

Electrical network protection

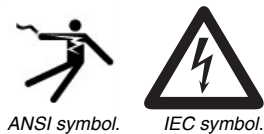
VIP300

User's manual
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Safety instructions

Safety symbols and messages

Read these instructions carefully and look at the equipment to become familiar with the device before trying to install, operate, service or maintain it. The following special messages may appear throughout this bulletin or on the equipment to warn of potential hazards or to call attention to information that clarifies or simplifies a procedure.



Risk of electric shock

The addition of either symbol to a “Danger” or “Warning” safety label on a device indicates that an electrical hazard exists, which will result in death or personal injury if the instructions are not followed.



Safety alert

This is the safety alert symbol. It is used to alert you to potential personal injury hazards and prompt you to consult the manual. Obey all safety instructions that follow this symbol in the manual to avoid possible injury or death.

Safety messages

DANGER

DANGER indicates an imminently hazardous situation which, if not avoided, will result in death, serious injury or property damage.

WARNING

WARNING indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, **could result in** death, serious injury or property damage.

CAUTION

CAUTION indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, **could result in** minor or moderate injury or property damage.

CAUTION

CAUTION, used without the safety alerts symbol, indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, **could result in** property damage.

Important notes

Restricted liability

Electrical equipment should be serviced and maintained only by qualified personnel. No responsibility is assumed by Schneider Electric for any consequences arising out of the use of this manual. This document is not intended as an instruction manual for untrained persons.

Device operation

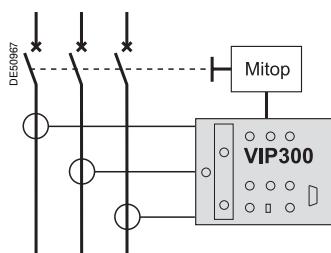
The user is responsible for checking that the rated characteristics of the device are suitable for its application. The user is responsible for reading and following the device's operating and installation instructions before attempting to commission or maintain it. Failure to follow these instructions can affect device operation and constitute a hazard for people and property.

Protective grounding

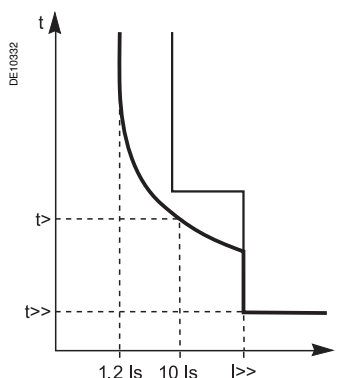
The user is responsible for compliance with all the existing international and national electrical codes concerning protective grounding of any device.

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Simplified wiring diagram.



Phase and earth fault curves.

Self-powered protection relay

The VIP300 relay is designed for use in power distribution systems. It may be used to protect MV/LV transformers, incoming points of industrial installations or branch feeders.

The VIP300 provides protection against phase-to-phase faults and earth faults. The choice of tripping curves and multiple settings make it suitable for use in a wide variety of discrimination schemes.

The VIP300 is a self-powered relay (supplied by current sensors) requiring no auxiliary power supply.

It actuates a Mitop release.

The VIP300 is available in three models:

- VIP300LL and VIP300P, designed for use with RM6, SFset and Evolis 24 kV circuit breakers

- VIP300LL: phase and earth protection

- VIP300P: phase protection only

- VIP300LH, designed for use with Ringmaster circuit breakers: phase and earth protection with an equivalent time multiplier table on the front to convert settings.

Phase protection

The phase protection has two separately adjustable thresholds:

- the low threshold may be of the definite time or IDMT type

- the high threshold is of the definite time type.

The IDMT curves comply with standard IEC 60255-3. They are of the standard inverse, very inverse and extremely inverse types.

The low threshold may also be used with the RI curve.

Earth protection

Earth fault protection is based on residual current measurements using the sum of the sensor secondary currents.

Like phase protection, earth protection has two separately adjustable thresholds.

Equipment description

The VIP300 relay is mounted in an injected polycarbonate casing that protects them against dripping water and dusty environments.

The front is protected by a transparent cover fitted with a sealing gasket. The cover may be lead-sealed to protect access to the settings.

Rotary selector switches are used for setting. The phase and earth fault current settings are set in amperes. This means that the graduations on the front must be adapted to suit the sensor range used. This is done by fitting the appropriate setting label when mounting the relay.

The connection is made on the back of the relay using fast-on type connectors.

Indication

Two indicators show the cause of tripping (phase or earth fault). The indication is maintained even if relay power is cut.

Two LEDs (phase and earth) indicate that the low threshold has been overrun and that the time delay is running.

Sensors for VIP300

To obtain the indicated performance characteristics, VIP300 relays must be used with the specified sensors. The relay/sensor assembly is defined to respect the technical characteristics indicated, in particular:

- operation over the entire range
- response time
- accuracy
- short-circuit thermal withstand.

The three sensors must be of the same type.

Sensors for VIP300LL and VIP300P

- CRa 200/1 and CRb 1250/1 sensors are used on RM6 units (models since 1998).
- CSa 200/1 and CSb 1250/1 sensors are used on SFset circuit breakers. CSa and CSb sensors have the same number of secondary turns as the CRa and CRb sensors respectively.
- CEa 200/1 and CEb 1250/1 sensors are used on 24 kV Evolis integrated circuit breakers (lateral versions).

Sensors for VIP300LH

- 200/1 and 800/1 are used on Ringmaster circuit breakers.

VIP300 sensor input ratings

Each VIP 300 has two input ratings corresponding to two different operating ranges. For this reason, the input transformers have an intermediate tapping point on their primary winding. Each tapping point corresponds to a rating with a different operating range.

Choosing the right sensor

Choose the sensor to be used and the VIP300 connection range in accordance with the desired current setting range.

VIP300LL / VIP300P sensors	Rating	Current setting range
CRa, CSa, CEa 200/1	x 1	10 A - 50 A
	x 4	40 A - 200 A
CRb, CSb, CEb, 1250/1	x 1	63 A - 312 A
	x 4	250 A - 1250 A
VIP300LH sensors	Rating	Current setting range
Ringmaster 200/1	x 2	20 A - 100 A
	x 4	40 A - 200 A
Ringmaster 800/1	x 2	80 A - 400 A
	x 4	160 A - 800 A

For a given operating range, the bottom of the current setting range represents the minimum operating current of the relay. See Minimum operating current page 9.

Phase protection

1. phase overcurrent protection zone
2. threshold overrun indicator
3. phase trip indicator
4. phase current setting I_s
5. choice of low threshold curve type
6. low threshold $I_{>}$
7. low threshold time delay $t_{>}$
8. multiplying factor (low threshold)
9. high threshold $I_{>>}$
10. high threshold time delay $t_{>>}$

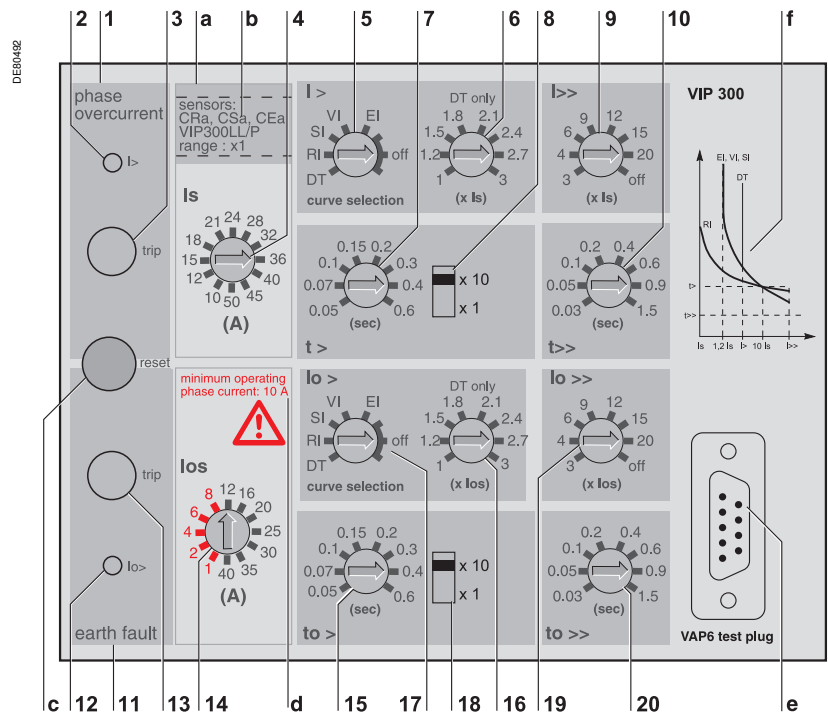
Earth protection

11. earth fault protection zone
12. threshold overrun indicator
13. earth trip indicator
14. earth current setting I_{os}
15. low threshold time delay $t_{>}$
16. low threshold $I_{>}$
17. choice of low threshold curve type
18. multiplying factor (low threshold)
19. high threshold $I_{>>}$
20. high threshold time delay $t_{>>}$

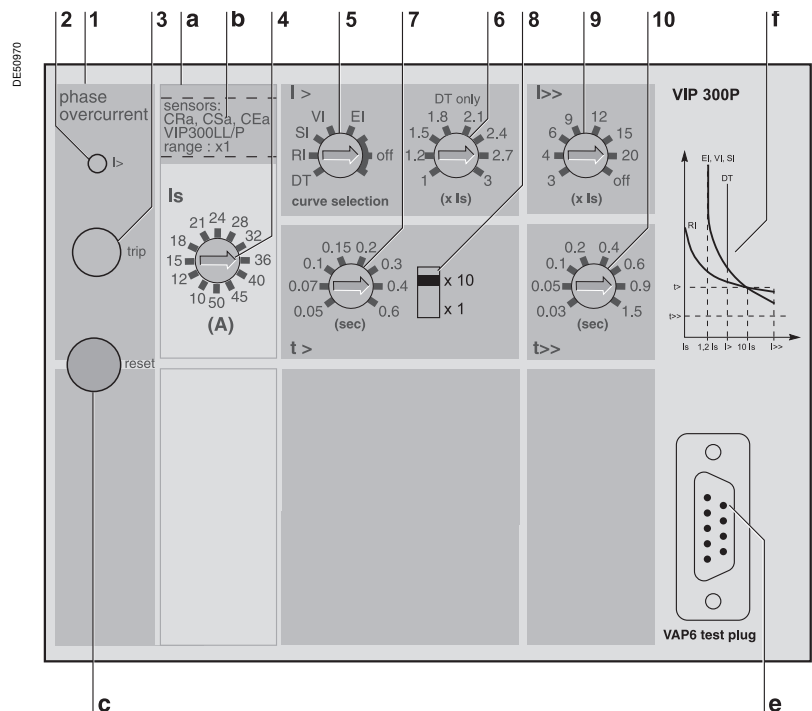
Other functions

- a. setting label
- b. sensor and range information
- c. indicator reset
- d. minimum operating current
- e. VAP6 test plug
- f. VIP300LL: tripping curves

VIP300LH: equivalent time multiplier table for conversions.



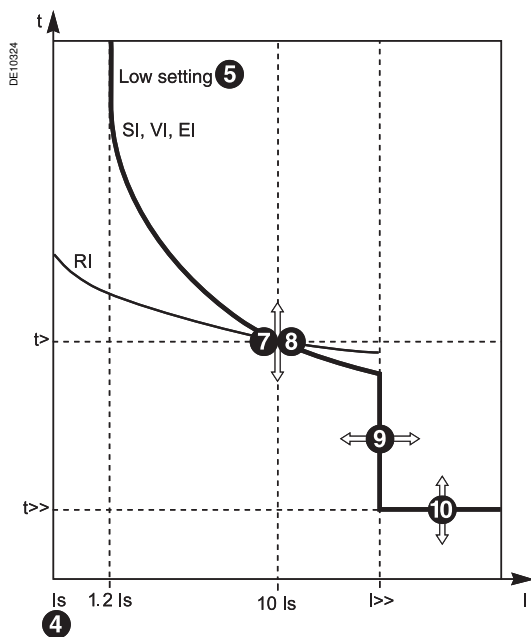
VIP300LL/VIP300LH front panel.



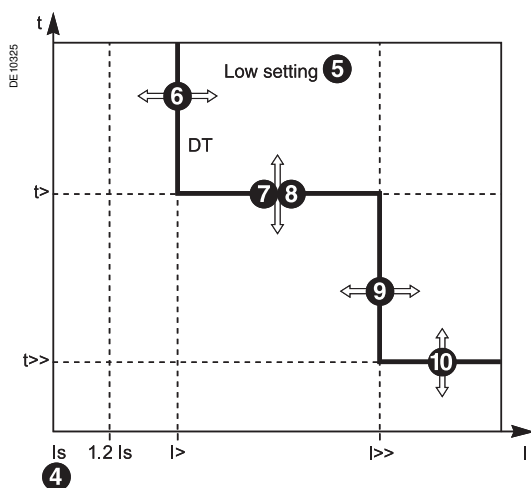
VIP300P front panel.



See also **c**: indicator reset button.



Curve 1: phase setting → IDMT low threshold



Curve 2: phase setting → definite time low threshold

VIP300LL, VIP300LH and VIP300P phase protection

■ 1: phase protection setting zone

The phase protection settings are located in the top half of the front panel.

■ 2: threshold overrun indicator

When the red indicator blinks, the phase protection low threshold time delay is running. When this is the case, if the current does not decrease, the relay will trip. For IDMT curves (SI, VI, EI), the LED lights up when the current is greater than 1.2 times the current setting I_s .

For the IDMT curve (RI), it lights up when the current is greater than the I_s setting. For the definite time curve DT, it lights up when the low threshold is overrun.

■ 3: trip indicator

It is normally black and turns yellow to indicate that the phase protection has given a tripping order. It stays in the same status, even when the relay is no longer energized.

■ 4: choice of current setting I_s

The current setting range depends on the sensor and range used: the selector switch graduations should be adapted to suit the sensor and range using the setting label.

■ 5: choice of type of low threshold curve

- ☐ DT: definite time
- ☐ SI: inverse time
- ☐ VI: very inverse time
- ☐ EI: extremely inverse time
- ☐ RI: specific curve
- ☐ off: low threshold disabled.

■ 6: choice of low threshold $I>$

The threshold is a multiple of the current setting. It is only active for definite time thresholds (selector switch 5 set to DT).

If the tripping curve is selected with IDMT (selector switch 5 set to RI, SI, VI, EI), the selector switch has no effect.

■ 7: setting of low threshold time delay $t>$

If the tripping curve is of the definite time (DT) type, the selector switch sets the low threshold time delay.

If the curve is of the IDMT type (RI, SI, VI, EI), the value displayed is the tripping time for a phase current equal to 10 times the current setting.

■ 8: low threshold time delay multiplying factor

In the x10 position, the time delay displayed on selector switch 7 is multiplied by 10.

■ 9: setting of high threshold $I>>$

The high threshold is chosen as a multiple of the current setting.

In "off" position, the high threshold is disabled.

■ 10: setting of high threshold time delay $t>>$

The time delay is set directly in seconds.

Phase protection setting

The numbers indicated on the curves opposite are those of the phase protection setting switches (refer to the diagram of the front view).

Set:

- current setting I_s (4)
- type of low threshold $I>$ curve (5)
 - ☐ IDMT: RI, SI, VI, EI
 - ☐ definite time: DT
- low threshold $I>$ (6). This setting is only active if the low threshold curve chosen is of the definite time DT type (curve 2). For the other choices, SI, VI, EI, RI (fig 1), the selector switch is disabled.
- low threshold time delay $t>$ (7) and (8)
- high threshold $I>>$ (9)
- high threshold time delay $t>>$ (10).



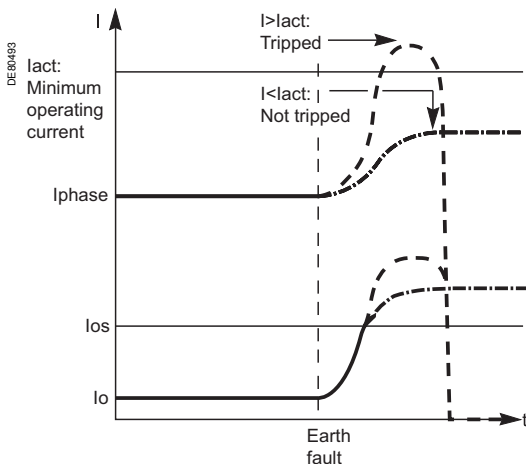
The earth fault threshold overrun indicator only lights up if the phase current is greater than the minimum operating current. See also **c: indicator reset button**.

⚠ WARNING

EARTH PROTECTION NOT OPERATIONAL

The earth protection is not operational when the current setting I_{os} is set to a value lower than the minimum operating current value and when the phase currents are lower than the minimum operating current.

Failure to follow these instructions can result in death, serious injury, or equipment damage.



Earth Protection.

--- : Earth protection is not operational because a phase current is lower than the minimum operating current (I_{act}).

- - - : Earth protection is operational because the currents in the 3 phases are higher than the minimum operating current (I_{act}).

VIP300LL and VIP300LH earth protection

The principle is the same as for phase protection.

■ 11: earth protection setting zone

The earth protection settings are located in the bottom half of the front panel.

■ 12: threshold overrun indicator

When this indicator blinks, the earth protection low threshold time delay is running. When this is the case, if the current does not decrease, the relay will trip.

for IDMT curves (SI, VI, EI), the LED lights up when the current is greater than 1.2 times the current setting I_{os} .

For the IDMT curve (RI), it lights up when the current is greater than the I_{os} setting. For the definite time curve DT, it lights up when the low threshold is overrun.

■ 13: trip indicator

It is normally black and turns yellow to indicate that the earth protection has given a tripping order. It stays in the same status, even when the relay is no longer energized.

■ 14: choice of current setting I_{os}

This is the maximum residual current that can flow in the system without the protection being tripped.

The I_{os} current setting range depends on the sensor and range used: the selector switch graduations should be adapted to suit the sensor and range using the setting label.

If the current setting I_{os} is set to a value lower than the minimum operating current value (current setting I_{os} values shown in red on the setting label), the earth protection will be operational only when the current in the 3 phases are equal to or higher than the minimum operating current (I_{act}).

See Earth protection graphic on this page and Minimum operating current page 9.

■ 15: setting of low threshold time delay $t_{o>}$

If the tripping curve is of the definite time (DT) type, the selector switch sets the low threshold time delay

If the curve is of the IDMT type (RI, SI, VI, EI), the value displayed is the tripping time for an earth current equal to 10 times the current setting.

■ 16: choice of low threshold $I_{o>}$

The threshold is a multiple of the current setting. It is only active for definite time thresholds (selector switch 17 set to DT).

If the tripping curve is selected with IDMT (selector switch 17 set to RI, SI, VI, EI), the selector switch has no effect.

■ 17: choice of type of low threshold curve

- ☐ DT: definite time
- ☐ SI: inverse time
- ☐ VI: very inverse time
- ☐ EI: extremely inverse time
- ☐ RI: specific curve
- ☐ off: low threshold disabled.

■ 18: low threshold time delay multiplying factor

In the x10 position, the time delay displayed on selector switch 15 is multiplied by 10.

■ 19: setting of high threshold $I_{o>>}$

The high threshold is chosen as a multiple of the current setting I_{os} .

In "off" position, the high threshold is disabled.

■ 20: setting of high threshold time delay $t_{o>>}$

The time delay is set directly in seconds.

Earth protection setting

The principle is the same as for phase protection.

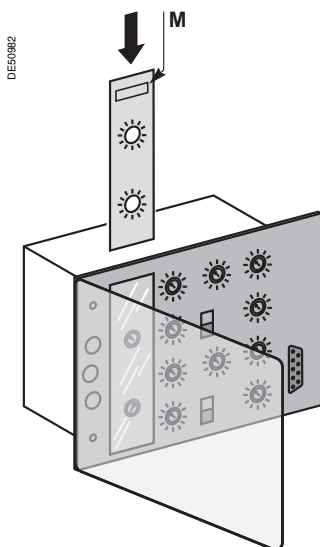
Set:

- current setting I_{os} (14)
- type of low threshold $I_{o>}$ (17)
 - ☐ IDMT: RI, SI, VI, EI
 - ☐ definite time: DT
- low threshold $I_{o>}$ (16). This threshold is only active if the low threshold curve chosen is of the definite time DT type. For the other choices, SI, VI, EI, RI, the selector switch is disabled.
- low threshold time delay $t_{o>}$ (15) and (18)
- high threshold $I_{o>>}$ (19)
- high threshold time delay $t_{o>>}$ (20)

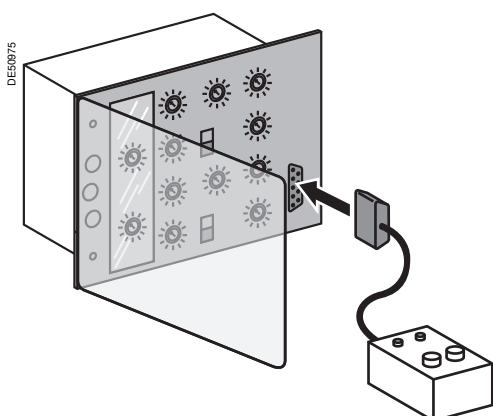
Operation

The high and low thresholds operate separately.

The tripping order results from a "logical OR" between the two thresholds.



How to fit the setting label



Testing the VIP300 with the VAP6

Other VIP300LL, VIP300LH and VIP300P functions

■ a: setting label

The setting label should be fitted on the VIP300 when it is mounted on the circuit breaker.

The label indicates the graduations of the phase current and earth protection setting selector switches. It is inserted from the top, behind the transparent part of the front panel.

Each VIP300 comes with a set of labels. Install the label that matches:

- the type of sensor used
- the VIP300 model
- the range used.

Each setting label matches a sensor and is printed on both sides for each of the two ranges. The label may therefore be turned around if the VIP300 range is changed during the service life of the installation.

■ b: sensor and range indication

The text is printed on the setting label.

When the label is in position in the slot, the text is hidden by a non-transparent zone. It is not visible to the user.

■ c: indicator reset button

The button is accessible when the transparent cover is closed. Pressing the button has two results:

- it resets (black position) the two phase and earth trip indicators (when the relay is no longer energized, it is still possible to reset the indicators for about 48 hours; after that time, they may be reset after the VAP6 is plugged in)
- it lights up the two red LEDs (about 3 s). This indicates that:
 - the relay is energized (the indicator lights up when the current is greater than the minimum operating current)
 - relay self-testing results are OK.

If one of the two conditions is not met, the indicators do not light up.

This function may be used to carry out a basic relay operation test.

If breaker is closed on fault in less than 1 s, this button can be inoperative and not reset the two phase and earth trip indicators (black position). They may be reset after the VAP6 is plugged in.

■ d: minimum operating current

The minimum operating current is the current required for each phase in order that the relay be energized and operational. It is printed on each setting label.

The value given on the setting label is the three-phase rms minimum operating current. The minimum operating current always corresponds to the lowest value of the current setting range.

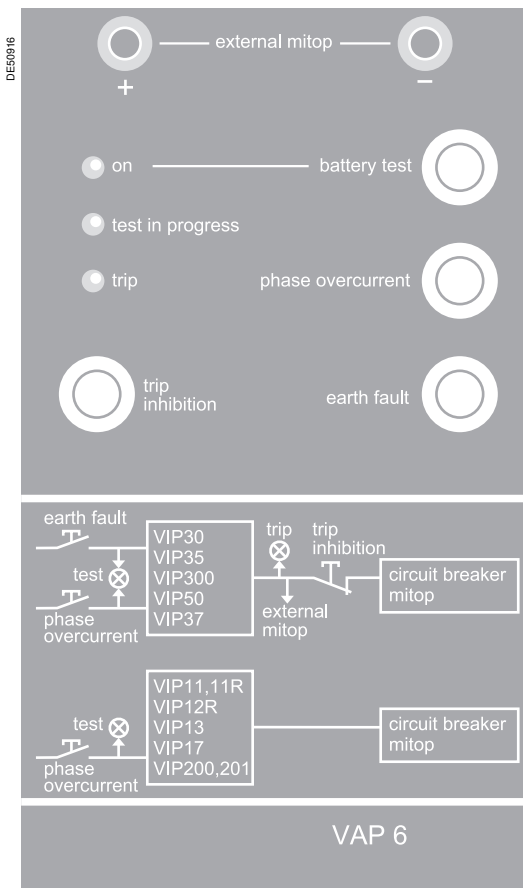
■ e: VAP6 test plug

The test plug is exclusively designed for connection of the VAP6, used for fast and easy relay testing.

The test may be carried out during normal operation of the installation since the VAP6 and VIP300 provide the possibility of testing without circuit breaker tripping.

■ f: tripping curves

- VIP300LL/VIP300P
- VIP300LH: equivalent time multiplier table for conversions.



VPA6 front panel



The VAP6 is supplied by batteries. Therefore the parts of the VIP300 that require AC current are not checked using this method (input and supply circuits).

The VAP6 is a portable unit that is connected to the VIP300 to carry out simplified testing.

The test can be carried out in the following two cases:

- the VIP300 is already supplied by the sensors.
- the VIP300 is not supplied ; in this case, the VAP6 batteries supply power to the relay.

The test consists of:

- initiating the VIP300 central processing unit self-test sequence
- injecting a stimulus to simulate a phase fault
- injecting a stimulus to simulate an earth fault
- checking tripping.

Push-buttons

- **Battery test:** if the batteries are OK, the "on" indicator lights up while the button is pushed.
- **Phase overcurrent:** sends the phase protection test stimulus. The stimulus is equivalent to 20 times the phase current setting Is.
- **Earth fault:** sends the earth protection test stimulus. The stimulus is equivalent to 20 times the earth fault current setting Ios.
- **Trip inhibition:** press the "trip inhibition" button if the VIP300 test should be carried out without tripping of the circuit breaker. Circuit breaker tripping is disabled while the "trip inhibition" button is pressed, even if the tripping order results from a real fault.

Indicators

- **On:** indicates that the batteries are operating. Also lights up when the battery test is carried out by pressing "battery test".
- **Test in progress:** confirms sending of the test stimulus to the VIP300.
- **Trip:** used to test other relays in the VIP range. It should be ignored for the VIP300 test (it lights up for a short time when the VIP300 sends a tripping order, whether or not the circuit breaker is inhibited).

"external mitop" output

It may be used to connect an auxiliary mitop designed, for instance, to stop a stop watch during operating tests. The mitop is triggered at the same time as the circuit breaker mitop. It is not inhibited by pressing the "trip inhibition" button.

Batteries

To conserve battery life, the batteries are normally off and automatically go on when the VAP6 is connected to the VIP300.

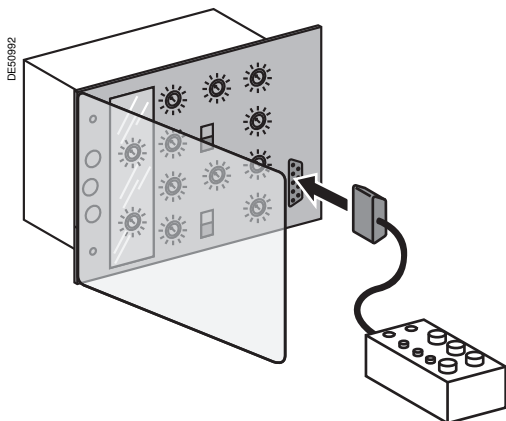
They go on when:

- the "battery test" button is pressed
- the VAP6 is connected directly to a VIP3X or VIP5X relay
- the VAP6 is connected to the adapter cord designed for testing the VIP1X or VIP2X relays.

To install or change the batteries, open the unit by removing the 4 screws on the bottom. Always observe correct battery polarity (+/-).

Technical characteristics

- supply: 3 x 9 V 6LR61 batteries
- weight: 0.45 kg
- dimensions: 93 x 157 x 45 mm.



If the "phase overcurrent" button is held down after tripping, the VIP300 starts the time delay/tripping cycle again; this is normal. In that case:

- the VAP6 red "trip" indicator lights up for a short time after each trip
- depending on the time delay setting, the VIP300 red "I>" indicator may be off or blink rapidly in an irregular manner.

VAP6 test sequence

The test may be carried out with or without current in the sensors. During the test operations, all the VIP300 settings are effective; the relay should perform in accordance with the settings. During the test, the relay remains operational and will give a tripping order in the event of a fault, unless the "trip inhibition" button is pressed.

- Connect the VAP6 to the "VAP6 test plug". The VAP6 batteries automatically go on and the "on" indicator lights up.
- Press the VIP300 "reset" button:
 - if the two "trip" indicators were yellow, they go black
 - the two red I> and Io> indicators of the VIP300 light up for about 3s to indicate that the central processing unit has correctly performed self-testing.
- Press the "trip inhibition" button if the test should be carried out without tripping of the circuit breaker.

Be sure to keep the "trip inhibition" button pressed throughout the time it takes to send the stimulus.

- Press the "phase overcurrent" button to send the phase protection test stimulus:
 - continue pressing the button throughout the duration of the stimulus (the stimulus represents about 20 times the current setting Is)
 - the VAP6 "test in progress" indicator lights up to confirm the sending of the stimulus to the VIP300 relay
 - the red "I>" indicator of the VIP300 blinks during the time delay period
 - then the VIP300 phase "trip" indicator turns yellow
 - the circuit breaker trips if it is not inhibited.
 - Press "earth fault" to test operation of the earth protection. The stimulus injected is equal to 20 times the current setting Ios. Use the same procedure as for the phase protection test.
 - Disconnect the VAP6.
- In order to save battery power, do not leave the VAP6 connected to the relay unnecessarily

Phase protection	Time type	Accuracy	
Low threshold I>		±5 % or 0/+2 A	(1)
Low threshold time delay t>	definite time	±2 % or ±20 ms	(2) (8)
	IDMT	class 5, IEC 60255-3 or 0/+20 ms	(2) (8)
High threshold I>>		±5 %	
High threshold time delay t>>		±2 % or ±20 ms	(2)
Drop-out/pick-up %		95 %	
Storage time		20 ms	
Earth protection			
Low threshold Io>		±5 % or 0/+2 A	(3) (4) (5)
Low threshold time delay to>	definite time	±2 % or ±20 ms	
	IDMT	classe 5, IEC 60255-3 or 0/+ 25 ms	(2) (5) (8)
High threshold Io>>		±5 %	
High threshold time delay to>>		±2 % or ±20 ms	(2) (8)
Drop-out/pick-up %		95 %	
Storage time		20 ms	
General characteristics		Value	
Continuous thermal withstand		240 A	with CRa, CSa or CEa sensor
		1500 A	with CRb, CSb or CEB sensor
		240 A	with RMR 200/1 sensor
		960 A	with RMR 800/1 sensor
Short-time thermal withstand		25 kA / 1 s	with CRa, CRb, RMR 800/1, CSa, CEa, CSb or CEB sensor
		25 kA / 1 s	with RMR 200/1 sensor on range x2
		20 kA / 1 s	with RMR 200/1 sensor on range x4
Operating frequency		50 Hz ±10 %, 60 Hz ±10 %	
Operating temperature		−25 °C to +70 °C	
Storage temperature		−40 °C to +85 °C	
Weight		1.7 kg	
Minimum operating current for each phase		Range	Value
VIP300LL/VIP300P + CRa, CSa or CEa sensor		x1	10 A
		x4	40 A
VIP300LL/VIP300P + CRb, CSb or CEB sensor		x1	63 A
		x4	250 A
VIP300LH + RMR 200/1 sensor		x1	20 A
		x2	40 A
VIP300LH + RMR 800/1 sensor		x1	80 A
		x2	160 A
Climatic withstand		Standard	Severity
Low temperature operation		IEC 60068-2-1	−25 °C, 16 h
Low temperature storage		IEC 60068-2-1	−40 °C, 96 h
High temperature operation		IEC 60068-2-2	+70 °C, 16 h
High temperature storage		IEC 60068-2-2	+85 °C, 96 h
Fast changes in temperature		IEC 60068-2-14	−25 °C à +70 °C, 5 cycles
Operation in damp heat		IEC 60068-2-3	56 days, 93 % HR
Salt spray		IEC 60068-2-52	severity 1

Mechanical withstand	Standard	Severity
Vibrations	IEC 60255-21-1	class 2
Shocks and bumps	IEC 60255-21-2	class 2
Earthquakes	IEC 60255-21-3	class 2
Enclosure degree of protection	EN 60529	IP54 (cover closed)
Fire resistance	IEC 60695-2-1	650 °C
Electrical withstand	Standard	Severity
Sensor input isolation	IEC 60255-5	2 kV rms, 50 Hz, 1 mn
1.2/50 µs impulse voltage	IEC 60255-5	5 kV ⁽⁶⁾
Oscillatory waves - 1 MHz burst	IEC 60255-22-1	2.5 kV cm ⁽⁶⁾ 1 kV dm
Fast transient bursts	IEC 60255-22-4	4 kV common and diff. modes, 5 kHz burst ⁽⁶⁾
1.2/50(8-20 µs) hybrid wave	IEC 61000-4-5	2 kV, 42 Ω ⁽⁶⁾
Electrostatic discharge	IEC 60255-22-2	8 kV in air, 6 kV on contact
HF electromagnetic field	IEC 60255-22-3	10 V/m ; 80...1 GHz ; 1,4...2,7 GHz

(1) Value given for three-phase VIP300 power supply. For single-phase operation, the accuracy range is $\pm 10\%$ or $0/+5A$.

For the low threshold, this does not generally represent a real operating situation. However, it may occur during injection testing carried out with a single-phase supply.

The error is mainly due to the non-linearity of the sensors and VIP300 input transformers for low currents; the inaccuracy is accentuated when the relay is only supplied by one phase.

(2) The accuracy is indicated for a fault (sinusoidal current) that occurs when the VIP300 is already supplied by the current flowing through the circuit breaker. In the event of closing on a fault, the tripping time may be increased by:

- +30 ms at 1.5 Is
- +20 ms from 2 Is to 10 Is
- +10 ms above 10 Is.

(3) Generally speaking, the accuracy ranges of earth protection times and thresholds are indicated for a VIP300 supplied by a current that is greater than or equal to the minimum operating current. The measurement of a threshold for earth protection with a single-phase supply is therefore not significant if the threshold is lower than the minimum operating current.

(4) Value given for three-phase VIP300 supply. For single-phase testing, the accuracy is $\pm 10\%$ or $0/+5A$.

For the low threshold, this may occur when the earth protection is tested with a single-phase supply and no supply by the other phases.

(5) Under the following specific conditions:

- VIP300LL
- with CRa sensor
- wired to x1 range
- if $I_{os} < 8 A$
- if three-phase current $< 20 A$

the threshold and time delay characteristics are:

- low threshold: $\pm 10\%$ or $0/+4 A$
- class not specified.

(6) Not applicable to test plug.

(7) Accuracy $\pm 10\%$ or $\pm 1.5 A$.

The value indicates the guaranteed minimum operating current for three-phase operation.

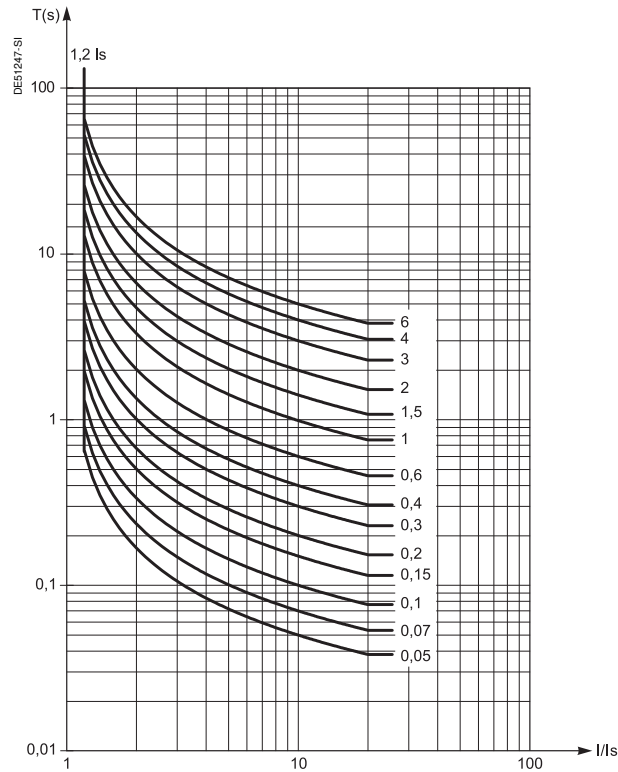
(8) The tripping times indicated do not include the mitop response time that depends on the mechanical load (for no load, its tripping time is less than 5 ms).

The curves in this chapter indicate the IDMT low threshold tripping times for the 16 $t >$ (or $t >$) time delay settings.

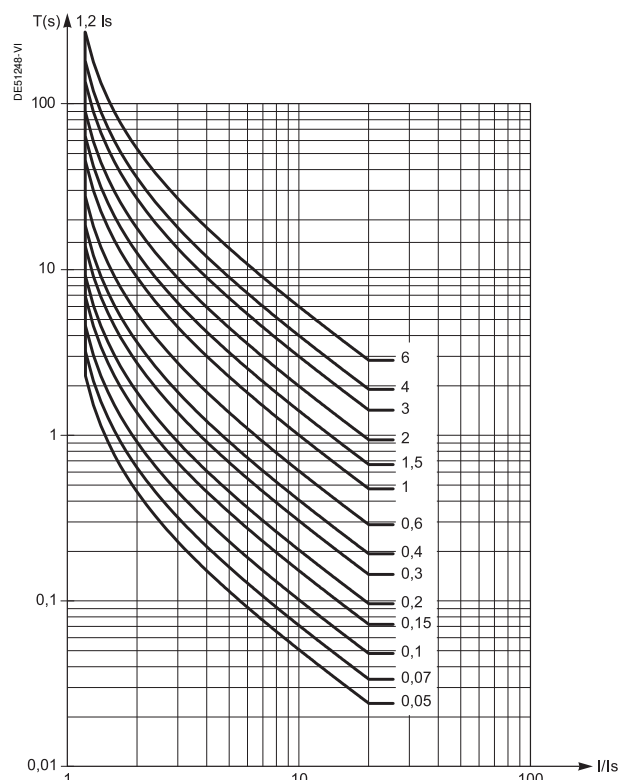
The phase protection and earth protection curves are the same.

The numbers indicated to the right of the curves represent the settings on the $t >$ (or $t >$) time delay selector switch.

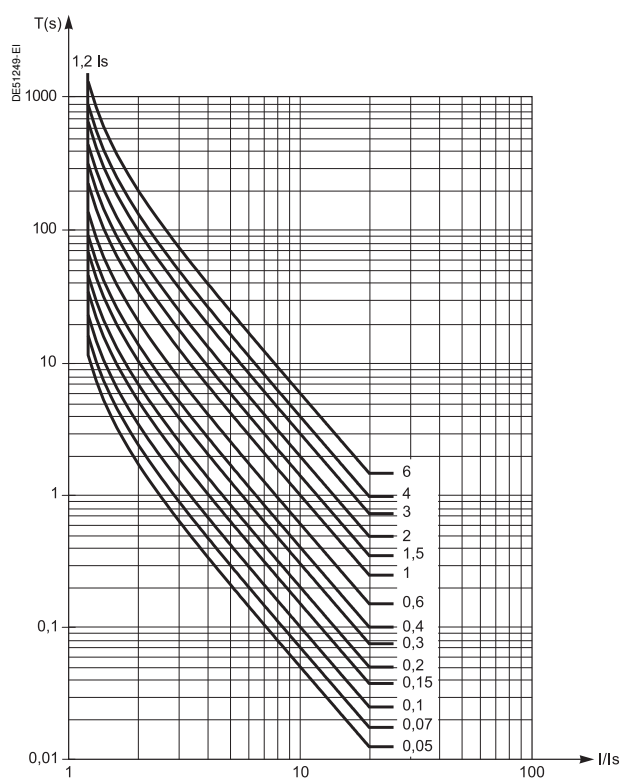
SI curve



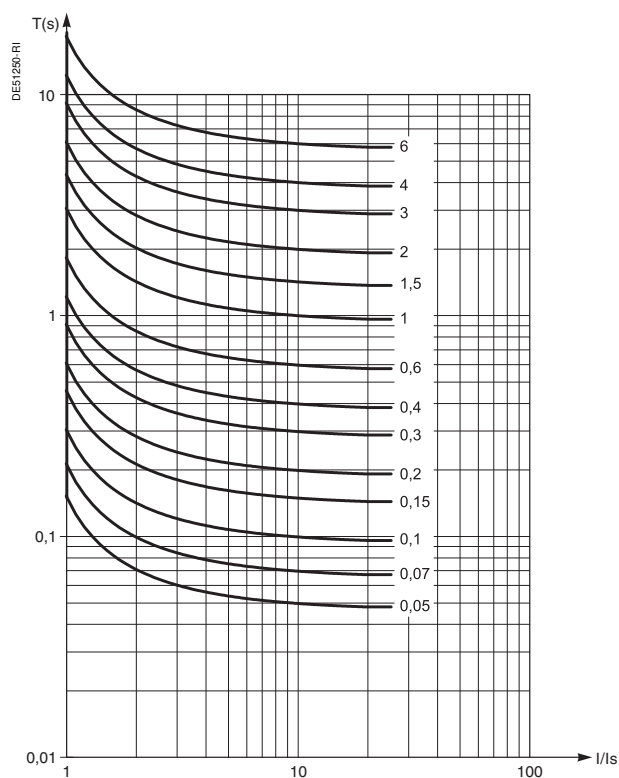
VI curve



EI curve

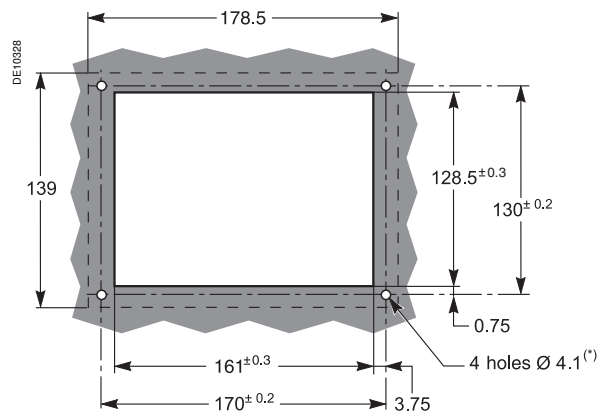


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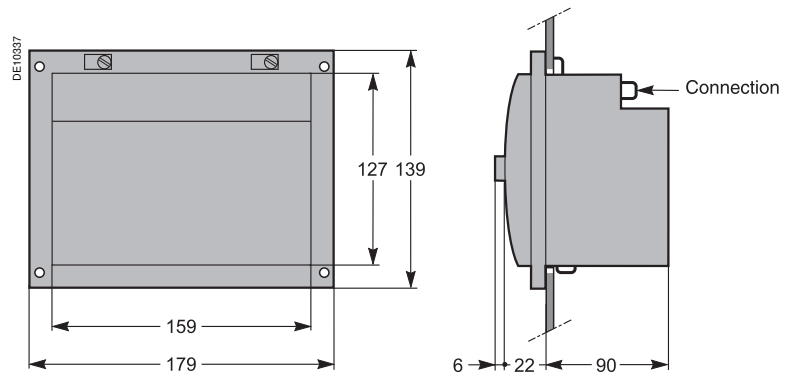
Dimensions

The VIP300 is designed for flush-mounting in rectangular cut-outs in sheet-metal panels with a maximum thickness of 3 mm.



VIP300 mounting dimensions.

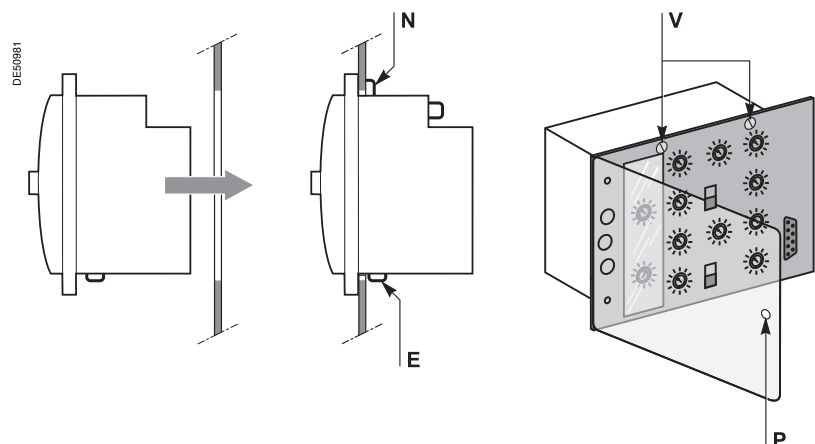
(*) The 4 holes are required only when mounting the VIP on SFset or Evolis 24 kV circuit breakers.



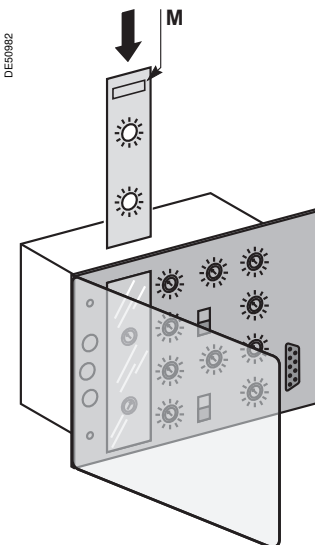
Mounting the VIP300



The latch may be put into the vertical position by loosening each of the screws (V) before tightening them.



- Insert the VIP300 in the cut-out and correctly position the two bottom pins (E) of the casing on the edge of the panel cut-out.
- Tighten the screws (V) on the two mounting lugs accessible via the front after opening the transparent cover.
- After tightening, make sure that the latch (N) of each lock (visible on the rear face) is in the vertical position, pressing against the panel.
- The hole (P) may be used to lead-seal the relay after the setting label has been fitted and the settings made



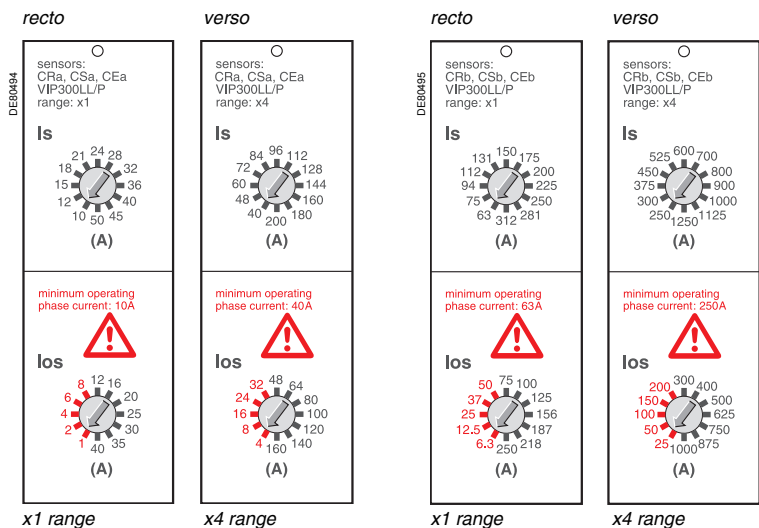
Fitting the setting label

- Slide the setting label into position behind the transparent part of the front face.
- Make sure that the indications at the top of the label (M) match:
 - ☐ the sensor used (sensor)
 - ☐ the VIP300 model
 - ☐ the range used (range).
- This information is hidden when the label is in position.
- Make sure that it is pushed right to the bottom of the slot.
- To remove the label, use the hole in the top, if necessary with the help of the tip of a pencil or a screwdriver.

Choosing the right setting label

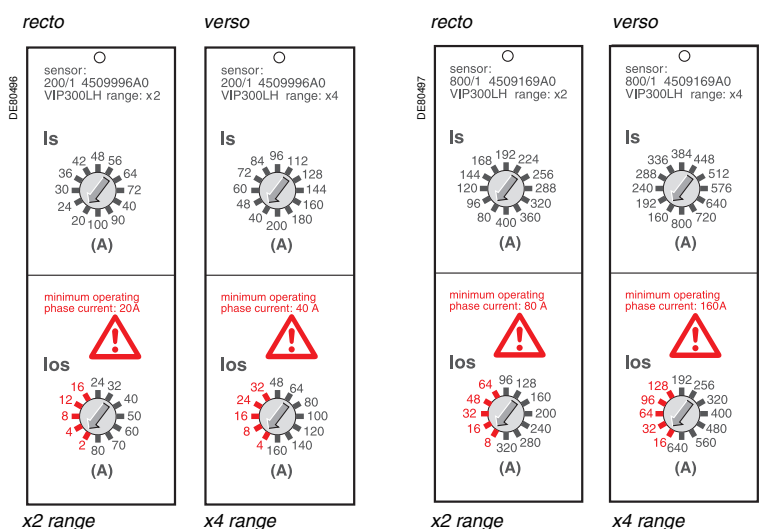
Setting label for VIP300LL and VIP300P with CRa, CSa or CEa sensors

Setting label for VIP300LL and VIP300P with CRb, CSb or CEB sensors



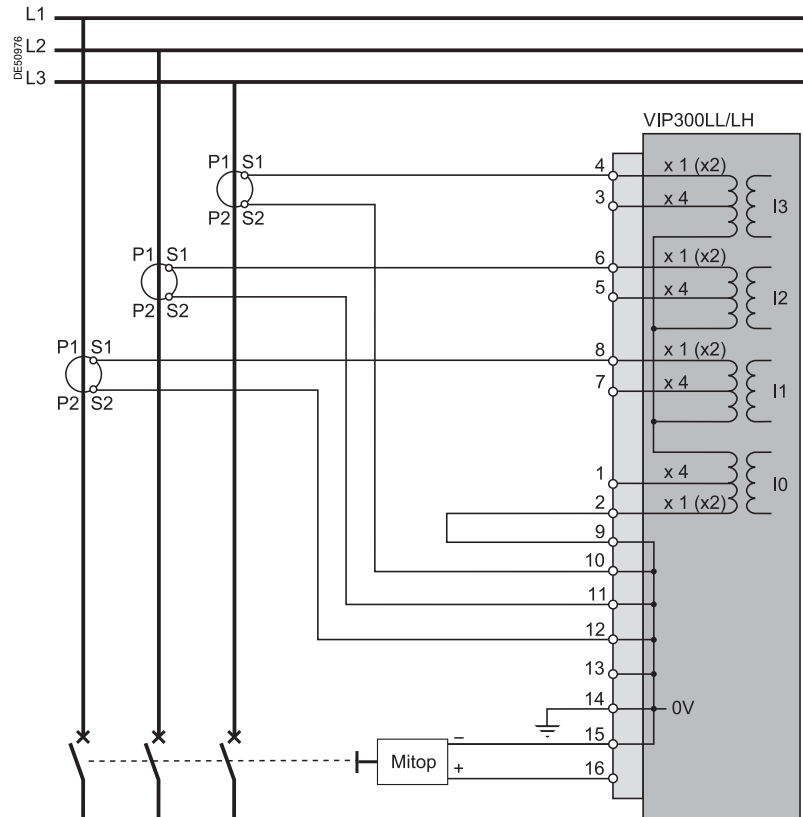
Setting label for VIP300LH with Ringmaster 200/1 sensors

Setting label for VIP300LH with Ringmaster 800/1 sensors

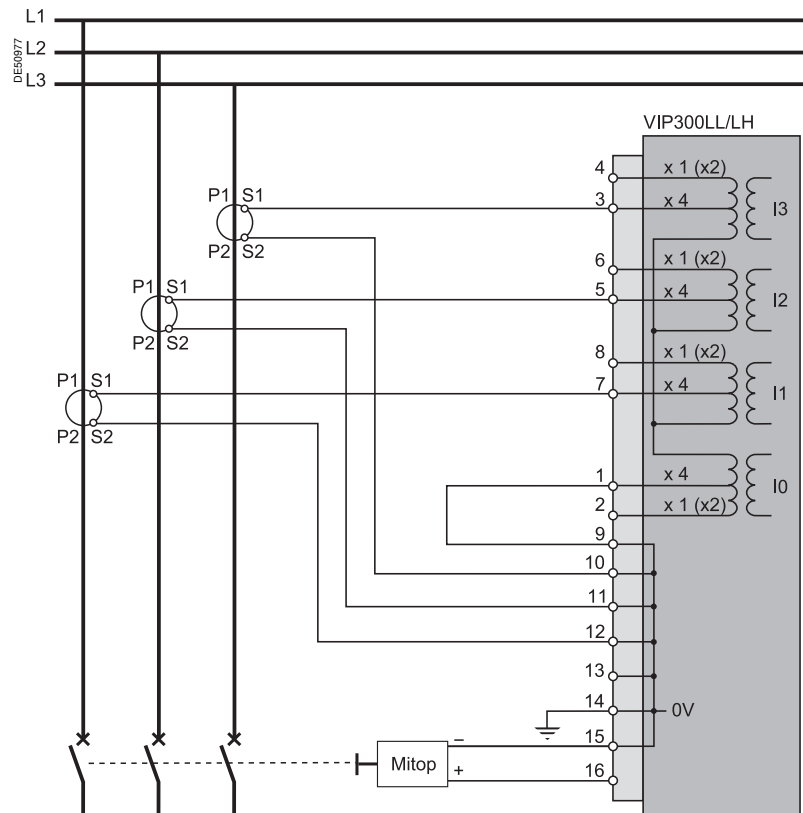


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Wiring to x1 (or x2) range

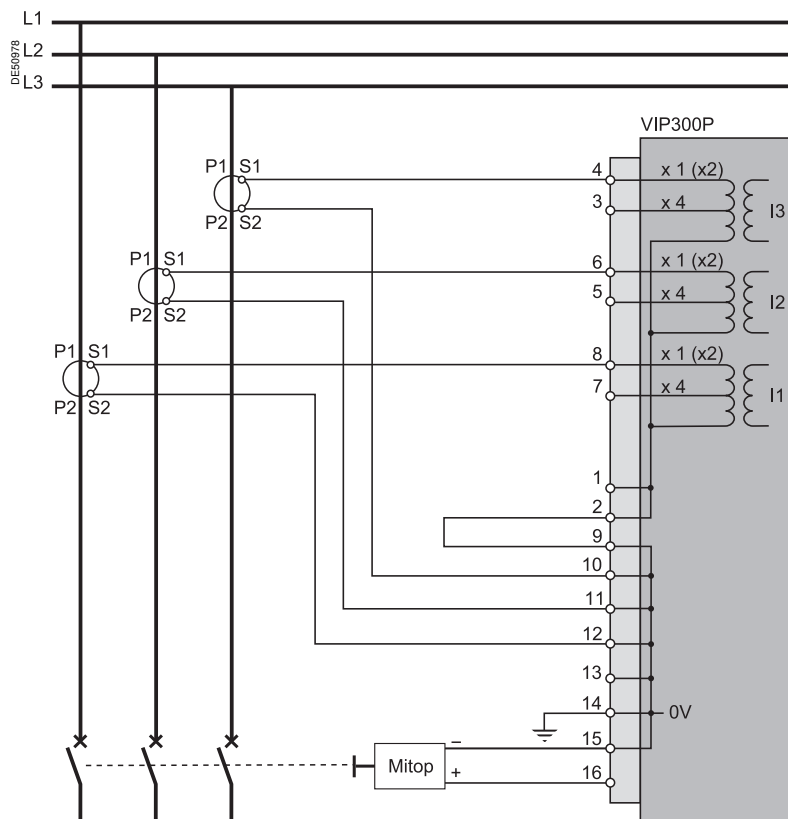


Wiring to x4 range

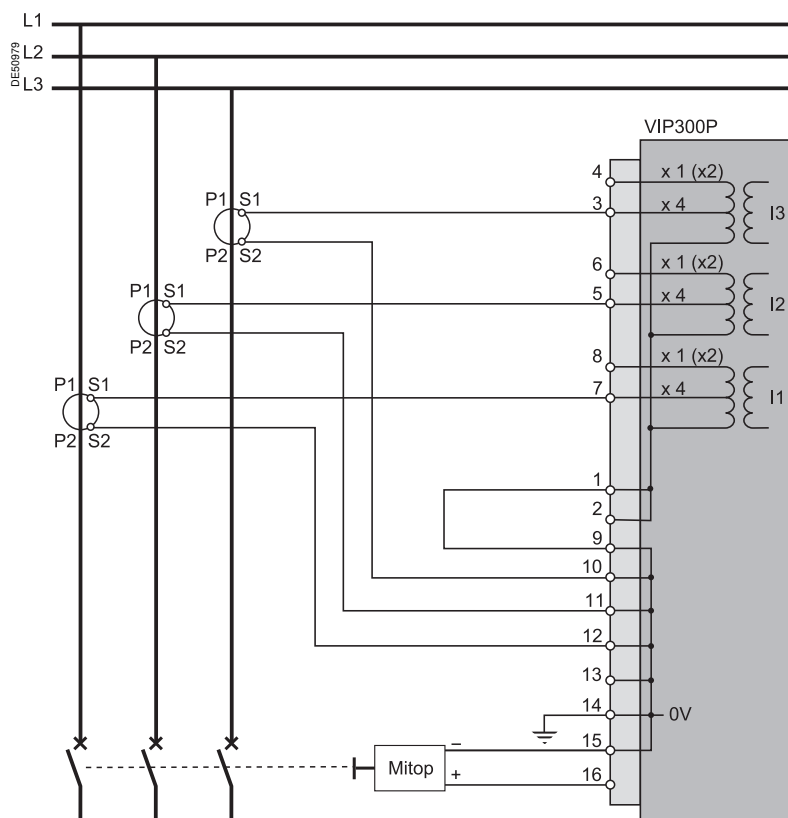


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Wiring to x4 range



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