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## More Than a Half-century of Arrester Innovation

Ohio Brass introduced its first surge arresters more than a halfcentury ago. Since then, Hubbell



Power Systems (HPS) and the Ohio Brass brand have led the industry in innovation, reliability and service.

During this time Hubbell, through the Ohio Brass brand name, introduced the world's first polymer-housed arresters, advanced MOV disc technology and refined manufacturing processes. The company has obtained many patents for products and design features that have helped keep Hubbell arresters at the forefront of technology.



Since your customers' power is only as reliable as your delivery system, trust your lines, substations and reputation to Hubbell Power System's Ohio Brass arresters.



# **Overview**

**Equipment Protection is Job One** – Next to your people, your power grid infrastructure is your largest and most valuable investment. Protect it with Hubbell Power Systems (HPS) surge arresters. Every lightning strike, insulator flashover and switching



surge adds wear and tear to your equipment, prematurely aging it, and requiring you to shoulder the costs of replacement. Even the smallest surge can shorten your equipment's life. Surge arresters, however, extend the life of your system by limiting the voltage across your equipment during a surge event.

**How Arresters Work** – Arresters, when placed in substations or on transmission or distribution lines, protect connected equipment against all types of voltage surges. Appearing as a very high impedance at normal operating voltages, the arrester rapidly transitions to a very low impedance on the arrival of a high voltage surge resulting from lightning or switching activity. The arrester, typically connected from line-to-ground across the equipment to be protected, then provides a by-pass route for surge current and, at the same time, clamps the line-to-ground voltage to a level well below the insulation withstand level (BIL or BSL) of the equipment. Once the surge has passed, the arrester returns to its original state, and the system survives the event without disruption.

**Advancing Arrester Technology** – The Ohio Brass Company, now fully integrated into Hubbell Power Systems, began the manufacture of surge arresters in 1950. The company had been, and continues to be, a major manufacturer of high voltage insulators, using the knowledge and experience gained in that long history to improve and innovate the arrester product lines, first with its own production of porcelain housings, later with the development of polymer materials for high voltage insulation that are now used for the latest technology polymer-housed arresters. Separately from the insulating materials development, the company was among the very early pioneers in metal oxide varistor (MOV) technology, which is at the heart of all modern surge arresters. It is the MOV that provides the non-linear resistance characteristic that gives the arrester the voltage limiting and current by-pass characteristics mentioned above. Over the years, HPS has made great strides in MOV technology, improving energy handling capability and providing better voltage clamping, allowing us to continue providing our customers with "best of class" surge protection, accompanied by "best in class" customer service.

**Our High Quality MOV Discs and Polymer Housings** – We opened our MOV disc plant in 1977 to control the most critical components of our surge arresters. This long history with MOV technology ensures that the MOV discs used in HPS arresters will always meet our exacting standards.

Our proprietary ESP<sup>™</sup> weathershed material, made of a silicone/EPDM alloy, resists tracking and provides exceptional leakage distance. It has proven its mettle in some of the toughest weather conditions for the past decades.

We perform extensive testing on all of our products to ensure that all of our arresters meet or exceed industry standards.

These features protect your lines, your linemen and your bottom line.



# **Arrester Selection Guidelines**

**Selecting the Right Arrester for Your Needs** – Selecting an appropriate arrester requires knowledge about your system and specific application. Factors that come into play are:

- Maximum system voltage
- System grounding practices (effectively grounded, impedance grounded, ungrounded)
- Insulation level of equipment to be protected
- Desired margins of protection to be provided
- Levels and durations of power frequency overvoltages
- Lengths of lines that will be switched
- Mechanical loads that arrester will be subjected to
- Available line-to-ground fault current
- Environmental conditions.

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Product Line	Class	Voltage Rating (kV rms)	MCOV (kV rms)	Housing Material	Energy Capability (kJ/kV-MCOV)†	Rated Short Circuit Current (Pressure Relief) (kA rms)	Maximum Working Cantilever (in-lb)	Maximum Short-Term Cantilever (in-Ib)					
PVI-LP	Intermediate	3 - 72	2.55 - 57	ESP <sup>™</sup> Polymer	6	40	1,600	3,200					
EVP	Station	3 - 228	2.55 - 180	ESP <sup>™</sup> Polymer	9	63	10,000 ‡	20,000 ‡					
SVN	Station	12 - 564	10.2 - 448	Silicone Polymer	11	65	35,000	70,000					
VL	Station	3 - 48	2.55 - 39	Porcelain	9	65	28,000	70,000					
MVN	Station	12 - 444	10.2 - 353	Porcelain	11	65	60,000	150,000					
SVNH	Station	144-444	115-353	Silicone Polymer	11	65	178,500	357,000					
SVNX	Station	258 - 588*	209 - 470*	Silicone Polymer	21	65	178,500	357,000					

Summary Table Comparison

\* Higher and lower voltage units are available upon request.

- + Energy imparted to the arrester over a one minute period, from which the arrester can thermally recover at MCOV under usual service conditions.
- For ratings above 115kV MCOV, the maximum working cantilever is 5,000 in-lb & the maximum short-term catilever is 10,000 in-lb. Applies to arresters with a tripod mounting base.

### Normal Operating Conditions (per IEEE/ANSI Std. C62.11)

#### **Arrester Standard Operating Conditions**

- Nominal Power Frequency Range: 48 Hz to 62 Hz
- Ambient Air Temperature: -40 °C to 40 °C
- Altitude: Up to 6,000 ft above sea level (1,800 m)
  - Hubbell arresters are suitable for operation at higher altitudes.

\* For applications outside the usual service conditions, or any other application related question, please contact your Hubbell Power Systems Representative at 1.573.682.5521.



# **Arrester Selection Guidelines**

		Arrester MCOV (kV)								
L-LÝ	stem oltage kV	Grounded Neutral Circuits	Temporarily Ungrounded Impedance Grounded or Ungrounded Circuits							
Nominal	Maximum	Circuits	(1)	(2)						
2.40	2.52	2.55	2.55	2.55						
4.16	4.37	2.55	5.1	5.1						
4.8	5.04	5.1	5.1	5.1						
6.9	7.25	5.1	7.65	7.65						
8.32	8.74	5.1	7.65	8.4						
12.0	12.6	7.65	10.2	12.7						
12.47	13.1	7.65	12.7	12.7						
13.2	13.9	8.4	12.7	12.7						
13.8	14.5	8.4	12.7	15.3						
20.78	21.8	12.7	19.5	22.0						
22.86	24.0	15.3	19.5	22.0						
23.0	24.2	15.3	19.5	22.0						
24.94	26.2	15.3	22.0	24.0						
34.5	36.2	22.0	29.0	36.0						
46.0	48.3	29.0	39.0	48.0						
69.0	72.5	42.0	57.0	70.0						
115.0	121.0	70.0	98.0	115.0						
138.0	145.0	84.0	115.0	131.0						
161.0	169.0	98.0	140.0	152.0						
230.0	242.0	140.0	209.0	220.0						
345.0	362.0	209.0	-	_						
400.0	420.0	245.0	-	-						
500.0	550.0	318.0	-	-						
765.0	800.0	470.0	-	-						

## Normally Recommended Arrester MCOV for Various System Voltages

- Notes: (1) For normal duty. Line-to-ground fault up to 30 minutes.
  - (2) For severe duty. Line-to-ground fault up to 2,000 hours.









## PVI-LP, Intermediate Class

**Overview** – PVI-LP arresters are the most economical arrester to use on systems up to 69 kV (72.5 kV max). They are particularly suited for light-to-moderate duty applications where light weight and compact profile are of particular importance. Their narrow profile allows smaller phase-to-ground clearances and phase-to-phase spacings than other arresters, making them particularly well-suited for installations where space is at a premium, such as cabinets or other electrical enclosures and on mobile substations.

#### **Construction:**

- "Wrap" design, using fiberglass reinforced epoxy stranding to form a wrapped envelope directly over the MOV discs
- ESP<sup>™</sup> rubber housing applied over wrapped MOV module
- Silicone compound interface between module and housing to render a void-free assembly
- Tripod base (Slotted 8.75" 10" bolt circle)

#### At-a-Glance:

- Less than half the weight of a comparably rated porcelain-housed arrester
- Narrow profile for reduced clearance to ground and between phases
- Install straight from the package no field assembly required

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## Flash Fact:

Today's MOV arresters provide much better protection than older Silicon Carbide designs.



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Standard Arrester	Duty Cycle	MCOV Maximum	Maximum 0.5µs	Maximum Switching Surge		pability or Duty)	Ma			e Voltag t Wave (	je using kV)	an
Catalog Number	Rating (kV rms)	Continuous Operating Voltage (kV rms)	Discharge Voltage (kV) @ 10 kA	Protective Level (kV) *	1 sec (kV rms)	10 sec (kV rms)	1.5kA	3kA	5kA	10kA	20kA	40kA
300803-3001	3	2.55	8.6	6.4	3.7	3.6	6.8	7.2	7.5	8.1	9.0	10.1
300805-3001	6	5.1	17.1	12.7	7.5	7.1	13.6	14.4	15.0	16.2	17.9	20.2
300808-3001	9	7.65	25.8	19.1	11.2	10.7	20.5	21.6	22.6	24.4	27.0	30.4
300809-3001	10	8.4	28.4	21.1	12.3	11.7	22.6	23.8	24.9	26.9	29.8	33.5
300610-3001	12	10.2	34.1	25.3	14.9	14.2	27.1	28.6	29.9	32.3	35.8	40.3
300813-3001	15	12.7	42.9	31.8	18.6	17.7	34.1	36.0	37.6	40.6	44.9	50.6
300815-3001	18	15.3	51.6	38.3	22.4	21.3	40.9	43.2	45.2	48.8	54.0	60.9
300817-3001	21	17	56.9	42.2	24.9	23.7	45.1	47.7	49.9	53.8	59.6	67.1
300620-3001	24	19.5	68.3	50.6	28.6	27.2	54.2	57.2	59.9	64.6	71.5	80.6
300822-3001	27	22	77.4	57.4	32.2	30.7	61.4	64.9	67.9	73.2	81.0	91.3
300824-3001	30	24.4	85.3	63.3	35.7	34.0	67.7	71.5	74.8	80.7	89.3	101.0
300629-3001	36	29	102.0	76.0	42.5	40.5	81.3	85.9	89.8	96.9	107.0	121.0
300831-3001	39	31.5	108.0	80.4	46.1	43.9	86.1	90.9	95.1	103.0	114.0	128.0
300636-3001	45	36.5	125.0	92.8	53.5	50.9	99.3	105.0	110.0	118.0	131.0	148.0
300639-3001	48	39	137.0	101.0	57.1	54.4	108.0	115.0	120.0	129.0	143.0	161.0
300642-3001	54	42	148.0	110.0	61.5	58.6	117.0	125.0	130.0	140.0	155.0	175.0
300648-3001	60	48	165.0	122.0	70.3	67.0	131.0	138.0	145.0	156.0	173.0	195.0
300657-3001	72	57	199.0	148.0	83.5	79.5	158.0	167.0	175.0	188.0	209.0	235.0

## **PVI-LP Electrical Characteristics**

 $\star$  500A surge of 45  $\mu s$  time to crest.

Flash Fact:

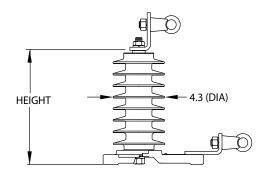
The most common duty on substation arresters comes from system switching events not lightning.



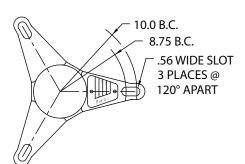
Standard Arrester	Duty Cycle	MCOV Maximum Continuous	Height	Leakage		led Minimum e (Inches)	Net Weight	
Catalog Number	Rating (kV rms)	Operating Voltage (kV rms)	Dimension (Inches)	Distance (Inches)	Ph - Ph	Ph - Gd	(Pounds)	
300803-3001	3	2.55	6.8	15.4	4.4	3.3	6	
300805-3001	6	5.1	6.8	15.4	4.6	3.2	6	
300808-3001	9	7.65	6.8	15.4	4.7	3.3	6	
300809-3001	10	8.4	6.8	15.4	4.9	3.5	6	
300610-3001	12	10.2	6.8	15.4	4.9	3.5	6	
300813-3001	15	12.7	12.2	30.8	6.2	4.8	10	
300815-3001	18	15.3	12.2	30.8	6.6	5.2	10	
300817-3001	21	17	12.2	30.8	7.6	6.2	10	
300620-3001	24	19.5	12.2	30.8	7.6	6.2	10	
300822-3001	27	22	17.6	46.2	9.6	8.2	14	
300824-3001	30	24.4	17.6	46.2	9.8	8.4	14	
300629-3001	36	29	17.6	46.2	9.8	8.4	14	
300831-3001	39	31.5	23.0	61.6	12.8	11.4	17	
300636-3001	45	36.5	23.0	61.6	12.8	11.4	17	
300639-3001	48	39	23.0	61.6	12.8	11.4	17	
300642-3001	54	42	28.4	77.0	15.8	14.4	20	
300648-3001	60	48	28.4	77.0	15.8	14.4	20	
300657-3001	72	57	33.8	92.4	19.8	18.4	23	

## **PVI-LP Physical Characteristics**

## Figure 1



## **Base Mounting Information**



## **PVI-LP Part Number Selection**

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Step 1: Configuration -

X ->	0 (standard)	1	2 (underhung)	3	MCOV Rating (kV)	үүү	MCOV Rating (kV)	үүү
Тор	Сар	Сар	Tripod	Tripod	2.55	803	22	822
Bottom	Tripod	Сар	Сар	Tripod	5.1	805	24.4	824
	æ	_ <del></del>			7.65	808	29	629
					8.4	809	31.5	831
					10.2	610	36.5	636
	Æ				12.7	813	39	639
					15.3	815	42	642
					17	817	48	648
					19.5	620	57	657

#### Step 3: Hardware \_

• **3001**:

Top: Single Eye Bolt Bottom: Single Eye Bolt

#### • **3002**:

Top: 4-Hole NEMA pad with (2) Single Eye Bolts Bottom: Single Eye Bolt

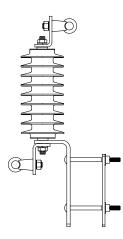
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- \* For additional hardware options or non-standard configurations, please contact your Hubbell Power Systems Representative at 1.573.682.5521.
- \* See page 36 for hardware details.

#### • **3011**:

— Step 2: Catalog Key

Crossarm Mount (for use with 301YYY) codes only





## **EVP, Station Class**

**Overview** – The EVP Polymer Housed Station Arrester by HPS and Ohio Brass represents the absolute latest in surge arrester technology. Based on proven PVN technology, our EVP line maintains our proprietary ESP<sup>™</sup> weathershed material and protective levels. However, it has an even more robust sealing system to reduce moisture ingress to an unprecedented minimum. EVP arresters also feature a redesigned housing profile for maximum material utilization, and even make ordering easier by using an intelligent numbering system.

### **Construction:**

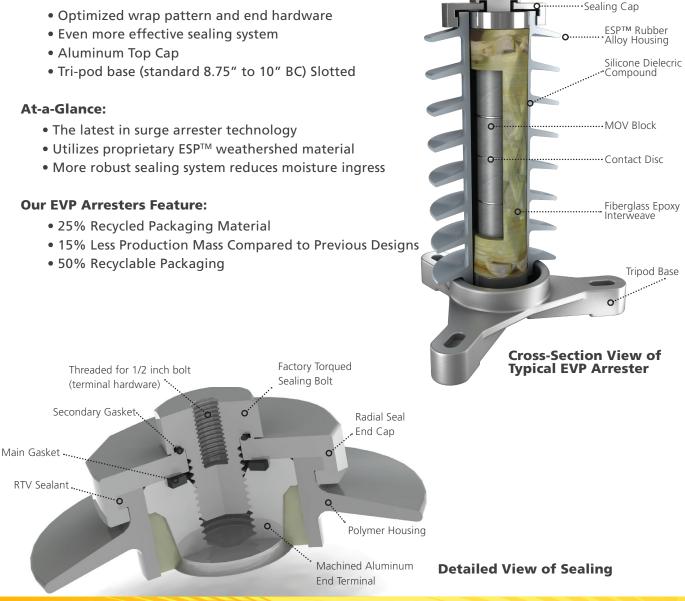
- Optimized wrap pattern and end hardware
- Even more effective sealing system
- Aluminum Top Cap
- Tri-pod base (standard 8.75" to 10" BC) Slotted

#### At-a-Glance:

- The latest in surge arrester technology
- Utilizes proprietary ESP<sup>™</sup> weathershed material
- More robust sealing system reduces moisture ingress

#### **Our EVP Arresters Feature:**

- 25% Recycled Packaging Material
- 15% Less Production Mass Compared to Previous Designs
- 50% Recyclable Packaging







## **EVP Electrical Characteristics**

Standard Arrester	Duty Cycle	MCOV Maximum	Maximum 0.5µs Discharge	Maximum Switching Surge		pability or Duty)	Мах			ge Volta nt Wave	ge using (kV)	j an
Catalog Number	Rating (kV rms)	Continuous Operating Voltage ( kV rms)	Voltage (kV) @ 10 kA	Protective Level (kV) *	1 sec (kV rms)	10 sec (kV rms)	1.5kA	3kA	5kA	10kA	20kA	40kA
EVP000300	3	2.55	10.5	6.0	3.6	3.5	6.4	6.7	7.1	7.6	8.2	9.3
EVP000500	6	5.1	18.6	12.0	7.3	6.9	12.8	13.5	14.1	15.2	16.4	18.7
EVP000800	9	7.65	27.0	18.0	10.9	10.4	19.2	20.2	21.2	22.7	24.6	28.0
EVP000900	10	8.4	29.4	19.8	11.9	11.4	21.1	22.2	23.3	25.0	27.0	30.8
EVP001000	12	10.2	35.1	24.0	14.5	13.9	25.6	26.9	28.2	30.3	32.8	37.4
EVP001300	15	12.7	43.4	29.9	18.0	17.3	31.9	33.5	35.2	37.7	40.8	46.5
EVP001500	18	15.3	51.6	36.1	21.7	20.8	38.5	40.4	42.4	45.5	49.1	56.1
EVP001700	21	17	57.8	40.1	24.2	23.1	42.7	44.9	47.1	50.5	54.6	62.3
EVP001900	24	19.5	65.7	45.9	27.7	26.5	49.0	51.5	54.0	57.9	62.6	71.4
EVP002200	27	22	73.6	51.8	31.3	29.9	55.3	58.1	60.9	65.4	70.7	80.6
EVP002400	30	24.4	81.2	57.5	34.7	33.2	61.3	64.5	67.6	72.5	78.4	89.4
EVP002900	36	29	97.0	68.6	41.4	39.6	73.2	76.9	80.7	86.5	93.6	107.0
EVP003100	39	31.5	105.0	74.4	44.8	42.9	79.3	83.4	87.4	93.8	101.0	116.0
EVP003600	45	36.5	121.0	86.0	51.9	49.6	91.8	96.4	101.0	108.0	117.0	134.0
EVP003900	48	39	129.0	91.9	55.4	53.0	98.0	103.0	108.0	116.0	125.0	143.0
EVP004200	54	42	145.0	104.0	62.5	59.8	111.0	116.0	122.0	131.0	141.0	161.0
EVP004800	60	48	160.0	115.0	69.0	66.0	123.0	129.0	135.0	145.0	157.0	179.0
EVP005700	72	57	192.0	137.0	82.8	79.3	147.0	154.0	161.0	173.0	187.0	214.0
EVP007000	90	70	242.0	172.0	104.0	99.3	184.0	193.0	202.0	217.0	234.0	267.0
EVP007400	90	74	245.0	174.0	105.0	101.0	186.0	195.0	205.0	220.0	238.0	271.0
EVP007600	96	76	257.0	184.0	111.0	106.0	196.0	206.0	216.0	232.0	251.0	286.0
EVP008400	108	84	289.0	207.0	125.0	120.0	221.0	232.0	244.0	261.0	283.0	322.0
EVP008800	108	88	289.0	207.0	125.0	120.0	221.0	232.0	244.0	261.0	283.0	322.0
EVP009800	120	98	322.0	241.0	139.0	133.0	246.0	259.0	271.0	291.0	315.0	359.0
EVP010600	132	106	350.0	262.0	152.0	145.0	268.0	282.0	296.0	317.0	343.0	391.0
EVP011500	144	115	382.0	286.0	166.0	159.0	293.0	308.0	323.0	346.0	375.0	427.0
EVP013100	168	131	447.0	334.0	194.0	185.0	342.0	360.0	377.0	405.0	438.0	499.0
EVP014000	172	140	462.0	344.0	199.0	191.0	352.0	370.0	388.0	416.0	450.0	513.0
EVP014400	180	144	480.0	357.0	207.0	198.0	366.0	385.0	403.0	433.0	468.0	534.0
EVP015200	192	152	510.0	381.0	221.0	211.0	391.0	411.0	430.0	462.0	499.0	569.0
EVP018000	228	180	605.0	453.0	262.0	251.0	464.0	487.0	511.0	548.0	593.0	676.0

\* Discharge voltages are based on a 500A surge of 45 µs time to crest through 88 kV MCOV and 1,000A surge of 45 µs time through 180 kV MCOV.

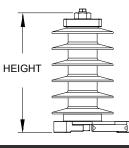


## **EVP Physical Characteristics**

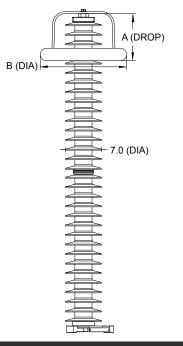
Standard Arrester Catalog Number	Duty Cycle Rating (kV rms)	MCOV Maximum Continuous Operating	Height Leakag Dimension Distand (Inches) (Inches		Mini	Recommended Minimum Clearance (Inches)		
Number		Voltage (kV rms)			Ph - Ph	Ph - Gd		
EVP000300	3.0	2.55	9.9	19.6	9.0	4.5	13	
EVP000500	6.0	5.1	9.9	19.6	9.0	4.5	13	
EVP000800	9.0	7.65	11.7	30.1	9.0	4.5	15	
EVP000900	10.0	8.4	11.7	30.1	9.0	4.5	15	
EVP001000	12.0	10.2	11.7	30.1	9.0	4.6	15	
EVP001300	15.0	12.7	13.5	35.4	9.7	5.4	17	
EVP001500	18.0	15.3	13.5	35.4	10.6	6.1	17	
EVP001700	21.0	17	17.2	40.5	11.2	6.7	22	
EVP001900	24.0	19.5	17.2	40.5	12.1	7.4	22	
EVP002200	27.0	22	17.2	40.5	12.9	8.2	22	
EVP002400	30.0	24.4	17.2	40.5	13.8	8.9	22	
EVP002900	36.0	29	20.9	50.9	15.4	10.3	27	
EVP003100	39.0	31.5	20.9	50.9	16.2	11.1	27	
EVP003600	45.0	36.5	24.5	61.5	17.9	12.6	31	
EVP003900	48.0	39	24.5	61.5	18.8	13.3	31	
EVP004200	54.0	42	24.5	61.5	20.5	14.9	31	
EVP004800	60.0	48	28.2	71.9	22.1	16.2	36	
EVP005700	72.0	57	31.9	82.4	25.4	19.2	41	
EVP007000	90.0	70	46.3	123.0	30.5	23.7	59	
EVP007400	90.0	74	46.3	123.0	30.8	24.0	59	
EVP007600	96.0	76	46.3	123.0	32.2	25.2	59	
EVP008400	108.0	84	46.3	123.0	35.6	28.2	59	
EVP008800	108.0	88	46.3	123.0	35.6	28.2	59	
EVP009800	120.0	98	53.7	143.9	48.6	36.0	73	
EVP010600	132.0	106	53.7	143.9	51.6	38.7	73	
EVP011500	144.0	115	61.0	164.8	55.0	41.7	82	
EVP013100	168.0	131	72.5	184.5	61.7	47.7	97	
EVP014000	172.0	140	83.5	215.8	74.4	60.5	120	
EVP014400	180.0	144	83.5	215.8	76.3	62.4	120	
EVP015200	192.0	152	83.5	215.8	79.7	65.8	120	
EVP018000	228.0	180	94.5	247.2	89.7	75.7	133	

	Grading Ring Diameters												
Arreste	er MCOV	Drop (A) (inches)	Diameter (B) (inches)										
98.0 -	131.0	9.0	16.5										
140.0	- 180.0	14.5	27.9										

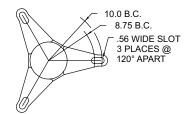




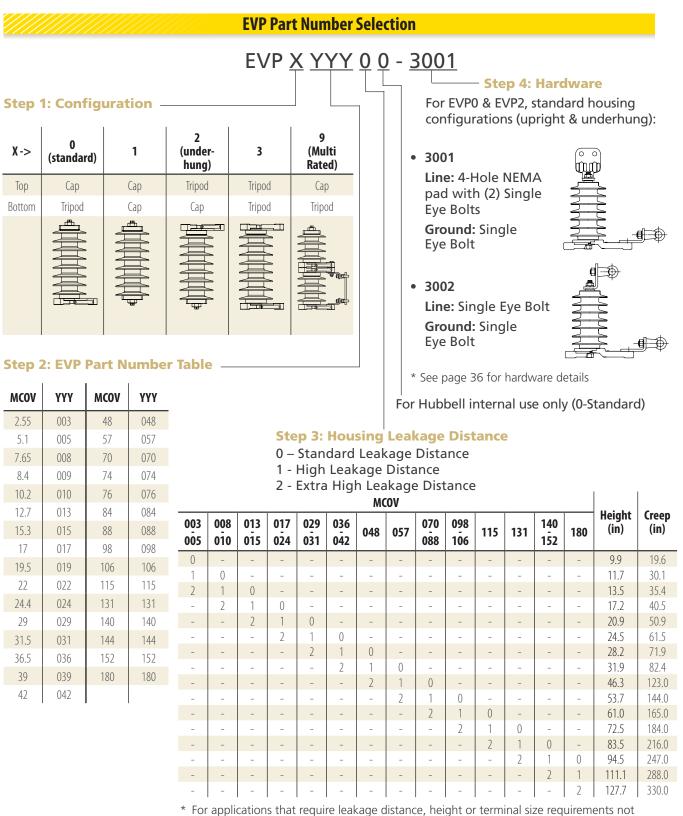




## Base Mounting Information







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## SVN, Station Class

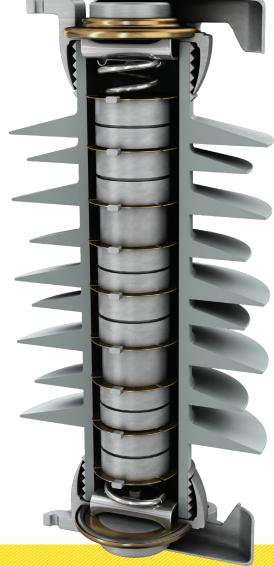
**Overview** – Standard SVN station class arresters are available for use on system voltages from 22.86 kV to 500 kV (24 kV max to 550 kV max). They offer an attractive alternative to porcelain housed arresters (MVN family), without sacrificing any reduction in protective capability or energy handling capability, for cases where the high mechanical strength of porcelain is not required and lower weight would be an advantage.

#### **Construction:**

- "Tube" design, using fiberglass reinforced epoxy tube overmolded with silicone rubber weathershed housing
- Single column of MOV discs and aluminum spacers (as required) centrally located within housing
- Disc column held under high spring compression between ductile iron end fittings affixed to housing
- Directional pressure relief system built integrated into end fittings

#### At-a-Glance:

- High leakage distance designs (standard designs at least 28% more leakage distance than IEEE C62.11 minimum); higher leakage distance designs available for high pollution areas
- Up to 47% lighter than comparable porcelain arresters
- Resilient polymer housing resistant to mechanical damage
- Tested to 65kA rated short circuit current; can handle reclosures with no concern for housing fragmentation



## **Flash Fact:**

Surge arresters can be used to protect any type of equipment in the substation.



SVN Electrical Characteristics												
Standard Arrester Catalog	Duty Cycle Rating	MCOV Maximum Continuous	Maximum 0.5µs Discharge	Maximum Switching Surge		pability or Duty)	Мах			ge Volta nt Wave	ige using (kV)	g an
Number	(kV rms)	Operating Voltage (kV rms)	Voltage (kV ) @ 10 kA	Protective Level (kV) *	1 sec (kV rms)	10 sec (kV rms)	1.5kA	3kA	5kA	10kA	20kA	40kA
SVN012GA010AA	12	10.2	32.1	24.4	14.9	14.3	26.2	27.3	28.2	29.6	31.6	34.8
SVN015GA013AA	15	12.7	39.9	30.3	18.5	17.8	32.6	33.9	35.1	36.8	39.3	43.3
SVN018GA015AA	18	15.3	48.2	36.5	22.3	21.4	39.3	40.9	42.3	44.4	47.4	52.5
SVN021GA017AA	21	17	53.5	40.6	24.8	23.8	43.7	45.4	47.0	49.3	53.0	58.0
SVN024GA019AA	24	19.5	62.0	46.9	28.4	27.3	50.5	52.5	54.5	57.0	61.0	67.0
SVN027GA022AA	27	22	69.5	53.0	32.1	30.8	57.0	59.0	61.0	64.0	68.5	75.5
SVN030GA024AA	30	24.4	79.0	60.0	35.6	34.1	64.5	67.0	69.5	72.5	77.5	85.5
SVN036GA029AA	36	29	92.0	69.5	42.3	40.5	75.0	78.0	80.5	84.5	90.5	99.5
SVN039GA031AA	39	31.5	101.0	76.5	45.9	44.0	82.5	86.0	89.0	93.0	99.5	110.0
SVN045GA036AA	45	36.5	115.0	87.5	53.0	51.0	94.0	98.0	101.0	106.0	114.0	125.0
SVN048GA039AA	48	39	124.0	94.0	57.0	54.5	101.0	105.0	109.0	114.0	122.0	134.0
SVN054GA042AA	54	42	133.0	101.0	61.0	58.5	108.0	113.0	117.0	122.0	131.0	144.0
SVN060GA048AA	60	48	152.0	116.0	70.0	67.0	124.0	129.0	134.0	140.0	150.0	165.0
SVN072GA057AA	72	57	180.0	137.0	83.0	79.5	147.0	153.0	159.0	166.0	178.0	195.0
SVN090GA070AA	90	70	221.0	167.0	102.0	98.0	180.0	187.0	194.0	203.0	217.0	239.0
SVN090GA074AA	90	74	234.0	177.0	108.0	103.0	191.0	198.0	205.0	215.0	230.0	253.0
SVN096GA076AA	96	76	240.0	182.0	111.0	106.0	196.0	204.0	211.0	221.0	236.0	260.0
SVN108GA084AA	108	84	265.0	201.0	122.0	117.0	216.0	225.0	233.0	244.0	261.0	287.0
SVN108GA088AA	108	88	277.0	210.0	128.0	123.0	226.0	235.0	243.0	255.0	273.0	300.0
SVN120GA098AA	120	98	308.0	241.0	143.0	137.0	252.0	262.0	271.0	284.0	304.0	334.0
SVN132GA106AA	132	106	334.0	261.0	155.0	148.0	273.0	284.0	294.0	308.0	329.0	362.0
SVN144GA115AA	144	115	363.0	283.0	168.0	161.0	296.0	308.0	318.0	334.0	357.0	393.0
SVN168GA131AA	168	131	412.0	322.0	191.0	183.0	337.0	350.0	362.0	380.0	406.0	447.0
SVN172GA140AA	172	140	441.0	344.0	204.0	196.0	360.0	374.0	387.0	406.0	434.0	477.0
SVN180GA144AA	180	144	454.0	355.0	210.0	201.0	370.0	385.0	398.0	418.0	447.0	491.0
SVN192GA152AA	192	152	479.0	374.0	222.0	212.0	391.0	406.0	420.0	441.0	471.0	518.0
SVN198GA158AA	198	158	497.0	388.0	230.0	221.0	406.0	422.0	437.0	458.0	489.0	538.0
SVN202GA161AA	202	161	507.0	396.0	235.0	225.0	414.0	430.0	445.0	467.0	499.0	549.0
SVN218GA175AA	218	175	551.0	431.0	255.0	245.0	450.0	468.0	484.0	508.0	543.0	597.0
SVN228GA180AA	228	180	566.0	443.0	262.0	252.0	462.0	481.0	497.0	522.0	557.0	613.0
SVN240GA190AA	240	190	598.0	467.0	277.0	266.0	488.0		525.0	551.0	588.0	647.0
SVN258GA209AA	258	209	657.0	532.0	305.0	292.0	537.0	558.0		606.0	647.0	712.0
SVN264GA212AA	264	212	667.0	540.0	309.0	296.0	545.0	566.0		615.0	657.0	723.0
SVN276GA220AA	276	220	692.0	560.0	321.0	308.0	565.0	587.0		638.0	681.0	750.0
SVN288GA230AA	288	230	724.0	585.0	335.0	322.0	591.0		635.0	667.0	712.0	784.0
SVN312GA245AA	312	245	770.0	623.0	357.0	343.0	629.0	654.0		710.0	758.0	834.0
SVN396GA318AA	396	318	1053.0	809.0	464.0	445.0	816.0	849.0		922.0	984.0	1083.0
SVN420GA335AA	420	335	1109.0	852.0	488.0	468.0	860.0		925.0	971.0	1037.0	1140.0
SVN444GA353AA	444	353	1169.0	898.0	515.0	493.0					1092.0	
SVN564GA448AA	564	448	1484.0	1140.0	653.0	626.0					1387.0	

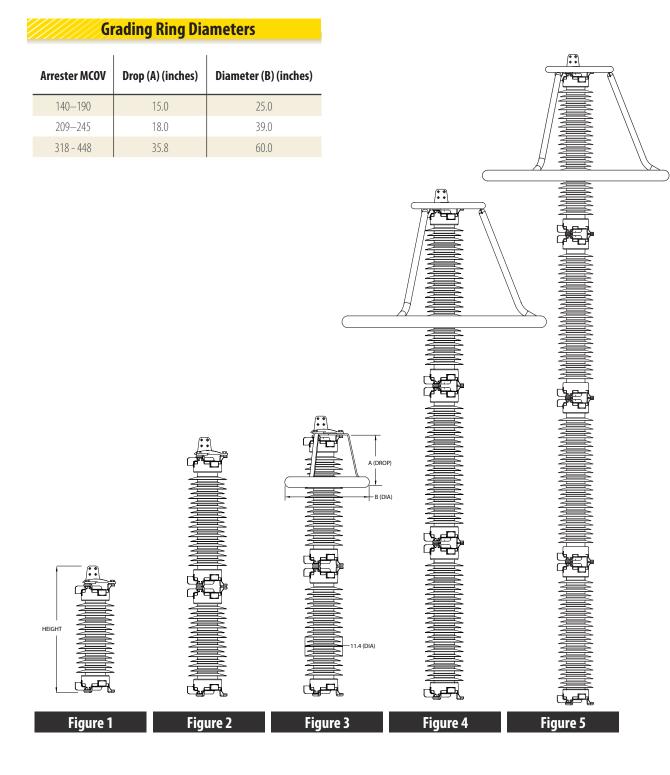
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## **SVN Physical Characteristics**

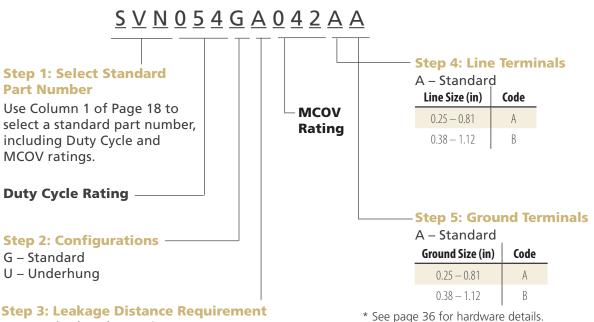
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Number	(kV rms)	Voltage (kV rms)	(Inches)	(Inches)	Figure	Ph – Gd	Ph – Ph	(Pounds)	
SVN012GA010AA	12	10.2	38.1	83.9	1	1.4	0.8	104	
SVN015GA013AA	15	12.7	38.1	83.9	1	2.1	1.4	106	
SVN018GA015AA	18	15.3	38.1	83.9	1	2.8	2.0	107	
SVN021GA017AA	21	17	38.1	83.9	1	3.3	2.4	107	
SVN024GA019AA	24	19.5	38.1	83.9	1	4.0	3.0	109	
SVN027GA022AA	27	22	38.1	83.9	1	4.6	3.6	111	
SVN030GA024AA	30	24.4	38.1	83.9	1	5.4	4.3	112	
SVN036GA029AA	36	29	38.1	83.9	1	6.5	5.3	115	
SVN039GA031AA	39	31.5	38.1	83.9	1	7.3	5.9	116	
SVN045GA036AA	45	36.5	38.1	83.9	1	8.5	7.0	119	
SVN048GA039AA	48	39	38.1	83.9	1	9.2	7.6	120	
SVN054GA042AA	54	42	38.1	83.9	1	9.9	8.3	122	
SVN060GA048AA	60	48	38.1	83.9	1	11.6	9.8	125	
SVN072GA057AA	72	57	38.1	83.9	1	14.0	11.9	130	
SVN090GA070AA	90	70	44.4	113.4	1	17.3	14.8	144	
SVN090GA074AA	90	74	44.4	113.4	1	18.4	15.8	145	
SVN096GA076AA	96	76	44.4	113.4	1	18.9	16.3	146	
SVN108GA084AA	108	84	52.1	142.5	1	21.1	18.1	160	
SVN108GA088AA	108	88	52.1	142.5	1	22.1	19.1	161	
SVN120GA098AA	120	98	52.1	142.5	1	24.7	21.4	168	
SVN132GA106AA	132	106	58.8	172.0	1	26.9	23.3	181	
SVN144GA115AA	144	115	58.8	172.0	1	29.3	25.4	186	
SVN168GA131AA	168	131	76.8	197.2	2	33.5	29.1	264	
SVN172GA140AA	172	140	76.8	197.2	3	35.8	31.2	286	
SVN180GA144AA	180	144	76.8	197.2	3	37.0	32.2	288	
SVN192GA152AA	192	152	83.1	226.8	3	39.0	34.0	298	
SVN198GA158AA	198	158	83.1	226.8	3	40.5	35.4	302	
SVN202GA161AA	202	161	83.1	226.8	3	41.4	36.1	304	
SVN218GA175AA	218	175	90.8	255.9	3	45.2	39.5	320	
SVN228GA180AA	228	180	90.8	255.9	3	46.4	40.5	324	
SVN240GA190AA	240	190	98.5	285.0	3	49.0	42.9	338	
SVN258GA209AA	258	209	105.2	314.6	3	54.1	47.3	365	
SVN264GA212AA	264	212	105.2	314.6	3	54.9	48.1	367	
SVN276GA220AA	276	220	105.2	314.6	3	57.0	49.9	371	
SVN288GA230AA	288	230	111.9	344.1	3	59.6	52.3	387	
SVN312GA245AA	312	245	129.6	369.3	4	63.5	55.7	459	
SVN396GA318AA	396	318	151.7	457.1	4	82.9	72.8	559	
SVN420GA335AA	420	335	158.4	486.6	4	87.4	76.8	578	
SVN444GA353AA	444	353	165.1	516.1	4	92.1	81.0	597	
SVN564GA448AA	564	448	211.5	658.7	5	117.3	103.3	751	







#### **SVN Part Numbers**



**Step 3: Leakage Distance Requirement** 

- A Standard Leakage Distance
- **B** High Leakage Distance
- C Extra High Leakage Distance
- D Mega High Leakage Distance

	MCOV											Hoight	Leakage				
	10 57	070 076	084 098	106 115	131 144	152 161	175 180	190	209 220	230	245	318	335	353	448	Height (in)	Distance (in)
ļ	A															38.1	83.9
[	В	А														44.4	113.4
(	C	В	А													52.1	142.5
[	D	С	В	А												58.8	172.0
		D	С	В	A											76.8	197.2
			D	С	В	А										83.1	226.8
				D	С	В	A									90.8	255.9
					D	С	В	А								98.5	285.0
						D	C	В	A							105.2	314.6
							D	С	В	A						111.9	344.1
								D	C	В	Α					129.6	369.3
									D	С	В					137.3	398.4
											С					145.0	427.6
												Α				151.7	457.1
												В	A			162.3	486.6
												С	В	Α		169.0	516.1
													С	В		183.7	540.9
														С		195.4	570.1
															А	211.5	658.7

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SVNH arresters are available for use on system voltages from 161 to 500 kV. These arresters offer a high strength alternative to the SVN arresters, without sacrificing protective capability or energy handling capability.

			SVNH E	lectrical Cl	naracte	ristics						
Standard Arrester Catalog	Duty Cycle	MCOV Maximum Continuous	Maximum 0.5µs Discharge	Maximum Switching Surge		pability or Duty)	Maxim	um Disch		tage usin e (kV)	g an 8/20	Current
Number	Rating (kV rms)	Operating Voltage (kV rms)	Voltage (kV) @ 20 kA	Protective Level (kV) *	1 sec (kV rms)	10 sec (kV rms)	1.5kA	3kA	5kA	10kA	20kA	40kA
SVNH144GA115	144	115	383.0	279.9	170.0	163.1	293.6	304.0	314.5	330.4	352.5	387.9
SVNH168GA131	168	131	436.0	318.8	193.6	185.8	334.4	346.3	358.3	376.4	401.6	441.9
SVNH172GA140	172	140	466.0	340.7	206.9	198.5	357.4	370.1	382.9	402.2	429.2	472.2
SVNH180GA144	180	144	479.0	350.4	212.8	204.2	367.6	380.6	393.9	413.7	441.4	485.7
SVNH192GA152	192	152	506.0	369.9	224.7	215.5	388.0	401.8	415.7	436.7	466.0	512.7
SVNH240GA190	240	190	632.0	462.4	280.8	269.4	485.0	502.2	519.7	545.9	582.5	640.9
SVNH258GA209	258	209	695.0	526.6	308.9	296.4	533.5	552.4	571.7	600.5	640.7	705.0
SVNH264GA212	264	212	705.0	534.2	313.3	300.6	541.2	560.4	579.9	609.1	649.9	715.1
SVNH276GA220	276	220	732.0	554.3	325.2	312.0	561.6	581.5	601.7	632.1	674.4	742.1
SVNH288GA230	288	230	765.0	579.5	339.9	326.1	587.1	607.9	629.1	660.8	705.1	775.8
SVNH294GA235	294	235	781.0	592.1	347.3	333.2	599.9	621.2	642.8	675.2	720.4	792.7
SVNH312GA245	312	245	815.0	617.3	362.1	347.4	625.4	647.6	670.1	703.9	751.1	826.4
SVNH396GA318	396	318	1171.0	801.3	470.0	450.9	811.8	840.6	869.8	913.6	974.9	1072.6
SVNH420GA335	420	335	1234.0	844.1	495.1	475.0	855.2	885.5	916.3	962.5	1027.0	1130.0
SVNH444GA353	444	353	1300.0	889.5	521.7	500.6	901.1	933.1	965.5	1014.2	1082.2	1190.7

#### CUNILL EL A

The new SVNX arresters are lightweight and are more resistant to fragmenting than traditional porcelain arresters. SVNX arresters are typically applied to system voltages higher than 500 kV where the energy requirements are higher than required for lower voltage systems.

### **SVNX Electrical Characteristics**

Standard Arrester Catalog	Duty MCOV Cycle Continuous Rating Operating		Maximum 0.5µs Discharge	Maximum Switching Surge	TOV Capability (No Prior Duty)		Maximum Discharge Voltage using an 8/20 Curren Wave (kV)							
Number	(kV rms)	Operating Voltage (kV rms)	Voltage (kV) @ 20 kA	Protective Level (kV) *	1 sec (kV rms)	10 sec (kV rms)	1.5kA	3kA	5kA	10kA	20kA	40kA		
SVNX396GA318AA	396	318	970	774	462	442	768	795	820	859	911	975		
SVNX420GA335AA	420	335	1022	815	487	466	809	837	863	905	959	1027		
SVNX444GA353AA	444	353	1077	859	513	491	853	882	910	954	1011	1082		
SVNX588GA470AA	588	470	1434	1144	683	654	1135	1175	1211	1270	1346	1441		

\* Discharge voltages are based on 2,000 A.



SVNH Physical Characteristics													
Chan da ad American	Duty Cycle	MCOV Maximum	Height	Leakage	Durwing		led Minimum e (Inches)	N-4 W-1-L4					
Standard Arrester Catalog Number	Rating (kV rms)	Continuous Operating Voltage (kV rms)	Dimension (Inches)	Distance (Inches)	Drawing Figure	Ph - Ph	Ph - Gd	Net Weight (Pounds)					
SVNH144GA115	144	115	68.9	184.1	1	28.9	25.1	346					
SVNH168GA131	168	131	68.9	184.1	1	33.1	28.8	350					
SVNH172GA140	172	140	68.9	184.1	1	35.4	30.9	353					
SVNH180GA144	180	144	78.8	224.6	2	36.5	31.8	401					
SVNH192GA152	192	152	78.8	224.6	2	38.6	33.6	404					
SVNH240GA190	240	190	112	284.6	3	48.5	42.5	607					
SVNH258GA209	258	209	112	284.6	3	53.5	46.9	614					
SVNH264GA212	264	212	112	284.6	3	54.3	47.6	615					
SVNH276GA220	276	220	112	284.6	3	56.4	49.4	617					
SVNH288GA230	288	230	122	326.4	3	59.0	51.7	651					
SVNH294GA235	294	235	122	326.4	3	60.3	52.9	652					
SVNH312GA245	312	245	122	326.4	3	62.9	55.2	656					
SVNH396GA318	396	318	152	449.1	3	82.1	72.1	828					
SVNH420GA335	420	335	176	468.7	4	86.5	76.1	993					
SVNH444GA353	44	353	176	468.7	4	91.2	80.2	998					

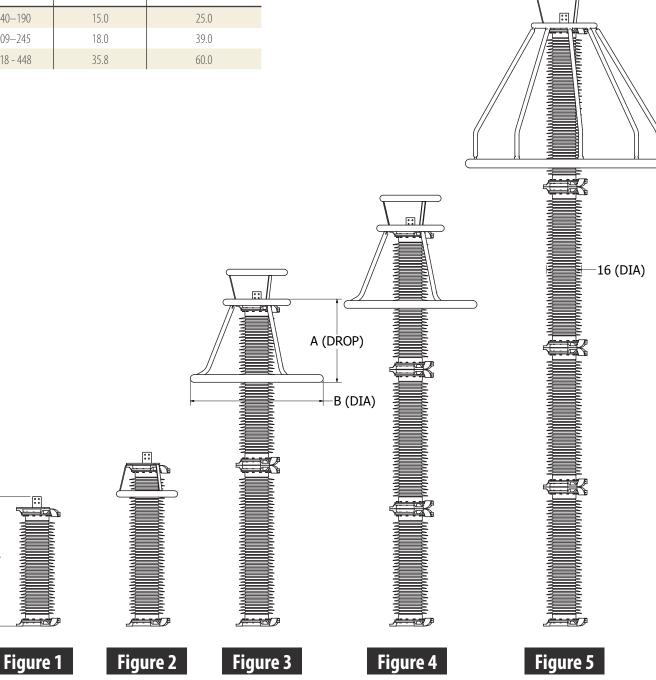
## SVNH Physical Characteristic

These arresters are typically applied to system voltages higher than 500 kV where the energy requirements are higher than required for lower voltage systems. If a high energy rated arrester is required for a lower system voltage, Hubbell Power Systems can provide these. Please contact your Hubbell Power Systems Representative at 1.573.682.5521 for more information.

	SVNX Physical Characteristics													
	Duty Cycle	MCOV Maximum	Height	Leakage			ed Minimum e (Inches)							
Standard Arrester Catalog Number	Rating (kV rms)	Continuous Operating Voltage (kV rms)	Dimension (Inches)	Distance (Inches)	Drawing Figure	Ph - Ph	Ph - Gd	Net Weight (Pounds)						
SVNX396GA318AA	396	318	152.0	449	3	77	67	1080						
SVNX420GA335AA	420	335	175.8	469	4	81	71	1285						
SVNX444GA353AA	444	353	175.8	469	4	85	75	1294						
SVNX588GA470AA	588	470	259.1	736	5	114	100	1847						

## **Grading Ring Diameters**

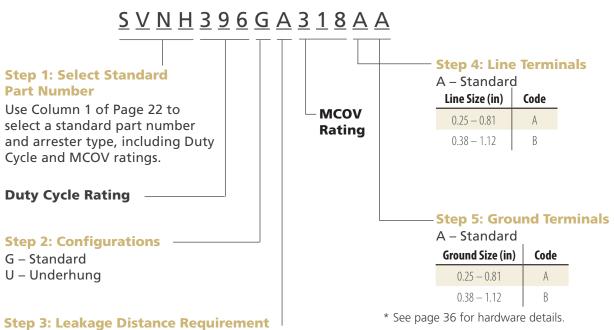
Arrester MCOV	Drop (A) (inches)	Diameter (B) (inches)
140—190	15.0	25.0
209-245	18.0	39.0
318 - 448	35.8	60.0





HEIGHT

#### **SVNH & SVNX Part Numbers**



- A Standard Leakage Distance
- B High Leakage Distance
- C Extra High Leakage Distance

				мсоу					Leakage
	115 131	144 152	190 220	230 245	318	335 353	470	Height (in)	Distance (in)
	А							68.9	184.1
	В	А						78.8	224.6
	С	В	A					112.4	284.6
		С	В	A				122.4	326.4
			С	В				132.3	368.2
				С				142.2	408.7
de					А			152.0	449.1
Letter Code					В	A		175.8	468.7
a L					С	В		185.7	510.5
ţ						С		195.7	552.3
Ľ							А	259.1	736.4
							В	268.9	776.9
							С	278.8	817.3

leakage, height or terminal size requirements not listed, please contact your Hubbell Power Systems Representative at 1.573.682.5521.

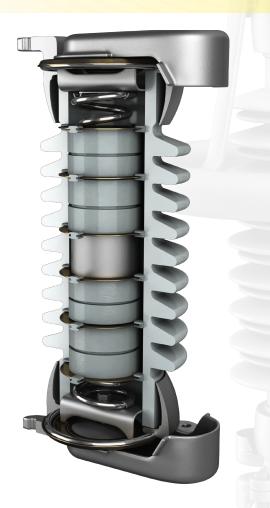
\* For applications that require



# Porcelain Housed Surge Arresters



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## VL & MVN, Station Class

**Overview** – Porcelain housed surge arresters have been the standard in the industry for the last 50 years. The VL/MVN family of surge arresters continue in this proud tradition and they are available for use on system voltages from 2.4 kV to 500 kV (2.52 kV max to 550 kV max). They offer high mechanical strength compared to polymer housed station class surge arresters. Additionally, the MVN family (up to 353 kV MCOV) meets the requirements for High Seismic Performance per IEEE Standard 693-2005.

#### **Construction:**

- Porcelain housing for maximized mechanical performance
- Single column of MOV discs and aluminum spacers (as required) centrally located within housing
- Disc column held under high spring compression between ductile iron end fittings affixed to housing
- Directional pressure relief system built integrated into end fittings

#### At-a-Glance:

- Operate at altitudes up to 12,000 feet/3,600 meters
- Designed to withstand winds up to 120 mph
- High cantilever strength for windstorms or earthquakes

	Summary Table Comparison													
Product Line	Voltage Rating (kV rms)	MCOV (kV rms)	Energy Capability (kJ/kV- MCOV) *	Rated Short Circuit Current (Pressure Relief) (kA rms)	Maximum Working Cantilever (in-lb)	Maximum Short-Term Cantilever (in-lb)								
VL	3 - 48	2.55 - 39	9	65	28,000	70,000								
MVN	12 - 444	10.2 - 353	11	65	60,000	150,000								

\* Energy imparted to the arrester over a one minute period, from which the arrester can thermally recover at MCOV under usual service conditions.

## Flash Fact:

Dual rated surge arresters are available to protect equipment that may operate at more than one system voltage.



	VL Electrical Characteristics													
Standard	Duty	MCOV Maximum	Maximum 0.5µs	Maximum Switching		pability or Duty)	Maxir		charge \ urrent W			1 <b>8/20</b>		
Arrester Catalog Number	Cycle Rating (kV rms)	Continuous Operating Voltage (kV rms)	Discharge Voltage (kV) @ 10 kA	Surge Protective Level (kV) *	1 sec (kV rms)	10 sec (kV rms)	1.5kA	3kA	5kA	10kA	20kA	40kA		
216003-3001	3	2.55	9.1	6.3	3.7	3.5	6.9	7.2	7.5	8.0	9.0	10.3		
216005-3001	6	5.1	17.9	12.4	7.4	7.0	13.6	14.2	14.8	15.8	17.7	20.3		
219508-3001	9	7.65	26.6	18.4	11.1	10.5	20.2	21.1	22.0	23.5	26.4	30.2		
219509-3001	10	8.4	29.3	20.3	12.1	11.6	22.2	23.3	24.2	25.9	29.1	33.3		
219510-3001	12	10.2	35.5	24.6	14.7	14.0	26.9	28.2	29.4	31.4	35.2	40.4		
219513-3001	15	12.7	44.2	30.6	18.4	17.5	33.5	35.1	36.6	39.1	43.9	50.3		
216015-3001	18	15.3	53.3	36.8	22.1	21.0	40.4	42.3	44.1	47.1	52.8	60.6		
219517-3001	21	17	59.1	40.9	24.6	23.4	44.8	46.9	48.9	52.3	58.7	67.2		
219519-3001	24	19.5	67.8	46.9	28.2	26.8	51.4	53.8	56.1	60.0	67.3	77.1		
216022-3001	27	22	76.5	52.9	31.8	30.3	58.0	60.8	63.3	67.7	75.9	87.0		
216024-3001	30	24.4	84.9	58.7	35.3	33.6	64.3	67.4	70.3	75.1	84.2	96.5		
219529-3001	36	29	101.0	69.7	41.9	39.9	76.4	80.0	83.4	89.2	100.0	115.0		
216031-3001	39	31.5	110.0	75.8	45.5	43.3	83.0	86.9	90.6	96.9	109.0	125.0		
219536-3001	45	36.5	128.0	88.3	52.7	50.2	96.8	102.0	106.0	113.0	127.0	146.0		
219539-3001	48	39	136.0	93.8	56.4	53.6	103.0	108.0	113.0	120.0	135.0	155.0		

 $\star\,$  500A surge of 45  $\mu s$  time to crest.

## Flash Fact:

Porcelain arresters with nameplates older than 1977 are Silicon Carbide designs.



	Duty Cycle	мсоу	Height	Leakage		led Minimum e (Inches)	Net Weight
Standard Arrester Catalog Number	Rating (kV rms)	Maximum Continuous Operating Voltage (kV rms)	Dimension (Inches)	Distance (Inches)	Ph - Ph	Ph - Gd	Weight (Pounds)
216003-3001	3	2.55	19.13	6.2	12.0	6.0	65
216005-3001	6	5.1	19.13	6.2	12.0	7.0	65
219508-3001	9	7.65	19.13	6.2	13.0	7.0	66
219509-3001	10	8.4	19.13	6.2	13.0	8.0	66
219510-3001	12	10.2	21.13	11.1	14.0	8.5	72
219513-3001	15	12.7	21.13	11.1	14.0	8.5	73
216015-3001	18	15.3	24.13	20.0	16.0	9.0	80
219517-3001	21	17	24.13	20.0	16.0	9.0	81
219519-3001	24	19.5	24.13	20.0	17.0	11.0	82
216022-3001	27	22	28.13	31.7	18.0	12.0	90
216024-3001	30	24.4	28.13	31.7	18.0	12.0	91
219529-3001	36	29	28.13	31.7	20.0	14.0	93
216031-3001	39	31.5	31.88	41.0	21.0	14.0	105
219536-3001	45	36.5	31.88	41.0	21.0	15.0	107
219539-3001	48	39	31.88	41.0	20.0	15.0	109

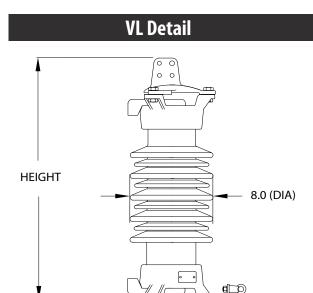
## **VL Physical Characteristics**

## VL Part Numbers

Standard hardware end code is -3001.

- **Top:** Two Single eye-bolts for 4-hole suspension cap
- Bottom: Single eye-bolt
- \* See page 36 for additional hardware details.

For additional hardware options or non-standard configurations including extra leakage distance or height, please contact your Power Systems Representative at 1.573.682.5521.



			<b>MVN Ele</b>	ctrical Chara	<mark>cterist</mark>	ics						
Standard	Duty Cycle	MCOV Maximum	Maximum 0.5µs Discharge	Maximum Switching Surge		pability or Duty)	Maxi		scharge \ Current W			8/20
Arrester Catalog Number	Rating (kV rms)	Continuous Operating Voltage (kV rms)	Voltage	Protective Level (kV) *	1 sec (kV rms)	10 sec (kV rms)	1.5kA	3kA	5kA	10kA	20kA	40kA
MVN012GA010AA	12	10.2	32.1	24.4	15.2	14.5	26.2	27.3	28.2	29.6	31.6	34.8
MVN015GA013AA	15	12.7	39.9	30.3	18.9	18.1	32.6	33.9	35.1	36.8	39.3	43.3
MVN018GA015AA	18	15.3	48.2	36.5	22.8	21.8	39.3	40.9	42.3	44.4	47.4	52.5
MVN021GA017AA	21	17	53.5	40.6	25.3	24.2	43.7	45.4	47.0	49.3	53.0	58.0
MVN024GA019AA	24	19.5	62.0	46.9	29.1	27.7	50.5	52.5	54.5	57.0	61.0	67.0
MVN027GA022AA	27	22	69.5	53.0	32.8	31.3	57.0	59.0	61.0	64.0	68.5	75.5
MVN030GA024AA	30	24.4	77.0	58.5	36.4	34.7	63.0	65.5	68.0	71.0	76.0	83.5
MVN036GA029AA	36	29	92.0	69.5	43.2	41.3	75.0	78.0	80.5	84.5	90.5	99.5
MVN039GA031AA	39	31.5	99.5	75.5	46.9	44.8	81.0	84.5	87.5	91.5	98.0	108
MVN045GA036AA	45	36.5	115.0	87.5	54.5	52.0	94.0	98.0	101.0	106.0	114.0	125.0
MVN048GA039AA	48	39	124.0	94.0	58.0	55.5	101.0	105.0	109.0	114.0	122.0	134.0
MVN054GA042AA	54	42	133.0	101.0	62.5	60.0	108.0	113.0	117.0	122.0	131.0	144.0
MVN060GA048AA	60	48	152.0	116.0	71.5	68.5	124.0	129.0	134.0	140.0	150.0	165.0
MVN066GA053AA	66	53	167.0	127.0	79.0	75.5	137.0	142.0	147.0	154.0	165.0	181.0
MVN072GA057AA	72	57	180.0	137.0	85.0	81.0	147.0	153.0	159.0	166.0	178.0	195.0
MVN090GA070AA	90	70	221.0	167.0	104.0	99.5	180.0	187.0	194.0	203.0	217.0	239.0
MVN090GA074AA	90	74	234.0	177.0	110.0	105.0	191.0	198.0	205.0	205.0	230.0	253.0
MVN096GA076AA	96	76	240.0	182.0	113.0	105.0	191.0	204.0	203.0	213.0	236.0	255.0
MVN090GA070AA MVN108GA084AA	108	84	265.0	201.0	125.0	120.0	216.0	204.0	233.0	244.0	261.0	287.0
MVN108GA088AA	108	88	203.0	201.0	131.0	120.0	210.0	235.0	233.0	255.0	273.0	300.0
MVN120GA098AA	120	98	308.0	241.0	146.0	139.0	252.0	262.0	243.0	233.0	304.0	334.0
	120	102		241.0	140.0		252.0	202.0	2/1.0	204.0	316.0	348.0
MVN126GA102AA MVN132GA106AA	120	102	321.0 334.0	251.0	152.0	145.0 151.0	202.0	275.0	282.0	308.0	329.0	362.0
	132										357.0	393.0
MVN144GA115AA		115	363.0	283.0	171.0	164.0	296.0	308.0	318.0	334.0		
MVN168GA131AA	168	131	412.0	322.0	195.0	186.0	337.0	350.0	362.0	380.0	406.0	447.0
MVN172GA140AA	172	140	441.0	344.0	209.0	199.0	360.0	374.0	387.0	406.0	434.0	477.0
MVN180GA144AA	180	144	454.0	355.0	215.0	205.0	370.0	385.0	398.0	418.0	447.0	491.0
MVN192GA152AA	192	152	479.0	374.0	226.0	216.0	391.0	406.0	420.0	441.0	471.0	518.0
MVN202GA161AA	202	161	507.0	396.0	240.0	229.0	414.0	430.0	445.0	467.0	499.0	549.0
MVN216GA168AA	216	168	528.0	413.0	250.0	239.0	431.0	449.0	464.0	487.0	520.0	572.0
MVN228GA180AA	228	180	566.0	443.0	268.0	256.0	462.0	481.0	497.0	522.0	557.0	613.0
MVN240GA190AA	240	190	598.0	467.0	283.0	270.0	488.0	507.0	525.0	551.0	588.0	647.0
MVN258GA209AA	258	209	657.0	532.0	311.0	297.0	537.0	558.0	577.0	606.0	647.0	712.0
MVN264GA212AA	264	212	667.0	540.0	316.0	302.0	545.0	566.0	586.0	615.0	657.0	723.0
MVN276GA220AA	276	220	692.0	560.0	328.0	313.0	565.0	587.0	608.0	638.0	681.0	750.0
MVN288GA230AA	288	230	724.0	585.0	343.0	327.0	591.0	614.0	635.0	667.0	712.0	784.0
MVN294GA235AA	294	235	739.0	598.0	350.0	334.0	603.0	627.0	649.0	681.0	727.0	800.0
MVN300GA243AA	300	243	765.0	619.0	362.0	346.0	624.0	649.0	672.0	705.0	753.0	828.0
MVN312GA245AA	312	245	770.0	623.0	365.0	349.0	629.0	654.0	676.0	710.0	758.0	834.0
MVN336GA274AA	336	274	861.0	697.0	408.0	390.0	703.0	731.0	756.0	794.0	848.0	933.0
MVN360GA288AA	360	288	906.0	733.0	429.0	410.0	739.0	769.0	795.0	835.0	891.0	981.0
MVN396GA318AA	396	318	1053.0	809.0	474.0	453.0	816.0	849.0	878.0	922.0	984.0	1083.0
MVN420GA335AA	420	335	1109.0	852.0	499.0	477.0	860.0	894.0	925.0	971.0		1140.0
MVN444GA353AA	444	353	1169.0	898.0	526.0	502.0	906.0	942.0	974.0	1023.0	1092.0	1202.0

\* Discharge voltages are based on a 500A surge of 45 μs time to crest through 88 kV MCOV and 1,000A surge of 45 μs time through 190 kV MCOV and 2,000A through 353 kV MCOV.

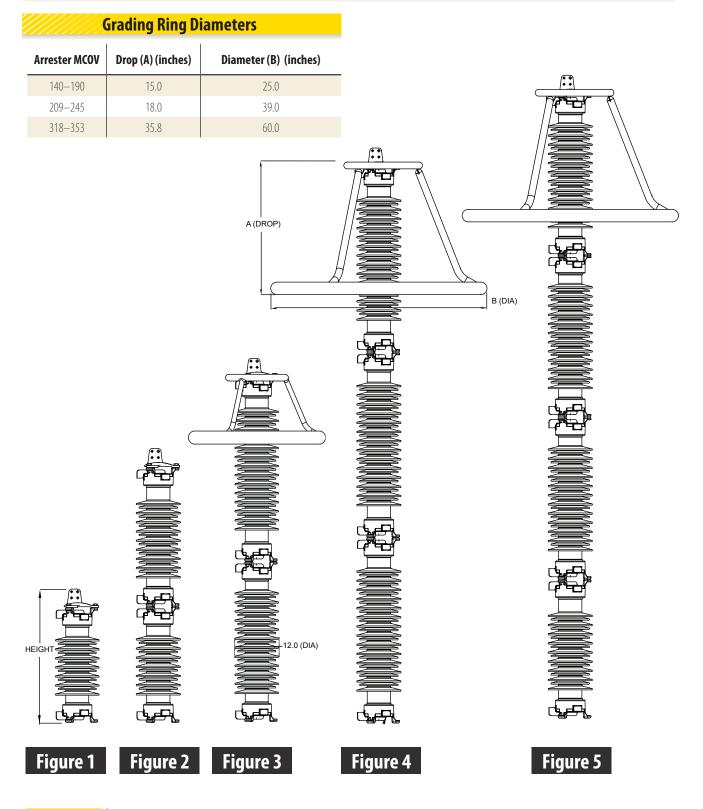


## **MVN Physical Characteristics**

Standard Arrester Catalog	Duty Cycle Rating	MCOV Maximum Continuous	Height Dimension	Leakage Distance	Drawing	Recommen Clearan	Net — Weight	
Number	(kV rms)	Operating Voltage (kV rms)	(Inches)	(Inches)	Figure	Ph - Gd	Ph - Ph	(Pounds
MVN012GA010AA	12	10.2	31.7	43.9	1	1.4	0.8	129
MVN015GA013AA	15	12.7	31.7	43.9	1	2.1	1.4	131
MVN018GA015AA	18	15.3	31.7	43.9	1	2.8	2.0	132
MVN021GA017AA	21	17	31.7	43.9	1	3.3	2.4	133
MVN024GA019AA	24	19.5	31.7	43.9	1	4.0	3.0	134
MVN027GA022AA	27	22	31.7	43.9	1	4.6	3.6	136
MVN030GA024AA	30	24.4	31.7	43.9	1	5.2	4.2	137
MVN036GA029AA	36	29	31.7	43.9	1	6.5	5.3	140
MVN039GA031AA	39	31.5	31.7	43.9	1	7.1	5.8	141
MVN045GA036AA	45	36.5	38.1	75.0	1	8.5	7.0	172
MVN048GA039AA	48	39	38.1	75.0	1	9.2	7.6	174
MVN054GA042AA	54	42	38.1	75.0	1	9.9	8.3	176
MVN060GA048AA	60	48	38.1	75.0	1	11.6	9.8	179
MVN066GA053AA	66	53	38.1	75.0	1	12.9	10.9	181
MVN072GA057AA	72	57	38.1	75.0	1	14.0	11.9	184
MVN090GA070AA	90	70	44.1	100.0	1	17.3	14.8	218
MVN090GA074AA	90	74	44.1	100.0	1	18.4	15.8	220
MVN096GA076AA	96	76	44.1	100.0	1	18.9	16.3	221
MVN108GA084AA	108	84	50.6	126.3	1	21.1	18.1	257
MVN108GA088AA	108	88	50.6	126.3	1	22.1	19.1	258
MVN120GA098AA	120	98	50.6	126.3	1	24.7	21.4	264
MVN126GA102AA	126	102	57.1	152.5	1	25.8	22.3	294
MVN132GA106AA	132	102	57.1	152.5	1	26.9	23.3	295
MVN144GA115AA	144	115	57.1	152.5	1	29.3	25.4	300
MVN168GA131AA	168	131	76.6	175.0	2	33.5	29.1	392
MVN172GA140AA	172	140	76.6	175.0	2	35.8	31.2	415
MVN180GA144AA	180	144	82.6	200.0	3	37.0	32.2	443
MVN192GA152AA	192	152	82.6	200.0	3	39.0	34.0	448
MVN202GA161AA	202	161	89.1	226.3	3	41.4	36.1	485
MVN216GA168AA	216	168	89.1	226.3	3	43.2	37.7	488
MVN228GA180AA	228	180	95.6	252.5	3	46.4	40.5	525
MVN240GA190AA	240	190	95.6	252.5	3	49.0	42.9	531
MVN258GA209AA	240	209	102.1	278.8	3	54.1	47.3	575
MVN264GA212AA	258	209	102.1	278.8	3	54.9	48.1	577
MVN276GA220AA	276	220	102.1	305.0	3	57.0	49.9	608
MVN270GA220AA MVN288GA230AA	270	230	108.6	305.0		59.6	52.3	613
MVN200GA250AA MVN294GA235AA	200	230	108.6	326.3	3	60.9	53.4	700
MVN294GAZ33AA MVN300GA243AA	300	235	127.6	326.3		63.1	55.4	700
MVN312GA245AA	312	245	127.6	326.3	4	63.5	55.7	704
MVN312GA245AA MVN336GA274AA					4			
	336	274	134.1	352.5	4	71.2	62.5	751
MVN360GA288AA	360	288	140.6	378.8	4	74.9	65.8	790
MVN396GA318AA	396	318	153.6	431.3	4	82.9	72.8	892
MVN420GA335AA	420	335	160.1	457.6	4	87.4	76.8	928
MVN444GA353AA	444	353	179.1	478.8	5	92.1	81.0	1026

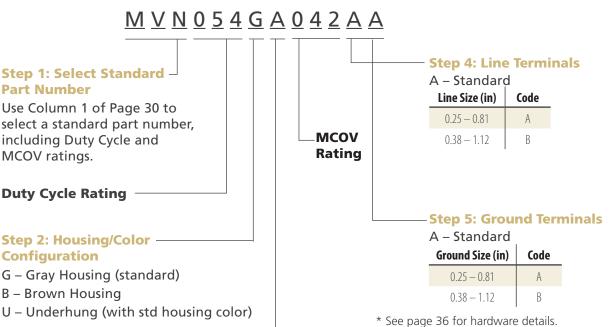


## **MVN Detail**





#### **MVN Part Number Selection**



#### **Step 3: Leakage Distance Requirement**

- A Standard Leakage Distance
- **B** High Leakage Distance
- C Extra High Leakage Distance
- D Mega High Leakage Distance

		_		-			MCOV								Leakage
10.2 31.5	042 057	070 076	084 098	106 115	131 140	144 152	180 190	209 2ī2	220 230	245	318	335	353	Height (in)	Distance (in)
А														31.7	43.9
В	A													38.1	75.0
С	В	А												44.1	100.0
D	C	В	А											50.6	126.3
	D	С	В	А										57.1	152.5
		D	С	В	А									76.6	175.0
			D	С	В	Α								82.6	200.0
				D	С	В								89.1	226.3
					D	С	A							95.6	252.5
						D	В	A						102.1	278.8
							C	В	Α					108.6	305.0
							D	С	В	Α				127.6	326.3
								D	С	В				134.1	352.5
									D	С				140.6	378.8
											A			153.6	431.3
											В	A		160.1	457.6
												В	A	179.1	478.8
													В	185.6	505.0

\* For applications that require leakage, height or terminal size requirements not listed, please contact your Hubbell Power Systems Representative at 1.573.682.5521.





**Packaging** – All MVN and SVN arresters are packed in a wooden crate compatible for forklift use. SVNX and SVNH arrester units are shipped vertically, with multiple units bolted to a pallet and crated. Most VL and VLA arresters are packed with each porcelain unit in a separate cardboard carton. EVP arresters above 98kV MCOV will be packaged in a wooden crate compatible for forklift use. All other EVP and PVI-LP arresters will be packaged in a cardboard carton.

All packaging includes proper labeling for correct assembly upon construction. Stacking bolts, when required, are included. If needed, grading rings are packed, shipped separately, and tagged for easy identification.

Base Mounting Summary Table							
	Product Line	Bolt Circle (in)	Bolt Size (in)	Attachment Lug			
				Thickness (in)	Hole Size (in)		
	PVI-LP	8.75 — 10	0.5	0.75	0.56 slotted		
	EVP	8.75 — 10	0.5	1.25	0.56 slotted		
	VL, MVN, SVN	10	0.5	0.63	0.56		
	SVNX, SVNH	16.5	0.75	0.88	0.81 x 1.11 slotted		

**Base Mounting Information** – PVI-LP and EVP end castings are furnished with three slotted holes for 8.75" to 10" diameter bolt circles, 120 degrees apart. End castings of types VL, MVN, and SVN arresters are furnished with three holes, 120 degrees on a 10" diameter bolt circle. End castings for the SVNX and SVNH type arresters are furnished with 3 holes, 120 degrees apart on a 16.5" bolt circle.

Mounting holes will accommodate  $\frac{1}{2}$  or  $\frac{3}{4}$  inch bolts. Rated cantilever strength is achieved with the use of  $\frac{1}{2}$  or  $\frac{3}{4}$  inch bolts. Mounting bolts, nuts, and washers are not furnished with arresters.

**Horizontal Mounting of Arresters** – Many Hubbell Power Systems substation arresters can be mounted horizontally. The first consideration is the cantilever force at the mounting point not exceed the cataloged rated working cantilever load of the arrester under consideration. This force is a calculation of the total weight of the arrester multiplied by 50% of the total height of the arrester.

Other considerations such as how much residual strength is available for large conductor loading, ice loading and wind loading require a more detailed analysis. In these cases please contact your Hubbell Power Systems Representative at 1.573.682.5521 for technical assistance.



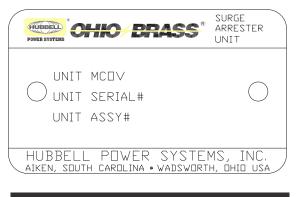
# Accessories / Hardware

#### Nameplates:

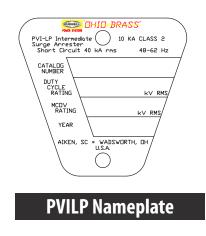
- Each arrester is identified with an arrester nameplate attached to its bottom casting.
- Arrester nameplates display the MCOV, duty cycle rating, pressure relief current, serial and catalog numbers as required by IEEE and IEC.
- On multiple-unit stacks, the plate is attached to the bottom unit. It features all of the same information as well as the stacking sequence.
- Multiple-unit arresters must be stacked in the order listed on the base nameplate. The stacking sequence is also listed on the arrester crates for easy reference.
- Additionally, multiple-unit stacks feature a unit nameplate on the upper casting of each unit. This identifies the serial number of the specific unit.

POWER SYSTEMS	BRASS <sup>®</sup> SURGE ARRESTER STATION
TYPE CAT#	
SER#	UNIT STACKING ORDER TOP
MCOVKV RMS	$\bigcirc$
48-62Hz RATEDkV RMS	
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**Station Arrester Nameplate** 



## **Arrester Unit Nameplate**



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	SER#	MCEV (Uc) kV RMS	SHORT CIRCUIT	63

## **EVP** Nameplate



# Accessories / Hardware

#### **Counters:**

- Arrester discharge counters can be provided with or without a built-in milliamp meter to provide a continuous grading current reading.
- Operation of an arrester discharge counter and the optional grading current instrument requires that the arrester base be insulated from the ground. Insulating subbases are required to mount the discharge counter.

Counters Summary Table								
Counter Catalog Number	Leakage Current Meter	Range of mA Reading	Max No. Counts	Min Count Current	Max High Current Withstand	Nominal Residual Voltage		
245150 / 245120	No	N/A	999,999	200 A (8/20 μs wave)	100 kA (4/10 μs wave)	5 kV Peak (4/10 μs wave) @ 100kA		
245151 / 245121	Yes	0-30	999,999	200 A (8/20 μs wave)	100 kA (4/10 μs wave)	5 kV Peak (4/10 μs wave) @ 100kA		

**Subbases** – Arresters with discharge counters require that the arrester is insulated from the ground with insulating subbases. Each leg of the tripod base will need an insulating subbase as shown below.



**Note**: A quantity of one subbase assembly kit should be ordered per arrester.

Part No. 2721453076 Heavy Duty 3 Piece Insulating Subbase Assembly Kit - For use with Type MVN and SVN arresters.



Part No. 2730973001 Normal Duty 3 Piece Insulating Subbase Assembly Kit - For use with Type PVI-LP, EVP and VL arresters.

**Counter Kits** – Arresters Counter kits are available containing the counter and three subbases. The catalog numbers are formed by pairing the counter catalog number with SBASEHD for the heavy duty subbases and SBASEND for the normal duty subbases.



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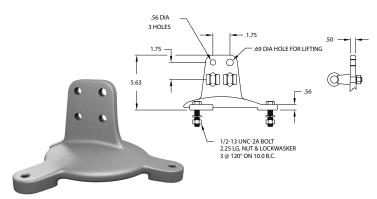
**Line and Ground Terminals** – All Hubbell arresters include as standard line and ground terminals for conductors from .25 to .81 inch diameters. These are made from hot-dipped galvanized (HDG) malleable iron, compatible with either aluminum or copper.

The arrangement of mounting terminals on arresters makes it possible to align them in any direction to accommodate the angle of the incoming lead wire.

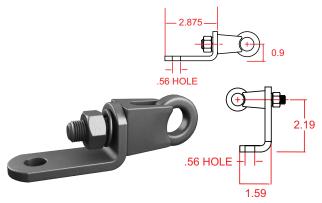
If your conductor size exceeds standard terminal capacity, contact your Hubbell Power Systems Representative at 1.573.682.5521 for an appropriate quote.



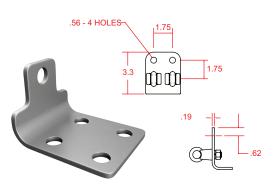
**HDG Terminal Assy, Part No. M271414-3001** Suitable for Cu or Al Conductor Size .25 – .81 in. diameter. (AWG#4 – 500 MCM)



**Suspension Cap, Part No. 272087-3001K** – This cap is the standard suspension cap furnished with VL, MVN and SVN arresters.



HDG Terminal Bracket Assy, Part No. M71874-3001 Suitable for Cu or Al Conductor Size .25 – .81 in. diameter. (AWG#4 – 500 MCM)

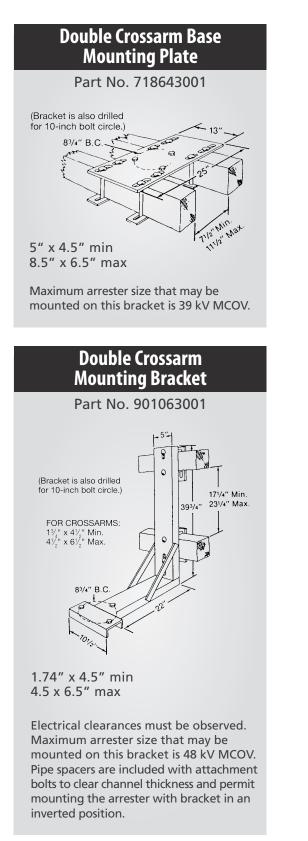


**4-Hole NEMA Pad, Part No. 274914-4002** – Line-end terminals are available with a 4-hole NEMA pad with a single eye-bolt. Single eyebolt ground-end terminals are automatically included. The 4-hole NEMA pad is typically furnished with standard EVP & PVI-LP end codes.

**Engineering Note**: Maximum recommended tightening torque to be applied to the end stud when installing terminals and leads is 20 ft-lbs.

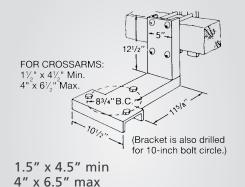


### **Station / Intermediate Mounting Brackets**



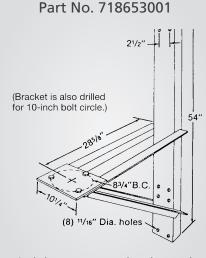
### Single Crossarm Mounting Bracket

Part No. 900643001



Electrical clearances must be observed. Maximum arrester size that may be mounted on this bracket is 48 kV MCOV. Pipe spacers are included with attachment bolts to clear channel thickness and permit mounting the arrester with bracket in an inverted position.

### Wall Mounting Bracket



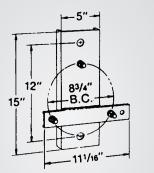
Electrical clearances must be observed. Maximum arrester size that may be mounted on this bracket is 57 kV MCOV.



### **Mounting Brackets for PVI-LP and EVP Arresters**

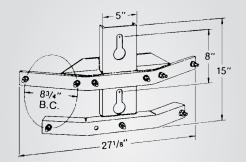
Pole Mounting Bracket for Single Arrester

Part No. 968763001



Provides horizontal arrester mounting for armless construction and cable riser poles. Electrical clearances must be observed. Maximum arrester size that may be mounted on this bracket is 57 kV MCOV. Pole Mounting Bracket for Three Arresters

Part No. 968753001



Provides horizontal arrester mounting for armless construction and cable riser poles. Electrical clearances must be observed. Maximum arrester size that may be mounted on this bracket is 57 kV MCOV.

**Flash Fact:** 

Hubbell and Ohio Brass were both founded in 1888.



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# Arrester FAQs

#### 1. What is the difference between a grading ring and a corona ring?

A grading ring is used to ensure a uniform voltage distribution along the length of an electrical device. This is important for surge arresters so each MOV disc in the arrester is energized at the appropriate voltage.

A corona ring is traditionally used to electrically shield external hardware to prevent corona from developing. This corona could lead to degradation of insulating materials or create interference to electronic communication.

Surge arresters below 500 kV system voltage do not typically need corona rings.

### 2. Why are the catalog phase to phase and phase to ground clearances less than spacing in other industry codes such as the National Electric Code?

The clearances in this catalog are the minimum distances for which the uniform internal voltage distribution of the arrester will not be compromised. It is not the intention of Hubbell Power Systems to overrule a specific customer requirement. If a specific end user application dictates a larger clearance the standard Hubbell Power Systems will function properly.

### 3 Why are the heights of the arrester less than the spacing mandated in other industry codes such as the National Electric Code?

The arresters in this catalog are designed and tested in accordance with IEEE C62.11 which defines minimum insulation withstand of station class arrester. It is not the intention of Hubbell Power Systems to overrule a specific customer requirement. If a specific end user application dictates a larger spacing Hubbell Power Systems can supply a special arrester with the required spacing.

#### 4. Where can I find the Design Test Report for my arrester?

Design Test Reports can be found on the Hubbell Power Systems website under the resources tab. A link is provided below. http://www.hubbellpowersystems.com/resources/test-reports/test-reports-arresters.asp

#### 5. How do I know if I need a grading ring or corona ring for my arrester?

The Hubbell/Ohio Brass Engineers have performed all necessary electric field calculations to make this decision. Therefore, all of our surge arrester part numbers already include rings if required, and you need not specify rings. They will automatically ship with your arrester, stacked on a separate pallet.

#### 6. Can Hubbell Power Systems arresters be mounted in a non-vertical configuration?

Many Hubbell Power Systems substation arresters can be mounted horizontally. The first consideration is the cantilever force at the mounting point not exceed the cataloged rated working cantilever load of the arrester under consideration. This force is a calculation of the total weight of the arrester multiplied by 50% of the total height of the arrester.

#### 7. Where is the terminal hardware that comes with the arresters located?

Suspension cap and terminal hardware items are shipped unattached to the arrester and will be contained in a separate bag or box within the arrester crate. In the case of a multi-unit arrester the hardware will be in the crate of the bottom unit.

Other considerations such as how much residual strength is available for large conductor loading, grading ring loading, ice loading and wind loading require a more detailed analysis. In these cases please contact your Hubbell Power Systems representative at 1.573.682.5521 for technical assistance.

When mounting the arrester in a non vertical or under-hung position, the orientation of the sheds must be considered. If the sheds are inverted this can allow water to pool around the center of the arrester and decrease the creepage distance. This can result in increased chance of flashover.



## **Arrester FAQs**

#### 8. What does MCOV rating of a surge arrester mean?

MCOV stands for the Maximum Continuous Operating Voltage. It represents the power frequency voltage that may be continuously applied to a surge arrester.

The MCOV selected for a given system voltage is a function of the maximum line-to-line voltage as well as the system grounding parameters. Hubbell Power Systems application engineers can assist with the proper MCOV selection for your specific requirement.

#### 9. What if I need a different arrester configuration than what is offered in the catalog.

Hubbell Power Systems can offer many customization options for arresters. Options include increased creepage distances, increased height, different arrester MCOV's, various terminal sizes, higher energy rating, and mounting hardware. Contact your Hubbell Representative at 1.573.682.5521 for more information on arrester customization options.

#### 10. How does MCOV rating differ from Duty Cycle rating?

The Duty Cycle rating of a surge arrester is the power frequency voltage at which the arrester can successfully withstand the duty cycle test per IEEE Standard C62.11. The Duty Cycle rating is a short-term TOV (Temporary Over Voltage) rating.

#### 11. What is the difference between a station class and an intermediate arrester?

Generally, station class arresters have the lowest protective characteristics and most durability, while intermediate arresters perform at levels slightly less robust than station class arresters.

Both of these arresters have traditionally been used in sub-station applications. The arrester IEEE Standard C62.11 defines the performance levels of each of these designs.

#### 12. Why is the system grounding type important to consider when selecting the MCOV rating?

The type of grounding determines the amount of neutral shift during a fault on the power system. The resulting TOV on the arrester could cause damage unless the arrester is sized properly.

Your Hubbell Power Systems Representative can help with the selection of the proper size arrester for your application.

#### 13. How do I use the pressure relief rating value in making my arrester selection?

When a surge arrester fails, it will become shorted. It then will conduct the available short circuit current in the substation.

To minimize the possibility of a catastrophic failure, you should select an arrester with a pressure relief rating that is greater than the available short-circuit current in your substation.

### 14. What routine maintenance and testing does Hubbell Power Systems recommend for station class surge arresters?

Hubbell Power Systems arresters are designed to provide years of successful service without any recommended maintenance. Arresters do not require field testing; however, if testing must be performed we recommend that Hubbell Power Systems be contacted prior to beginning a testing.

#### 15. I have a question that is not covered in this section.

We'll be happy to answer any of your arrester questions. Just contact your local Hubbell Power Systems Representative or call our main customer service line at 1.573-682-5521.



# Engineering Terminology

### A Glossary of Terms Used in This Catalog

**BIL (Basic Insulation Level)**: The electrical strength of insulation in terms of the crest value of a standard lightning impulse under standard atmospheric conditions.

**Corona Ring:** A metal ring used to electrically shield external hardware by preventing corona discharge effects from developing. This will come with the arrester is required by design.

Crest Value: The maximum value that a wave, surge or impulse attains.

**Design Tests**: Tests made on each design to establish performance characteristics and to demonstrate compliance with the appropriate standards of the industry. Once made, they need not be repeated unless the design is changed so as to modify performance.

**Discharge Counter**: A device for recording the number of arrester discharge operations.

**Discharge Voltage**: The voltage that appears across the terminals of an arrester during passage of discharge current. Sometimes referred to as IR.

**Discharge Withstand Current**: The specified magnitude and wave shape of a discharge current that can be applied to an arrester a specified number of times without causing damage to it.

**Duty Cycle Voltage**: The designated maximum permissible voltage between its terminals at which an arrester is designed to perform its duty cycle.

**ESP Polymer:** Proprietary ESP<sup>™</sup> weathershed material, made of a silicone/EPDM alloy. ESP's properties have been confirmed in a series of performance tests that include tracking resistance, contamination, aging, and seal design.

Fault Current: The current from the connected power system that flows in a short circuit.

**Front of Wave Impulse Sparkover Voltage**: The impulse sparkover voltage with a wave front that rises at a uniform rate and causes sparkover on the wave front.

**Grading Ring**: A metal ring mounted to electrostatically modify the voltage gradient or distribution. This will come with the arrester if required by the design.

Ground Terminal: The conducting part provided for connecting the arrester to ground.

Impulse Protective Level: The discharge-voltage value for a defined wave shape.

**Impulse Withstand Voltage**: The crest value of an impulse that, under specified conditions, can be applied without causing a disruptive discharge.

**Line Terminal**: The conducting part of an arrester provided for connecting the arrester to the circuit conductor.



## **Engineering Terminology**

**Maximum Design Cantilever Load-Static (MDCL-Static)**: The maximum cantilever load the surge arrester is designed to continuously carry.

**MOV (Metal Oxide Varistor)**: The power semi-conductor that limits the surge voltage allowing the arrester to perform its protection function. This is the electrically active component of the surge arrester.

**MCOV (Maximum Continuous Operating Voltage)**: The maximum designated root-meansquare (rms) value of power-frequency voltage that may be applied continuously between the terminals of the arrester.

**Partial Discharge (PD)**: A localized electric discharge resulting from ionization in an insulation system when the voltage stress exceeds critical value. The discharge partially bridges the insulation between electrodes.

**Reference Current (Iref)**: The peak value of the resistive component of a power frequency current high enough to make the effects of stray capacitance of the arrester negligible.

**Reference Voltage (Vref)**: The lowest peak value independent of polarity of power frequency voltage, divided by the square root of 2, required to produce a resistive component of current equal to the reference current of the arrester.

**Routine Tests**: Tests made by the manufacturer on every device to verify that the product meets the design specifications.

**Surge Arrester**: A protective device for limiting surge voltages on equipment by diverting surge current and returning the device to its original status. It is capable of repeating these functions multiple times.

**TOV (Temporary Over Voltage)**: A power frequency voltage in excess of normal line-to-ground voltage. A TOV is typically system generated. The magnitude and duration are a function of the power system parameters.

**Prior Duty TOV:** The TOV of the arrester if it has been energized before an over voltage event.

**No Prior Duty TOV:** The TOV of the arrester if it has not been energized prior to an over voltage event.

## **Arrester Routine Factory Testing**

Arrester Routine Factory Testing: After assembly, the arresters are 100 percent tested as follows:

**Discharge Voltage**: Determined by the sum of the resistor elements, each arrester is tested to be within a manufacturer specified range that aligns with the arrester's published ratings.

**Reference Voltage**: The voltage at which the arrester conducts the reference current per the table below. This test verifies the proper MOV discs were used in the assembly.

**Partial Discharge (PD)**: Power-frequency voltage is raised to the duty cycle voltage rating of the arrester or unit, held for not less than 2s, and then lowered to 1.05 times the MCOV of the arrester or unit. The measured PD shall not exceed 10 pC.

**Seal Test**: The helium-mass spectrometer test is performed on arresters with >10% internal gas volume to verify the environmental seal of the arrester or unit.

**Power Frequency (PF)**: A minimum voltage of 1.20 times the MCOV of the arrester or unit is applied to verify that the measured values of watts loss does not exceed the arrester or unit's specified limits.

The above testing procedure indicates our diligence in producing high quality metaloxide arresters.

Flash Fact:

Surge arresters can withstand many surge events over their lifetime.



# Seismic Testing

IEEE 693 is the governing standard for seismic testing of substation equipment for IEEE C62.11 and IEC 60099-4 surge arresters. The IEEE 693 standard details test procedures for seismically validating a wide range of products including arresters, switches, bushings, and a multitude of other equipment. Hubbell Power Systems qualifies the seismic capability of its surge arresters to Annex K of IEEE 693.

All VL and PVI-LP arresters under 35 kV rated voltage are seismically qualified by inherently acceptable criteria. All other Hubbell Power Systems arresters are qualified by shake table testing. To be qualified, a surge arrester must survive the shake table test with no structural damage and remain functional, as demonstrated by successfully passing routine production tests after shake table testing.

IEEE 693 allows seismic qualification based on the concept of "qualifying equipment by group". This concept permits products of different voltage ratings, but similar physical structure, to be combined into groups for qualification purposes, with the most seismically vulnerable piece of equipment of each group being analyzed or tested. The qualification level for Hubbell Power Systems arresters is summarized below. All arresters which do not exceed the listed height, mass and center of gravity for these arresters is also qualified to IEEE 693.

Seismic Capability						
Р	roduct Line	MCOV Certified (kV)	ZPA * Level (g)	Height (in)	Center of Gravity (in)	Mass (Ibs)
	EVP	115	1.25	61	31.8	82.1
	SVN	353	0.5	165	88.2	596.0
	SVNH	318	1.0	152	80.8	829.0
	SVNX	318	1.25	152	79.3	1080.0
	MVN	335	1.0	160	80.5	898.0

\* Zero period acceleration (ZPA): The acceleration level of the high-frequency, non-amplified portion of the response spectrum (e.g., above the cutoff frequency, 33 Hz). This acceleration corresponds to the maximum (peak) acceleration of the time history used to derive the spectrum.

Hubbell Power Systems maintains certification test reports for every seismically certified product. Please contact your Hubbell Power Systems representative at 573.682.5521 for a copy of the certification reports.



## Notes


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