

Steps for Relay Protection Setting Calculation



Article Overview

Relay protection settings are calculated using a combination of Plug Setting Multiplier (PSM), Time Multiplier Setting (TMS), and coordination principles to ensure selective and reliable fault clearance.

Overview of Relay Settings

Relay protection ensures fast and selective fault detection to minimize damage and maintain system stability. Key settings include:

- Plug Setting Multiplier (PSM): Determines the pickup current at which the relay operates. It is expressed as a multiple of the rated CT current.
- Time Multiplier Setting (TMS): Adjusts the operating time of the relay to coordinate with upstream and downstream devices.
- Grading Time: The intentional time difference between consecutive protection stages to maintain selectivity. Proper calculation ensures that only the faulted section is isolated while minimizing supply interruptions to healthy parts of the network .

Step-by-Step Calculation Procedure

1. Determine Rated Currents

Identify the rated current of the protected equipment (transformer, feeder, or line) and the CT ratios. This forms the basis for calculating pickup currents

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