

ELECTRICAL STUDIES FOR RENEWABLE GENERATION

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To start operations, a renewable generation system that is connected to the National Electric System, it is necessary to carry out evaluation studies of compliance with the Grid Code.



Fig. 1 Renewable Generation Plant

Theoretical Studies

Load flow and power factor, IEEE-399 standard.

 Specification of the equipment required to comply with the power factor requirement.

Power quality, IEEE-519 standard.

 Specification of the equipment required to comply with the power quality requirement.

Short circuit, ANSI and IEC standards.

 Calculation of short-circuit fault levels and evaluation of interrupting capacities of circuit breakers.

Coordination of protections, IEEE-242 standard.

 Evaluation of protection schemes and overcurrent protections coordination study.

High voltage and transmission lines protection

- High voltage protections and transmission lines.
- Calculation of settings for transformer differential protections, voltage and frequency.
- Calculation of settings for directional overcurrent, distance and line differential protections.

Studies of compliance with the Grid Code

Evaluation of the Grid Code from electrical measurements with class A meters for the following variables:

- Voltage.
- Frequency
- Power Factor
- Power quality

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Power quality meter

We use Class A power quality meters. Class A meters record all electrical variables cycle by cycle and can graph in 5-minute format, where the maximum, average and mínimum value of the variable is shown every five minutes of the measured period.



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