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Annex ZA (normative)

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IEC 61557-9	2009	Electrical safety in low voltage distribution systems up to 1 000 V a.c. and 1 500 V d.c. - Equipment for testing, measuring or monitoring of protective measures - Part 9: Equipment for insulation fault location in IT systems	EN 61557-9	2009

Annex ZZ (informative)

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1 Scope

In addition to IEC 61236-1, this part of IEC 61326 specifies more detailed test configurations, operational conditions and performance criteria than IEC 61326-1 for equipment for

- insulation monitoring according to IEC 61557-8;
- insulation fault location according to IEC 61557-9.

This applies to insulation monitoring devices and insulation fault location systems permanently or semi-permanently connected to the distribution system.

2 Normative references

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IEC 61557-8:2007, *Electrical safety in low voltage distribution systems up to 1 000 V a.c. and 1 500 V d.c. – Equipment for testing, measuring or monitoring of protective measures – Part 8: Insulation monitoring devices for IT systems*

IEC 61557-9:2009, *Electrical safety in low voltage distribution systems up to 1 000 V a.c. and 1 500 V d.c. – Equipment for testing, measuring or monitoring of protective measures – Part 9: Equipment for insulation fault location in IT systems*

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