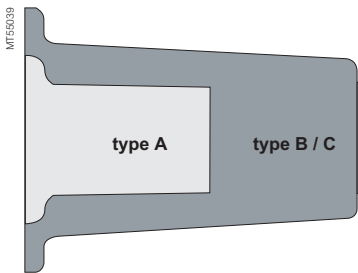


Cable connection

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Selecting bushings and connectors

- The profiles, contacts and dimensions of the RM6 connection interfaces are defined by the IEC 60137 standard.
- 100% of the epoxy resin interfaces undergo dielectric testing at power frequency and partial discharge tests.
- An insulated connector must be used in order to guarantee the dielectric performance over time. Schneider Electric recommends using nkt connectors.



Types of connection interface

Appropriateness for use

The bushings carry the electrical current from the outside to the inside of the enclosure, which is filled with SF6 gas, ensuring insulation between the live conductors and the frame.

There are 3 types of bushing, which are defined by their short-time withstand current:

- Type A: 200 A: 12.5 kA 1 s and 31.5 kA peak (plug-in)
- Type B: 400 A: 16 kA 1 s and 40 kA peak (plug-in)
- Type C: 630 A: 25 kA 1 s, 21 kA 3 s and 62.5 kA peak (disconnectable M16).

How to define the connection interface

The connection interfaces depend on specific criteria, such as:

Installation

- Current rating of the connected equipment: 200, 400, 630 A
- Short-time withstand current for 12.5 kA, 16 kA, 25 kA switch and circuit breaker functions
- For the fuse-switch combination function, as the short-circuit current is limited by the fuse, the connection interface will be of type A (200 A)
- Minimum phase expansion length
- Connection type:
 - plug in: multicontact ring
 - disconnectable: bolted.
- Output position: straight, elbow.

Cable

- Specified voltage:
 - of the cable
 - of the network.
- Type of conductor:
 - aluminium
 - copper.
- Cross section in mm²
- insulation diameter
- Cable composition:
 - single-core
 - 3-core.
- Insulation type:
 - dry
 - paper impregnated (non-draining type).
- Type of screen
- Armature.

This information must be specified for better definition of the connection interfaces.

Type A bushing

Directed field plug-in connector
Dry single-core cable

Performance	Connection	Supplier	Reference	Cross section	Remarks
7.2 to 10 kV 200 A -95 kV impulse	Plug-in	Elastimold	158LR	16 to 120	T-shaped elbow
		Elastimold	151SR	16 to 120	Straight, Q function only
		Prysmian	FMCE 250	16 to 95	
7.2 to 17.5 kV 200 A -95 kV impulse	Plug-in	nkt cables GmbH	EASW 12/250 A	25 to 95	Shaped elbow
		nkt cables GmbH	EASG 12/250 A	25 to 95	Straight
		Tycoelectronics	RSES-52xx	25 to 120	Shaped elbow
		Tycoelectronics	RSSS-52xx	25 to 95	Straight connection
7.2 to 24 kV 200 A -125 kV impulse	Plug-in	Elastimold	K158LR	16 to 95	T-shaped elbow
24 kV 200 A -125 kV impulse	Plug-in	nkt cables GmbH	EASW 20/250 A	25 to 95	Shaped elbow
		nkt cables GmbH	EASG 20/250 A	25 to 95	Straight
		Tycoelectronics	RSES-52xx	25 to 120	Shaped elbow
		Tycoelectronics	RSSS-52xx	25 to 95	Straight connection

Type A/M8 bushing

Non-directed field disconnectable connector (*)
Dry single and 3-core cable

Performance	Connection	Supplier	Reference	Cross section	Remarks
7.2 to 17.5 kV 200 A -95 kV impulse	Heat shrinkable	Tycoelectronics	EPKT + EAKT + RSRB	16 to 150	
	Insulating boots	Kabeldon	KAP70	70 max.	

(*) 520 mm plinth must be used

Type B bushing

Directed field plug-in connector
Dry single-core cable

Performance	Connection	Supplier	Reference	Cross section	Remarks
7.2 to 10 kV 400 A-95 kV impulse	Plug-in	Elastimold	400 LR	70 to 240	Limited to Us = 10 kV
7.2 to 17.5 kV 400 A-95 kV impulse	Plug-in	nkt cables GmbH	CE 12-400	25 to 300	
		Tycoelectronics	RSES-54xx	25 to 300	Shaped elbow
24 kV 400 A-125 kV impulse	Plug-in	Prysmian	FMCE 400	70 to 300	
		Elastimold	K400LR	35 to 240	
		Kabeldon	SOC 630	50 to 300	
		nkt cables GmbH	CE 24-400	25 to 300	
		Tycoelectronics	RSES-54xx	25 to 300	Shaped elbow

For cross section > 300 mm², please consult us.

Type C bushing

Directed field disconnectable connector
Dry single-core cable

Performance	Connection	Supplier	Reference	Cross section	Remarks
7.2 to 10 kV 630 A-95 kV impulse	Disconnectable	Elastimold	440 TB	70 to 240	
7.2 to 17.5 kV 630 A-95 kV impulse	Disconnectable	nkt cables GmbH	CB 12-630	25 to 300	"T"-shaped connector
		Tycoelectronics	RSTI-58xx	25 to 300	
7.2 to 24 kV 630 A-125 kV impulse	Disconnectable	Prysmian	FMCTs 400	70 to 300	
		Elastimold	K400TB	35 to 240	
		Kabeldon	SOC 630	50 to 300	
24 kV 630 A-125 kV impulse	Disconnectable	nkt cables GmbH	CB 24-630	25 to 300	"T"-shaped connector
		Tycoelectronics	RSTI-58xx	25 to 300	

Non-directed field disconnectable connector
Dry single and three-core cable

Performance	Connection	Supplier	Reference	Cross section	Remarks
7.2 to 10 kV 630 A -95 kV impulse	Heat shrinkable	Tycoelectronics	EPKT + EAKT + RSRB	16 to 300	
		Sigmaform	Q-CAP	16 to 300	
	Insulating boots	Kabeldon	SOC 630	50 to 300	
	Simplified disconnectable	Tycoelectronics	RICS + EPKT	25 to 300	
		Euromold	15TS-NSS	50 to 300	
24 kV 630 A -125 kV impulse	Disconnectable	nkt cables GmbH	AB 12-630	25 to 300 (+ATS)	For 3-core cable
	Simplified disconnectable	Tycoelectronics	RICS + EPKT	25 to 300	

Non-directed field disconnectable connector
Single-core cable, paper impregnated, non-draining type

Performance	Connection	Supplier	Reference	Cross section	Remarks
7.2 to 17.5 kV 630 A-95 kV impulse	Insulating boots	Kabeldon	SOC	25 to 300	
	Simplified disconnectable	Tycoelectronics	RICS - EPKT	25 to 300	
	Heat shrinkable	Tycoelectronics	EPKT+EAKT+RSRB	95 to 300	
24 kV 630 A-125 kV impulse	Simplified disconnectable	Tycoelectronics	RICS - EPKT	25 to 300	

Non-directed field disconnectable connector
Three-core cable, paper impregnated, non-draining type

Performance	Connection	Supplier	Reference	Cross section	Remarks
7.2 to 17.5 kV 630 A-95 kV impulse	Insulating boots	Kabeldon	SOC 630	25 to 300	
	Simplified disconnectable	Tycoelectronics	RICS - EPKT	25 to 300	
	Heat shrinkable	Tycoelectronics	EPKT+EAKT+RSRB	16 to 300	
24 kV 630 A-125 kV impulse	Simplified disconnectable	Tycoelectronics	RICS - EPKT	25 to 300	

For cross section > 300 mm², please consult us.

Other types of compatible connections

Connectors with lightning arrestors

Disconnectable connector
Single-core dry cable and lightning arrestor

Performance	Connection	Supplier	Reference	Cross section	Remarks
7.2 to 17.5 kV 630 A-95 kV impulse	Disconnectable	nkt cables GmbH	AB 12-630 + ASA12 (5 or 10 kA)	25 to 300	Non-directed field
			CB 24-630 + CSA 24 (5 or 10 kA)	25 to 300	Directed field
24 kV 630 A-125 kV impulse	Disconnectable	nkt cables GmbH	AB 12-630 + ASA12 (5 or 10 kA)	25 to 300	Non-directed field
			CB 24-630 + CSA 24 (5 or 10 kA)	25 to 300	Directed field
7.2 to 17.5 kV 630 A-95 kV impulse	Disconnectable	Tycoelectronics	RICS+EPKT RDA 12 or 18	25 to 300	
		Elastimold	K400TB + K400RTPA + K156SA	35 to 300	Enlarged cable box
24 kV 630 A-125 kV impulse	Disconnectable	Tycoelectronics	RICS + EPKT RDA 24	25 to 300	Enlarged cable box
		Elastimold	K440TB + K400RTPA + K156SA	35 to 300	Enlarged cable box
		Tycoelectronics	RSTI-58 + RSTI-CC-58SAxx05	25 to 300	Directed field 5 kA arrestor
		Tycoelectronics	RSTI-58 + RSTI-CC- 66SAxx10M16	25 to 300	Directed field 10 kA arrestor

For cross section > 300 mm², please consult us.