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## **Komponenter i åskskyddsanläggningar – Del 2: Ledare och jordelektroder**

*Lightning protection system components (LPSC) –  
Part 2: Requirements for conductors and earth electrodes*

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## INTRODUCTION

This part of IEC 62561 deals with the requirements and tests for lightning protection system components (LPSC) used for the installation of a lightning protection system (LPS) designed and implemented according to the IEC 62305 series of standards.

## LIGHTNING PROTECTION SYSTEM COMPONENTS (LPSC) –

### Part 2: Requirements for conductors and earth electrodes

#### 1 Scope

This part of IEC 62561 specifies the requirements and tests for:

- metallic conductors (other than “natural” conductors) that form part of the air termination system and down conductors;
- metallic earth electrodes that form part of the earth termination system.

#### 2 Normative references

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