

Surge Current Generators PG **-***

Waveform 8/20 µs

Surge current:

40 kA - 100 kA

The surge current generators PG **-*** generate standard impulse currents with waveform 8/20 µs according to IEC, EN, VDE. Pulse current output amplitude is controlled by preset charging voltage and can be adjusted up to the maximum value of the special type of generator. The generators are designed for testing electrical components, overvoltage protectors and electronic circuits. They possess an electronically regulated high-voltage which allows excellent power supply, an reproducibility of the pulse output amplitude.

The pulse-forming network contains a pulse-fidelity current viewing resistor for monitoring the output waveform. The impulse current output is located at the top of the equipment and provides high-current connectors for a plug-in test adapter.

All generators feature a microprocessor controlled user interface and display unit for ease of use. The microprocessor allows the user to either execute



standard test routines, or a 'user defined' test sequence. The test parameters, which are shown on the built in display, are easily adjusted by means of the rotary encoder. A standard parallel interface provides the ability to print a summary of the test parameters whilst testing is being carried out.



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Technical specification:

Mainframe:

Micro-processor controlled LCD display	8*40 characters
Remote control via optically isolated computer interface	5 m fibre optic cable
Parallel printer interface for on-line documentation	25-way 'D' connector
External Trigger input	10 V at 1 kΩ
External Trigger output	10 V at 1 kΩ
Connector for external safety interlock loop	24 V =
and external red and green warning lamps acc. to VDE 0104	230 V, 60W
Mains power	230 V, 50/60 Hz

OPTION 1: Remote control PC Software Incl. 5 m long fibre optic cable and USB-PC Interface.

- **OPTION 2:** Test chamber on top, build in 19" rack, with security glass door, safety interlock protects the high-voltage output terminals. Upon opening of the door, switching-off of the generator or mains blackout a built-in high-voltage grounding switch, discharges the test object and the internal energy storage capacitor. Test space ca. W*H*D 470*530*490 mm³
- **OPTION 3:** Current impulse triggering synchronization 0-360° to the zero crossing of the sinusoidal mains voltage, phase angle in steps of 1°. Mains power (E.U.T. power supply) 400Veff / 50Hz Without decoupling from HV – power supply.
- **OPTION 4:** Galvanic isolated measurement of current impulse with a Pierson coil.
- **OPTION 5:** Polycarbonate security door with solid hinges and fasteners made of stainless steel.

Different types with output currents 40 kA up to 100 kA are available

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Technical Specifications:

Surge Current Generator

Peak value of charging voltage, adjustable Max. stored energy Charging time for max. charging voltage

Waveform of impulse output current acc. to IEC 60-2 Impulse output current, adjustable via charging voltage Output pulse polarity, switchable HV output: high current terminals on the top of the equipment Current viewing resistor, built-in Max. pulse repetition rate

Dimensions: 19"-cabinet W * H * D Weight

Surge Current Generator

PG 12-3600

0 - 12 000 V, ± 2% 3600 Ws < 60 sec

8 / 20 µs ± 20 % **2 - 40 kA** ± 5 % POS/NEG/ALT

0.5 mΩ, 10 MHz 1/60 sec

ca. 553*1600*600 mm³ 95 kg

PG 12-5000

Peak value of charging voltage, adjustable, Max. stored energy Charging time for max. charging voltage

Waveform of impulse output current acc. to IEC 60-2 Impulse output current, adjustable via charging voltage Output pulse polarity, switchable HV output: high current terminals on the top of the equipment Current viewing resistor, built-in Max. pulse repetition rate

Dimensions: 19"-cabinet W * H * D Weight 0 - 12 500 V, ± 2% 5000 Ws < 60 sec

8 / 20 µs ± 20 % **2 - 50 kA** ± 5 % POS/NEG/ALT

0.5 mΩ, 10 MHz 1/60 sec

ca. 553*1600*600 mm³ 95 kg



Surge Current Generator

Peak value of charging voltage, adjustable, Max. stored energy Charging time for max. charging voltage

Waveform of impulse output current Impulse output current, adjustable via charging voltage Output pulse polarity, switchable Current viewing resistor, built-in Max. pulse repetition rate

Dimensions: 19"-cabinet W * H * D Weight

PG 15-5600

0 - 15 kV, ± 2% 5600 Ws < 90 sec

8 / 20 μ s ± 20 % **2 - 50 kA** ± 5 % POS/NEG/ALT 0.5 mΩ, 10 MHz 1/100 sec

ca. 553*1600*600 mm³ 165 kg

Surge Current Generator

Peak value of charging voltage, adjustable, Max. stored energy Charging time for max. charging voltage

Waveform of impulse output current acc. to IEC 60-2 Impulse output current, adjustable via charging voltage Output pulse polarity, switchable HV output: high current terminals on the top of the equipment Current viewing resistor, built-in Max. pulse repetition rate

Dimensions: 19"-cabinet Weight W * H * D

PG 15-6600

0 - 15 kV, ± 2% 6600 Ws < 90 sec

8 / 20 µs ± 20 % **2 - 70 kA** ± 5 % POS/NEG/ALT

0.5 mΩ, 10 MHz 1/120 sec

ca. 553*1200*600 mm³ 165 kg





Surge Current Generator

Peak value of charging voltage, adjustable, Max. stored energy Charging time for max. charging voltage Waveform of impulse output current Impulse output current, adjustable via charging voltage Output pulse polarity, switchable Current viewing resistor, built-in Max. pulse repetition rate Dimensions: 19"-cabinet W * H * D Weight

PG 20-14000

0 - 20 kV, \pm 2% 14000 Ws < 120 sec 8 / 20 µs \pm 20 % **2 - 100 kA** \pm 10 % POS/NEG 0.25 mΩ, 10 MHz 1/120 sec ca. 553*2000*600 mm³ 265 kg

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Surge Current Generator

Charging voltage adjustable Max. stored energy Charging time for max. charging voltage

Waveform of impulse output current acc. to IEC 60 - 2 Impulse output current, adjustable via charging voltage Output pulse polarity, fixed Surge current output terminal Current viewing resistor, built-in Max. pulse repetition rate PG 30-12 500

0.2 - 30 kV ± 2 % 12 500 Ws < 120 sec

8/20 μs ±20 % **1 - 60 kA** ±10 % NEG high current plug 0.25 mΩ, 10 MHz 1/120 sec

Dimensions: : rack

ca. 1000*1100*600 mm³



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