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Regulations on lightning protection and grounding of wind power in communication base stations



Overview

How should a lightning protection System (RBS) be formed?

The earthing network of an RBS should be formed by a ring loop surrounding the tower, equipment room and fence, at a minimum. The mean radius r_e of this ring loop should be not less than l_1 , as indicated in Figure 1 and this value depends on the lightning protection system (LPS) class and on the soil resistivity.

Does BS 6651 apply to lightning protection earthing?

BS 6651 was quite clear in its methodology statement relating to the testing of the lightning protection earthing system surrounding a building. Unfortunately, in BS EN 62305-3 clause E.7.2.4, we believe this to be somewhat vague in its intent.

How should a lightning protection system (LPS) be connected?

These individual elements of an LPS should be connected together using appropriate lightning protection components (LPC) complying with BS EN 50164 or IEC 62561 series. This will ensure that in the event of a lightning current discharge to the structure, the correct design and choice of components will minimize any potential damage.

How can a lightning strike be prevented?

A direct lightning strike must be prevented if at all possible. This can typically be achieved by ensuring that external equipment is within a zone of protection and where necessary is bonded to the structural lightning protection.

What is a lightning protection system?

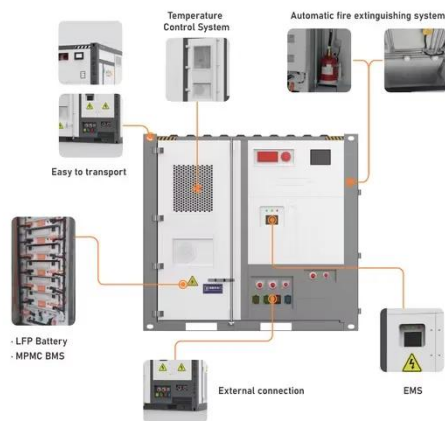
Electrical discharge due to lightning, which causes physical damage in the structure to be protected. Part of an external Lightning Protection System which is intended to conduct lightning current from the air termination system

to the earth termination system. Lightning flash initiated by a downward leader from cloud to earth.

How do you protect a building from lightning?

This can typically be achieved by ensuring that external equipment is within a zone of protection and where necessary is bonded to the structural lightning protection. For example CCTV cameras should be safely positioned within the zone of protection provided by the structure's lightning protection.

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