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Protecta*Lite® externally gapped line arresters (EGLA) enhance your system resiliency with a series varistor unit (SVU) and a series gap. The gap is designed to only spark over in the event of a lightning discharge. Metal-oxide varistor (MOV) blocks inside the SVU limit the follow current, allowing the external arc to be interrupted.

Our EGLA design eliminates the need for a direct line-to-ground connection or a disconnector. Lighter than comparable non-gapped line arresters (NGLA), the EGLA installs easily. The advantages are especially effective for compact towers and EHV or UHV networks.



EFFECTIVE BENEFITS SAVE YOU MONEY

- Improve line performance by reducing interruptions
- Lighter design leads to lower tower and conductor load
- Eliminate Temporary Overvoltage (TOV) concerns
- Zero watts-loss for a green energy solution
- No disconnector or lead connection that may fatigue

Consider integrating an EGLA during the design stage of the transmission line, creating an effective defense mechanism to protect your grid investment. Hubbell designs, tests, and manufactures unique EGLA designs.

- For retrofit or new construction
- Customizable solutions available, with insulator, clamps, and hardware



MOVING THE WORLD FORWARD WITH ENABLING TECHNOLOGY

Since 1988, utilities around the world trust Protecta*Lite® arresters to protect their systems. Our previous arresters were all non-gapped line arresters (NGLA). The EGLA line continues the brand's innovative solutions to provide uninterrupted service.

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PROTECTA*LITE EGLA ARRESTERS

Every lightning strike, insulator flashover, or switching surge adds wear and tear on valuable equipment. Protect your grid infrastructure investment with surge arresters from Hubbell Power Systems, Inc. Our arresters save you money and extend the life of your system by limiting the voltage across your equipment during a surge event.





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