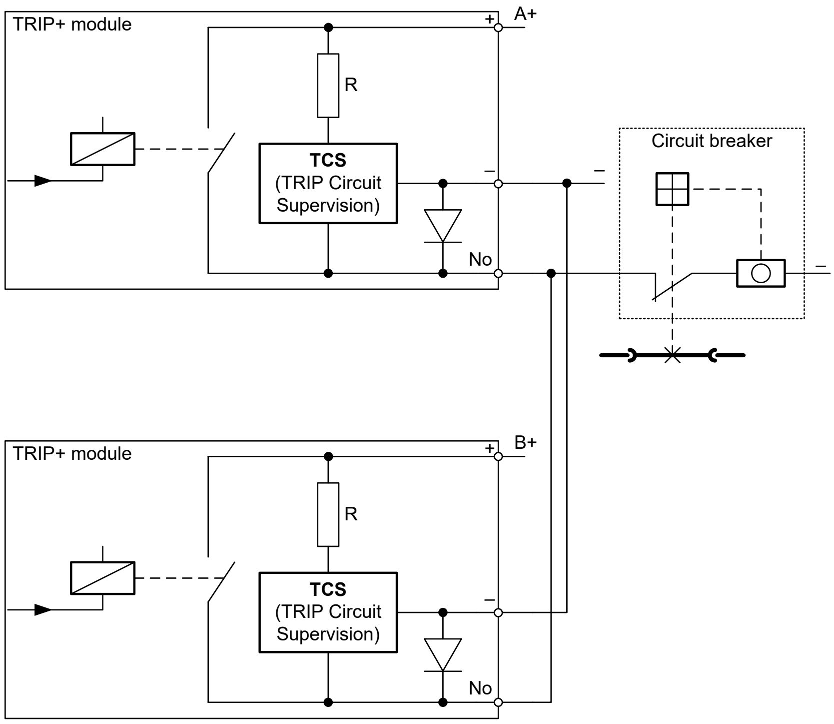


Figure 3-5 3-wire TRIP+ wiring using parallel connected TRIP+ modules

2-wire TRIP+ wiring methods

If it is necessary, you can also wire the TRIP+ modules using only the "+" and the "No" contacts.

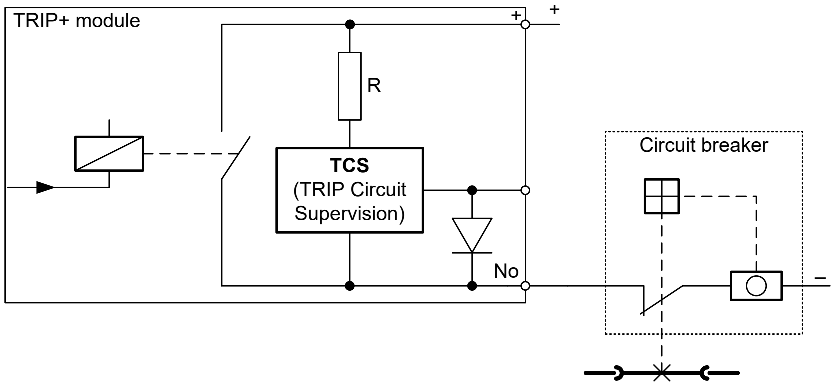


Figure 3-6 2-wire TRIP+ wiring

It is possible to use parallel connected TRIP+ modules.

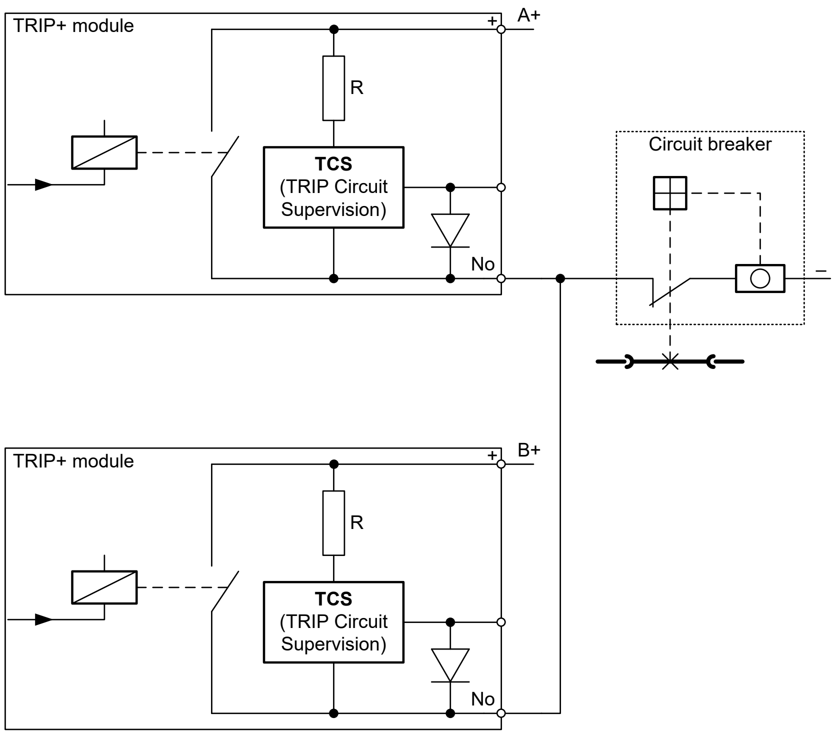


Figure 3-7 2-wire TRIP+ wiring using parallel connected TRIP+ modules

If the circuit breaker needs two-pole switching TRIP+ modules can be connected series as you can see in Figure 3-8.

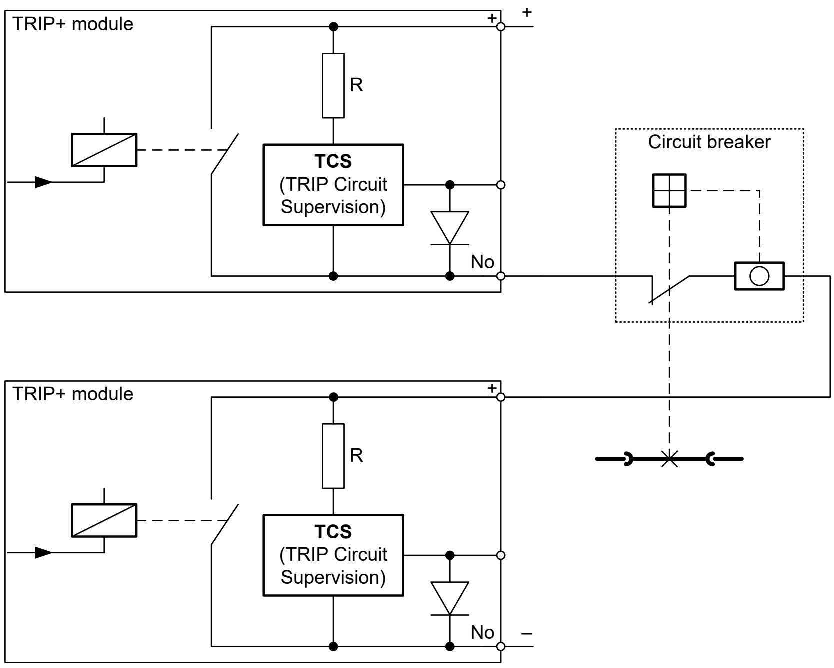


Figure 3-8 2-wire TRIP+ wiring using series connected TRIP+ modules

MODULE TYPE	TRIP+4201	TRIP+2101	TRIP+2201
VALUE OF R RESISTOR (± 10 %)	10 kΩ	73 kΩ	130 kΩ
INJECTED CURRENT AT "NO" CONTACT	2.4 mA @ 24 V DC 4.8 mA @ 48 V DC	1.5 mA @ 110 V DC	1.7 mA @ 220 V DC

Figure 3-9 Technical data for the TRIP modules

Software application

Binary inputs

The **TCS input is active if the trip circuit is OK**, so the logical '0' or FALSE signal of the input means that either the trip circuit is broken (see Chapter 0 for the case when this is mandatory with the CB trip), or it connects to a high-resistance part.

The TCS signals are shown the same way as other binary inputs are in the device: they can be seen in the **on-line data** menu on the local HMI or the device web page, and they can be utilized just like any other binary input when editing the device configuration with EuroCAP software.

The names/titles of the inputs might be a bit different: it may be according to the corresponding TRIP outputs (if the TRIP module is in Slot **N**, the TCS contact is named BIn_**N**##), or if there is only one module with TRIP outputs, the TCS inputs might be named as TCS1, TCS2 etc. These can be checked (and the titles can be modified) in the devices' configuration file using the EuroCAP software.

The TCS macro

In several cases the trip circuit is tripped along with the circuit breaker as well. In situations like this the TCS input would signal a broken trip circuit (logical '0' or FALSE) unnecessarily. To avoid this, the status signals of the CB are to be used combined with the TCS input signal so that it will be evaluated only when the CB is closed.

The TCS macro incorporates this logic for two separate TCS inputs for one CB (see Figure 3-11 for the two TCS inputs and the CB status signal inputs). The outputs are the failure signals for each connected TCS input.

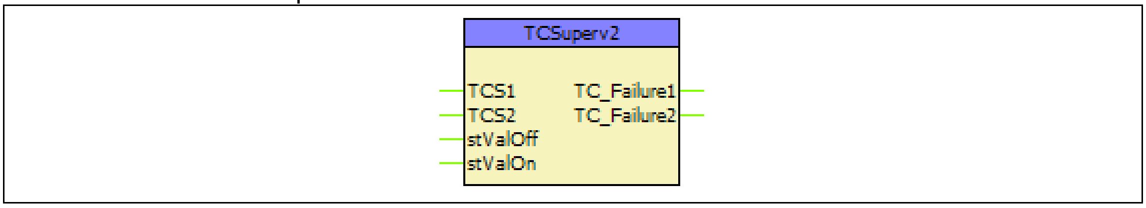


Figure 3-10 Graphic appearance of the Trip Circuit Supervision macro

The internal logic of the macro can be seen on Figure 3-11 below. Both outputs have a fixed pick delay of 1000 ms. Note that **here the outputs are active if the trip circuit is broken** (or there is a failure in it). For a CB with only 1 trip circuit it is enough to simply leave the **TCS2** input open.

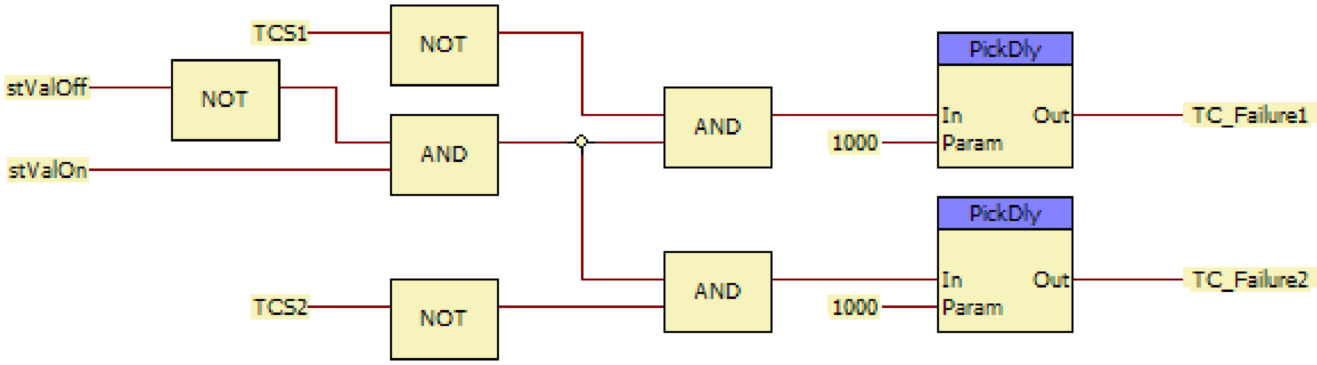


Figure 3-11 Internal logic of the Trip Circuit Supervision macro

Binary input signals

The following table explains the binary input signals of the macro.

BINARY INPUT SIGNAL	EXPLANATION
TCS1	Connect here the first TCS binary input
TCS2	Connect here the second TCS binary input
stValOff	CB Off/Open signal
stValOn	CB On/Closed signal

Table 3-130 Binary input signals of the Trip Circuit Supervision macro

Binary output signals

The following table explains the binary output signals of the macro.

BINARY OUTPUT SIGNAL	EXPLANATION
TC_Failure1	Failure on the first circuit
TC_Failure2	Failure on the second circuit

Table 3-131 Binary output signals of the Trip Circuit Supervision macro

Note that these are the outputs of a macro, and not a function block, so they must be connected to a physical or a logical output (ConnOut, create status) to make them usable in other parts of the configuration. For further information please refer to the EuroCAP software description.

3.2.7 Dead line detection function (DLD)

The "Dead Line Detection" (DLD) function generates a signal indicating the dead or live state of the line. Additional signals are generated to indicate if the phase voltages and phase currents are above the pre-defined limits.

The task of the "Dead Line Detection" (DLD) function is to decide the Dead line/Live line state.

> Criteria of "Dead line" state: all three phase voltages are below the voltage setting value AND all three currents are below the current setting value.
>
> Criteria of "Live line" state: all three phase voltages are above the voltage setting value.

The details are described in the document ***Dead line detection protection function block description.***

Technical data

Function	Value	Accuracy
Pick-up voltage		1%
Operation time	<20ms	
Reset ratio	0.95	

Table 3-132 Technical data of the dead line detection function

Parameters

Integer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Integer parameters of the dead line detection function						
DLD_ULev_IPar_	Min. Operate Voltage	%	10	100	1	60
DLD_ILev_IPar_	Min. Operate Current	%	2	100	1	10

Table 3-133 The integer parameters of the dead line detection function

3.2.8 Voltage transformer supervision function (VTS60)

The voltage transformer supervision function generates a signal to indicate an error in the voltage transformer secondary circuit. This signal can serve, for example, as a warning, indicating disturbances in the measurement, or it can disable the operation of the distance protection function if appropriate measured voltage signals are not available for a distance decision.

The voltage transformer supervision function is designed to detect faulty asymmetrical states of the voltage transformer circuit caused, for example, by a broken conductor in the secondary circuit.

(Another method for detecting voltage disturbances is the supervision of the auxiliary contacts of the miniature circuit breakers in the voltage transformer secondary circuits. This function is not described here.)

The user has to generate graphic equations for the application of the signal of this voltage transformer supervision function.

This function is interconnected with the “dead line detection function”. Although the dead line detection function is described fully in a separate document, the explanation necessary to understand the operation of the VT supervision function is repeated also in this document.

The voltage transformer supervision function can be used in three different modes of application:

> Zero sequence detection (for typical applications in systems with grounded neutral): “VT failure” signal is generated if the residual voltage (3Uo) is above the preset voltage value AND the residual current (3Io) is below the preset current value.
>
> Negative sequence detection (for typical applications in systems with isolated or resonant grounded (Petersen) neutral): “VT failure” signal is generated if the negative sequence voltage component (U2) is above the preset voltage value AND the negative sequence current component (I2) is below the preset current value.
>
> Special application: “VT failure” signal is generated if the residual voltage (3Uo) is above the preset voltage value AND the residual current (3Io) AND the negative sequence current component (I2) are below the preset current values.

The voltage transformer supervision function can be activated if “Live line” status is detected for at least 200 ms. This delay avoids mal-operation at line energizing if the poles of the circuit breaker make contact with a time delay. The function is set to be inactive if “Dead line” status is detected.

If the conditions specified by the selected mode of operation are fulfilled (for at least 4 milliseconds) then the voltage transformer supervision function is activated and the operation signal is generated. (When evaluating this time delay, the natural operating time of the applied Fourier algorithm must also be considered.)

NOTE: For the operation of the voltage transformer supervision function the “ Dead line detection function” must be operable as well: it must be enabled by binary parameter setting, and its blocking signal may not be active.

If, in the active state, the conditions for operation are no longer fulfilled, the resetting of the function depends on the mode of operation of the primary circuit:

- If the “Live line” state is valid, then the function resets after approx. 200 ms of time delay. (When evaluating this time delay, the natural operating time of the applied Fourier algorithm must also be considered.)
- If the “Dead line” state is started and the “VTS Failure” signal has been continuous for at least 100 ms, then the “VTS failure” signal does not reset; it is generated continuously even when the line is in a disconnected state. Thus, the “VTS Failure” signal remains active at reclosing.
- If the “Dead line” state is started and the “VTS Failure” signal has not been continuous for at least 100 ms, then the “VTS failure” signal resets.

Technical data

Function	Value	Accuracy
Pick-up voltage Io=0A I2=0A		 <1% <1%
Operation time	<20ms	
Reset ratio	0.95	

Table 3-134 Technical data of the voltage transformer supervision function

Parameters

Integer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Integer parameters of the dead line detection function						
DLD_ULev_IPar_	Min Operate Voltage	%	10	100	1	60
DLD_ILev_IPar_	Min Operate Current	%	2	100	1	10
Starting voltage and current parameter for residual and negative sequence detection:						
VTS_Uo_IPar_	Start URes	%	5	50	1	30
VTS_Io_IPar_	Start IRes	%	10	50	1	10
VTS_Uneg_IPar_	Start UNeg	%	5	50	1	10
VTS_Ineg_IPar_	Start INeg	%	10	50	1	10

Table 3-135 The integer parameters of the voltage transformer supervision function

Enumerated parameter

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Parameter for type selection			
VTS_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off, Zero sequence, Neg. sequence, Special	Zero sequence

Table 3-136 The enumerated parameter of the voltage transformer supervision function

3.2.9 Current unbalance function (VCB60)

The current unbalance protection function (VCB60) can be applied to detect unexpected asymmetry in current measurement.

The applied method selects maximum and minimum phase currents (RMS value of the fundamental Fourier components). If the difference between them is above the setting limit, the function generates a start signal. It is a necessary precondition of start signal generation that the maximum of the currents be above 10 % of the rated current and below 150% of the rated current. *The Fourier calculation modules* calculate the RMS value of the basic Fourier current components of the phase currents individually. They are not part of the VCB60 function; they belong to the preparatory phase.

The analog signal processing module processes the RMS value of the basic Fourier current components of the phase currents to prepare the signals for the decision. It calculates the maximum and the minimum value of the RMS values and the difference between the maximum and minimum of the RMS values of the fundamental Fourier components of the phase currents as a percentage of the maximum of these values (ΔI>). If the maximum of the currents is above 10 % of the rated current and below 150% of the rated current and the ΔI> value is above the limit defined by the preset parameter (Start Current Diff) an output is generated to the decision module.

The decision logic module combines the status signals to generate the starting signal and the trip command of the function. The trip command is generated after the defined time delay if trip command is enabled by the Boolean parameter setting. The function can be disabled by parameter setting, and by an input signal programmed by the user with the graphic programming tool.

Technical data

Function	Value	Accuracy
Pick-up starting accuracy at In		< 2 %
Reset ratio	0.95	
Operate time	70 ms	

Table 3-137 Technical data of the current unbalance function

Parameters

Enumerated parameter

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Selection of the operating mode			
VCB60_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off, On	On

Table 3-138 The enumerated parameter of the current unbalance function

Boolean parameter

Parameter name	Title	Explanation	Default
Selection for trip command			
VCB60_StOnly_BPar_	Start Signal Only	0 to generate trip command	0

Table 3-139 The boolean parameter of the current unbalance function

Integer parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Phase difference current setting						
VCB60_StCurr_IPar_	Start Current Diff	%	10	90	1	50

Table 3-140 The integer parameter of the current unbalance function

Timer parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Time delay						
VCB60_Del_TPar_	Time Delay	msec	100	60000	100	1000

Table 3-141 The timer parameter of the current unbalance function

3.3 Measuring functions

The measured values can be checked on the touch-screen of the device in the “On-line functions” page, or using an Internet browser of a connected computer. The displayed values are secondary voltages and currents, except the block “Line measurement”. This specific block displays the measured values in primary units, using VT and CT primary value settings.

Analog value	Explanation
VT4 module	
Voltage Ch – U1	RMS value of the Fourier fundamental harmonic voltage component in phase L1
Angle Ch – U1	Phase angle of the Fourier fundamental harmonic voltage component in phase L1*
Voltage Ch – U2	RMS value of the Fourier fundamental harmonic voltage component in phase L2
Angle Ch – U2	Phase angle of the Fourier fundamental harmonic voltage component in phase L2*
Voltage Ch – U3	RMS value of the Fourier fundamental harmonic voltage component in phase L3
Angle Ch – U3	Phase angle of the Fourier fundamental harmonic voltage component in phase L3*
Voltage Ch – U4	RMS value of the Fourier fundamental harmonic voltage component in Channel U4
Angle Ch – U4	Phase angle of the Fourier fundamental harmonic voltage component in Channel U4*
CT4 module	
Current Ch - I1	RMS value of the Fourier fundamental harmonic current component in phase L1
Angle Ch - I1	Phase angle of the Fourier fundamental harmonic current component in phase L1*
Current Ch - I2	RMS value of the Fourier fundamental harmonic current component in phase L2
Angle Ch - I2	Phase angle of the Fourier fundamental harmonic current component in phase L2*
Current Ch - I3	RMS value of the Fourier fundamental harmonic current component in phase L3
Angle Ch - I3	Phase angle of the Fourier fundamental harmonic current component in phase L3*
Current Ch - I4	RMS value of the Fourier fundamental harmonic current component in Channel I4
Angle Ch - I4	Phase angle of the Fourier fundamental harmonic current component in Channel I4*
Distance protection function (DIS21_HV)	
Fault location	Measured distance to fault
Fault react.	Measured reactance in the fault loop
L1N loop R	Resistive component value of impedance in L1-N loop
L1N loop X	Reactive component value of impedance in L1-N loop
L2N loop R	Resistive component value of impedance in L2-N loop
L2N loop X	Reactive component value of impedance in L2-N loop
L3N loop R	Resistive component value of impedance in L3-N loop
L3N loop X	Reactive component value of impedance in L3-N loop
L12 loop R	Resistive component value of impedance in L12 loop
L12 loop X	Reactive component value of impedance in L12 loop
L23 loop R	Resistive component value of impedance in L23 loop
L23 loop X	Reactive component value of impedance in L23 loop
L31 loop R	Resistive component value of impedance in L31 loop
L31 loop X	Reactive component value of impedance in L31 loop

Synchrocheck function (SYN25)	
Voltage Diff	Voltage different value
Frequency Diff	Frequency different value
Angle Diff	Angle different value
Line measurement (MXU_L) (here the displayed information means primary value)	
Active Power – P	Three-phase active power
Reactive Power – Q	Three-phase reactive power
Apparent Power – S	Three-phase power based on true RMS voltage and current measurement
Current L1	True RMS value of the current in phase L1
Current L2	True RMS value of the current in phase L2
Current L3	True RMS value of the current in phase L3
Voltage L1	True RMS value of the voltage in phase L1
Voltage L2	True RMS value of the voltage in phase L2
Voltage L3	True RMS value of the voltage in phase L3
Voltage L12	True RMS value of the voltage between phases L1 L2
Voltage L23	True RMS value of the voltage between phases L2 L3
Voltage L31	True RMS value of the voltage between phases L3 L1
Frequency	Frequency
Metering (MTR)	
Forward MWh	Forward MWh
Backward MWh	Backward MWh
Forward MVArh	Forward MVArh
Backward MVArh	Backward MVArh
Line thermal protection (TTR49L)	
Calc. Temperature	Calculated line temperature

* *The reference angle is the phase angle of “Voltage Ch - U1”*

Table 3-142 Measured analog values

3.3.1 Current input function (CT4)

If the factory configuration includes a current transformer hardware module, the current input function block is automatically configured among the software function blocks. Separate current input function blocks are assigned to each current transformer hardware module.

A current transformer hardware module is equipped with four special intermediate current transformers. (See Chapter 5 of the EuroProt+ hardware description document.) As usual, the first three current inputs receive the three phase currents (IL1, IL2, IL3), the fourth input is reserved for zero sequence current, for the zero sequence current of the parallel line or for any additional current. Accordingly, the first three inputs have common parameters while the fourth current input needs individual setting.

The role of the current input function block is to

- set the required parameters associated to the current inputs,
- deliver the sampled current values for disturbance recording,
- perform the basic calculations
    - Fourier basic harmonic magnitude and angle,
    - True RMS value;
- provide the pre-calculated current values to the subsequent software modules,
- deliver the basic calculated values for on-line displaying.

Operation of the current input algorithm

The current input function block receives the sampled current values from the internal operating system. The scaling (even hardware scaling) depends on parameter setting. See parameters CT4_Ch13Nom_EPar_ (Rated Secondary I1-3) and CT4_Ch4Nom_EPar_ (Rated Secondary I4). The options to choose from are 1A or 5A (in special applications, 0.2A or 1A). This parameter influences the internal number format and, naturally, accuracy. (A small current is processed with finer resolution if 1A is selected.)

If needed, the phase currents can be inverted by setting the parameter CT4_Ch13Dir_EPar_ (Starpoint I1-3). This selection applies to each of the channels IL1, IL2 and IL3. The fourth current channel can be inverted by setting the parameter CT4_Ch4Dir_EPar (Direction I4). This inversion may be needed in protection functions such as distance protection, differential protection or for any functions with directional decision.

These sampled values are available for further processing and for disturbance recording.

The performed basic calculation results the Fourier basic harmonic magnitude and angle and the true RMS value. These results are processed by subsequent protection function blocks and they are available for on-line displaying as well.

The function block also provides parameters for setting the primary rated currents of the main current transformer. This function block does not need that parameter setting. These values are passed on to function blocks such as displaying primary measured values, primary power calculation, etc.

Technical data

Function	Range	Accuracy
Current accuracy	20 – 2000% of In	±1% of In

Table 3-143 Technical data of the current input

Parameters

Enumerated parameters

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Rated secondary current of the first three input channels. 1A or 5A is selected by parameter setting, no hardware modification is needed.			
CT4_Ch13Nom_EPar_	Rated Secondary I1-3	1A,5A	1A
Rated secondary current of the fourth input channel. 1A or 5A is selected by parameter setting, no hardware modification is needed.			
CT4_Ch4Nom_EPar_	Rated Secondary I4	1A,5A (0.2A or 1A)	1A
Definition of the positive direction of the first three currents, given by location of the secondary star connection point			
CT4_Ch13Dir_EPar_	Starpoint I1-3	Line,Bus	Line
Definition of the positive direction of the fourth current, given as normal or inverted			
CT4_Ch4Dir_EPar_	Direction I4	Normal,Inverted	Normal

Table 3-144 The enumerated parameters of the current input function

Floating point parameters

Parameter name	Title	Dim.	Min	Max	Default
Rated primary current of channel1					
CT4_PriI1_FPar_	Rated Primary I1	A	100	4000	1000
Rated primary current of channel2					
CT4_PriI2_FPar	Rated Primary I2	A	100	4000	1000
Rated primary current of channel3					
CT4_PriI3_FPar_	Rated Primary I3	A	100	4000	1000
Rated primary current of channel4					
CT4_PriI4_FPar_	Rated Primary I4	A	100	4000	1000

Table 3-145 The floating point parameters of the current input function

NOTE: The rated primary current of the channels is not needed for the current input function block itself. These values are passed on to the subsequent function blocks.

The **measured values** of the current input function block.

Measured value	Dim.	Explanation
Current Ch - I1	A(secondary)	Fourier basic component of the current in channel IL1
Angle Ch - I1	degree	Vector position of the current in channel IL1
Current Ch – I2	A(secondary)	Fourier basic component of the current in channel IL2
Angle Ch – I2	degree	Vector position of the current in channel IL2
Current Ch – I3	A(secondary)	Fourier basic component of the current in channel IL3
Angle Ch – I3	degree	Vector position of the current in channel IL3
Current Ch – I4	A(secondary)	Fourier basic component of the current in channel I4
Angle Ch – I4	degree	Vector position of the current in channel I4

Table 3-146 The measured analogue values of the current input function

NOTE1: The scaling of the Fourier basic component is such that if pure sinusoid 1A RMS of the rated frequency is injected, the displayed value is 1A. (The displayed value does not depend on the parameter setting values “Rated Secondary”.)

NOTE2: The reference of the vector position depends on the device configuration. If a voltage input module is included, then the reference vector (vector with angle 0 degree) is the vector calculated for the first voltage input channel of the first applied voltage input module. If no voltage input module is configured, then the reference vector (vector with angle 0 degree) is the vector calculated for the first current input channel of the first applied current input module.

Figure 3-12 shows an example of how the calculated Fourier components are displayed in the on-line block. (See the document "EuroProt+ Remote user interface description".)

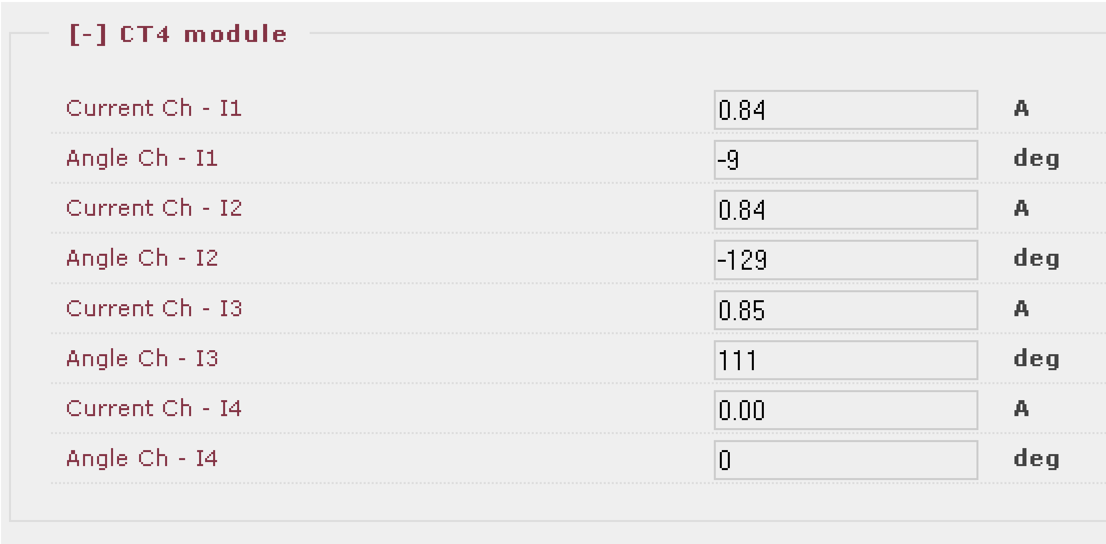


Figure 3-12 Example: On-line displayed values for the current input module

3.3.2 Voltage input function (VT4)

If the factory configuration includes a voltage transformer hardware module, the voltage input function block is automatically configured among the software function blocks. Separate voltage input function blocks are assigned to each voltage transformer hardware module.

A voltage transformer hardware module is equipped with four special intermediate voltage transformers. (See Chapter 6 of the EuroProt+ hardware description document.) As usual, the first three voltage inputs receive the three phase voltages (UL1, UL2, UL3), the fourth input is reserved for zero sequence voltage or for a voltage from the other side of the circuit breaker for synchron switching. All inputs have a common parameter for type selection: 100V or 200V.

Additionally, there is a correction factor available if the rated secondary voltage of the main voltage transformer (e.g. 110V) does not match the rated input of the device.

The role of the voltage input function block is to

- set the required parameters associated to the voltage inputs,
- deliver the sampled voltage values for disturbance recording,
- perform the basic calculations
  - Fourier basic harmonic magnitude and angle,
  - True RMS value;
- provide the pre-calculated voltage values to the subsequent software modules,
- deliver the basic calculated values for on-line displaying.

Operation of the voltage input algorithm

The voltage input function block receives the sampled voltage values from the internal operating system. The scaling (even hardware scaling) depends on parameter setting. See the parameter VT4_Type_EPar_ (Range). The options to choose from are 100V or 200V. This parameter influences the internal number format and, naturally, accuracy. (A small voltage is processed with finer resolution if 100V is selected.)

The connection of the first three VT secondary winding must be set to reflect actual physical connection. The associated parameter is VT4_Ch13Nom_EPar_ (Connection U1-3). The selection can be: Ph-N, Ph-Ph or Ph-N-Isolated.

The Ph-N option is applied in solidly grounded networks, where the measured phase voltage is never above 1.5-Un. In this case the primary rated voltage of the VT must be the value of the rated PHASE-TO-NEUTRAL voltage.

The Ph-N option is applied in compensated or isolated networks, where the measured phase voltage can be above 1.5-Un even in normal operation. In this case the primary rated voltage of the VT must be the value of the rated PHASE-TO-PHASE voltage.

If phase-to-phase voltage is connected to the VT input of the device, then the Ph-Ph option is to be selected. Here, the primary rated voltage of the VT must be the value of the rated PHASE-TO-PHASE voltage. This option must not be selected if the distance protection function is supplied from the VT input.

The fourth input is reserved for zero sequence voltage or for a voltage from the other side of the circuit breaker for synchron switching. Accordingly, the connected voltage must be identified with parameter setting VT4_Ch4Nom_EPar_ (Connection U4). Here, phase-to-neutral or phase-to-phase voltage can be selected: Ph-N,Ph-Ph

If needed, the phase voltages can be inverted by setting the parameter VT4_Ch13Dir_EPar_ (Direction U1-3). This selection applies to each of the channels UL1, UL2 and UL3. The fourth voltage channel can be inverted by setting the parameter VT4_Ch4Dir_EPar_ (Direction U4). This inversion may be needed in protection functions such as distance protection, differential protection or for any functions with directional decision, or for checking the voltage vector positions.

Additionally, there is a correction factor available if the rated secondary voltage of the main voltage transformer (e.g. 110V) does not match the rated input of the device. The related parameter is VT4_CorrFact_IPar_ (VT correction). As an example: if the rated secondary voltage of the main voltage transformer is 110V, then select Type 100 for the parameter “Range” and the required value to set here is 110%.

These sampled values are available for further processing and for disturbance recording.

The performed basic calculation results the Fourier basic harmonic magnitude and angle and the true RMS value of the voltages. These results are processed by subsequent protection function blocks and they are available for on-line displaying as well.

The function block also provides parameters for setting the primary rated voltages of the main voltage transformer. This function block does not need that parameter setting. These values are passed on to function blocks such as displaying primary measured values, primary power calculation, etc. Concerning the rated voltage, see the instructions related to the parameter for the connection of the first three VT secondary winding.

Parameters

Enumerated parameters

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Rated secondary voltage of the input channels. 100 V or 200V is selected by parameter setting, no hardware modification is needed.			
VT4_Type_EPar_	Range	Type 100,Type 200	Type 100
Connection of the first three voltage inputs (main VT secondary)			
VT4_Ch13Nom_EPar_	Connection U1-3	Ph-N, Ph-Ph, Ph-N-Isolated	Ph-N
Selection of the fourth channel input: phase-to-neutral or phase-to-phase voltage			
VT4_Ch4Nom_EPar_	Connection U4	Ph-N,Ph-Ph	Ph-Ph
Definition of the positive direction of the first three input channels, given as normal or inverted			
VT4_Ch13Dir_EPar_	Direction U1-3	Normal,Inverted	Normal
Definition of the positive direction of the fourth voltage, given as normal or inverted			
VT4_Ch4Dir_EPar_	Direction U4	Normal,Inverted	Normal

Table 3-147 The enumerated parameters of the voltage input function

Integer parameter

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Voltage correction						
VT4_CorrFact_IPar_	VT correction	%	100	115	1	100

Table 3-148 The integer parameter of the voltage input function

Floating point parameters

Parameter name	Title	Dim.	Min	Max	Default
Rated primary voltage of channel1					
VT4_PriU1_FPar	Rated Primary U1	kV	1	1000	100
Rated primary voltage of channel2					
VT4_PriU2_FPar	Rated Primary U2	kV	1	1000	100
Rated primary voltage of channel3					
VT4_PriU3_FPar	Rated Primary U3	kV	1	1000	100
Rated primary voltage of channel4					
VT4_PriU4_FPar	Rated Primary U4	kV	1	1000	100

Table 3-149 The floating point parameters of the voltage input function

NOTE: The rated primary voltage of the channels is not needed for the voltage input function block itself. These values are passed on to the subsequent function blocks.

Function	Range	Accuracy
Voltage accuracy	30% … 130%	< 0,.5 %

Table 3-150 Technical data of the voltage input

Measured values

Measured value	Dim.	Explanation
Voltage Ch - U1	V(secondary)	Fourier basic component of the voltage in channel UL1
Angle Ch - U1	degree	Vector position of the voltage in channel UL1
Voltage Ch – U2	V(secondary)	Fourier basic component of the voltage in channel UL2
Angle Ch – U2	degree	Vector position of the voltage in channel UL2
Voltage Ch – U3	V(secondary)	Fourier basic component of the voltage in channel UL3
Angle Ch – U3	degree	Vector position of the voltage in channel UL3
Voltage Ch – U4	V(secondary)	Fourier basic component of the voltage in channel U4
Angle Ch – U4	degree	Vector position of the voltage in channel U4

Table 3-151 The measured analogue values of the voltage input function

NOTE1: The scaling of the Fourier basic component is such if pure sinusoid 57V RMS of the rated frequency is injected, the displayed value is 57V. (The displayed value does not depend on the parameter setting values “Rated Secondary”.)

NOTE2: The reference vector (vector with angle 0 degree) is the vector calculated for the first voltage input channel of the first applied voltage input module.

The figure below shows an example of how the calculated Fourier components are displayed in the on-line block. (See the document EuroProt+ “Remote user interface description”.)

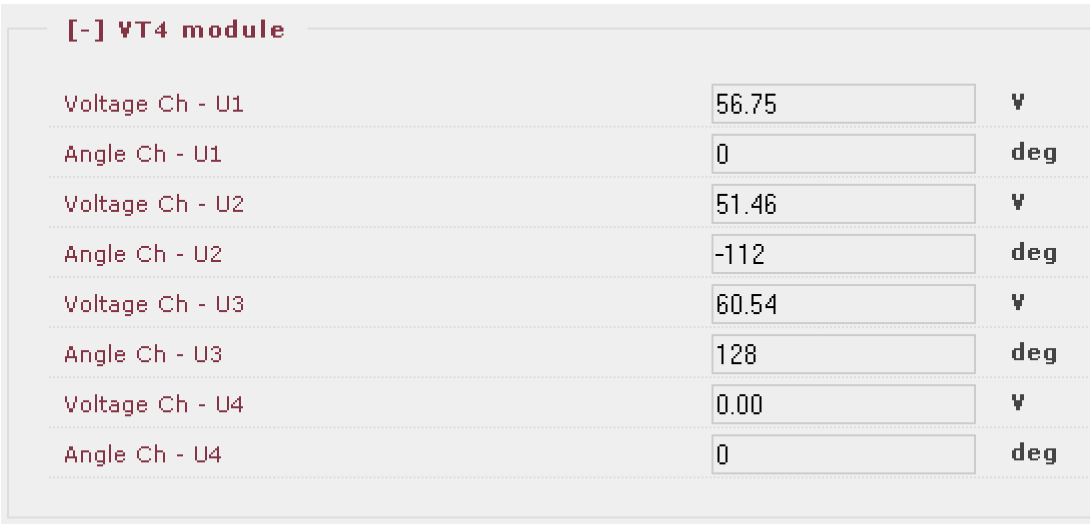


Figure 3-13 Example: On-line displayed values for the voltage input module

3.3.3 Line measurement function (MXU)

The measurement

The input values of the EuroProt+ devices are the secondary signals of the voltage transformers and those of the current transformers.

These signals are pre-processed by the “Voltage transformer input” function block and by the “Current transformer input” function block. These function blocks are described in separate documents. The pre-processed values include the Fourier basic harmonic phasors of the voltages and currents and the true RMS values. Additionally, it is in these function blocks that parameters are set concerning the voltage ratio of the primary voltage transformers and current ratio of the current transformers.

Based on the pre-processed values and the measured transformer parameters, the “Line measurement” function block calculates - depending on the hardware and software configuration - the primary RMS values of the voltages and currents and some additional values such as active and reactive power, symmetrical components of voltages and currents. These values are available as primary quantities and they can be displayed on the on-line screen of the device or on the remote user interface of the computers connected to the communication network and they are available for the SCADA system using the configured communication system.

Reporting the measured values and the changes

It is usual for the SCADA systems that they sample the measured and calculated values in regular time periods and additionally they receive the changed values as reports at the moment when any significant change is detected in the primary system. The “Line measurement” function block is able to perform such reporting for the SCADA system.

Operation of the line measurement function block

The **inputs** of the line measurement function are

- the Fourier components and true RMS values of the measured voltages and currents,
- frequency measurement,
- parameters.

The **outputs** of the line measurement function are

- displayed measured values,
- reports to the SCADA system.

NOTE: the scaling values are entered as parameter setting for the “Voltage transformer input” function block and for the “Current transformer input” function block.

The measured values

The **measured values** of the line measurement function depend on the hardware configuration. As an example, Table 3-152 shows the list of the measured values available in a configuration for solidly grounded networks.

Measured value	**Explanation**
MXU_P_OLM_	Active Power – P (Fourier base harmonic value)
MXU_Q_OLM_	Reactive Power – Q (Fourier base harmonic value)
MXU_S_OLM_	Apparent Power – S (Fourier base harmonic value)
MXU_I1_OLM_	Current L1
MXU_I2_OLM_	Current L2
MXU_I3_OLM_	Current L3
MXU_U1_OLM_	Voltage L1
MXU_U2_OLM_	Voltage L2
MXU_U3_OLM_	Voltage L3
MXU_U12_OLM_	Voltage L12
MXU_U23_OLM_	Voltage L23
MXU_U31_OLM_	Voltage L31
MXU_f_OLM_	Frequency

Table 3-152 Example: Measured values in a configuration for solidly grounded networks

Another example is Figure 3-14, where the measured values available are shown as on-line information in a configuration for compensated networks.

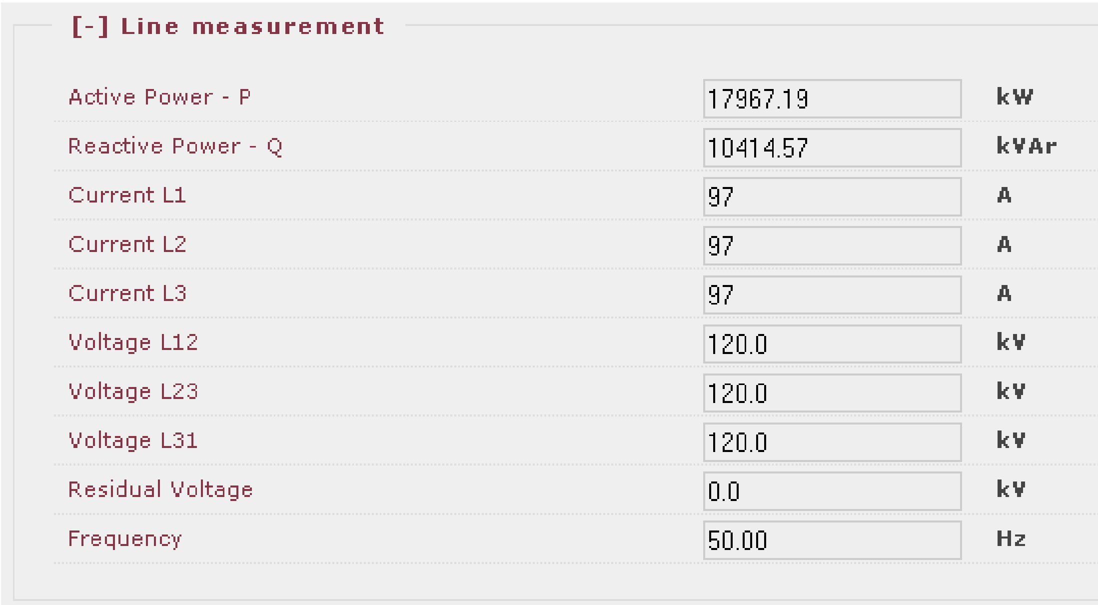


Figure 3-14 Example: Measured values in a configuration for compensated networks

The available quantities are described in the configuration description documents.

Reporting the measured values and the changes

For reporting, additional information is needed, which is defined in parameter setting.
As an example, in a configuration for solidly grounded networks the following parameters are available:

Enumerated parameters

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Selection of the reporting mode for active power measurement			
MXU_PRepMode_EPar_	Operation ActivePower	Off, Amplitude, Integrated	Amplitude
Selection of the reporting mode for reactive power measurement			
MXU_QRepMode_EPar_	Operation ActivePower	Off, Amplitude, Integrated	Amplitude
Selection of the reporting mode for apparent power measurement			
MXU_SRepMode_EPar_	Operation ApparPower	Off, Amplitude, Integrated	Amplitude
Selection of the reporting mode for current measurement			
MXU_IRepMode_EPar_	Operation Current	Off, Amplitude, Integrated	Amplitude
Selection of the reporting mode for voltage measurement			
MXU_URepMode_EPar_	Operation Voltage	Off, Amplitude, Integrated	Amplitude
Selection of the reporting mode for frequency measurement			
MXU_fRepMode_EPar_	Operation Frequency	Off, Amplitude, Integrated	Amplitude

Table 3-153 The enumerated parameters of the line measurement function

The selection of the reporting mode items is explained in Figure 3-15 and in Figure 3-16.

"Amplitude" mode of reporting

If the "Amplitude" mode is selected for reporting, a report is generated if the measured value leaves the deadband around the previously reported value. As an example, Figure 3-15 shows that the current becomes higher than the value reported in "report1" PLUS the Deadband value, this results "report2", etc.

For this mode of operation, the Deadband parameters are explained in Table 3-154.

The "Range" parameters in Table 3-154 are needed to evaluate a measurement as "out-of-range".

Floating point parameters

Parameter name	Title	Dim.	Min	Max	Step	Default
Deadband value for the active power						
MXU_PDeadB_FPar_	Deadband value - P	MW	0.1	100000	0.01	10
Range value for the active power						
MXU_PRange_FPar_	Range value - P	MW	1	100000	0.01	500
Deadband value for the reactive power						
MXU_QDeadB_FPar_	Deadband value - Q	MVAr	0.1	100000	0.01	10
Range value for the reactive power						
MXU_QRange_FPar_	Range value - Q	MVAr	1	100000	0.01	500
Deadband value for the apparent power						
MXU_SDeadB_FPar_	Deadband value - S	MVA	0.1	100000	0.01	10
Range value for the apparent power						
MXU_SRange_FPar_	Range value - S	MVA	1	100000	0.01	500
Deadband value for the current						
MXU_IDeadB_FPar_	Deadband value - I	A	1	2000	1	10
Range value for the current						
MXU_IRange_FPar_	Range value - I	A	1	5000	1	500
Deadband value for the phase-to-neutral voltage						
MXU_UPhDeadB_FPar_	Deadband value – U ph-N	kV	0.1	100	0.01	1
Range value for the phase-to-neutral voltage						
MXU_UPhRange_FPar_	Range value – U ph-N	kV	1	1000	0.1	231
Deadband value for the phase-to-phase voltage						
MXU_UPPDeadB_FPar_	Deadband value – U ph-ph	kV	0.1	100	0.01	1
Range value for the phase-to-phase voltage						
MXU_UPPRange_FPar_	Range value – U ph-ph	kV	1	1000	0.1	400
Deadband value for the current						
MXU_fDeadB_FPar_	Deadband value - f	Hz	0.01	1	0.01	0.02
Range value for the current						
MXU_fRange_FPar_	Range value - f	Hz	0.05	10	0.01	5

Table 3-154 The floating-point parameters of the line measurement function

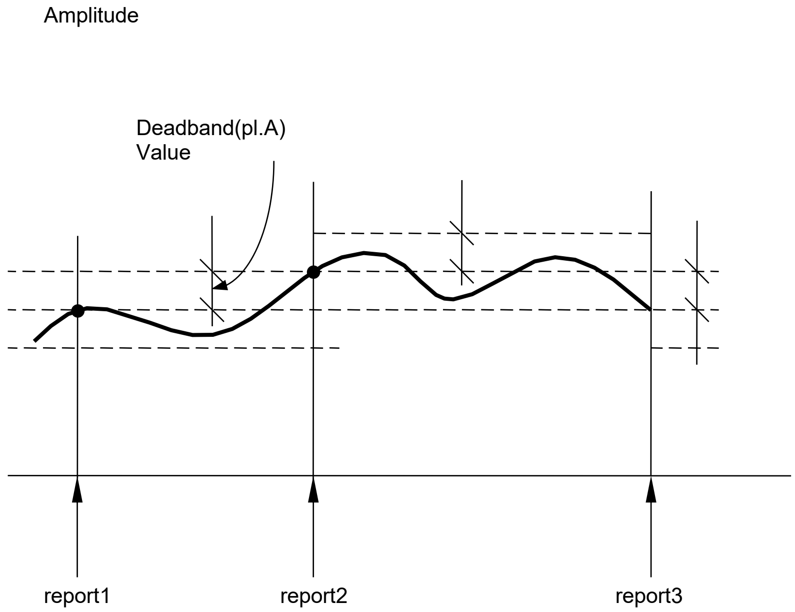


*Figure 3-15 Reporting if "*Amplitude*" mode is selected*

"Integral" mode of reporting

If the "Integrated" mode is selected for reporting, a report is generated if the time integral of the measured value since the last report gets becomes larger, in the positive or negative direction, then the (deadband*1sec) area. As an example, Figure 3-16 shows that the integral of the current in time becomes higher than the Deadband value multiplied by 1sec, this results "report2", etc.

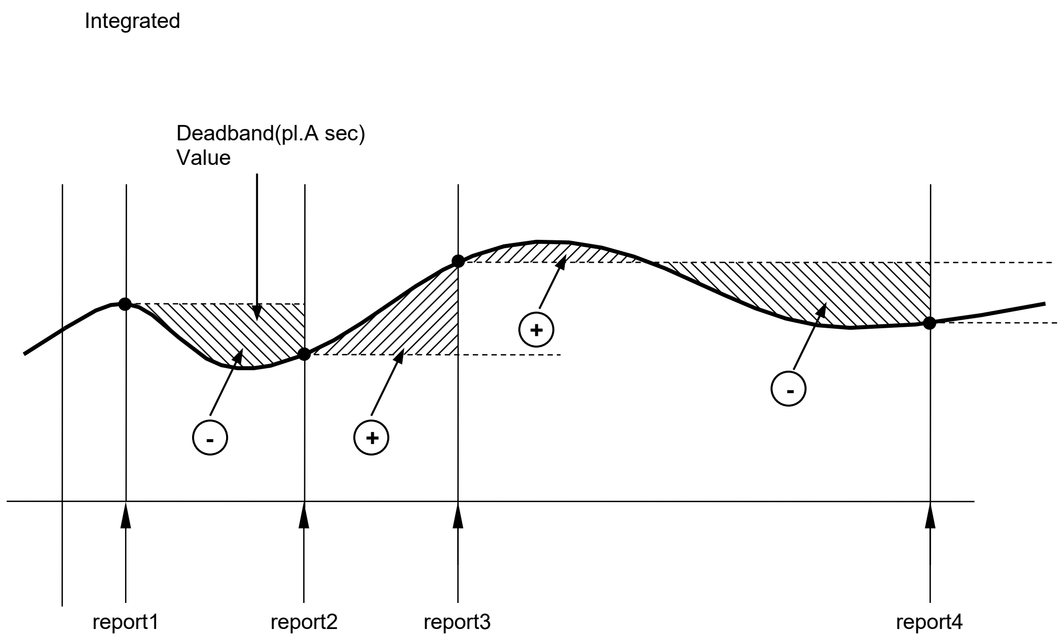


*Figure 3-16 Reporting if "*Integrated*" mode is selected*

Periodic reporting

Periodic reporting is generated independently of the changes of the measured values when the defined time period elapses. The required parameter setting is shown in Table 3-155.

Integer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Reporting time period for the active power						
MXU_PIntPer_IPar_	Report period P	sec	0	3600	1	0
Reporting time period for the reactive power						
MXU_QIntPer_IPar_	Report period Q	sec	0	3600	1	0
Reporting time period for the apparent power						
MXU_SIntPer_IPar_	Report period S	sec	0	3600	1	0
Reporting time period for the voltage						
MXU_UIntPer_IPar_	Report period U	sec	0	3600	1	0
Reporting time period for the current						
MXU_IIntPer_IPar_	Report period I	sec	0	3600	1	0
Reporting time period for the frequency						
MXU_fIntPer_IPar_	Report period f	sec	0	3600	1	0

Table 3-155 The integer parameters of the line measurement function

If the reporting time period is set to 0, then no periodic reporting is performed for this quantity.

All reports can be disabled for a quantity if the reporting mode is set to “Off”. See Table 3-153.

Technical data

Function	Range	Accuracy
Current accuracy		
with CT/5151 or CT/5102 modules	0,2 In – 0,5 In	±2%, ±1 digit
	0,5 In – 20 In	±1%, ±1 digit
with CT/1500 module	0,03 In – 2 In	±0,5%, ±1 digit
Voltage accuracy	5 – 150% of Un	±0.5% of Un, ±1 digit
Power accuracy	I>5% In	±3%, ±1 digit
Frequency accuracy	U>3.5%Un 45Hz – 55Hz	2mHz

Table 3-156 Technical data of line measurement

3.4 Disturbance recorder

The disturbance recorder function can record analog signals and binary status signals. These signals are configured using the EuroCAP software tool.

The disturbance recorder function has a binary input signal, which serves the purpose of starting the function**. The conditions of starting are defined by the user, applying the graphic equation editor.** The disturbance recorder function keeps on recording during the active state of this signal but the total recording time is limited by the timer parameter setting.

The pre-fault time, max recording time and post-fault time can be defined by parameters.

Mode of recording

If the triggering conditions defined by the user - using the graphic equation editor – are satisfied and the function is enabled by parameter setting, then the disturbance recorder starts recording the sampled values of configured analog signals and binary signals.

The analog signals can be sampled values (voltages and currents) received via input modules or they can be calculated analog values (such as negative sequence components, etc.)

The number of the configured binary signals for recording is limited to 64, and up to 32 analog channels can be recorded.

The available memory for disturbance records is 12 MB.

There are two function blocks available. The first function (**DRE**) applies 20 sampling in a network period. Accordingly for 50 Hz, the sampling frequency is 1 kHz. (For 60 Hz the sampling frequency is 1.2 kHz). This is used in all configurations by default.

The second function (**DRE2**) is capable to be set by parameter to apply 20 or 40 sampling in a network period. This way accordingly for 50 Hz, the sampling frequency is 1 kHz or 2 kHz (and for 60 Hz the sampling frequency is 1.2 kHz or 2.4 kHz). *Except for this, the two function blocks are the same*.

As an example, for 50 Hz, if the duration of the record is 1000 ms then one analog channel needs about 7 kB and a binary channel needs 2 kB, Using the following formula the memory size can be estimated:

Memory size of a record = (n*7 kB+ m*2 kB)*record duration(s)

Here n,m: are the number of analog and binary channels respectively.

During the operation of the function, the pre-fault signals are preserved for the time duration as defined by the parameter “PreFault”.

The recording duration is limited by the parameter “Max Recording Time” but if the triggering signal resets earlier, this section is shorter.

The post-fault signals are preserved for the time duration as defined by the parameter “PostFault”.

During or after the running of the recording, the triggering condition must be reset for a new recording procedure to start.

Format of recording

The records are stored in standard COMTRADE format.

- The configuration is defined by the file .cfg,
- The data are stored in the file .dat,
- Plain text comments can be written in the file .inf.

Downloading and evaluating the disturbance records

The procedure for downloading the records is described in detail in the EuroProt+ manual "Remote user interface description", Chapter 4.7. The three files are zipped in a file .zip. This procedure assures that the three component files (.cfg, .dat and .inf) are stored in the same location.

The evaluation can be performed using any COMTRADE evaluator software. Protecta offers the **"srEval"** software for this purpose. The application of this software is described in detail in the "srEval manual". This manual can be downloaded from the following Internet address: http://www.softreal.hu/product/sreval_en.shtml.

Parameters

Enumerated parameters

Parameter name	Title	Selection range	Default
Parameter for activation			
DRE_Oper_EPar_	Operation	Off, On	Off
DRE_Resolution_EPar_	Resolution *	1/1.2kHz, 2/2.4kHz	1/1.2kHz

*only on the optional 2/2.4 kHz disturbance recorder function

Table 3-157 The timer parameters of the disturbance recorder functions

Timer parameters

Parameter name	Title	Unit	Min	Max	Step	Default
Pre-fault time:						
DRE_PreFault_TPar_	PreFault	msec	100	1000	1	200
Post-fault time:						
DRE_PostFault_TPar_	PostFault	msec	100	1000	1	200
Overall-fault time limit:						
DRE_MaxFault_TPar_	Max Recording Time	msec	500	10000	1	1000

NOTE: The device goes automatically in "Warning" state and sends a warning message (see below) if the sum of the pre-fault time and post-fault time is longer than the overall-fault time. The corresponding message in the RDSP log file is: „Wrong DR settings. PreFault + PostFault must be less than MaxFault. Check the parameters."

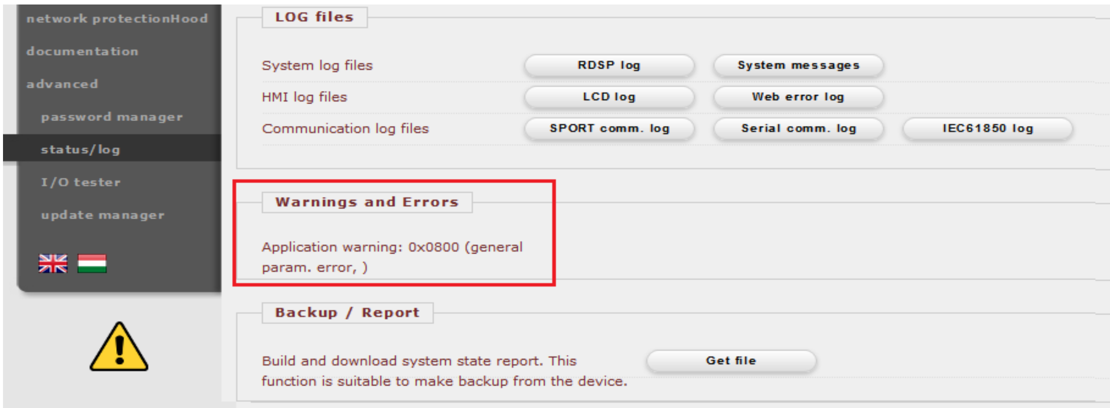


Figure 3-17 Checking the warning message on the status/log page

Binary output status signals

Binary status signal	Explanation
DRE_Start_GrO_	Output status of a graphic equation defined by the user to start the disturbance recorder function.

Table 3-158 The binary input signal of the disturbance recorder functions

The recording is performed if the function is enabled by the parameter setting AND the triggering condition as defined by the user is “True” as well.

The function blocks

The two function blocks of the disturbance recorder function is shown below. The block shows the binary input status signal, which serves the purpose of triggering the record. It is defined by the user in the graphic equation editor.

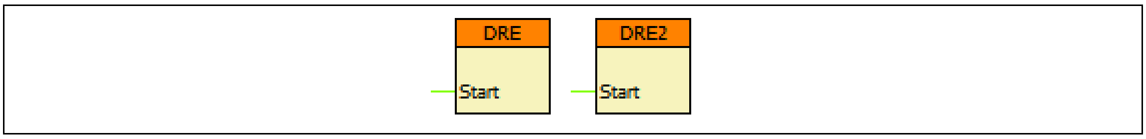


Figure 3-18 Graphic representations of the disturbance recorder functions

The recorded signals

The analog and binary signals to be recorded are configured using the EuroCAP software tool in the menu item “Software configuration/Disturbance recorder”. (The access level of the user must be at least “Master”.) The application of this software is described in detail in the EuroCAP manual.

3.5 Event recorder

The events of the device and those of the protection functions are recorded with a time stamp of 1 ms time resolution. This information with indication of the generating function can be checked on the touch-screen of the device in the "Events" page, or using an Internet browser of a connected computer.