

USENS-T: UHF PARTIAL DISCHARGE SENSOR



- Highly Sensitive, Wide band, UHF PD Sensors for Transformers
- Rugged design, 100% Leak proof
- Easy to Install, Integrated Transient (Over-voltage) Protection
- High Dielectric, shielded to avoid electromagnetic interface
- Suitable for extreme environment, Outdoor Substation
- Customized according to Transformer tank size & inspection covers

Rugged design, highly sensitive and accurate Partial Discharge sensor for detecting and monitoring partial discharge activity inside Oil Filled and Dry Type Transformers/Reactors.

Product Summary

CIGRE, TB662 and TB 343 recommends to install UHF PD sensors on transformer tank wall for Partial Discharge (PD) activity detection and real time monitoring. Rugged Monitoring has developed the most advanced UHF PD sensor for Transformers, capable of detecting smallest PD activities inside transformer tank.

USENS-T is an Ultra High Frequency (UHF) antenna that is capable of measuring Electromagnetic PD signals from the inside of transformer. The sensors are IP68 rated, easy to install on transformer tank and suitable for all types of Transformers. The sensors can easily be bolted on transformer tank (or inspection cover) directly touching the oil or with dielectric window in-between the sensor and oil. Higher sensitivity (up to -90dBm) over wide range of frequencies (200 - 3000 MHz) helps in reducing the cost of PD monitoring, hence higher ROI (Return on Investment).

Rugged Monitoring USENS-T is designed to fit on the transformer tank (or inspection cover) of different types of transformers at all voltage levels. The sensors can also be customized according to customer technical requirements. Sensor's built-in overvoltage protections and N-type connection allows them to be connected with any UHF based PD monitoring system, regardless of manufacturers.

Applications

- Power Transformer PD Testing and Monitoring
- Reactor PD Testing and Monitoring
- Distribution Transformer PD Testing and Monitoring
- Continuous Online Partial Discharge Monitoring
- Periodic Partial Discharge Testing and Measurements
- High Voltage Testing during Commissioning

Benefits

- Higher sensitivity (-90dBm); detect even smallest PD activity
- Wider frequency response, compatible with all PDM systems
- High Dielectric Strength, Safest installation and operation
- Shielded Sensor, Lower Signal-to-Noise Ratio

- Integrated overvoltage protection, for the safety of PDM electronics
- Rugged design, IP68 Protection, Longer life
- 100% leak proof sensor
- Customizable according to the customer requirements

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

UHF Frequency Response 200 - 3000 MHz Sensitivity up to -90 dBm Average Effective Height over 500Mhz – 1500Mhz 25mm+ Min. Effective Height over 500Mhz – 1500Mhz 16mm+ Withstand Voltage up to 1500 kV Output N-Type connector; Customized option available Connector Circuit Impedance 50 Ω Oil Pressure up to 10bar Vacuum Tightness < 0.10 mbar, Leakage rate < 0.0001 mbar/sec Vibration Testing Suitable for HV - GIS and Transformer applications Ingress Protection (IP) IP-68 Ambient (Operating Temperature) -60 °C to +150 °C Storage Temperature -60 °C to +150 °C Operating Humidity 95% humidity at 50 °C Dimensions Customized as per Transformer Flange Design Weight app. 1.5 KG; Customized as per customer requirements / Transformer Design Install Position Transformer Tank, Inspection Cover, Transformer Dielectric Window Signal Cable Very low attenuation UHF (Coax) cable		
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Sensor depth from **ORDERING CODE** Type of Sensor the Flange (in cm) (i.e. D, B, S, P etc.) hh = 01 to 99 cm Sensor Model # Y = 0 to 9U S E N S - T x - B d d - H h h - Y Z **Sensor Connector** 0: N Type (Standard) **UHF Sensor** Hole diameter on 1 : TNC Transformer Tank (in cm) **Transformer** 2 : BNC dd = 01 to 99 cm



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