

<i>PEARL Reconditioning Standards</i>			
<i>INSTANTANEOUS OVERCURRENT RELAYS ELECTROMAGNETIC ATTRACTION</i>	<i>PROPOSED STANDARD</i>		
	<i>Standard</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Date</i>
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This standard is designed to verify that an instantaneous overcurrent relay based on the electromagnetic attraction principal is in a safe and reliable operating condition. In the event that the relay is not in this condition then this standard will establish the reconditioning requirements. The term "reconditioning" is defined as "the process of returning electrical equipment to safe and reliable operating condition based upon the design of the original manufacturer at the time of manufacturing."

REFERENCES

The following references are use in this standard. Each of these references can be found in their respective listed locations.

Table References: Section 6000

- Table 2 Insulation resistance and test values for electrical apparatus.
- Table 11 Insulation resistance and test temperature conversion to 20°C values.

I TEST EQUIPMENT

The following test equipment is required to perform the testing requirements of this reconditioning standard:

1. Insulation Resistance Test Set (Megohmmeter) 500 Vdc minimum
2. Multimeter
3. AC Current Supply with means of timing

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II RECONDITION EVALUATION

These steps are used to determine what will be required to recondition this product under this standard.

1 INSPECTION

1.1 General

- 1.1.1 Ensure that the nameplate data is legible.
- 1.1.2 Ensure that the third party listing service label is legible.
- 1.1.3 Inspect cover for cracks
- 1.1.4 Record results on an approved PEARL Evaluation Form.

1.2 Coils

- 1.2.1 Inspect for signs of overheating.
- 1.2.2 Inspect for signs of contamination.
- 1.2.3 Inspect terminals for signs of corrosion.
- 1.2.4 Record results on an approved PEARL Evaluation Form.

1.3 Wiring

- 1.3.1 Inspect signs of overheating.
- 1.3.2 Inspect for signs of contamination.
- 1.3.3 Record results on an approved PEARL Evaluation Form.

1.4 Relay Terminals

- 1.4.1 Inspect for missing screws
- 1.4.2 Check for stripped screws
- 1.4.3 Inspect for signs of overheating.
- 1.4.4 Inspect for signs of contamination.
- 1.4.5 Inspect for signs of corrosion.
- 1.4.6 Record results on an approved PEARL Evaluation Form.

2 TESTING

2.1 Contact Transfer

- 2.1.1 Set relay to minimum current setting
- 2.1.2 Using a multimeter verify each contact state (NO or NC)
- 2.1.3 Apply rated current to operating coil
- 2.1.4 Using a multimeter verify the transfer of each contact
- 2.1.5 Remove rated current
- 2.1.6 Record results on an approved PEARL Evaluation Form.

2.2 Pickup Current – Minimum Scale Setting

- 2.2.1 Increase current until relay pickup is achieved.
- 2.2.2 Record as Pickup Current – Minimum Scale Setting.
- 2.2.3 Remove current
- 2.2.4 Compare test value for Pickup Current – Minimum Scale Setting with manufacturers tolerance for relay pickup or +/- 10 % of scale setting.
- 2.2.5 Record results on an approved PEARL Evaluation Form.

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- 2.4 Instantaneous Operation Verification**
 - 2.4.1** Set. relay to minimum scale setting
 - 2.4.2** Set test current to 2 times scale setting
 - 2.4.3** Connect timing circuit to relay
 - 2.4.4** Apply test current to relay
 - 2.4.5** Remove current if test set failed to deenergized
 - 2.4.6** Compare time of operation with manufacturer specification for relay pickup time or 100 milliseconds or less.
 - 2.4.7** Record results on an approved PEARL Evaluation Form.
- 2.5 Insulation Resistance**
 - 2.5.1** Perform an insulation resistance test at test voltage specified by manufacturer or using a 500-volt dc megohmmeter.
 - 2.5.1.1** Relay De-energized
 - 2.5.1.1.1** Test across each contact
 - 2.5.1.1.2** Test between contacts on the line side
 - 2.5.1.1.3** Test between contacts on the load side
 - 2.5.1.2** Relay Energized
 - 2.5.1.2.1** Test between contacts
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 - 2.5.3** Compare test results to manufacturer's recommendations or a minimum of 1 megohm.

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III RECONDITIONING PROCEDURES

The following procedures are in a recommended order and are required to recondition this product. PEARL recognizes that, based on actual product design and as found condition, some of these procedures may not be applicable. The testing requirement must be completed before the product can be labeled as a PEARL reconditioned product.

1 RECONDITIONING

1.1 Exterior

1.1.1 Clean all surfaces to remove any:

1.1.1.1 Dirt

1.1.1.2 Contamination

1.1.1.3 Corrosion.

1.1.1.4 Rust

1.1.1.5 Record results on an approved PEARL Reconditioning Test Form.

1.2. Missing or Defective Components, Parts and Hardware

1.2.1 Replace or repair any missing or defective components, parts and hardware found during the inspection phase of this standard.

1.2.2 Replace any defective contact or contact assembly

1.2.3 Record results on an approved PEARL Reconditioning Test Form.

1.3 Final Assembly

1.3.1 Ensure that the nameplate/label data is complete, correct and legible.

1.3.2 Record results on an approved PEARL Reconditioning Test Form.

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 - 2.5.3** Compare test results to manufacturer's recommendations or a minimum of 1 megohm.
 - 2.5.4** The test results must be within the guidelines recommended in order for the product to become a PEARL labeled product.

IV PEARL CERTIFICATION

This product has now been reconditioned under the PEARL Reconditioning Standard. The blue PEARL Reconditioning Quality Seal may now be placed on the device or its packaging.