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-	-	Power, control and communication cables - Cables for general applications in construction works subject to reaction to fire requirements	EN 50575 + A1	2014 2016
IEC 60364-1 (mod)	2005	Low-voltage electrical installations - Part 1: Fundamental principles, assessment of general characteristics, definitions	HD 60364-1 + A11	2008 2017
IEC 60364-4-44 (mod)	2007	Low-voltage electrical installations - Part 4-44: Protection for safety - Protection against voltage disturbances and electromagnetic disturbances	HD 60364-4-442	2012
+ A1 (mod)	2015		HD 60364-4-443	2016
+ A2	2018		HD 60364-4-444	2010
IEC 60364-5-52 (mod)	2009	Low-voltage electrical installations - Part 5-52: Selection and erection of electrical equipment - Wiring systems	HD 60364-5-52	2011
IEC 60364-5-54 + A1	2011 2021	Low-voltage electrical installations - Part 5-54: Selection and erection of electrical equipment - Earthing arrangements and protective conductors	HD 60364-5-54 + A11 + A1	2011 2017 2022
IEC 60529 + A1 + A2	1989 1999 2013	Degrees of protection provided by enclosures (IP Code)	EN 60529 + A1 + A2	1991 2000 2013
IEC 60990	2016	Methods of measurement of touch current and protective conductor current	EN 60990	2016
IEC 62305-2 (mod)	2010	Protection against lightning - Part 2: Risk management	EN 62305-2	2012
IEC 62305-3 (mod)	2010	Protection against lightning - Part 3: Physical damage to structures and life hazard	EN 62305-3	2011
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IEC 62561-2	2018	Lightning protection system components (LPSC) - Part 2: Requirements for conductors and earth electrodes	EN IEC 62561-2	2018
ISO 7010	2011	Graphical symbols - Safety colours and safety signs - Registered safety signs	-	-
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Annex ZB (informative)

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<u>Clause</u>	<u>Deviation</u>
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9	ZB.1 France
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(Arrêté interministériel, 2 April 1991)

This regulation specifies, among many other parameters, the minimum distance between electric supply wires (isolated and not isolated, low-voltage and high-voltage) and any other installation (e.g. buildings, antennas, telecommunication lines, etc.).

The main clauses of this regulation which concern the cable networks are Clauses 12, 25, 26, 33, 33bis, 38, 49, 51, 52 and 63.

Clause 9 of this standard specifies distances of 10 mm (indoors) and 20 mm (outdoors) and this is not sufficient to cover overhead cables. As an example, the minimum distance between an overhead telecommunication line and an overhead low-voltage (up to 1 kV) electricity supply line shall be 1 m (Clause 33). This distance may be reduced under specified conditions (Clauses 51, 52 and 63).

This regulation specifies also the minimum distance from high-voltage lines. This distance varies from 1 m to 4 m depending on the voltage, on the isolation of the cable and on the location (built-up area or not) (Clauses 33 and 63)

10.1	ZB.2 United Kingdom
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In the UK the use of fully isolated system outlets is obligatory except where back-powering to a network or to outdoor equipment such as preamplifiers, low-noise converters, polarizers, transmitters in antenna installations is necessary then requirements of 8.2 apply.

11	ZB.3 France
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(NF C 15100 - Décret n° 84-74 du 26 janvier 1984 modifié)

The use of TT distribution systems with 300 mA differential switching is not compatible with the interconnection of the earthing of two different buildings.

Annex ZC (normative)

Special national conditions

Special national condition: National characteristic or practice that cannot be changed even over a long period, e.g. climatic conditions, electrical earthing conditions.

NOTE If it affects harmonization, it forms part of the European Standard.

For the countries in which the relevant special national conditions apply these provisions are normative, for other countries they are informative.

<u>Clause</u>	<u>Special national condition</u>
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6.2	ZC.1 Norway
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The following parts of the standard are not applicable due to Special National Conditions:

For new and rebuilt coaxial electronic communication networks the outer conductor of the coaxial cable leading into a building shall be galvanic and isolated from the outer conductor of the coaxial cable inside the building;

Examples of installations inside buildings described in 6.2g, 6.2i, 6.2l and shown in Figure 2, Figure 4, Figure 5 and Figure 7 shall be equipped with a galvanic isolator separating local earth from the cable network distribution lines;

Galvanic isolators shall withstand the following requirements:

Applying a 50 Hz AC voltage of 300 V_{RMS} between the input and the output of the outer conductor of the galvanic isolator for a period of not less than 20 min, the leakage current shall not exceed 8 mA_{RMS}. Applying a continues DC voltage of 2 120 V between the input and the output of the outer conductor of the galvanic isolator for a period of not less than 1 min, the leakage current shall not exceed 0,7 mA.

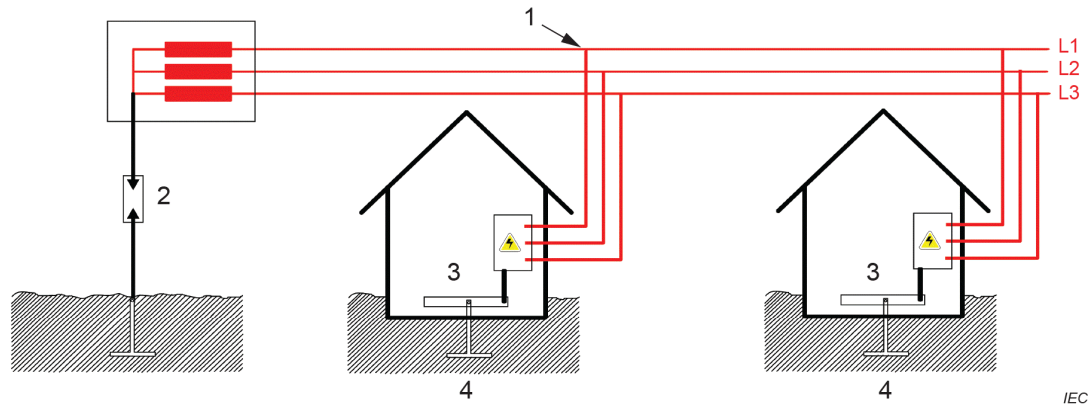
It shall not be possible to touch metallic parts of the galvanic isolator when connected.

6.3	ZC.2 Norway
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ZC.2.1 Justification

In most parts of Norway, the AC mains power are built as an IT- or TT-network with a line-to-line voltage of 230 V (see Figure ZC.1).

These types of networks have no N-conductor, and the AC mains power is supplied to the equipment from two of the three line conductors (IEC 62386-1:2018, Annex V).



Key

- | | |
|---|-------------------|
| 1 AC power distribution, IT system,
line-to-line voltage 230 V | 2 Voltage limiter |
| 3 Equipotential bonding bar | 4 Earth electrode |

Figure ZC.1 — IT power distribution system in Norway

For a cable network covering an area with this type of power supply networks, special initiative should be taken to ensure that safety in the cable network is maintained. The following equipotential bonding arrangements described will provide necessary safety in such a network.

ZC.2.2 Equipotential bonding mechanism for cable networks

ZC.2.2.1 Installations in the vicinity of transformer stations

Any earth electrode in a cable network shall preferably be located at a minimum distance of 20 m from the nearest earth electrode in a high-power transformer station (high to mains voltage) (see Figure ZC.2 and ITU-T K.8 or EN 50174-3).

If the above-mentioned distance is less than 20 m, all equipment in the cable network shall be electrically isolated from local earth by mounting the equipment within a non-metallic enclosure, as shown in Figure ZC.3. Mains powered equipment with local power feeding should not be used in this case.

Before any work on the installation is started, measurements shall be carried out to reveal if there are any hazardous voltages between local earth and the earth for the cable network.

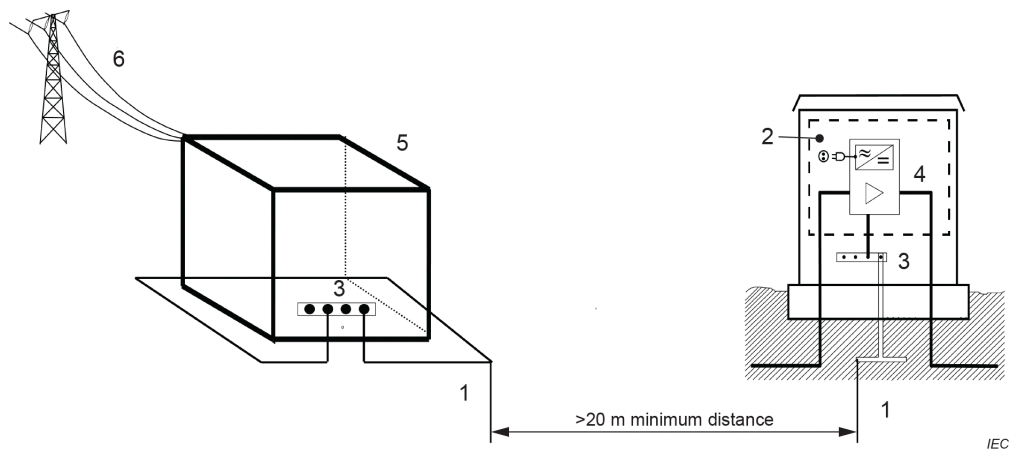
The safety sign "Warning about hazardous electrical voltage" ISO 7010-W012:2011-05 shall be attached to the non-metallic enclosure.



ZC.2.2.2 Cabinets for cable networks located near cabinets/ installations for mains

Cabinets for cable networks placed together with cabinets for mains power distributions should preferably be placed at a minimum of 2 m apart. If the distance is closer than 2 m, a common earth electrode between the cabinets shall be used. Examples of such installations are shown in Figure ZC.4, Figure ZC.5, Figure ZC.6 and Figure ZC.7.

Figure ZC.2 shows an example of installations located farther than 20 m away from a transforming station.

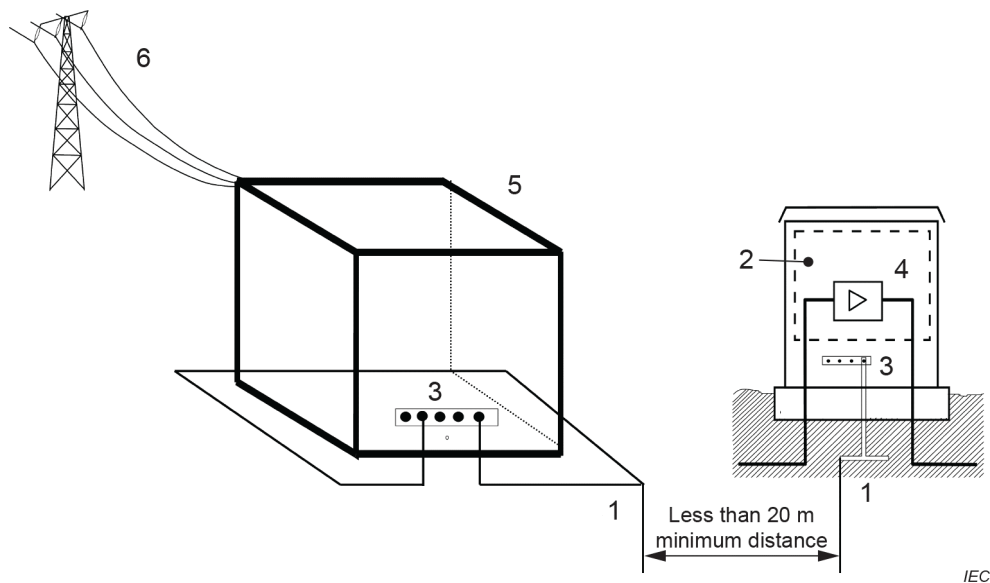


Key

- | | |
|-----------------------------|--|
| 1 Earth electrode | 2 Non-metallic enclosure |
| 3 Equipotential bonding bar | 4 Mains supplied equipment |
| 5 Transforming station | 6 High-voltage power transmission system |

Figure ZC.2 — Example of installations located farther than 20 m away from a transforming station

Figure ZC.3 shows an example of installations located closer than 20 m from a transforming station.

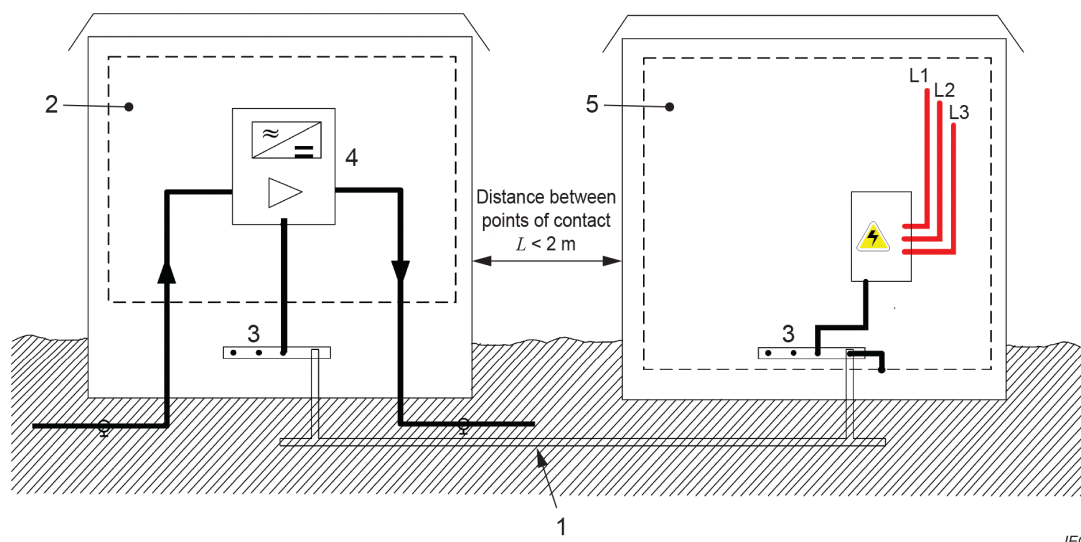


Key

- | | |
|-----------------------------|--|
| 1 Earth electrode | 2 Non-metallic enclosure |
| 3 Equipotential bonding bar | 4 Remotely supplied equipment |
| 5 Transforming station | 6 High-voltage power transmission system |

Figure ZC.3 — Example of installations located closer than 20 m from a transforming station

Figure ZC.4 shows an example of cabinets for cable network with locally fed equipment and mains placed less than 2 m apart.



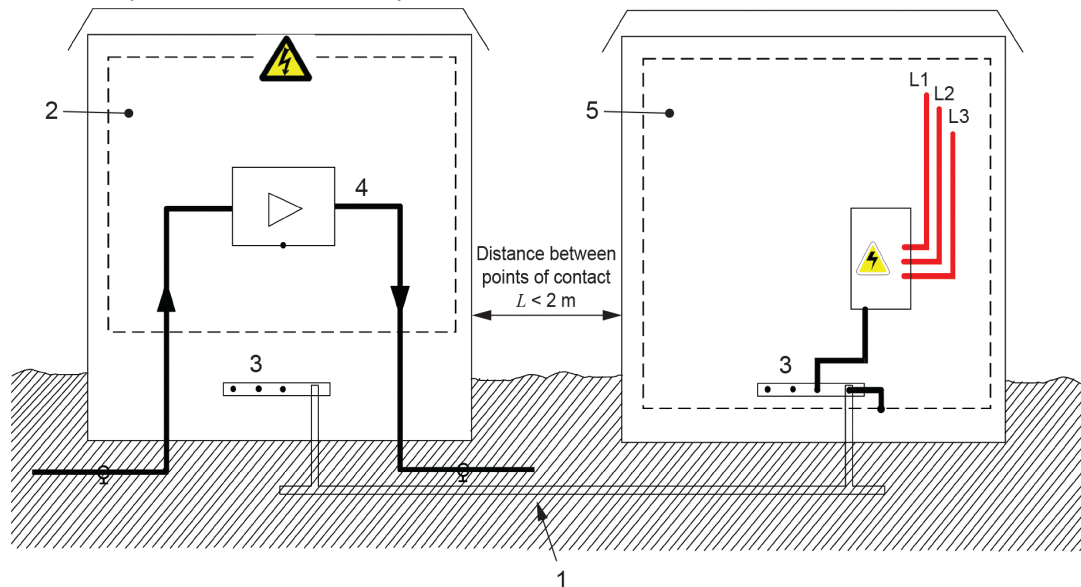
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Key

- | | |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1 Common earth electrode | 2 Non-metallic enclosure |
| 3 Equipotential bonding bar | 4 Mains supplied equipment |
| 5 Metallic enclosure | |

Figure ZC.4 — Example of cabinets for cable network with locally fed equipment and mains placed less than 2 m apart

Figure ZC.5 shows an example of cabinets for cable network with remotely fed equipment and mains placed less than 2 m apart.



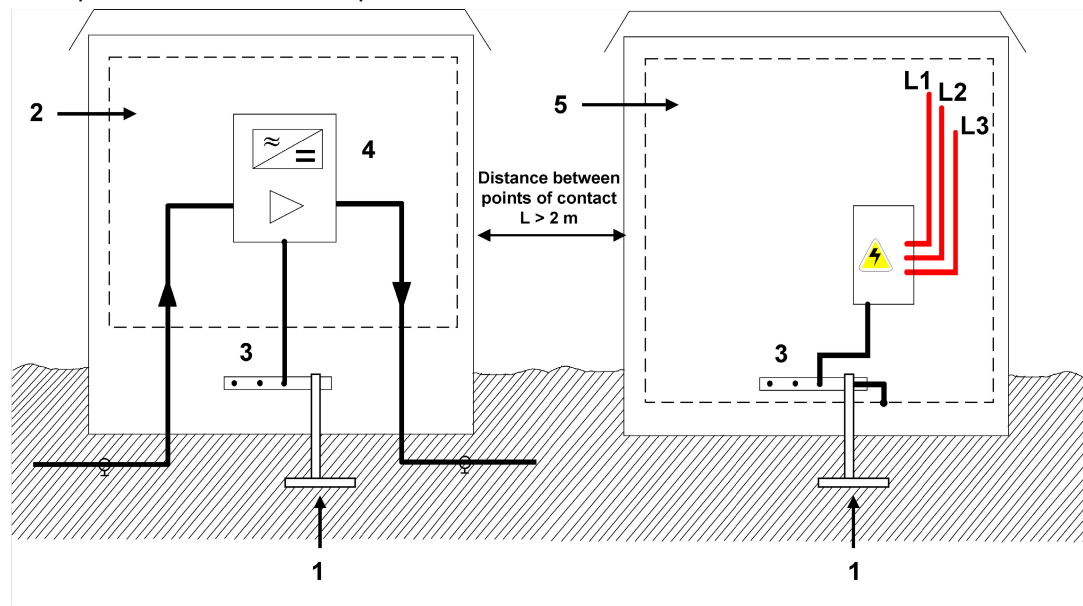
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Key

- | | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1 Common earth electrode | 2 Non-metallic enclosure |
| 3 Equipotential bonding bar | 4 Remotely supplied equipment |
| 5 Metallic enclosure | |

Figure ZC.5 – Example of cabinets for cable network with remotely fed equipment and mains placed less than 2 m apart

Figure ZC.6 shows an example of cabinets for cable network with locally fed equipment and mains placed more than 2 m apart.

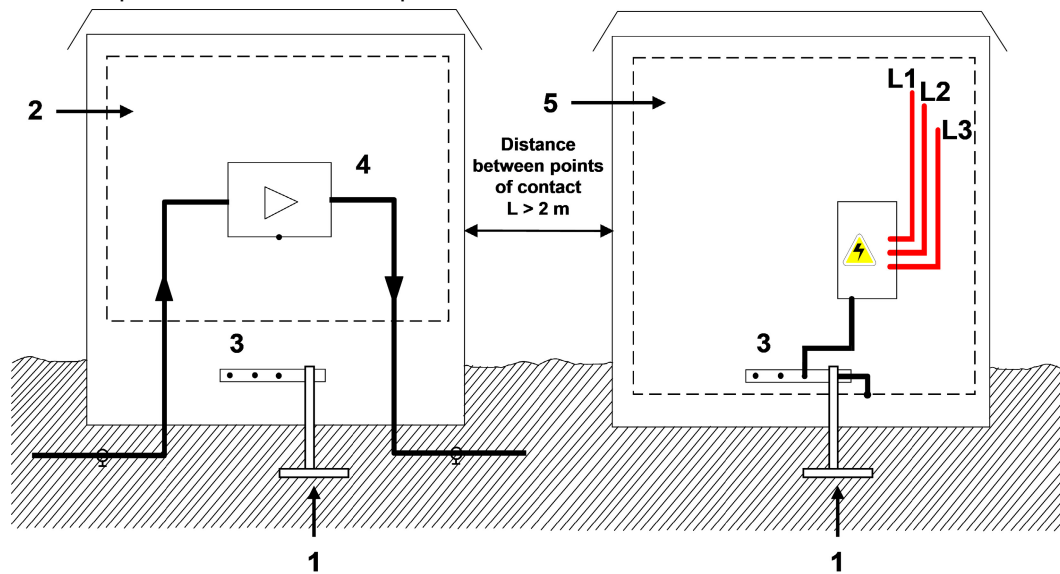


Key

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|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1 Earth electrode | 2 Non-metallic enclosure |
| 3 Equipotential bonding bar | 4 Mains supplied equipment |
| 5 Metallic enclosure | |

Figure ZC.6 — Example of cabinets for cable network with locally fed equipment and mains placed more than 2 m apart

Figure ZC.7 shows an example of cabinets for cable network with remotely fed equipment and mains placed more than 2 m apart.



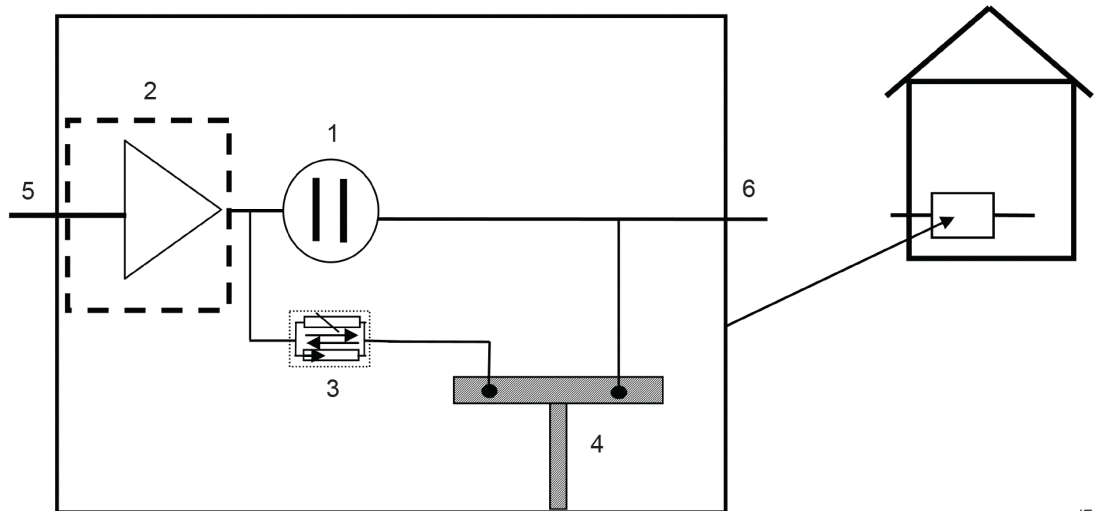
Key

- | | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1 Earth electrode | 2 Non-metallic enclosure |
| 3 Equipotential bonding bar | 4 Remotely supplied equipment |
| 5 Metallic enclosure | |

Figure ZC.7 — Example of cabinets for cable network with remotely fed equipment and mains placed more than 2 m apart

ZC.2.3 Use of galvanic isolation in a cable network with remote power-feeding

When using galvanic isolation in cable networks with remote power feeding, the amplifier shall be placed in front of the galvanic isolator as shown in Figure ZC.8.



IEC

Key

- | | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1 Galvanic isolator | 2 Non-metallic enclosure |
| 3 Voltage dependent protection device | 4 Common earth electrode |
| 5 CATV system | 6 House internal cable-TV network |

Figure ZC.8 – Example of an installation placing the amplifier in front of the galvanic isolator

A voltage dependent protective device is recommended in order to protect the galvanic isolator from transient voltages.

The amplifier shall be electrically isolated from the local electrical earth. In case the amplifier is mounted close to either local electrical earth or installations connected to local electrical earth, the amplifier shall be placed in such a way that it is not possible to physically touch both the amplifier and the installation without having to remove a cover or other safety arrangements. The covers and amplifiers shall be labelled with the safety sign given under ZC.2.2.1. The covers used shall be designed in such a way that they can only be removed using a key or a special tool.

ZC.2.4 Use of voltage dependent protective device in a cable network

Network, property and health shall be protected against failure in isolation between infrastructures with different levels of voltage and other unwanted high voltages caused by any kind of high voltage distribution networks or atmospheric discharges.

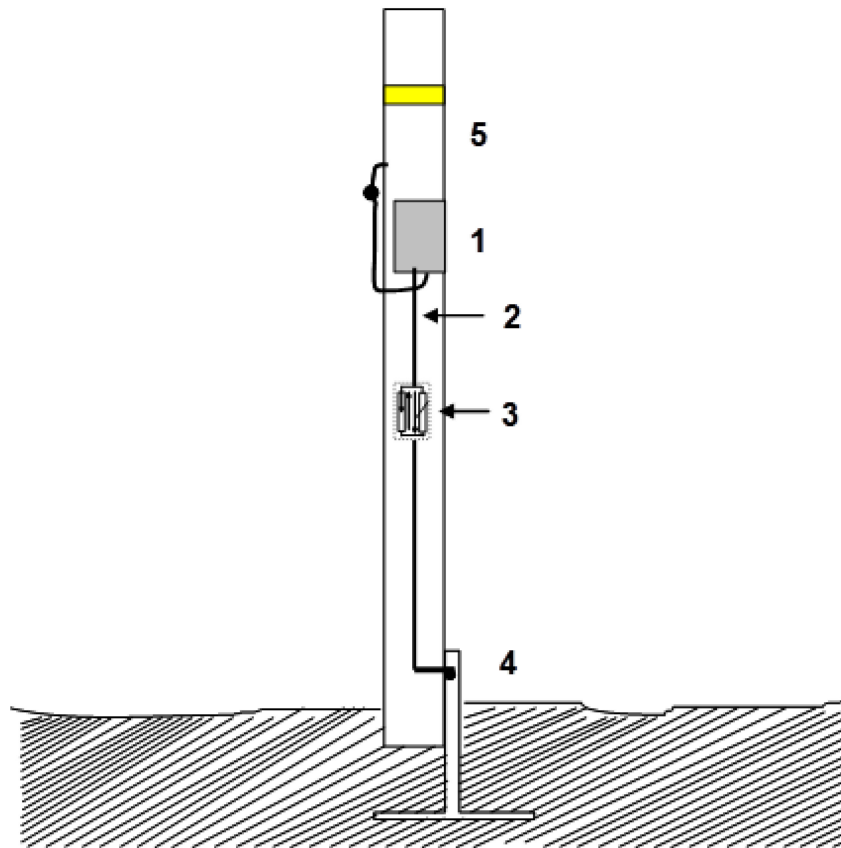
Depending on the voltages time span, all voltages with local earth as a reference shall be limited according to following values:

0 to 200 ms	1 030 V
201 to 350 ms	780 V
351 to 500 ms	650 V
501 to 1 000 ms	430 V
1 001 to 2 000 ms	300 V
2 001 to 3 000 ms	250 V
3 001 to 5 000 ms	200 V
5 001 to 10 000 ms	150 V
More than 10 000 ms	60 V

In Norway, network installations with no mains supplied equipment are usually installed isolated from local earth due to difficult ground conditions. When calculations show that the voltage level will rise above 650 V, measures must be taken to reduce the voltage level. This can be done by connecting a voltage dependent device between the network installation and local earth. The voltage dependent device must not connect the installations to local earth in case of a short circuit in mains power.

This implies a safe threshold voltage of 420 V.

Examples of protections using a voltage depending device are shown in Figure ZC.8 and Figure ZC.9.



Key

- | | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1 Amplifier / passive equipment | 2 Equipotential bonding conductor |
| 3 Voltage dependent protection device | 4 Common earth electrode |
| 5 Pylon | |

Figure ZC.9 – Example of protection using a voltage depending device on network installations on poles

12.3 ZC.3 Finland

The required wind pressure value is 700 N/m² for buildings up to 30 m.



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