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- b) introduction of a more detailed test setup for radiated emission measurements, along with the introduction of a 3 m measurement distance for small size equipment;
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ADJUSTABLE SPEED ELECTRICAL POWER DRIVE SYSTEMS –

Part 3: EMC requirements and specific test methods

1 Scope

This part of IEC 61800 specifies electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) requirements for power drive systems (PDSs, defined in 3.1). These are adjustable speed AC or DC motor drives. Requirements are stated for PDSs with converter input and/or output voltages (line-to-line voltage), up to 35 kV AC RMS.

PDSs covered by this document are those installed in residential, commercial and industrial locations with the exception of traction applications, and electric vehicles. PDSs can be connected to either industrial or public power distribution networks. Industrial networks are supplied by a dedicated distribution transformer, which is usually adjacent to or inside the industrial location, and supplies only industrial customers. Industrial networks can also be supplied by their own electric generating equipment. On the other hand, PDSs can be directly connected to low-voltage public mains networks which also supply residential premises, and in which the neutral is generally earthed (grounded).

The scope of this part of IEC 61800, related to EMC, includes a broad range of PDSs from a few hundred watts to hundreds of megawatts. PDSs are often included in a larger system. The system aspect is not covered by this document but guidance is provided in the informative annexes.

The requirements have been selected so as to ensure EMC for PDSs at residential, commercial and industrial locations. The requirements cannot, however, cover extreme cases which can occur with an extremely low probability. Changes in the EMC behaviour of a PDS, as a result of fault conditions, are not taken into account.

The object of this document is to define the limits and test methods for a PDS according to its intended use. This document includes immunity requirements and requirements for electromagnetic emissions.

NOTE 1 Emission can cause interference in other electronic equipment (for example radio receivers, measuring and computing devices). Immunity is meant to protect the equipment from continuous and transient conducted and radiated disturbances including electrostatic discharges. The emission and immunity requirements are balanced against each other and against the actual environment of the PDS.

This document defines the minimum EMC requirements for a PDS.

Immunity requirements are given according to the environment classification. Low-frequency emission requirements are given according to the nature of the supply network. High-frequency emission requirements are given according to four categories of intended use, which cover both environment and bringing into operation.

As a product standard, this document can be used for the assessment of PDS. It can also be used for the assessment of complete drive modules (CDM) or basic drive modules (BDM) (see 3.1), which can be marketed separately.

This document contains

- conformity assessment requirements for products to be placed on the market, and

- recommended engineering practice (see 6.5) for cases where high frequency emissions cannot be measured before the equipment is placed on the market (such PDSs are defined in 3.2.7 as category C4).

NOTE 2 The first edition of IEC 61800-3 identified that the intended use could require engineering for putting into service. This was done by the “restricted distribution mode”. Equipment formerly identified under “restricted distribution mode” is now covered by categories C2 and C4 (see 3.2).

This document is intended as a complete EMC product standard for the EMC conformity assessment of products of categories C1, C2 and C3, when placing them on the market (see definitions 3.2.4 to 3.2.6).

Radio frequency emission of equipment of category C4 is only assessed when it is installed in its intended location. It is therefore treated as a fixed installation, for which this document gives rules of engineering practice in 6.5 and Annex E, although it gives no defined emission limits (except in case of complaint).

This document does not specify any safety requirements for the equipment such as protection against electric shocks, insulation co-ordination and related dielectric tests, unsafe operation, or unsafe consequences of a failure. It also does not cover safety and functional safety implications of electromagnetic phenomena.

In special cases, when highly susceptible apparatus is being used in proximity, additional mitigation measures can have to be employed to reduce the electromagnetic emission further below the specified levels or additional countermeasures can have to be employed to increase the immunity of the highly susceptible apparatus.

As an EMC product standard for PDSs, this document takes precedence over all aspects of the generic standards, and no additional EMC tests are performed. If a PDS is included as part of equipment covered by a separate EMC product standard, the EMC standard of the complete equipment applies.

2 Normative references

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IEC 61000-2-4:2002, *Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) – Part 2-4: Environment – Compatibility levels in industrial plants for low-frequency conducted disturbances*

IEC 61000-3-2:2014, *Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) – Part 3-2: Limits – Limits for harmonic current emissions (equipment input current ≤ 16 A per phase)*

IEC 61000-3-3:2013, *Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) – Part 3-3: Limits – Limitation of voltage changes, voltage fluctuations and flicker in public low-voltage supply systems, for equipment with rated current ≤ 16 A per phase and not subject to conditional connection*

IEC 61000-3-11:2000, *Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) – Part 3-11: Limits – Limitation of voltage changes, voltage fluctuations and flicker in public low-voltage supply systems – Equipment with rated current ≤ 75 A and subject to conditional connection*

IEC 61000-3-12: 2011, *Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) – Part 3-12: Limits – Limits for harmonic currents produced by equipment connected to public low-voltage systems with input current > 16 A and ≤ 75 A per phase*

IEC 61000-4-2:2008, *Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) – Part 4-2: Testing and measurement techniques – Electrostatic discharge immunity test*

IEC 61000-4-3:2006, *Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) – Part 4-3: Testing and measurement techniques – Radiated, radio-frequency, electromagnetic field immunity test*

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CISPR 11:2015, *Industrial, scientific and medical equipment – Radio-frequency disturbance characteristics – Limits and methods of measurement*
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CISPR 16-1-4:2010, *Specification for radio disturbance and immunity measuring apparatus and methods – Part 1-4: Radio disturbance and immunity measuring apparatus – Antennas and test sites for radiated disturbance measurements*

CISPR 22, *Information technology equipment – Radio disturbance characteristics – Limits and methods of measurement*

CISPR 32:2015, *Electromagnetic compatibility of multimedia equipment – Emission requirements*

3 Terms and definitions

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3.1 Installation and its content

Figure 1 shows the major parts of the PDS as defined below and the rest of the installation.

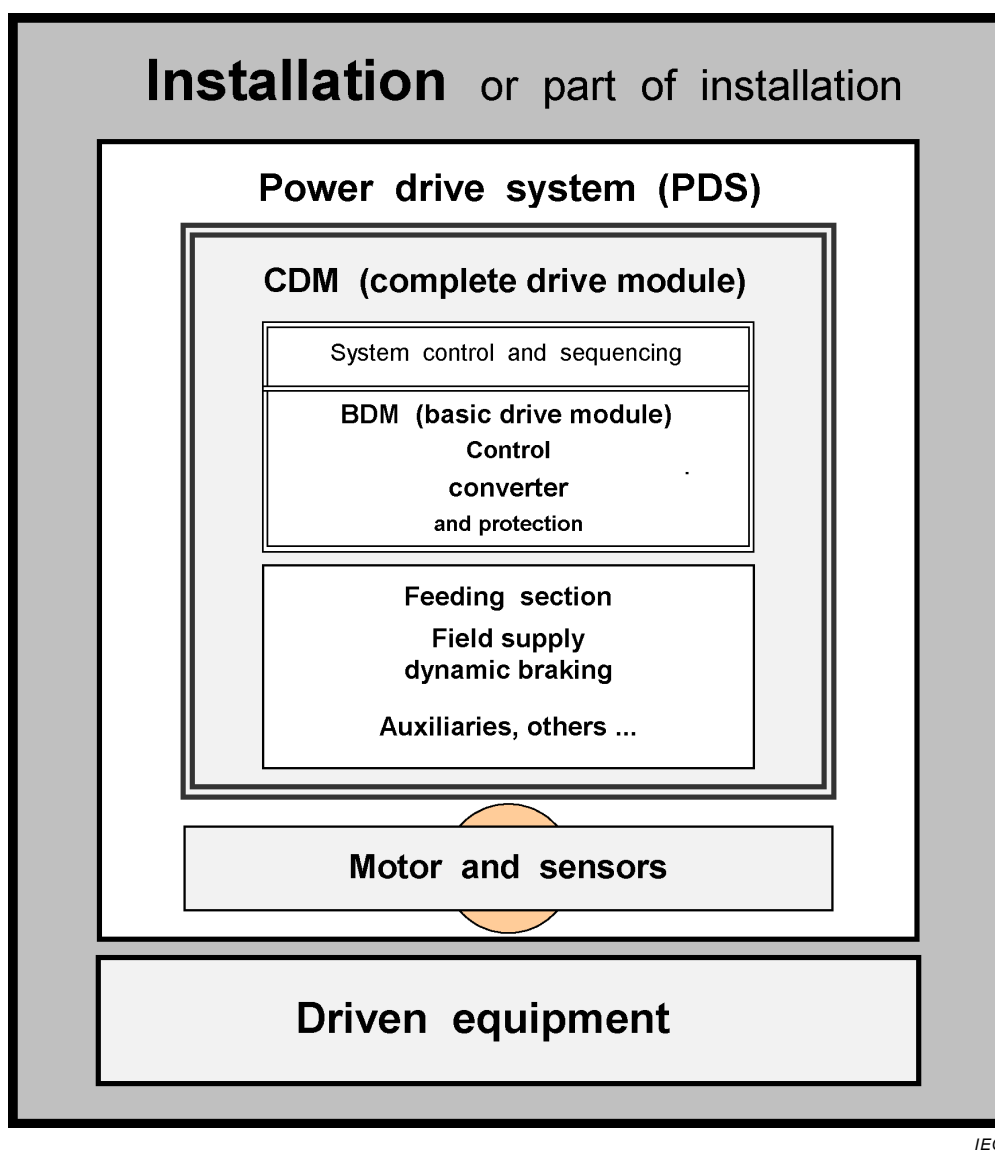


Figure 1 – Installation and its content

3.1.1

basic drive module

BDM

electronic power converter and related control, connected between an electric supply and a motor

Note 1 to entry: The BDM is capable of transmitting power from the electric supply to the motor and can be capable of transmitting power from the motor to the electric supply. The BDM controls some or all of the following aspects of power transmitted to the motor and motor output:

- current;
- frequency;
- voltage;
- speed;
- torque;
- force;
- position.

3.1.2

complete drive module

CDM

drive module consisting of, but not limited to, the BDM and extensions such as protection devices, transformers and auxiliaries

Note 1 to entry: The motor and the sensors which are mechanically coupled to the motor shaft are not included.

3.1.3

power drive system

PDS

system consisting of one or more complete drive module(s) (CDM) and a motor or motors

Note 1 to entry: Any sensors which are mechanically coupled to the motor shaft are also part of the PDS; however, the driven equipment is not included.

3.1.4

installation

equipment or equipments which include at least both the PDS and the driven equipment

3.1.5

small size equipment

equipment, either positioned on a table top, wall-mounted or standing on the floor which, including its cables and possible auxiliary equipment, fits in an imaginary cylindrical test volume of maximum 1,2 m in diameter and 1,5 m height (to ground plane)

Note 1 to entry: This definition has been modified to apply to measurement of radiated emissions from the enclosure port.

[SOURCE: CISPR 11:2015, 3.17, modified — The expression "wall-mounted" and "and possible auxiliary equipment" have been added, as well as the note to entry.]

3.1.6

wall-mounted equipment

CDM/BDM intended to be mounted on a vertical surface

3.2 Intended use

3.2.1

EMC plan

procedure for the EMC assessment when installing category C4 (see 3.2.7) equipment

3.2.2

first environment

environment that includes residential premises and establishments directly connected without intermediate transformers to a low-voltage power supply network which supplies buildings used for residential purposes

Note 1 to entry: Houses, apartments, commercial premises or offices in a residential building are examples of first environment locations.

3.2.3

second environment

environment that includes all establishments other than those directly connected to a low-voltage power supply network which supplies buildings used for residential purposes

Note 1 to entry: Industrial areas or technical areas of any building fed from a dedicated transformer are examples of second environment locations.

3.2.4

PDS of category C1

PDS of rated voltage less than 1 000 V, intended for use in the first environment

3.2.5

PDS of category C2

PDS of rated voltage less than 1 000 V, which is neither a plug in device nor a movable device and, when used in the first environment, is intended to be installed and commissioned only by a professional

Note 1 to entry: A professional is a person or an organisation having necessary skills in installing and/or commissioning power drive systems, including their EMC aspects.

3.2.6

PDS of category C3

PDS of rated voltage less than 1 000 V, intended for use in the second environment and not intended for use in the first environment

3.2.7

PDS of category C4

PDS of rated voltage equal to or above 1 000 V, or rated current equal to or above 400 A, or intended for use in complex systems in the second environment

3.3 Location, ports and interfaces

3.3.1

in situ

<test> location where the equipment is installed for its normal use by the end user

3.3.2

test site

<radiation> site meeting requirements necessary for correctly measuring, under defined conditions, electromagnetic fields emitted by a device under test

[SOURCE: IEC 60050-161:1990, 161-04-28]

3.3.3

port

access to a device or network where electromagnetic energy or signals may be supplied or received or where the device or network variables may be observed or measured

Note 1 to entry: Figure 2 illustrates the diversity of the ports of a PDS.

[SOURCE: IEC 60050-131:2002, 131-12-60, modified – The note to entry has been replaced by a new one.]

3.3.4 enclosure port

physical boundary of the PDS through which electromagnetic fields may radiate or impinge

Note 1 to entry: See Figure 2.

3.3.5 port for process measurement and control

input/output (I/O) port for a conductor or cable which connects the process to the PDS

3.3.6 power port

port which connects the PDS to the power supply, which also feeds other equipment

3.3.7 main power port

power port which feeds the PDS for only the power which, after electrical power conversion, is converted by the motor into mechanical power

3.3.8 auxiliary power port

power port which feeds only the auxiliaries of the PDS, including the field circuit, if any

3.3.9 signal interface

input/output (I/O) connection for a line connecting the basic drive module or complete drive module (BDM/CDM) to another part of the PDS

Note 1 to entry: See Figure 2.

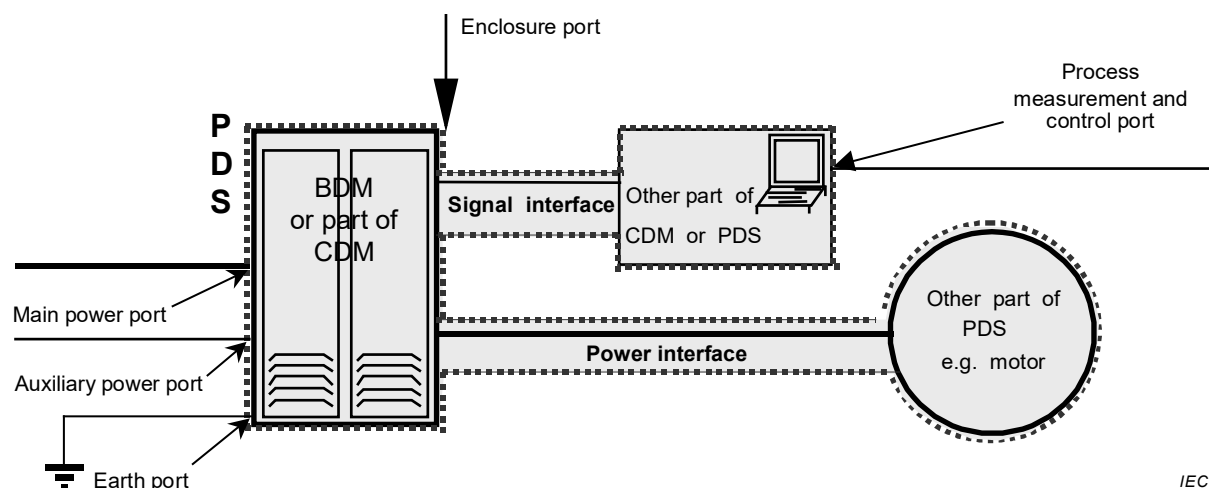


Figure 2 – Internal interfaces of the PDS and examples of ports

3.3.10 power interface

connections needed for the distribution of electrical power

Note 1 to entry: See Figure 3 for an example of power interface and Clause E.1 for an explanation.

Note 2 to entry: The power interfaces of the PDS may have different forms and extensions:

- Within the CDM/BDM

A power interface can be the connection for distribution of electrical power from one part of the BDM/CDM to another part of the BDM/CDM. One power interface can be common to different components of the PDS. For examples, see Figure 3 and Figure 4.

Figure 3 shows a power interface which distributes power from an input converter (where power is converted from the mains to another type, here DC power) to output inverters (where power is converted from an intermediate form (here DC) to another type (here AC) which can be directly applied to AC motors).

Figure 4 shows a power interface which distributes power from the secondary of a transformer (which is part of the CDM) to individual BDMs.

- Within the PDS

Note that the connection between the inverter and the motor or the motors is also a power interface. It is the last power interface before the conversion to mechanical power.

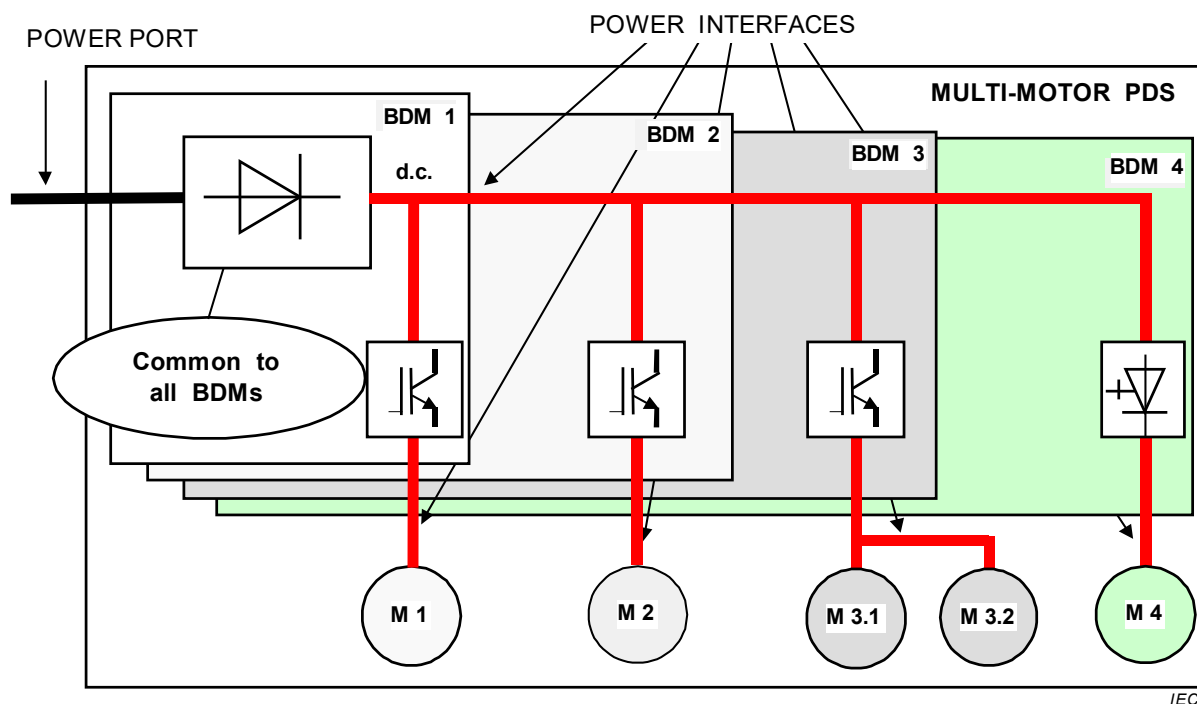


Figure 3 – Power interfaces of a PDS with common DC BUS

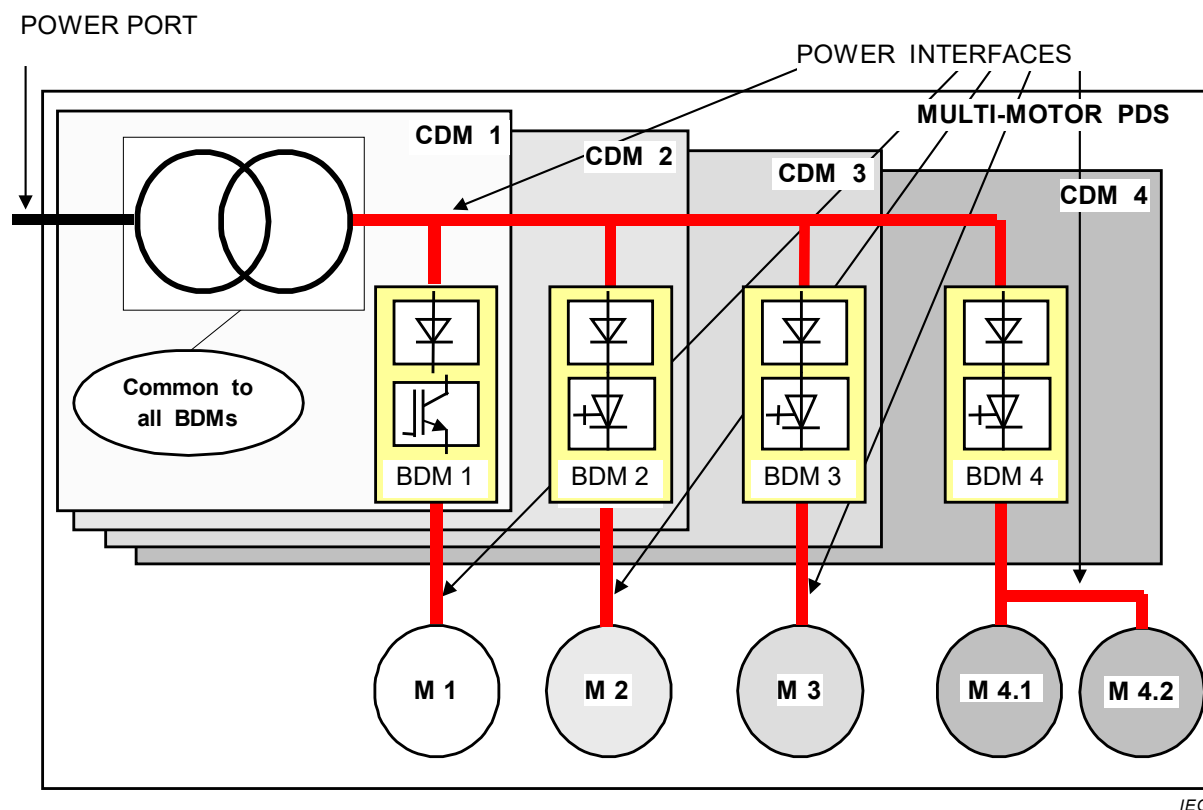


Figure 4 – Power interfaces with common input transformer

3.3.11

point of common coupling

PCC

point on a public power supply network, electrically nearest to a particular load, at which other loads are, or could be, connected

[SOURCE: IEC 61000-2-4:2002, 3.1.6]

3.3.12

in-plant point of coupling

IPC

point on a network inside a system or an installation, electrically nearest to a particular load, at which other loads are, or could be, connected

Note 1 to entry: The IPC is usually the point for which electromagnetic compatibility is to be considered.

[SOURCE: IEC 61000-2-4:2002, 3.1.7]

3.3.13

point of coupling

PC

point on a network which can be a public power supply network or a network inside a system or an installation

3.4 Components of the PDS

3.4.1

converter

<of the BDM> unit which changes the form of electrical power supplied by the mains to the form fed to the motor(s) by changing one or more of the voltage, current and/or frequency

Note 1 to entry: The converter comprises electronic commutating devices and their associated commutation circuits. It is controlled by transistors or thyristors or any other power switching semiconductor devices.

Note 2 to entry: The converter can be line-commutated, load-commutated or self-commutated and can consist, for example, of one or more rectifiers or inverters.

3.4.2

motor

electric motor

electric machine intended to transform electric energy into mechanical energy

Note 1 to entry: For the purposes of this document, the motor includes all sensors which are mounted on it and which are relevant for supporting the operating mode and interacting with a CDM.

[SOURCE: IEC 60050:2001, 151-13-41, modified — The note has been added.]

3.4.3

sub-component

physical piece of equipment which can be operated separately with an intrinsic function defined by the manufacturer

Note 1 to entry: For the purpose of this document, a component of the PDS can be divided into sub-components.

Note 2 to entry: As an example, the control unit of a CDM may be a sub-component.

3.5 Phenomena-related definitions

3.5.1

electromagnetic compatibility

EMC

ability of an equipment or system to function satisfactorily in its electromagnetic environment without introducing intolerable electromagnetic disturbances to anything in that environment

[SOURCE: IEC 60050-161:1990, 161-01-07]

3.5.2

total harmonic current

THC

total RMS value of the harmonic current components of orders 2 to 40

$$THC = \sqrt{\sum_{h=2}^{40} I_h^2}$$

[SOURCE: IEC 61000-3-12:2011, 3.1]

3.5.3

total harmonic distortion

THD

ratio of the RMS value of the harmonic content to the RMS value of the fundamental component or the reference fundamental component of an alternating quantity

Note 1 to entry: The harmonic content depends on the choice of the fundamental component. If it is not clear from the context which one is used, an indication should be given.

Note 2 to entry: The total harmonic distortion can be restricted to a certain harmonic order (recommended notation "H"), which is 40 for the purpose of this document.

$$THD = \sqrt{\sum_{h=2}^{h=H} \left(\frac{Q_h}{Q_1} \right)^2}$$

where, in addition to the notes to entry of B.2.2.7,

Q_1 is the RMS value of the fundamental component.

[SOURCE: IEC 60050-551:2001, 551-20-13, modified — The term "total harmonic ratio" has been deleted, the formula has been added and Note 1 to entry has been rephrased. In Note 2 to entry, the sentence "This is to be stated" has been deleted and the part "(recommended notation "H"), which is 40 for the purpose of this document" has been added.]

3.5.4

voltage deviation

difference between the voltage at a given instant and the declared supply voltage

[SOURCE: IEC 60050-614:2016, 614-01-04]

3.5.5

voltage change

variation of the RMS or peak value of a voltage between two consecutive levels sustained for definite but unspecified durations

Note 1 to entry: Whether the RMS or peak value is chosen depends upon the application, and which is used should be specified.

[SOURCE: IEC 60050-161:1990, 161-08-01]

3.5.6

voltage fluctuation

series of voltage changes or a continuous variation of the RMS or peak value of the voltage

Note 1 to entry: Whether the RMS or peak value is chosen depends upon the application, and which is used should be specified.

[SOURCE: IEC 60050-161:1990, 161-08-05]

3.5.7

voltage dip

sudden reduction of the voltage at a point in an electrical system, followed by voltage recovery after a short period of time, from a few cycles to a few seconds

[SOURCE: IEC 60050-614:2016, 614-01-08, modified — The second preferred term "voltage sag" has been deleted. In the definition, the words "electric power system" has been replaced by "electrical system", and the words "from a few periods of the sinusoidal wave of the voltage to a few seconds" by "from a few cycles to a few seconds".]

4 Common requirements

4.1 General conditions

All phenomena, from the emission or immunity point of view, shall be considered individually. The limits are given for conditions which do not consider the cumulative effects of different phenomena.

For a realistic assessment of the EMC situation, a typical configuration shall be chosen.

The application of tests for evaluation of immunity depends on the particular PDS, its configuration, its ports, its technology and its operating conditions (see annexes).

4.2 Tests

4.2.1 Conditions

IEC 60146-1-1 and IEC 61800-2 distinguish between type test, routine test and special test. Unless otherwise stated, all the tests specified in this document are type tests only. The equipment shall meet the EMC requirements under all normal operating conditions as stated in the operating manual of the equipment when measured by the test methods specified in this document.

NOTE 1 Due to local radio transmission legislation, some immunity tests can be subject to conditions which restrict the choice of location where they can be performed.

If necessary, safeguards shall be taken against any unintended effects on the total process that may result from an equipment failure while an EMC test is being conducted.

For the tests, the CDM shall be connected to a motor recommended by the manufacturer with a cable and earthing rules defined by the manufacturer. Alternatively, a passive test load (resistive, or resistive and inductive) may be applied (for example, for evaluation of the low-frequency emissions), if permitted by the manufacturer.

NOTE 2 For high frequency emissions, passive test load can be unsuitable to simulate differential and common mode capacitances and couplings typically present.

The description of the tests, the test methods, the characteristics of the tests and the test set-ups are given in the referred standards and are not repeated here. If, however, modifications or additional requirements and information or specific test methods are needed for practical implementation and application of the tests, then they are given in this document.

A sufficient number of terminals shall be selected to simulate actual operating conditions and to ensure that all relevant types of termination are covered. The tests shall be carried out at the rated supply voltage and in a reproducible manner.

4.2.2 Test report

The test results shall be documented in a test report. The report shall clearly and unambiguously present all relevant information for reproducible testing. A functional description and detailed acceptance criteria provided by the manufacturer shall be noted in the test report.

Within the test report, the chosen test arrangements shall be justified. Whenever a subclause of this document offers alternative test methods, the chosen test method shall be stated in the test report. The information on test methods showed in Table 1 shall be given:

Table 1 – Subclauses containing alternative test methods

Subclause	Test methods
5.1.2	Type of test: – general system performance test; or – special system performance test; or – sub-component performance test.
5.2 and sub-clauses	Immunity verification by: – calculation; or – simulation; or – test.
5.3.2	Fast transient burst for equipment ≥ 100 A: – direct coupling; or – capacitive clamp.
5.3.3	Fast transient burst for equipment ≥ 100 A: – direct coupling; or – capacitive clamp.
5.3.4	Immunity against electromagnetic fields: – PDS test; or – sub-components test.
6.2.1	Emission verification by: – calculation; or – simulation; or – test.
6.3.1.1	Test on a test site or in situ
6.3.1.2	Conducted emission tests: – with CISPR artificial mains network; or – with high impedance voltage probe.
6.3.1.3.3	Radiated emissions: measurement distance

4.3 Documentation for the user

The setting of limits and the structure of this document are based on the understanding that the installer and user are responsible for following the EMC recommendations of the manufacturer.

The manufacturer shall supply the documentation necessary for the correct installation of a BDM, CDM or PDS into a typical system or process in the intended environment. This information includes any emission warnings required by 6.1 and Table 15. It also includes the warnings required by 5.3.2 in the case where the immunity of a BDM, CDM or PDS is not suitable for the second environment.

NOTE 1 From the emission point of view, a PDS (or BDM or CDM) with a lower emission category, such as C1, can always be used instead of one with a higher emission category, such as C3.

NOTE 2 Emission categories are independent of immunity. For example, a statement that a PDS has emission category C1 does not imply that the immunity is only suitable for the first environment.

If special EMC measures are necessary to fulfil the required limits, these shall be clearly stated in the user documentation. Where relevant, these can include the following:

- maximum and minimum acceptable supply network impedance;
- the use of shielded or special cables (power and/or control);
- cable shield connection requirements;

- maximum permissible cable length;
- cable segregation;
- the use of external devices such as filters;
- the correct bonding to functional earth.

If different devices or connection requirements apply in different environments, this shall also be stated.

A list of auxiliary equipment (for example, options or enhancements) that can be added to the PDS, and which complies with the immunity and/or emission requirements shall be made available.

This information may also be covered in some part of the test report to clarify the final recommended arrangement.

5 Immunity requirements

5.1 General conditions

5.1.1 Acceptance criteria (performance criteria)

The system performance relates to the functions of the BDM, or of the CDM, or of the PDS as a whole that are declared by the manufacturer.

The sub-component performance relates to the functions of the sub-components of the BDM, or of the CDM, or of the PDS that are declared by the manufacturer.

The sub-component performance may be tested as an alternative instead of the system performance to show immunity (see 5.1.2). In the test report, it shall be stated which test has been applied.

Although this document allows tests on sub-components (components of CDM/BDM), it is not intended to be used for the separate conformity assessment of sub-components.

The acceptance criteria shall be used to check the performance of a PDS against external disturbances. From the EMC point of view, any installation according to Figure 1 shall be running properly. Since a PDS is part of the functional sequence of a larger process than the PDS itself, the effect on this process caused by changes in the performance of the PDS is hard to forecast. However, this important aspect for large systems should be covered by an EMC plan (see Annex E).

The main functions of a PDS are energy conversion between the electrical form and the mechanical form, and the information processing necessary to perform this.

Table 2 classifies the effects of a given disturbance into three acceptance (performance) criteria: A, B and C, both for the PDS and for its sub-components.

Subclauses 5.2 and 5.3 state the acceptance criterion required for each phenomenon.

5.1.2 Selection of performance type

5.1.2.1 General or special system performance

The “general system performance” item from Table 2 shall be defined in accordance with the special application and typical configuration of the PDS. It is the responsibility of the manufacturer to select these items.

The special system performance, torque-generating behaviour, shall be tested only in cases where it is explicitly defined in the product specification. In this case, the torque generating performance can be directly or indirectly tested. The direct test uses an EMC immune torquemeter to measure torque disturbances.

Torque performance can be defined through the ability to keep current or speed constant, within specified tolerances, when a disturbance is applied (see also 5.1.3). Therefore, a test of current performance can be used as an indirect test of torque-generating performance. For EMC assessment, and unless otherwise agreed, the output current of the power converter is deemed to represent torque with sufficient accuracy. As an alternative, the indirect test can use speed performance provided the total inertia is specified.

5.1.2.2 Sub-component performance

Testing of sub-components with sub-component performance should be used in cases when a PDS cannot be put into service on a test site because of limitation on the physical size of the PDS, on the current or rated supply capability or load conditions. In any case, the test set-up shall be immune to the highest level of disturbance applied to the PDS or to the sub-component under test.

Testing of information processing and sensing functions, including optional accessories if any, shall be performed only in cases where the relevant ports or interfaces are available at the PDS. Testing of the sub-component performance, according to Table 2, where the functions exist, is sufficient to determine the compliance with this document.

Table 2 – Criteria to prove the acceptance of a PDS against electromagnetic disturbances

Item	Acceptance (performance) criterion ^a		
	A	B	C
General system performance	No noticeable changes of the operating characteristic Operating as intended, within specified tolerance	Noticeable changes (visible or audible) of the operating characteristic Self-recoverable	Shutdown, changes in operating characteristics Triggering of protective devices ^b Not self-recoverable
Special system performance Torque generating behaviour	Torque deviation within specified tolerances	Temporary torque deviation outside specified tolerances Self-recoverable	Loss of torque Not self-recoverable
Sub-component performance Operation of power electronics and driving circuits	No malfunction of a power semiconductor	Temporary malfunction which cannot cause unintended shut-down of the PDS	Shut-down, triggering of protective devices ^b No loss of stored program No loss of user program No loss of settings Not self-recoverable
Sub-component performance Information processing and sensing functions	Undisturbed communication and data exchange to external devices	Temporarily disturbed communication, but no error reports of the internal or external devices which could cause shut-down	Errors in communication, loss of data and information No loss of stored program, no loss of user program No loss of settings. Not self-recoverable
Sub-component performance Operation of displays and control panels	No changes of visible display information, only slight light intensity fluctuation of LEDs, or slight movement of characters	Visible temporary changes of information, undesired LED illumination	Shut down, permanent loss of information, or unpermitted operating mode, obviously wrong display information No loss of stored program, no loss of user program No loss of settings
^a Acceptance criteria A, B, C – False starts are not acceptable. A false start is an unintended change from the logical state "STOPPED" which can make the motor run. ^b Acceptance criterion C – The function can be restored by operator intervention (manual reset). Opening of fuses is allowed for line-commutated converters operating in inverting mode.			

5.1.3 Conditions during the test

The load shall be within the manufacturer's specification and the actual load shall be noted in the test report.

Testing the torque generating behaviour as well as the information processing and sensing functions requires special test equipment with adapted immunity against the parasitic coupling of the test disturbance. It can only be used if the immunity of the test set-up can be proven by reference measurements. The evaluation of the torque disturbance can be performed by a torque transducer or by measurement or calculation of the torque generating current or other indirect techniques; an adapted and immune load shall be available at the test-site.

For testing the performance of the information processing or sensing function, suitable equipment shall be available to simulate the data communication or data evaluation. This equipment shall have sufficient immunity to operate correctly during the test.

Since the motor has been tested by its manufacturer according to the relevant standards, the motor component of the PDS, with exception of the sensors, does not need any additional EMC immunity test. Therefore, while the motor is connected to the BDM/CDM for the duration of the test, EMC immunity tests on the motor itself are not required.

The tests shall be applied to the relevant ports where they exist, including those of optional accessories if any. They shall be conducted in a well-defined and reproducible manner on a port-by-port basis. However, if several process measurement and control ports or signal interfaces have the same physical configuration (layout) it is sufficient to test one port or interface of that type.

In 5.2 and 5.3 the minimum requirements, tests and acceptance criteria are stated. The acceptance criteria refer to 5.1.1.

5.2 Basic immunity requirements – low-frequency disturbances

5.2.1 Common principle

The requirements in this subclause shall be used for designing the immunity of a PDS against low-frequency disturbances.

For the immunity requirements, the manufacturer may demonstrate compliance using either testing, calculation or simulation, and shall state the chosen verification method in the test report. Unless otherwise stated, it is sufficient to demonstrate that the power circuit will comply with the required acceptance criterion and that the ratings of input circuits (filters, etc.) will not be exceeded.

NOTE 1 A number of these phenomena are not required by the generic standards, but are important for the dimensioning of the power circuit of the PDS. It is difficult to test immunity against many of these phenomena, particularly when the input current exceeds 16 A or the supply voltage exceeds 400 V. However, experience of many years shows that, provided the power circuit operates correctly, the control part and the auxiliaries are generally immune. This is due to natural decoupling that exists in the PDS. Examples of such decoupling are that provided by power supplies and the time constants of auxiliary processes such as fans.

The compliance with the requirements of this document shall be stated in the user documentation. Where compliance is demonstrated by tests, the relevant basic standards in the IEC 61000-4 series may be considered (see Clause B.7).

NOTE 2 The electrical service conditions for the main and the auxiliary supply if any, are already defined in the PDS service conditions in the relevant standard IEC 61800-1 or IEC 61800-2 or IEC 61800-4. These service conditions include frequency variations, frequency rate of change, voltage variations, voltage fluctuations, voltage unbalance, harmonics and commutation notches.

5.2.2 Harmonics and commutation notches/voltage distortion

5.2.2.1 Low voltage PDSs (voltage distortion)

The BDM, CDM or PDS shall sustain the immunity levels while meeting the performance criteria given in Table 3, Table 4 and Table 5. It shall be verified that these levels will not cause the ratings for the input circuits (filters, etc.) to be exceeded. Analysis of commutation notches shall be in the time domain. The manufacturer may verify immunity by calculation, simulation, or test, according to 5.2.1, and shall state the chosen verification method in the test report. If the chosen verification method is by test, it shall be performed using the PDS with the motor connected. For equipment rated below 16 A per phase, the test method of IEC 61000-4-13 can be applied.

NOTE Frequency domain analysis of the contribution from notches to the total harmonic distortion will not fully account for harmful effects (see Clause B.1).

Table 3 – Minimum immunity requirements for total harmonic distortion on power ports of low voltage PDSs

Phenomenon	First environment		Second environment		Performance (acceptance) criterion
	Reference document	Level	Reference document	Level	
Harmonics – THD	IEC 61000-2-2	8 %	IEC 61000-2-4 class 3	12 %	A

Table 4 – Minimum immunity requirements for individual harmonic orders on power ports of low voltage PDSs

Phenomenon Harmonic order	First environment		Second environment		Performance (acceptance) criterion
	Reference document	Level	Reference document	Level	
2	IEC 61000-4-13 class 2	3 %	IEC 61000-4-13 class 3	5 %	A
3		8 %		9 %	
4		1,5 %		2 %	
5		9 %		12 %	
Even orders $6 \leq h \leq 50$		No requirement		1,5 %	
7		7,5 %		10 %	
9		2,5 %		4 %	
11		5 %		7 %	
13		4,5 %		7 %	
15		No requirement		3 %	
17		3 %		6 %	
19		2 %		6 %	
21		No requirement		2 %	
23		2 %		6 %	
25		2 %		6 %	
27		No requirement		2 %	
29		1,5 %		5 %	
31		1,5 %		3 %	
33		No requirement		2 %	
35		1,5 %		3 %	
37		1,5 %		3 %	
39		No requirement		2 %	

NOTE 1 For individual harmonic orders in the first environment, levels are from Class 2 in IEC 61000-4-13 (these are approximately 1,5 times the compatibility levels of IEC 61000-2-4).

NOTE 2 For individual harmonic orders in the second environment, levels are from Class 3 in IEC 61000-4-13 (these are approximately 1,5 times the compatibility levels of IEC 61000-2-4).

Table 5 – Minimum immunity requirements for commutation notches on power ports of low voltage PDSs

Phenomenon	First environment		Second environment		Performance (acceptance) criterion
	Reference document	Level	Reference document	Level	
Commutation notches	(None)	No requirement	IEC 60146-1-1 Class B	Depth = 40 %, total area = 250 in % degrees	A

5.2.2.2 PDSs of rated voltage above 1 000 V (voltage distortion)

5.2.2.2.1 Main power port

The PDS or BDM/CDM shall sustain the immunity levels given in Table 6. It shall be verified that these levels will not cause the ratings for the input circuits (filters, etc.) to be exceeded. Analysis of commutation notches shall be in the time domain. The manufacturer may verify immunity by calculation, simulation, or test, according to 5.2.1, and shall state the chosen verification method in the test report.

NOTE Frequency domain analysis of notches' contribution to total harmonic distortion will not obviously reveal certain types of harmful effects (see Clause B.1).

Table 6 – Minimum immunity requirements for harmonics and commutation notches/ voltage distortion on main power ports of PDSs of rated voltage above 1 000 V

Phenomenon	Reference document	Level	Performance (acceptance) criterion
Harmonics (<i>THD</i> and individual harmonic orders)	IEC 61000-2-4 Class 3	Value of the compatibility level	A
Harmonics short term (< 15 s)	IEC 61000-2-4 Class 2	1,5 times the value of the permanent compatibility levels	A
Commutation notches	IEC 60146-1-1	Depth = 40% U_{LWM} (class B) Area ^a = 125 in per cent degrees (class C)	A
^a Class C of IEC 60146-1-1 is appropriate for the primary side of the transformer.			

5.2.2.2.2 Auxiliary power port

The auxiliary power ports of PDSs shall sustain the immunity levels for the second environment given in Table 3, Table 4 and Table 5 while meeting the performance criteria in those tables. It shall be verified that these levels will not cause the ratings for the input circuits (filters, etc.) to be exceeded. Analysis of commutation notches shall be in the time domain. The manufacturer may verify immunity by calculation, simulation, or test, according to 5.2.1, and shall state the chosen verification method in the test report.

NOTE Frequency domain analysis of notches' contribution to total harmonic distortion will not obviously reveal certain types of harmful effects (see Clause B.1).

5.2.3 Voltage deviations, dips and short interruptions

5.2.3.1 Low voltage PDSs (voltage deviations)

The PDS or BDM/CDM shall sustain the immunity levels given in Table 7. The manufacturer may verify immunity by calculation, simulation, or test, according to 5.2.1, and shall state the chosen verification method in the test report.

Table 7 – Minimum immunity requirements for voltage deviations, dips and short interruptions on power ports of low voltage PDSs

Phenomenon	First environment			Second environment			Performance (acceptance) criterion
	Reference document	Level		Reference document	Level		
Voltage deviations (> 60 s)	IEC 61000-2-2	±10 % ^a		IEC 61000-2-4 Class 2	±10 % ^a		A ^b
Voltage dips ^e	IEC 61000-4-11 Class 2 or IEC 61000-4-34 Class 2 ^f	Volts remaining 0 % 70 %	Cycles 1 25/30 ^c	IEC 61000-4-11 Class 3 or IEC 61000-4-34 Class 3 ^f	Volts remaining 0 % 40 % 70 % 80 %	Cycles 1 10/12 ^c 25/30 ^c 250/300 ^c	C ^d
Short interruptions	IEC 61000-4-11 Class 2 or IEC 61000-4-34 Class 2 ^f	Volts remaining 0 %	Cycles 250/300 ^c	IEC 61000-4-11 Class 3 or IEC 61000-4-34 Class 3 ^f	Volts remaining 0 %	Cycles 250/300 ^c	C ^d

^a "Voltage deviation" is a supply voltage variation from the nominal supply voltage. Testing of voltage deviations for three phase PDS requires increasing or reducing the voltage of all three phases simultaneously.

^b When the voltage is below nominal, the maximum output power ratings – speed and/or torque – may be reduced, because they are voltage dependent.

^c "x/y cycles" means "x cycles for 50 Hz test" and "y cycles for 60 Hz test".

^d Opening of fuses is allowed for line-commutated converters operating in inverting mode.

^e Power ports with current rating ≥75 A: the method of the voltage drop test according to 7.5 of IEC 61400-21:2008 may be used.

^f IEC 61000-4-11 applies to equipment rated less than or equal to 16 A and IEC 61000-4-34 to equipment rated above 16 A.

A PDS is used for energy conversion, and a voltage dip represents a loss of available energy. It can be necessary to trip for safety reasons, even during a voltage dip of 30 % to 50 % amplitude and 0,3 s duration.

NOTE 1 A decreasing input voltage, even with few milliseconds duration, can result in blowing of fuses when applied to a line commutated thyristor converter operating under regeneration mode.

NOTE 2 The effect of a voltage dip (energy reduction) on the process cannot be defined without detailed knowledge of the process itself. This effect is a system and rating aspect, and will generally be greatest when the power demand (including losses) on the PDS is higher than the available power.

Where it is possible and not dangerous, the behaviour of the PDS during short interruptions may be verified by switching off and on the mains supply during the standard operating conditions of the PDS (see B.6.1).

The manufacturer shall state in the user documentation the degradation of performance resulting from voltage dips or short interruptions.

NOTE 3 Improvements to the immunity (use of UPS, stand-by generator, derating, etc.) can result in a considerable increase in the size and cost of the PDS and can reduce the efficiency or power factor. Operation such as automatic restart can have safety consequences, and are not covered by this document.

5.2.3.2 PDSs of rated voltage above 1 000 V (voltage deviations)

5.2.3.2.1 Main power port

Main power ports of PDSs shall sustain the immunity levels given in Table 8. The manufacturer may verify immunity by calculation, simulation, or test, according to 5.2.1, and shall state the chosen verification method in the test report.

Table 8 – Minimum immunity requirements for voltage deviations, dips and short interruptions on main power ports of rated voltage above 1 000 V of PDSs

Phenomenon	Reference document	Level		Performance (acceptance) criterion
Voltage deviations exceeding 1 min	IEC 61000-2-4 Class 3	±10 %		A ^a
Voltage deviations not exceeding 1 min	IEC 61000-2-4 Class 3	+10 % to –15 %		A ^a
Voltage dips	IEC 61000-4-34 ^b	Volts remaining	Cycles	C ^d
		0 %	1	
		40 %	10/12 ^c	
		70 %	25/30 ^c	
		80 %	250/300 ^c	
Short interruptions	IEC 61000-4-34 ^b	Volts remaining	Cycles	C ^d
		0 %	250/300 ^c	

^a “Voltage deviation” is a supply voltage variation from the nominal supply voltage. Testing of voltage deviations for three phase PDSs requires increasing or reducing the voltage of all three phases simultaneously.

When considering voltage deviations, any voltage steps shall not exceed ±12 % of nominal voltage and the time between steps shall not be less than 2 s.

When the voltage is below nominal, the maximum output power ratings – speed and/or torque – may be reduced, because they are voltage dependent.

^b Typical depths and durations of voltage dips are given in IEC TR 61000-2-8.

^c “x/y cycles” means “x cycles for 50 Hz test” and “y cycles for 60 Hz test”.

^d Opening of fuses is allowed for line-commutated converters operating in inverting mode.

The manufacturer shall state in the user documentation the degradation of performance resulting from voltage dips or short interruptions.

5.2.3.2.2 Auxiliary power port

The auxiliary power ports of PDSs shall sustain the immunity levels given in Table 9. The manufacturer may verify immunity by calculation, simulation, or test, and shall state the chosen verification method in the test report.

Table 9 – Minimum immunity requirements for voltage deviations, dips and short interruptions on auxiliary low voltage power ports of PDSs

Phenomenon	Reference document	Level		Performance (acceptance) criterion
Voltage deviations exceeding 1 min	IEC 61000-2-4 Class 3	±10 %		A
Voltage deviations not exceeding 1 min	IEC 61000-2-4 Class 3	+10 % to –15 %		A
Voltage dips	IEC 61000-4-11 or IEC 61000-4-34 ^b	Volts remaining	Cycles	C
		0 %	1	
		40 %	10/12 ^a	
		70 %	25/30 ^a	
		80 %	250/300 ^a	
Short interruptions	IEC 61000-4-11 Class 3 or IEC 61000-4-34 Class 3 ^b	Volts remaining	Cycles	C
		0 %	250/300 ^a	
^a "x/y cycles" means "x cycles for 50 Hz test" and "y cycles for 60 Hz test". ^b IEC 61000-4-11 applies to equipment less or equal to 16 A and IEC 61000-4-34 applies to equipment above 16 A.				

5.2.4 Voltage unbalance and frequency variations

5.2.4.1 Low voltage PDSs

Definition and assessment of voltage unbalance are explained in B.5.2.

The PDS or BDM/CDM shall comply with the immunity levels given in Table 10. The manufacturer may verify immunity by calculation, simulation, or test, and shall state the chosen verification method in the test report. During verification, the rated load condition shall be used.

Table 10 – Minimum immunity requirements for voltage unbalance and frequency variations on power ports of low voltage PDSs

Phenomenon	First environment		Second environment		Performance (acceptance) criterion
	Reference document	Level	Reference document	Level	
Voltage unbalance ^a	IEC 61000-2-2	2 % negative sequence component	IEC 61000-2-4 Class 3	3 % negative sequence component	A ^b
Frequency variations	IEC 61000-2-2	± 2 %	IEC 61000-2-4	± 2 % ± 4 % where the supply is separated from public supply networks	A
Frequency rate of change		1 %/second		± 1 %/s 2 %/s where the supply is separated from public supply network	A
^a Not relevant for single phase PDSs. ^b In case of test, use test time of 30 s $\pm$ 5 s.					

5.2.4.2 PDSs of rated voltage above 1 000 V

5.2.4.2.1 Main power port

Definition and assessment of voltage unbalance are explained in B.5.2.

The PDS or BDM/CDM shall sustain the immunity levels given in Table 11. The manufacturer may verify immunity by calculation, simulation, or test, and shall state the chosen verification method in the test report. During verification, the rated load condition shall be used.

Table 11 – Minimum immunity requirements for voltage unbalance and frequency variations on main power ports of rated voltage above 1 000 V of PDSs

Phenomenon	Reference document	Level	Performance (acceptance) criterion
Voltage unbalance	IEC 61000-2-4 Class 2	2 % negative sequence component	A
Frequency variations	IEC 61000-2-4	±2 % ±4 % where the supply is separated from public supply networks	A A
Frequency rate of change		±1 %/s 2 %/s where the supply is separated from public supply networks	A A

5.2.4.2.2 Auxiliary power port

Definition and assessment of voltage unbalance are explained in B.5.2.

The auxiliary power ports of PDSs shall sustain the immunity levels given in Table 12. The manufacturer may verify immunity by calculation, simulation, or test, and shall state the chosen verification method in the test report.

Table 12 – Minimum immunity requirements for voltage unbalance and frequency variations on auxiliary low voltage power ports of PDSs

Phenomenon	Reference document	Level	Performance (acceptance) criterion
Voltage unbalance	IEC 61000-2-4 Class 3	3 % negative sequence component	A
Frequency variations	IEC 61000-2-4	±2 % ±4 % where the supply is separated from public supply networks	A A

5.2.5 Supply influences – Magnetic fields

Immunity tests according to IEC 61000-4-8 are not required (see Clause A.3 for explanation).

5.3 Basic immunity requirements – High-frequency disturbances

5.3.1 Conditions

In the following Table 13 and Table 14, the minimum immunity requirements for high-frequency disturbance tests and acceptance criteria are stated. The acceptance criteria refer to 5.1.1. Explanations are given in Clause A.3.

5.3.2 First environment

The levels in Table 13 shall be applied to PDSs which are intended to be used in the first environment.

If a CDM/BDM is designed to have immunity according to Table 13, it shall include a written warning in the instructions for use which indicates that it is not intended to be used in an industrial installation.

Table 13 – Minimum immunity requirements for PDSs intended for use in the first environment

Port	Phenomenon	Basic standard for test method	Level	Performance (acceptance) criterion
Enclosure port	ESD (electrostatic discharge)	IEC 61000-4-2	4 kV CD or 8 kV AD if CD impossible	B
	Radio-frequency electromagnetic field, amplitude modulated	IEC 61000-4-3 see also 5.3.4	80 MHz to 1 000 MHz 3 V/m 80 % AM (1 kHz)	A
	Radio-frequency electromagnetic field, amplitude modulated	IEC 61000-4-3 See also 5.3.4	1,4 GHz to 2,0 GHz 3 V/m 80 % AM (1 kHz)	A
	Radio-frequency electromagnetic field, amplitude modulated	IEC 61000-4-3 See also 5.3.4	2,0 GHz to 2,7 GHz 1 V/m 80 % AM (1 kHz)	A
Power ports (except auxiliary DC power ports below 60 V)	Fast transient-burst	IEC 61000-4-4	1 kV/5 kHz ^a	B
	Surge ^b 1,2/50 µs, 8/20 µs	IEC 61000-4-5	1 kV ^c 2 kV ^d	B
	Conducted radio-frequency common mode	IEC 61000-4-6 see also 5.3.4	0,15 MHz to 80 MHz 3 V 80 % AM (1 kHz)	A
Power interfaces	Fast transient-burst ^e	IEC 61000-4-4	1 kV/5 kHz Capacitive clamp	B
Ports for process measurement control lines and signal interfaces Auxiliary DC power ports below 60 V	Fast transient-burst ^e	IEC 61000-4-4	0,5 kV/5 kHz Capacitive clamp	B
	Conducted radio-frequency common mode ^e	IEC 61000-4-6 see also 5.3.4	0,15 MHz to 80 MHz 3 V 80 % AM (1 kHz)	A
CD: contact discharge AD: air discharge AM: amplitude modulation				

- ^a Power ports with current rating < 100 A: direct coupling using the coupling and decoupling network. Power ports with current rating ≥ 100 A: direct coupling or capacitive clamp without decoupling network. If the capacitive clamp is used, test level shall be 2 kV/5 kHz. The chosen test method shall be stated in the test report.
- ^b Applicable only to power ports with current consumption < 63 A during light load test conditions as specified in 5.1.3.
- ^c Coupling line-to-line.
- ^d Coupling line-to-earth.
- ^e Applicable only to ports or interfaces with cables whose total length according to the manufacturer's functional specification may exceed 3 m.

5.3.3 Second environment

The levels in Table 14 shall be applied to PDSs which are intended to be used in the second environment. This also applies to the low voltage ports, or the low voltage interfaces (power, signal) of PDSs of rated voltage above 1 000 V.

NOTE Examples of low voltage ports and interfaces of a PDS of rated voltage above 1 000 V are as follows:

LV enclosure port	enclosure of auxiliaries, control and protection;
LV power ports	LV power supply of PDS;
LV power interfaces	auxiliary supply distribution within main components of PDS;
LV signal interfaces	LV signal interfaces within main components of PDS;
LV process port	signal port of the PDS.

Table 14 – Minimum immunity requirements for PDSs intended for use in the second environment

Port	Phenomenon	Basic standard for test method	Level	Performance (acceptance) criterion
Enclosure port	ESD (electrostatic discharge)	IEC 61000-4-2	4 kV CD or 8 kV AD if CD impossible	B
	Radio-frequency electromagnetic field, amplitude modulated	IEC 61000-4-3 see also 5.3.4	80 MHz to 1 000 MHz 10 V/m 80 % AM (1 kHz)	A
	Radio-frequency electromagnetic field, amplitude modulated	IEC 61000-4-3 see also 5.3.4	1,4 GHz to 2,0 GHz 3 V/m 80 % AM (1 kHz)	A
	Radio-frequency electromagnetic field, amplitude modulated	IEC 61000-4-3 see also 5.3.4	2,0 GHz to 2,7 GHz 1 V/m 80 % AM (1 kHz)	A
Power ports (except auxiliary DC power ports below 60 V)	Fast transient-burst	IEC 61000-4-4	2 kV/5 kHz ^a	B
	Surge ^b 1,2/50 µs, 8/20 µs	IEC 61000-4-5	1 kV ^c 2 kV ^d	B
	Conducted radio-frequency common mode ^e	IEC 61000-4-6 see also 5.3.4	0,15 MHz to 80 MHz 10 V 80 % AM (1 kHz)	A
Power Interfaces	Fast transient-burst ^e	IEC 61000-4-4	2 kV/5 kHz Capacitive clamp	B
Signal interfaces	Fast transient-burst ^e	IEC 61000-4-4	1 kV/5 kHz Capacitive clamp	B
	Conducted radio-frequency common mode ^e	IEC 61000-4-6 see also 5.3.4	0,15 MHz to 80 MHz 10 V 80 % AM (1 kHz)	A
Ports for process measurement control lines Auxiliary DC power ports below 60 V	Fast transient-burst ^e	IEC 61000-4-4	2 kV/5 kHz Capacitive clamp	B
	Surge ^f 1,2/50 µs, 8/20 µs	IEC 61000-4-5	1 kV ^{d,f}	B
	Conducted radio-frequency common mode ^e	IEC 61000-4-6 see also 5.3.4	0,15 MHz to 80 MHz 10 V 80 % AM (1 kHz)	A

CD: contact discharge AD: air discharge AM: amplitude modulation

- ^a Power ports with current rating < 100 A: direct coupling using the coupling and decoupling network. Power ports with current rating ≥ 100 A: direct coupling or capacitive clamp without decoupling network. If the capacitive clamp is used, the test level shall be 4 kV/5 kHz. The chosen test method shall be stated in the test report.
- ^b Applicable only to power ports with current consumption < 63 A during light load test conditions as specified in 5.1.3.
- ^c Coupling line-to-line.
- ^d Coupling line-to-earth.
- ^e Applicable only to ports or interfaces with cables whose total length according to the manufacturer's functional specification may exceed 3 m.
- ^f Applicable only to ports with cables whose total length according to the manufacturer's functional specification may exceed 30 m. In the case of a shielded cable, a direct coupling to the shield is applied. This immunity requirement does not apply to fieldbus or other signal interfaces where the use of surge protection devices is not practical for technical reasons. The test is not required where normal functioning cannot be achieved because of the impact of the coupling/decoupling network on the equipment under test (EUT).

These phenomena are not relevant for application to the ports of rated insulation voltage above 1 000 V. For simplicity, such ports are named HV ports of PDSs of rated voltage above 1 000 V.

NOTE Examples of HV ports and interfaces of a PDS of rated voltage above 1 000 V are as follows:

HV enclosure port	enclosure of transformer, converter section and motor;
HV power port	primary side of transformer;
HV power interfaces	HV distribution within main components of PDS;
HV signal interfaces	HV signal interfaces within main components of PDS.

5.3.4 Immunity against electromagnetic fields

If the PDS is

- of rated voltage not more than 500 V,
- of rated current not more than 200 A,
- of total mass not more than 250 kg, and
- of height, width, and depth not more than 1,9 m,

the tests of IEC 61000-4-3 and IEC 61000-4-6 shall be performed (see 5.3.2 and 5.3.3).

If the PDS is larger or of higher rating than in the above paragraph, then the manufacturer shall choose either

- to perform the tests of IEC 61000-4-3 and IEC 61000-4-6 on the PDS, or
- to perform the tests of IEC 61000-4-3 and IEC 61000-4-6 on sensitive sub-components and state the chosen test method in the test report.

If the motor is too large to be put into service on a test site, the motor may be replaced by one of smaller size, provided this does not adversely affect the operation of the CDM/BDM.

5.4 Application of immunity requirements – Statistical aspect

When choosing the acceptance level for a specific test of a PDS, it shall be understood that the test result implies only a probability of performance. Depending on the acceptance criterion and the application of a PDS, this probability shall be considered in specifying the number of test pulses or duration of the test.

Immunity requirements in 5.3 shall be verified by performing a type-test on a representative unit. The manufacturer or supplier shall ensure the EMC performance of the product is maintained in production by using some form of quality control.

Measurement results obtained for a PDS while installed in its place of use (not on a test site) shall relate to that installation only.

6 Emission

6.1 General emission requirements

The measurements shall be made in the operating mode producing the largest emission in the frequency band, while being consistent with the normal application.

Table 15 summarises the requirements, according to the classification of the PDS (see 5.2).

Table 15 – Summary of emission requirements

Category	Low-frequency Disturbance voltage (power port)	High-frequency Disturbance voltage (power port)	Radiated emissions (enclosure port and others)
Category C1	<u>Product assessment</u> Requirements: - 6.2.2, - 6.2.3.1 or 6.2.3.2 or 6.2.3.3, - 6.2.4, - 6.2.5 Recommendations on load conditions: - B.2.3.3 and B.3.2	<u>Product assessment</u> Conducted emission limits: - 6.4.1.1, Table 16	<u>Product assessment</u> Radiated emission limits: - 6.4.1.3, Table 17 Other emission requirements: - 6.4.1.2; - 6.4.1.4
Category C2	<u>Product assessment</u> Requirements: - 6.2.2, - 6.2.3.1 or 6.2.3.2 or 6.2.3.3, - 6.2.4, - 6.2.5 Recommendations on load conditions: - B.2.3.3 and B.3.2	<u>Product assessment</u> Conducted emission limits: - 6.4.1.1, Table 16 Warning in the instruction for use: - 6.4.1.1	<u>Product assessment</u> Radiated emission limits: - 6.4.1.3, Table 17 Other emission requirements: - 6.4.1.2; - 6.4.1.4 Warning in the instruction for use: - 6.4.1.3
Category C3	<u>Product assessment</u> Requirements: - 6.2.2, - 6.2.3.4, - 6.2.4, - 6.2.5 Recommendations on load conditions: - B.2.3.3 and general rules B.3.3 and B.4	<u>Product assessment</u> Conducted emission limits: - 6.4.2.2, Table 19 Warning in the instruction for use: - 6.4.2.1	<u>Product assessment</u> Radiated emission limits: - 6.4.2.4, Table 20 Other emission requirements: - 6.4.2.3 Warning in the instruction for use: - 6.4.2.1
Category C4	<u>Engineering practice</u> Requirements: - 6.2.2, - 6.2.3.4, - 6.2.4, - 6.2.5 Recommendations on load conditions: - B.2.3.3 and general rules B.3.3 and B.4	<u>Engineering practice</u> Either - apply the requirements of Category C3 above, or - 6.5	<u>Engineering practice</u> Either - apply requirements of Category C3 above, or - 6.5

6.2 Basic low-frequency emission limits

6.2.1 Compliance method

Compliance can be verified by calculation, simulation or test. The chosen verification method shall be stated in the test report.

6.2.2 Commutation notches

Commutation notches are measured on the power ports using an oscilloscope (see B.1.1). They are produced by controlled line-commutated converters.

Where it is known that the input circuit of the PDS does not produce notches or only produces notches of negligible amplitude (for example diode rectifiers), emission of notches need not be considered.

The main practical case where emission of notches should be considered is the case of thyristor converters (line commutated). RFI filters are practical cases of equipment which can be affected by notches. They can be overloaded or subjected to repetitive overvoltages.

NOTE A diode rectifier is an uncontrolled line-commutated converter, which produces commutation notches of negligible amplitude. Some self-commutated converters (for example an indirect converter of the voltage source inverter type with an active front end) can produce commutation notches depending on the PWM pattern.

Where notches are to be considered, the manufacturer shall provide the following information to the user:

- value of any decoupling reactances which are included in the PDS;
- available decoupling reactances which can be externally added for mitigation (see B.1.2).

The recommendations of B.1.3 should be followed.

6.2.3 Harmonics and interharmonics

6.2.3.1 Low-voltage public supply network – Equipment covered by IEC 61000-3-2

Equipment may contain one or several PDSs and also other loads.

When a PDS is within the scope of IEC 61000-3-2, the requirements of that standard apply. However, when one or more PDSs are included in equipment within the scope of IEC 61000-3-2, the requirements of that standard apply to the complete equipment and not to the individual PDS. It is the responsibility of the equipment manufacturer to define the boundary of the system or sub-system to which IEC 61000-3-2 applies, and the method which demonstrates compliance of the equipment.

6.2.3.2 Low-voltage public supply network – Equipment covered by IEC 61000-3-12

When a PDS is within the scope of IEC 61000-3-12, the requirements of that standard apply. However, when one or more PDSs are included in equipment within the scope of IEC 61000-3-12, the requirements of that standard apply to the complete equipment and not to the individual PDS. It is the responsibility of the equipment manufacturer to define the boundary of the system or sub-system to which IEC 61000-3-12 applies, and the method which demonstrates compliance of the equipment.

6.2.3.3 Low-voltage public supply network – Equipment not covered by IEC 61000-3-2 or IEC 61000-3-12

For equipment not covered by IEC 61000-3-2 or IEC 61000-3-12 (rated current above 75 A), recommendations may be found in Clause B.4.

The manufacturer shall provide in the documentation of the PDS, or on request, the ratio of the current harmonic level *THC*, under rated load conditions, to the RMS current on the power port, as well as the harmonic currents up to the 40th harmonic. This may be produced by calculation, simulation or test.

For the purpose of calculation or simulation, the applied voltage shall be assumed to have a *THD* less than 1 %. The internal impedance of the network shall be assumed to be purely inductive. If the specific location of the PDS is not known, the harmonic currents shall be calculated assuming that the PDS is connected to a PC with the highest value of R_{SI} permitted by the PDS manufacturer.

$$R_{SI} = \frac{I_{SC}}{I_{LN}}$$

where

I_{SC} is the short circuit current at the considered PC;

I_{LN} is the rated input current of the PDS.

If the manufacturer does not state a maximum value of R_{SI} , a value of 250 shall be assumed. If the specific location of the PDS is known, the supply impedance at that location shall be used.

A guide for calculation of harmonics is given in Clause A.1 and Clause A.2 of IEC TR 61000-2-6:1995. Guidelines for the summation of harmonics of different sources are also given in 7.4 of IEC TR 61000-2-6:1995.

Effects of interharmonics are considered in B.4.3. Methods for calculation are given in Annex C of IEC TR 61000-2-6:1995.

6.2.3.4 Industrial networks

If a PDS is to be used in an installation which is not directly supplied from a public low voltage network, IEC 61000-3-2 and IEC 61000-3-12 are not applicable. Therefore, a reasonable approach which considers the total installation should be used (see Clause B.4).

NOTE For network voltages above 1 000 V, the total installation can be subject to rules from the utility, usually based on IEC TR 61000-3-6. These rules apply to the installation as a whole, not to individual equipment. These rules usually take the existing harmonic currents and voltage distortion within the system into account. An efficient and simplified approach is provided by Table B.2.

In the case of a PDS of rated voltage above 1 000 V, harmonic emissions from the main power port and the auxiliary power ports shall be considered separately.

6.2.4 Voltage fluctuations

6.2.4.1 Conditions

Equipment may contain one or several PDSs and also other loads which are capable of causing voltage fluctuations.

NOTE 1 Voltage fluctuations can be caused, for instance, by frequently changing the load of a PDS, or by sub-harmonics of slip energy recovery of asynchronous motors. Voltage fluctuations can also be caused by interharmonics at frequencies slightly different from the fundamental or from predominant harmonics. The emission is typically generated by cyclo-converters or current source inverters. See B.4.3 and B.6.2. Interharmonics are covered by compatibility levels given in IEC 61000-2-4 or in IEC 61000-2-12.

NOTE 2 Voltage fluctuations are dependent on the impedance of the installation and the duty cycle of the load. In some applications, the user can reduce voltage fluctuations by adjusting the load duty cycle by changing speed ramp rate or using other techniques.

Most voltage fluctuations depend upon the installation. Therefore, this system aspect should be the responsibility of the user or of the installer. The compatibility levels given in IEC 61000-2-4 for voltage changes should not be exceeded considering cumulative effects from all equipment.

6.2.4.2 PDS in the scope of IEC 61000-3-3 and IEC 61000-3-11

When a PDS is within the scope of IEC 61000-3-3, the requirements of that standard apply. However, when one or more PDSs are included in equipment within the scope of IEC 61000-3-3, the requirements of that standard apply to the complete equipment and not to the individual PDS.

When a PDS is within the scope of IEC 61000-3-11, the requirements of that standard apply. However, when one or more PDSs are included in equipment within the scope of IEC 61000-3-11, the requirements of that standard apply to the complete equipment and not to the individual PDS.

NOTE Application of the voltage fluctuation limits of IEC 61000-3-3 and 61000-3-11 is only possible when the characteristics of the load provided by the driven equipment are known. For that reason, only the machine builder and/or end user are capable of characterizing compliance with regard to the voltage fluctuation limits.

6.2.4.3 PDS not in the scope of IEC 61000-3-3 and IEC 61000-3-11

For equipment not in the scope of IEC 61000-3-3 and IEC 61000-3-11, emissions of voltage fluctuations are generally dependent on the loading conditions and this document cannot give requirements.

NOTE Local rules given by local authorities can apply to the complete installation.

6.2.5 Emissions in the frequency range from 2 kHz to 9 kHz

In the frequency range from 2 kHz to 9 kHz, limits are not specified.

NOTE 1 IEC SC 77A is working on compatibility levels in this frequency range.

NOTE 2 Until limits are specified in this frequency range, design recommendations for emission values for PDS and CDM can be found in IEC TS 62578:2015, Annex B.

6.2.6 Common mode harmonic emission (low-frequency common mode voltage)

The switching frequency of the converter of the PDS is often in the audible frequency range and, in particular, the frequency range commonly used by telephone and data systems. To avoid the risk of crosstalk to signal cables, the installation instructions shall either recommend that the power interface cable be segregated from signal cables or state alternative mitigation methods.

6.3 Conditions related to high-frequency emission measurement

6.3.1 General requirements

6.3.1.1 Common conditions

The rate of change of voltage or current is expected to be the main source of high-frequency emission. For this type of disturbance, the highest values of the dv/dt are mostly relevant, which usually occurs with output currents lower than the rated current of the PDS. Therefore, these tests are light load tests. The tests shall be applied to the relevant ports where they exist and shall be performed in a well-defined and reproducible manner on a port-by-port basis.

The test method shall comply with 7.3 to 7.4 and Clause 8 of CISPR 11:2015/AMD1:2016. The requirements for configuration of test setup for the PDS considering cables arrangement are derived from 7.5 of CISPR 11:2015/AMD1:2016, paying particular attention to earth

connections. An example for a typical PDS test set up and cable arrangement for measurements of radiated disturbances in 3 m separation distance is described in 6.3.1.3 below. The load and cable lengths shall be within the manufacturer's specification and the actual load and power interface cable length shall be noted in the test report.

It shall be stated in the test report whether the tests have been performed on a test site or as *in situ* tests.

6.3.1.2 Conducted emissions

The measurement equipment for evaluation of high-frequency mains terminal (power port) disturbance voltage emission is either the artificial mains network (50 Ω /50 μ H, see CISPR 16-1-2 and CISPR 11) where it can be applied, or the high impedance voltage probe according to 5.2.1 of CISPR 16-1-2:2014, where the artificial mains network is not applicable. The chosen test method shall be stated in the test report. Common-mode absorption devices (CMAD) shall not be used as part of the test setup for conducted emission measurement.

NOTE A CMAD is a piece of test equipment placed on certain cables during radiated emission measurements to improve reproducibility (see 6.3.1.3.4).

For *in situ* measurement of the mains disturbance voltage, a high impedance voltage probe without an artificial mains network shall be used (see 7.3.3 of CISPR 11:2015). The same can be applied if the PDS has an input current greater than 100 A, or if the input voltage is greater than or equal to 500 V, or if the PDS contains a line commutated converter (see A.4.1.2).

6.3.1.3 Radiated emissions

6.3.1.3.1 Type of test site

Equipment of category C1 and category C2 shall be measured on a test site compliant with requirements of CISPR 16-1-4. The measurement distance shall be stated in the test report.

Equipment of category C3 should preferably be tested on a test site compliant with requirements of CISPR 16-1-4. However, when this proves to be impossible for practical reasons of weight, size or power, tests may be done in a location not fully compliant with the test site requirements. The use of this location shall be justified in the test report.

In the case of radiated emission tests on a test site, CISPR 11 allows test sites that are either an open-area test site (OATS) or a semi-anechoic chamber (SAC).

NOTE For radiated emissions measurement in a fully-anechoic room (FAR) test conditions and requirement are under consideration in CISPR/B. It is intended that they will be made available in CISPR 11.

6.3.1.3.2 Test volume

The measurement distance is considered between the reference point (RP) of the antenna calibration and the boundary of the EUT's test volume (see Figure 5 to Figure 7).

The selection of measurement distances shall comply with the requirements of 6.2.2.3 and 8.3.4 of CISPR 11:2015.

The boundary of the EUT's test volume is the imaginary cylinder around the complete configuration of the EUT. This boundary is shown as item H in Figure 5 and Figure 6. The motor and all the cables shall be inside the imaginary cylinder unless the cables leave the cylinder through CMAD(s). The height of the imaginary cylinder is measured from the floor, regardless of whether the EUT is table-top, wall-mounted equipment or standing on the floor.

The EUT is considered as small size equipment if the boundary of the EUT's test volume complies with the definition of 3.1.5. The maximum boundary for small size equipment is

shown as item K in Figure 5 to Figure 7. The dimensions of the test volume should be measured with a tolerance of $\pm 0,1$ m.

The use of CMADs is recommended, as they contribute to reproducible test results. However, the use of CMADs is not mandatory. They serve to define the common mode impedance and resonances in the frequency range above 30 MHz, thus improving reproducibility.

6.3.1.3.3 Selection of measurement distance

Subclauses 6.4.1.3 and 6.4.2.4 give emission limits for tests at 10 m and 3 m distance.

Small size equipment meeting the size criterion defined in 3.1.5 may be tested at either 10 m or 3 m. Equipment not meeting this size criterion shall be tested at 10 m.

Special requirements relating to the test setup are specified in 6.3.1.3.4 to 6.3.1.3.6 for better reproducibility of measurement at 3 m. In cases where these requirements are practical for measurement at 10 m distance, they will also improve reproducibility at that distance.

6.3.1.3.4 Auxiliaries and peripherals

When auxiliaries or peripheral equipment are not part of the EUT (see EUT 2 in Figure 5 and Figure 6) they may be placed outside the test volume. However, if they cannot be excluded from the maximum test volume because the interconnecting cables are too short or for other reasons, these auxiliaries or peripheral equipment are put on the positioning table or on the insulated plane.

Restriction of radiation assessment to the cable fractions inside the test volume can be achieved for example by application at the cables of common-mode absorption devices (CMAD) at the position where they leave the test volume. CISPR 16-2-3 gives further guidance on the application of CMAD(s).

6.3.1.3.5 Motor

For radiated emission, light load condition is usually acceptable for the PDS operation (see A.2.1 for information on load conditions).

The power rating of the motor used during the radiated emission test may be lower than the power rating of the CDM, but shall be large enough to allow correct operation of the inverter part of the CDM.

The motor can be put inside or outside the test volume. The power interface cable between the CDM/BDM and the motor shall be exposed to the antenna with at least 0,8 m length inside the test volume, unless the maximum cable length stated in the information for the user is shorter.

The position of the motor and the cable arrangement shall be stated in the test report.

6.3.1.3.6 Layout of setup for radiated emission tests

Examples of typical layouts for radiated emission tests are given in Figure 5 to Figure 7 below.

If a special earthing conductor is used (see "C" in Figure 7), its length shall be at least 1 m, and it shall be connected as shown in the user documentation.

NOTE 1 An example of a special earthing conductor is a second protective earthing conductor, which could be used for compliance with 4.3.5.5.2 of IEC 61800-5-1:2007.

If the motor is placed far from the turntable, the motor cable can be passed through the floor of the turntable (see dotted line path "A" in Figure 7). If the motor is placed beside the turntable (see "F" in Figure 7) and prevents the turntable from moving, special care should be considered for performing radiated emission measurement as for *in situ* condition (see A.4.2).

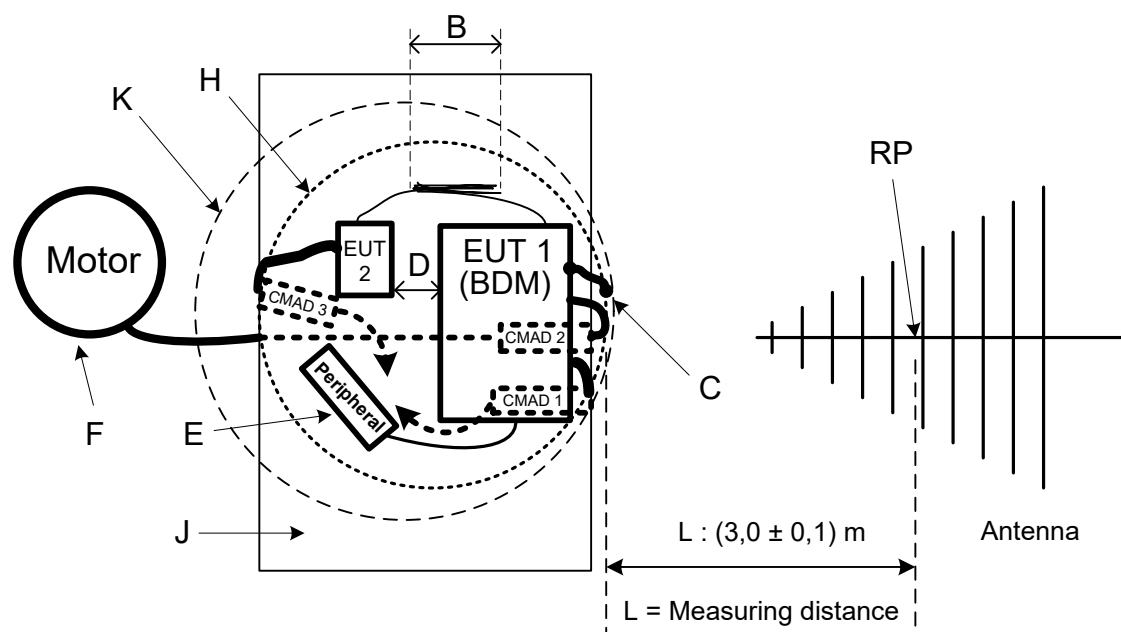
The use of an AMN in radiated emission tests is recommended but not mandatory.

Auxiliaries and peripheral equipment that are not part of the EUT should be located outside the test volume. However, if the connecting cables between them and the EUT cannot be extended to run outside the test volume, these auxiliaries and peripherals can be placed inside the test volume (see Figure 5 and Figure 6) or on the turntable (see Figure 7).

The spacing between all enclosures (EUT, peripheral etc.) should be $\geq 0,1$ m. This is shown by item "D" in Figure 5 to Figure 7.

Where an interconnecting cable has an excess length, item "B" in Figure 5 and Figure 7 shows a cable bundle, as required by 7.5.2 of CISPR 11:2015. The excess cable is bundled between 0,3 m and 0,4 m in the middle of the cable length.

NOTE 2 The reference point of the antenna calibration is considered for the measuring distance as shown by item "RP" in Figure 5 to Figure 7.



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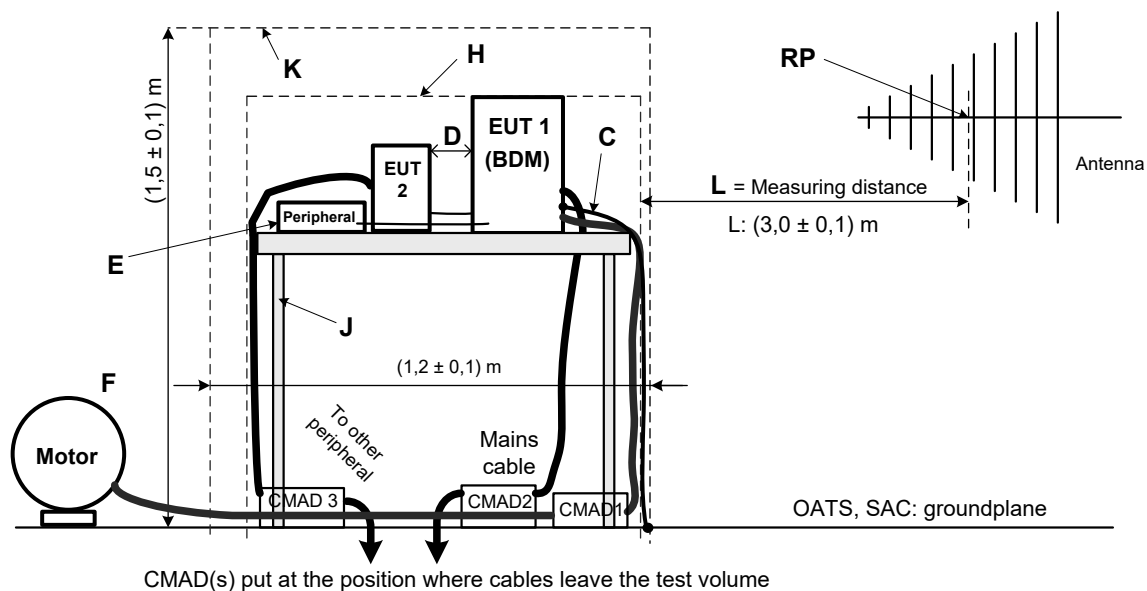
Key

- B Excess cable is in a bundle of between 0,3 m and 0,4 m in the middle of the cable length.
- C Special earthing connection, only if specified in the user documentation.
- D Spacing between enclosures should be $\geq 0,1$ m.
- E The peripheral or auxiliary device is in the test volume only if the cables cannot be extended to allow the peripheral to be outside the test volume.
- F Motor
- H Test volume. This is the boundary of the imaginary cylinder around the complete configuration of the EUT (BDM/CDM parts of the PDS).
- J Positioning table of insulating material, with height $0,8 \text{ m} \pm 0,01 \text{ m}$ above the ground plane.
- K Boundary of maximum test volume for small size equipment as defined in 3.1.5.

L Measuring distance. This distance is measured between the test volume, H, and the reference point of the antenna calibration, RP.

RP Reference point of the antenna calibration

Figure 5 – Example for a typical cable arrangement for measurements in 3 m separation distance, for a table-top or wall-mounted equipment, top view

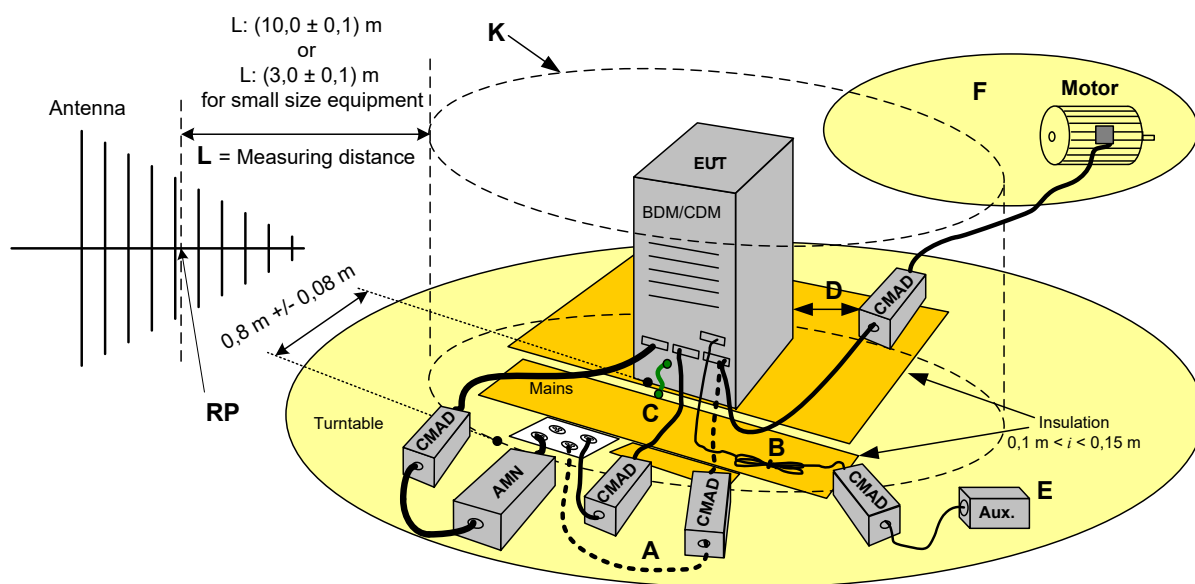


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Key

- C Special earthing connection, only if specified in the user documentation.
- D Spacing between enclosures should be $\geq 0,1$ m.
- E The peripheral or auxiliary device is in the test volume only if the cables cannot be extended to allow the peripheral to be outside the test volume.
- F Motor
- H Test volume. This is the boundary of the imaginary cylinder around the complete configuration of the EUT (BDM/CDM parts of the PDS).
- J Positioning table of insulating material, with height $0,8 \text{ m} \pm 0,01 \text{ m}$ above the ground plane.
- K Boundary of maximum test volume for small size equipment as defined in 3.1.5.
- L Measuring distance. This distance is measured between the test volume, H, and the reference point of the antenna calibration, RP.
- RP Reference point of the antenna calibration

Figure 6 – Example for a typical cable arrangement for measurements in 3 m separation distance for a table-top or wall-mounted equipment, side view



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Key

- A The dotted line shows the route of the motor cable when the motor is placed far from the turntable.
 - B Excess cable is in a bundle of between 0,3 m and 0,4 m in the middle of the cable length.
 - C Special earthing connection, only if specified in the user documentation.
 - D Spacing between enclosures should be $\geq 0,1$ m.
 - E The peripheral or auxiliary device is in the test volume only if the cables cannot be extended to allow the peripheral to be outside the test volume.
 - F Motor
 - K Boundary of maximum test volume for small size equipment as defined in 3.1.5.
 - L Measuring distance. This distance is measured between the test volume and the reference point of the antenna calibration, RP.
- RP Reference point of the antenna calibration

Figure 7 – Example for a typical test set up for measurement of conducted and/or radiated disturbances from a floor-standing PDS, 3D view

6.3.2 Connection requirements

If the PDS is measured on a test site, the test set up, including length and position of power and control cables, shall be representative of intended application(s), as defined by the manufacturer and described in the user documentation (see 4.3). The test set-up shall be stated in the test report.

If the PDS is measured *in situ*, the cable and the earthing arrangements are those of that application.

6.4 Basic high-frequency emission limits

6.4.1 Equipment of categories C1 and C2

6.4.1.1 Power port disturbance voltage

Limits for mains terminal disturbance voltage (power ports) are given in Table 16.

**Table 16 – Limits for mains terminal disturbance voltage
in the frequency band 150 kHz to 30 MHz**

Frequency band MHz	Category C1		Category C2	
	Quasi peak dB(μV)	Average dB(μV)	Quasi peak dB(μV)	Average dB(μV)
$0,15 \leq f < 0,50$	66 Decreases with log of frequency down to 56	56 Decreases with log of frequency down to 46	79	66
$0,5 \leq f \leq 5,0$	56	46	73	60
$5,0 < f < 30,0$	60	50	73	60

Where a PDS does not comply with the limits of category C1, the following warning shall be included in the instruction for use:

Warning

In a residential environment, this product may cause radio interference in which case supplementary mitigation measures may be required.

NOTE High-frequency common mode filtering introduces capacitive coupling paths to earth. In the case of a supply system in which the neutral is isolated from earth or connected to earth through a high impedance ("IT system" as defined in 312.2.3 of IEC 60364-1:2005), these capacitive coupling paths can be harmful (see D.2.2).

In the frequency range from 9 kHz to 150 kHz, limits are not specified.

NOTE 1 IEC SC 77A is working on compatibility levels in this frequency range.

NOTE 2 Until limits are specified in this frequency range, design recommendations for emission values for PDS and CDM can be found in IEC TS 62578:2015, Annex B.

6.4.1.2 Process measurement and control ports

If a process measurement and control port is intended for connection to a fieldbus, then the port shall comply with the conducted emission requirements of the relevant standard for that fieldbus.

If a process measurement and control port is intended for connection to a public telecommunication network, then this port shall be regarded as a telecommunication port. The conducted emission requirements of CISPR 32, class B apply to that port.

6.4.1.3 Radiation – Enclosure port

Limits for electromagnetic radiation disturbance (enclosure port, see definition in 3.3.4 and Figure 2) are given in Table 17.

**Table 17 – Limits for electromagnetic radiation disturbance
in the frequency band 30 MHz to 1 000 MHz**

Frequency band MHz	Electric field strength component Quasi-peak dB(μV/m)			
	Measurement distance 10 m ^a		Measurement distance 3 m ^a	
	Category C1	Category C2	Category C1	Category C2
$30 \leq f \leq 230$	30	40	40	50
$230 < f \leq 1\,000$	37	47	47	57

^a For selection of measurement distance, see 6.3.1.3.3.

The measurement distance shall be stated in the test report.

Where a PDS does not comply with the limits of category C1, the following warning shall be included in the instructions for use:

Warning

In a residential environment, this product may cause radio interference, in which case supplementary mitigation measures may be required.

6.4.1.4 Power interface emission

For a PDS to be operated in the first environment, the limitation of emission shall be provided by means of one of the following options.

- Measurements on the power interface need not be performed if the length of the corresponding cable is less than 2 m, or if a shielded cable is used. The shielding shall then be of high frequency quality, continuous throughout its length and at least connected to the CDM and motor via 360° terminations.
- The emission shall be checked by measuring the disturbance voltage at the power interface in the BDM, using the high impedance voltage probe described in 5.2.1 of CISPR 16-1-2:2014. The limits given in Table 18 below shall be applied.
- Where mitigation methods applied are not suitable for checking according to item b) (for example common mode mitigation methods), the effectiveness of the mitigation method shall be checked by establishing a coupling between the mains input cable and the motor cable during the measurement of the mains terminal disturbance voltage according to 6.4.1.1. This coupling shall be established over the 1 m distance separating the EUT and the AMN by running the motor cable parallel to the mains cable with a separation not exceeding 10 cm over a length of at least 0,60 m.

Table 18 – Limits of disturbance voltage on the power interface

Frequency band MHz	Measurement at rated output current	
	Quasi peak dB(μV)	Average dB(μV)
$0,15 \leq f < 0,5$	80	70
$0,50 \leq f < 30$	74	64

NOTE The above limits are derived from CISPR 14-1.

6.4.2 Equipment of category C3

6.4.2.1 Information requirement

If a PDS does not meet the limits of category C1 or C2, a warning shall be included in the instructions for use stating that

- this type of PDS is not intended to be used on a low-voltage public network which supplies residential premises, and
- radio frequency interference is expected if used on such a network.

The manufacturer shall provide a guide for installation and use, including recommended mitigation devices.

6.4.2.2 Power port disturbance voltage

Limits for mains terminal disturbance voltage (power ports) of PDSs are given in Table 19. The same limits apply to low voltage power ports of PDSs of rated voltage above 1 000 V.

**Table 19 – Limits for mains terminal disturbance voltage
in the frequency band 150 kHz to 30 MHz for a PDS in the second environment –
PDS of category C3**

Size of PDS ^a	Frequency band MHz	Quasi peak dB(μV)	Average dB(μV)
$I \leq 100 \text{ A}$	$0,15 \leq f < 0,50$	100	90
	$0,5 \leq f \leq 5,0$	86	76
	$5,0 < f < 30,0$	90	80
		Decreases with log of frequency down to 73	Decreases with log of frequency down to 60
$100 \text{ A} < I$	$0,15 \leq f < 0,50$	130	120
	$0,5 \leq f < 5,0$	125	115
	$5,0 \leq f < 30,0$	115	105
These limits do not apply to power ports operating above 1 000 V.			
^a Size of the PDS refers to rated current (I) of the port.			

See also Clause D.2.

For PDS above 100 A without dedicated transformer, to avoid the risk of crosstalk to signal cables, the installation instructions shall either recommend that the power cables be segregated from signal cables or state alternative mitigation methods.

In the frequency range from 9 kHz to 150 kHz, limits are not specified.

NOTE 1 IEC SC 77A is working on compatibility levels in this frequency range.

NOTE 2 Until limits are specified in this frequency range, design recommendations for emission values for PDS and CDM can be found in IEC TS 62578:2015, Annex B.

6.4.2.3 Process measurement and control ports

If a process measurement and control port is intended for connection to a fieldbus, then the port shall comply with the conducted emission requirements of the relevant standard for that fieldbus.

If a process measurement and control port is intended for connection to a public telecommunication network, then this port shall be regarded as a telecommunication port. The conducted emission requirements of CISPR 22, class A, apply to that port.

6.4.2.4 Radiation – Enclosure port

Limits for electromagnetic radiation disturbance (enclosure port, see definition in 3.3.4 and Figure 2) of PDSs are given in Table 20.

**Table 20 – Limits for electromagnetic radiation disturbance
in the frequency band 30 MHz to 1 000 MHz
for a PDS in the second environment – PDS of category C3**

Frequency band MHz	Electric field strength component Quasi-peak dB(μV/m)	
	Measurement distance 10 m ^a	Measurement distance 3 m ^a
$30 \leq f \leq 230$	50	60
$230 < f \leq 1\,000$	60	70
NOTE In the next edition of IEC 61800-3, it will be the target to align the values in this table with CISPR 11.		
^a For selection of measurement distance, see 6.3.1.3.3.		

The measurement distance shall be stated in the test report.

6.4.2.5 Power interface

For a PDS to be operated in the second environment, the instructions for installation and use shall contain all the necessary information on the installation of the power interface as required in 4.3.

6.5 Engineering practice

6.5.1 PDS of category C4

For PDSs of category C4, the following procedure shall be used.

General conditions

Due to technical reasons, there are some applications where it is not possible for the PDS to comply with the limits of Table 19 and Table 20. These applications are for large ratings or to meet specific technical requirements:

- voltage above 1 000 V;
- current above 400 A;
- networks isolated from earth, or connected to earth through a high impedance ("IT power supply system" according to 312.2.3 of IEC 60364-1:2005);
- where required dynamic performances will be limited as a result of filtering.

In these applications of category C4 equipment, the user and the manufacturer shall agree on an EMC plan to meet the EMC requirements of the intended application (see Annex E). In this situation, the user defines the EMC characteristics of the environment including the whole installation and the neighbourhood (see Figure 8). The manufacturer shall provide information on typical emission levels of the PDS which is to be installed. In the case of interference, the requirements and the procedure in 6.5.2 shall be applied.