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## Part 2: Circuit-breakers





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### PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Joint Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand Committee EL-006, Industrial Switchgear and Controlgear, to supersede AS 60947.2—2005.

The objective of this Standard is to state—

- (a) the characteristics of circuit-breakers;
- (b) the conditions with which circuit-breakers are required to comply with reference to—
  - (i) operation and behaviour in normal service;
  - (ii) operation and behaviour in case of overload and operation and behaviour in case of short-circuit, including co-ordination in service (selectivity and back-up protection);
  - (iii) dielectric properties;
- (c) tests intended for confirming that these conditions have been met and the methods to be adopted for these tests; and
- (d) information to be marked on or given with the apparatus.

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