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Signalöverföring i lågspänningsinstallationer i frekvensområdet 3 kHz till 148,5 kHz – Del 4-1: Avkopplingsfilter för lågspänning – Artspecifikation

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in the frequency range 3 kHz to 148,5 kHz –
Part 4-1: Low voltage decoupling filters –
Generic specification*

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Transmission de signaux sur les réseaux
électriques basse tension dans la bande
de fréquences de 3 kHz à 148,5 kHz
Partie 4-1: Filtres basse tension de
découplage - Spécification générique

Signalübertragung auf elektrischen
Niederspannungsnetzen im
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Teil 4-1: Niederspannungs-
Entkopplungsfilter -
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In this standard, annexes A and B are informative.

EN 50065 consists of the following parts, under the general title: Signalling on low voltage electrical installations in the frequency range 3 kHz to 148,5 kHz

Part 1	General requirements, frequency bands and electromagnetic disturbances
Part 2-1	Immunity requirements for mains communications equipment and systems operating in the range of frequencies 95 kHz to 148,5 kHz and intended for use in residential, commercial and light industrial environments
Part 2-2	Immunity requirements for mains communications equipment and systems operating in the range of frequencies 95 kHz to 148,5 kHz and intended for use in industrial environments
Part 2-3	Immunity requirements for mains communications equipment and systems operating in the range of frequencies 3 kHz to 95 kHz and intended for use by electricity suppliers and distributors
Part 4-1	Low voltage decoupling filters – Generic specification
Part 4-2	Low voltage decoupling filters – Safety requirements
Part 4-3	Low voltage decoupling filters – Incoming filter
Part 4-4	Low voltage decoupling filters – Impedance filter
Part 4-5	Low voltage decoupling filters – Segmentation filter
Part 4-6	Low voltage decoupling filters – Phase coupler
Part 7	Equipment impedance

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Introduction

Electrical networks, in spite of being a difficult medium for data communication due to signal attenuation, noise level and coupling side impedance, are considered as a potentially important transmission medium for supporting Distribution Automation and Home and Building Electronic Systems (HBES).

In order to avoid unwanted interference among mains communication equipment transmitting on low voltage networks, a suitable device called "decoupling filter" may be installed either on the public supply network or within installations in consumers' premises.

Decoupling filter is a generic name given, for example, to incoming filter, impedance filter, segmentation filter.

This decoupling filter may be incorporated in a more complex device where optional coupling functions are included (ref. Figure 1) according to signal propagation methods described in the informative annex A.

The decoupling filter may be used:

- a) to limit the transmission area of wanted signals to the area in which the mains communication system operates.
- b) to reduce unwanted signals coming from the other side of the mains port.
- c) to allow simultaneous communication on both sides of the filter.
- d) to set a suitable impedance to the mains power ports at the signalling frequency.
- e) to provide a return path for the signal when needed (e.g. common mode propagation).

A decoupling filter may perform all the functions listed above or some of them.

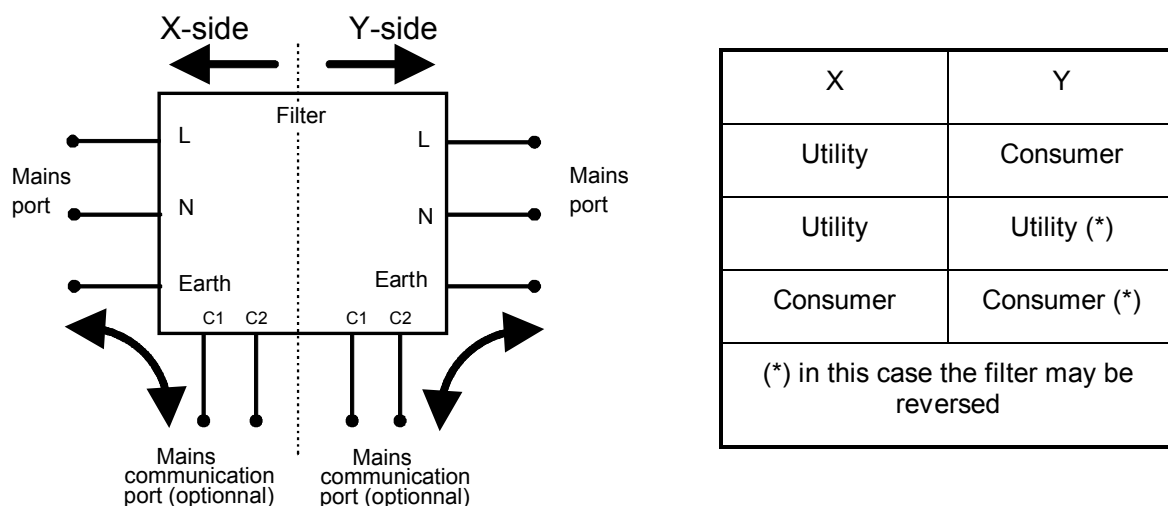


Figure 1 - Filter combined with other functions

1 Scope

This standard applies to decoupling filters installed on the low voltage mains network and operating in the frequency range 3 kHz to 148,5 kHz on low voltage mains network.

It does not apply to general purpose filters for EMI suppression.

It does not apply to protocol dependant devices except physical layer (frequency).

It does not apply to filters incorporated in household equipment for example: washing machines and coffee machines.

It specifies the impedance and the transfer function definitions, requirements and test methods of the decoupling filter and some other requirements for example Voltage Drop, Leakage Current and Form Factor.

The impedance and the transfer function are referred to the decoupling filter mains power ports (ref. Figure 1).

The use of the decoupling filter is considered optional; additional rules or obligations may exist that are outside the scope of this standard.

The safety requirements related to decoupling filters are not covered in this standard. They are covered in an other part of the EN 50065 set of standards

2 Normative references

This European Standard incorporates by dated or undated reference, provisions from other publications. These normative references are cited at the appropriate places in the text and the publications are listed hereafter. For dated references, subsequent amendments to or revisions of any of these publications apply to this European Standard only when incorporated in it by amendment or revision. For undated references the latest edition of the publication referred to applies (including amendments).

EN 50065-1	Signalling on low-voltage electrical installations in the frequency range 3 kHz to 148,5 kHz -- Part 1: General requirements, frequency bands and electromagnetic disturbances
EN 50065-4-2	Signalling on low voltage electrical installations in the frequency range 3 kHz to 148,5 kHz -- Part 4-2: Low voltage decoupling filters - Safety requirements
EN 60068-2-27	Basic environmental testing procedures -- Part 2: Tests - Test Ea and guidance: Shock (IEC 60068-2-27)
EN 60417-1	Graphical symbols for use on equipment -- Part 1: Overview and application (IEC 60417-1)
EN 60417-2	Graphical symbols for use on equipment -- Part 2: Symbol originals (IEC 60417-2)
EN 60617	Graphical symbols for diagrams (IEC 60617 series)