# Trafox Superintend®



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Health IMD Insulation Monitoring device

## Line Insulation Monitoring System



- NEW FEATURE! Modbus/TCP interface for remote monitoring and controlling!
- Visual user interface and easy installation
- Automatic recognition of the network impedance and capacitance (subharmonic distortion)
- Load and temperature monitoring of the isolation transformer and a potential free alarm contact
- Optional remote modules for insulation and transformer monitoring
- Possibility of connecting PE conductor monitoring units
- Removable microSD memory card for analyzing the usage history and fault events

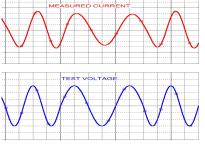
#### INSULATION RESISTANCE MEASUREMENT PRINCIPLE WITH 2 FREQUENCIES SHAPED LIKE SINE WAVES

#### Basics of the operation:

Device supplies continuously test signal pattern of two sinusoidal voltages to the insulated supply system. This signal causes a small injected current which flows through the insulation resistance and capacitance back to the PE- potential. The current amplitudes and phase angles of the both frequencies are measured and thereafter analyzed by using statistical analyses, and the resistance and capacitance values are calculated by using very ordinary electrical circuit theory and complex math. Depending on the resistance and the capacitance the frequencies are automatically adjusted for the best accuracy and response time. In the case of subharmonic

noise in the power supply system due to motor drives, the lowpass filters and test frequencies, among other things, are automatically adjusted.

This kind of test system functions in all kinds of power supply systems from pure DC to AC and fulfill the response times of IEC 61557-8. The lowest limit for AC- frequency / amplitude in the power supply system is specified in the data sheets of the device. This measuring method is good in cases where high capacitance and resistance exist at the same time in the power supply system insulation because there is no need to wait for the current to decrease as with pulse voltage measurement method. One additional feature of this



Typical wave forms above. method is the real capacitance value display. The capacitance value is rather high nowadays because of large amounts of different kinds of switch mode power supplies connected in office environments or similar.

Practically every to the mains-connected device has an internal switch mode power supply having a radio interference filter with PE- connected capacitors from 1nF to 50nF. This insulation monitor device keeps log files of capacitance and resistance changes among other things in a microSD memory card. In case of trouble this log can be examined backwards to find the time stamp when a significant change has taken place in the resistance or capacitance. The changes or events in the power supply system can be tracked accordingly to those date and time.

#### Power supply specifications

Nominal Input voltage	110-240 VAC, 110-300 VDC (Schurter 0001.2503 (T800mA))
Nominal input current	0.04 A at 230 VAC
Line frequency	48 ~ 62 Hz

#### Measurement specification

Resistance measurement range $20kΩ5MΩ$ (47kΩ2.2MΩ with better than 15% accuracy)	h
Capacitance measurement range 220nF100uF	
System frequency DC, 10Hz - 500Hz	
Measuring impedance 220kOhm	
Test voltage 25Vp max	

#### Three alarm contacts with settable limits (potential free changeover)

Alarm contact	5A at 250VAC
Pre-alarm contact	5A at 250VAC
Transformer alarm contact	5A at 250VAC

#### Other functions

Remote units for insulation and transformer monitoring	max 32 remote units total
RS-485 serial connection for remote units	

Modbus/TCP interface for remote monitoring and controlling

-40...+125 °C (with external NTC Transformer temperature

or PT100) monitoring

With external current sense Transformer current

measurement transformer

PE conductor monitoring With monitoring unit PEC-01 Memory logging with microSD card slot

0...20 mA, with current loop Analog output of resistance

transmitter CLT-01 measurement

Easy and explanatory user LEDs and backlit LCD display interface

Surveillance of the connections to the system to be

monitored and earth

Self-testing automatic Continuous With TEST button Self-testing immediate

#### **Standards**

Measurements	IEC 61557-8:2014
Safety	IEC 61010-1:2010 (3 <sup>rd</sup> Edition) SGS Tüv SAAR type approved
EMC	IEC 61326-2-4, CISPR 11 / EN55011, IEC61000-4-2, IEC61000-4-3, IEC61000-4-4, IEC61000-4-5, IEC61000-4-6, IEC61000-4-8, IEC61000-4-11 Tested / approved by Nemko

#### General

Dimension (W x L x D)	160 x 110 x 62 mm
Weight	0,35 kg
Case Material	Plastic
Mounting interface	DIN rail clamp



#### **ACCESSORIES**

Remote module for insulation monitoring IC-01 Remote module for transformer monitoring TC-01 PE conductor continuity monitoring unit PEC-01 Current loop transmitter CLT-01

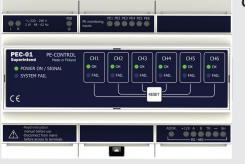




TC-01



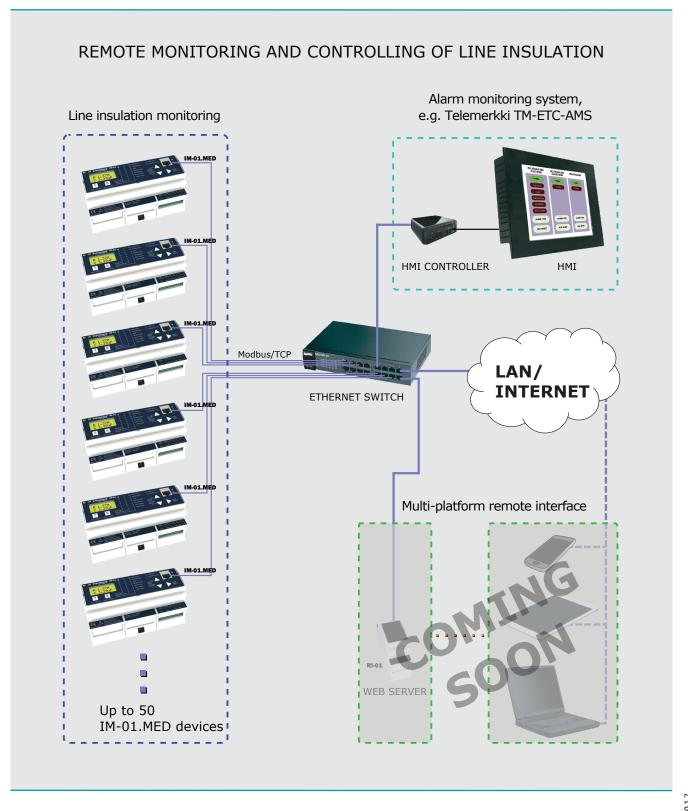
PEC-01



CLT-01







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