Surge Protection Devices

International standards classify SPDs as belonging to different 'Types', depending on characteristics and discharge capacity.

We offer Type 1, Spark Gap and Type 2 Surge Protection

Devices; these products are designed to be permanently installed by a licensed electrician. Type 3 device are removable single socket or power board devices, available at retail outlets commonly used for limited protection of computer and audio-visual equipment.



Lightning protection

Diverts the energy content of the lightning and reduces the residual voltage to values < 6,000 - 1.300 V.

Type 1 SPD

Recommended installations at risk of lighting strike is characterized by a 10/350 µs current wave.

Installation: Protection is provided when lightning currents couple into the equipotential bonding conductor of the low-voltage system, via the earth or parts of the external lightning protection system. Installed in buildings with overhead line feed and/or external lightning protection systems, in the main power supply as close as possible to the feeder before the meter, thus preventing lightning current spread.

Note, Type 1 SPDs need to be installed with Type 2 SPDs.



Surge protection

Reduces the remaining overvoltage to values < 2,000 - 600 V. The overvoltage must not exceed 4,000 V.

Type 2 SPD

Protection system for all low voltage electrical installations and characterized by an 8/20 µs current wave.

Installation: Installed in electrical switchboards, these devices protect equipment by stopping the spread of overvoltages in systems and protecting loads. As second line of protection after lightning arresters, they limit surges from remote strikes or switching overvoltages. They must be installed upstream of sensitive, safety-relevant systems that can be damaged by switching overvoltages.



Socket surge protection for terminals

Reduces or secures the remaining overvoltage to values that are for end devices < 1,500 V.

Type 3 SPD

With low discharge capacity, Type 3 SPDs are recommended and installed as a supplement to Type 2 SPDs in the areas of sensitive loads, characterized by a combination of voltage waves (1.2/50 μ s) and current waves (8/20 μ s).

Installation: Installed near the protected device, typically at the socket.

Residential applications			••							
Commercial and institutional applications	₹				#					* * *
Type of installation	Very Coarse - Highly exposed to lightning - Point of supply entry for highly exposed, lightning prone sites including on hills and ridges, by tall trees or structures or connected by long overhead service power lines - Any installation with a Lightning Rod, LPS or Spark Gap Device - Proximity to very large motors or transformers; usually industrial sites, power plants or substations		Coarse - Proximit industrial commercithat have transients large transfor motors - Or supp long servicables inciprivate por Large in Power litering box connection power pol	or large al sites or induce from sformers lied by ce supply luding wer poles stitutional nes: me- , point of n, private	dergroun distance - Suitable homes ar - Suitable of higher Submains Centres - Available	exposed to li d service en to neighbou e for most ur nd domestic e for cascade rated SPDs s, Distribution le with (R) or tion monitori	trance, and rs ban and sub applications ed use, down such as in: Non Boxes or I	short ourban s nstream Major Load	Fine - Supplem protection circuits	
Type of Surge Protection	Type of Surge Protection Type 1 + Type 2 Spark Gap		Type 2 65kA		Type 2 40kA			Type 2 20kA		
	Three phase	Single phase	Three phase	Single phase	Three phase		Single phase		Three phase	Single phase
Spark Gap Direct or frequent lightning protection	SPL412A	SPL212A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TN-S / TT Used after or downstream from the MSB or Switchboard MEN and in separate Neutral-Earth switchboard solutions.	-	-	SPL465(R)	SPL265(R)	SPL440	SPL440R	SPL240	SPL240R	SPL420(R)	SPL220

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Surge Protection Devices (SPD)



SPL212R

SPL412R

Surge Protection Devices - Type 1 + Type 2

Our SPLxxx devices protect electrical and electronic equipment against transients originating from lightning and switching sources.

When the surge protection device is used, backup protection must be used separately. For specific parameters, please refer to the technical data.

Uc (V)

350

350

These transients can cause premature aging of equipment, logic failures and down time, to the complete destruction of electrical components.

Surge Protection Devices (SPD) - Type 1 + Type 2

Installation and connection:

- Spark Gap and MOV technology
- Single phase or Three phase
- TN-C or TN-S / TT

Designation

Single phase

Three phase

(3P+N)

(1P+N)

- Part numbers ending in 'R' have a contact to allow for wiring in alarm to indicate cartridge replacement

In (8/20µs)

(kA)

12.5

12.5

limp (10/350µs)

12.5

12.5



SPL212R



SPL412R

Modular protection devices Surge Protection Devices (SPD)

Surge Protection Devices - Type 2

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Surge Protection Devices (SPD) - Type 2

Installation and connection:

- Spark Gap and MOV technology - Single phase or Three phase
- TN-S or TT
- Part numbers ending in 'R' have a contact to allow for wiring in alarm to indicate cartridge replacement
- Replacement NE & L-DE cartridges available

	Imay (0/00:)	I= (0/00=)	1 l= */1 ND	Width	0-1
Designation	Imax (8/20μs) (kA)	In (8/20μs) (kA)	Up*(L-N) (V)	18mm	Cat Ref
Single phase	20	10	1.3	2	SPL220
1P+N)	40	20	1.5	2	SPL240
	65	35	1.9	2	SPL265
Three phase	20	5	1.3	4	SPL420
3P+N)		20			
	40		1.5	4	SPL440
	65	35	1.9	4	SPL465
Single phase	20	10	1.3	2	SPL220F
(1P+N)	40	20	1.5	2	SPL240F
	65	35	1.9	2	SPL265F
Three phase					
•	20	5	1.3	4	SPL4201



SPL220R

SPL240

SPL440

SPL465R

SPL440R

SPL465R

* Up value (N-PE) is 1.5 kV

Operational Status Indication (Fault indication)



"R" suffix - with remote terminal (Remote signaling contact)

1.5

1.9

12 250V ~ 0.5A (AC) 125V ~ 1A (AC) 14 30V ~ 0.1A (DC)

20

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Subject to technical modification

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Modular protection devices

Surge Protection Devices (SPD)



Cat. Ref.

SPL020

SPL040

SPL065

SPL040N

SPL065N

Packing Qty.

Surge Protection Devices - Catridge

Our SPLxxxx Surge Protection Device replacement cartridges and bases are IP2X This allows for simple 'hot swap' remove and replacement of expended cartridges.

Designation

Phase catridge

Neutral catridge

20

65

40

65

In (8/20µs) (kA)

10

- Cartridges should be replaced when the visual indicator changes to 'Red'.
- Replacement cartridges are available for all different ratings and types

1.3

1.5

1.9

1.5

1.5

- A keying system exists to prevent a line (L-N) cartridge being interchanged by mistake with a neutral one (N-PE) and vice versa.
- Three phase SPD requires 3x L-N SPLxxxx cartridges are not compatible with legacy SPNxxxx products

Surge Protection Devices (SPD) - Catridge



SPL065



SPL065N

Guide of replacement catridges for plug-in surge protection device



SPL465R

Imax (kA)	Phase catridge	Neutral catridge	Replaceable Cat. Ref.
65kA	SPL065	SPL065N	SPL265(R)
	SPL065	SPL065N	SPL465(R)
40kA	SPL040	SPL040N	SPL240(R)
	SPL040	SPL040N	SPL440(R)
20kA	SPL020	SPL040N	SPL220(R)
	SPL020	SPL040N	SPL420(R)

Modular protection devices Surge Protection Devices (SPD)

Surge Protection Devices for Photovoltaic (PV)

- For use in photovoltaic systems (IEC 60364-7-712)
- PV Type 2 / PV Class II (EN 50539-11)
- Without remote signaling

Technical Specifications

 $\begin{array}{ll} U_p \stackrel{<}{=} 3.7 \text{kV} & U_{CpV} \stackrel{<}{=} 1170 \text{ V DC} \\ I_{SCDV} = 2000 \text{A} & I_L = 80 \text{A} \end{array}$ - $U_e = 1000\dot{V}$ $U_p \le 3.7kV$

- I_n = 15kA

- I_{max} = 40kA (8/20μs)

- IP20

- Dimension (mm): L 98.7 x W 53.4 x H 65.7

Surge Protection Devices for Photovoltaic (PV)

Designation	Qty	Ref.
SPD Type2 3P pluggable 40kA photovoltaic With lifetime indicator	1	SPV340
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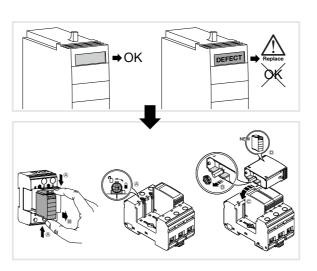
SPV340

Catridge Type2 1P photovoltaic

SPV040



Fault indication and catridge replacement



Cross-sectional area of connecting wire of terminal block (mm)

PZ2 + (1) (3 Nm (1,5 - 16 mm²) (4,5 Nm (25 - 35 mm²))	16 mm	16 mm	
min.	1,5 mm²		
max.	25 mm ²	35 mm ²	

Electrical characteristics - Type 1 + Type 2

Ref	Type 1 + Type 2			
Commerical number	SPL212R	SPL412R		
System voltage	230V	230/400V		
Replacement catridge (L-N)	-	-		
Replacement catridge (N-PE)	-	-		
Line system type	TN-S.	/IT		
Protection type	Common Mode/D	ifferential Mode		
Max continuous operating AC voltage (Uc)	350V	/ac		
Voltage protection level (Up)	1.5kV	1.5kV		
MAX backup overcurrent protection (fuse)	160A gL/gG	160A gL/gG		
MAX backup overcurrent protection (MCB)	-	-		
Short circuit withstand capability Isccr	12.5kA	12.5kA		
Response time	L-N ≤ 25ns N-PE ≤ 100ns			
Normal discharge current (8/20u) L-N	12.5kA	3 x 12.5kA		
Normal discharge current (8/20u) N-PE	50kA	50kA		
Lighting impluse current (10/350us) limp L-N	12.5kA	12.5kA		
Lighting impluse current (10/350us) limp N-PE	50kA	50kA		
Max discharge current Imax	-	-		
Operating temperature	-40°C - 85°C			
Operating state/Fault indication	Green (good) /	Red (replace)		
Conductor connection capacity	Min 4r Max 35	mm² mm²		
Number of modules	2	4		
Single phase	Υ	-		
Three phase	-	Υ		
Mounting	35mm DIN rail accor	rding to IEC 60715		
Enclosure material (Flame Retardant)	UL94	V-0		
L-N	1	3		
N-PE	1	1		
IP rating	IP20			
Humidity	5% - 9	95%		
Dimension (mm)	L90 x W36 x H67.6	L90 x W72 x H67.6		

Electrical characteristics - Type 2

Ref	Type 2						
Commerical number	SPL220*	SPL240*	SPL265*	SPL420*	SPL440*	SPL465*	
System voltage	230V	230V	230V	230/400V	230/400V	230/400V	
Replacement catridge (L-N)	SPL020	SPL040	SPL065	SPL020	SPL040	SPL065	
Replacement catridge (N-PE)	SPL040N	SPL040N	SPL065N	SPL040N	SPL040N	SPL065N	
Line system type			TN-S	S/TT			
Protection type	Common Mode/Differential Mode						
Max continuous operating AC voltage (Uc)			350	Vac			
Voltage protection level (Up)	1.3kV	1.5kV	1.9kV	1.3kV	1.5kV	1.9kV	
MAX backup overcurrent protection (fuse)	40A gL/gG	80A gL/gG	125A gL/gG	40A gL/gG	80A gL/gG	125A gL/gG	
MAX backup overcurrent protection (MCB)	32A Type C	32A Type C	63A Type C	32A Type C	32A Type C	63A Type C	
Short circuit withstand capability Isccr	25kA	25kA	25kA	25kA	25kA	25kA	
Response time	L-N ≤ 25ns N-PE ≤ 100ns						
Normal discharge current (8/20u) L-N	10kA	20kA	35kA	3 x 10kA	3 x 20kA	3 x 35kA	
Normal discharge current (8/20u) N-PE	20kA	40kA	65kA	20kA	40kA	65kA	
Lighting impluse current (10/350us) limp L-N	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Lighting impluse current (10/350us) limp N-PE	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Max discharge current Imax	20kA	40kA	65kA	20kA	40kA	65kA	
Operating temperature			-40°C	- 85°C			
Operating state/Fault indication			Green (good) /	Red (replace)			
Conductor connection capacity	Min 4mm² Max 35 mm²						
Number of modules	2	2	2	4	4	4	
Single phase	Υ	Y	Υ	-	-	-	
Three phase	-	-	-	Υ	Y	Υ	
Mounting	35mm DIN rail according to IEC 60715						
Enclosure material (Flame Retardant)	UL94V-0						
L-N	1	1	1	3	3	3	
N-PE	1	1	1	1	1	1	
IP rating	IP20						
Humidity	5% - 95%						
Dimension (mm)	L90 x W36 x H66.6 L99.5 x W36 x H66.6 (*R) L99.5 x W36 x H66.6 (*R)					6 (*P)	