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Attachments to Public Switched Telephone Network (PSTN); General technical requirements for equipment connected to an analogue subscriber interface in the PSTN; Chapter 1: General



1.4.5.3 (D) 1**Off-hook condition**

The Off-hook condition commences when the terminal equipment has reached the stationary DC resistance level and ends with the transition to the dialling state or the quiescent state.

1.4.5.3 (E) 1**PROVISION:**

In some Spanish requirements, when no specific mention to the high impedance condition is made, and the term loop condition is used just in the opposite meaning of the term quiescent condition, the term loop condition is also used simultaneously with the sense of high impedance condition (see section 1.4.5.1 (E) 2).

NOTE:

Usually, the TE in loop condition is potentially capable of sending or receiving speech-band information to or from the network.

1.4.5.4 Dialling or signalling state or condition

Dialling or signalling state or condition of a TE is defined as a condition into which the TE, when connected to the network, is placed such that it passes to the network break pulses or MFPB signals.

1.4.5.4 (D) 1**Dialling state**

The Dialling state is the operating state from the beginning to the end of the transmission of dialling information (digits and interdigital pauses).

1.4.5.5 Register recall state or condition

Register recall state or condition of a TE is defined as a condition into which the TE, when connected to the network, is placed such that it passes to the network a register recall signal.

1.4.6 Line terminals

The term "line terminals" is used throughout the NET as an abbreviated form of "terminals or leads provided for connection to the PSTN CP".

1.4.6 (E) 1

The term "line terminals" is also used instead of line input terminals in series TEs. They are normally called "a₁" and "b₁" ("a_{1,i}", "b_{1,i}", for multiline TEs).

1.4.6 (E) 2**Line input terminals**

Line input terminals are defined as the two terminals of the port provided for connection to the network in series TEs. They are normally called "a₁" and "b₁" ("a_{1,i}", "b_{1,i}", for multiline TEs).

1.4.6 (E) 3**Line output terminals**

Line output terminals are defined as the two terminals of the port which provides a termination point for the connection of one associated TE (see section 1.4.4.1 (E) 2) in series TEs. They are normally called "a₂" and "b₂" ("a_{2,i}", "b_{2,i}", for multiline TEs).

1.4.7 Speech band

The speech band is defined as the 300 - 3 400 Hz frequency band.

1.5 DC feeding arrangements

The DC feeding arrangements differ for each Administration but generally are of a similar nature to that given in the Idealised Feeding Bridge described in figure 1.5. The feeding resistance R_f includes the resistance of the inductor L_f .

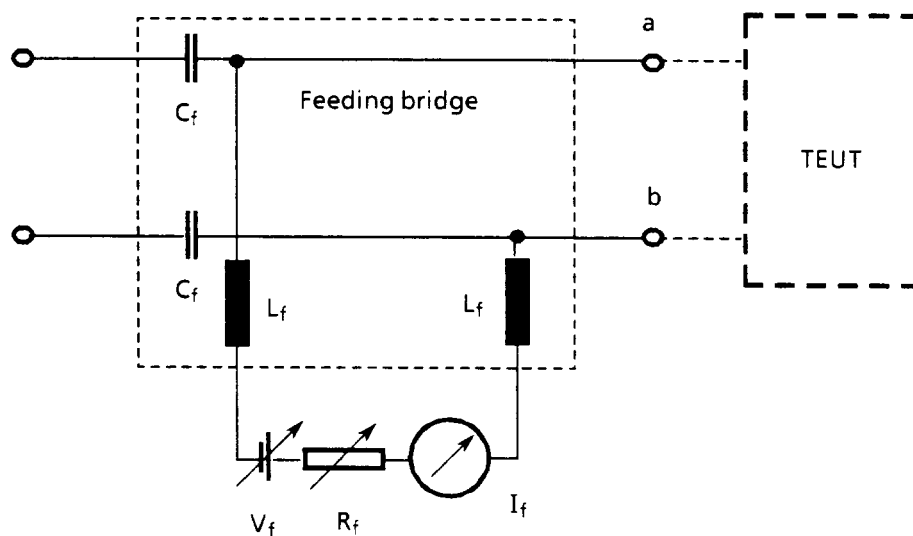


Figure 1.5: Idealised feeding bridge circuit

The standard values of inductors L_f and capacitors C_f for each Administration are included within this section (see table 1.5).

Table 1.5: Idealised feeding bridge values

COUNTRY	REQUIREMENT VALUES		Remarks
	C_f (μF)	L_f (H)	
Austria	≥ 47	≥ 5	
Belgium	20	5	
Bulgaria	$50 \pm 5 \%$	$5 \pm 5 \%$	
Cyprus	4	2	
Czech Republic	≥ 4	≥ 2	yes
Denmark	≥ 2	≥ 2	yes
Finland	$2 \pm 2 \%$	≥ 2	
France	$100 \pm 5 \%$	$5 \pm 10 \%$	
Germany	≥ 47	≥ 5	
Greece	20	5	
Hungary	≥ 10	≥ 5	
Iceland	≥ 2	≥ 2	
Ireland	470	10	
Italy	2	≥ 1	yes
Luxembourg	≥ 47	≥ 5	
Malta			
Netherlands	20	2	
Norway	≥ 10	≥ 5	
Poland	≥ 4	≥ 2	yes
Portugal	≥ 50	$\geq 2,5$	
Slovakia	$4 \pm 5 \%$	≥ 2	yes
Spain	≥ 20	≥ 5	yes
Sweden	≥ 100	≥ 10	
Switzerland	≥ 47	≥ 5	
U. Kingdom	≥ 400	≥ 10	

1.5 (CZ) 1

For the measurement of TE parameters, which can be influenced by bridge parameters in a relevant way, the higher values C_f and L_f ($C_f \geq 20 \mu\text{F}$, $L_f \geq 5 \text{ H}$) are used.

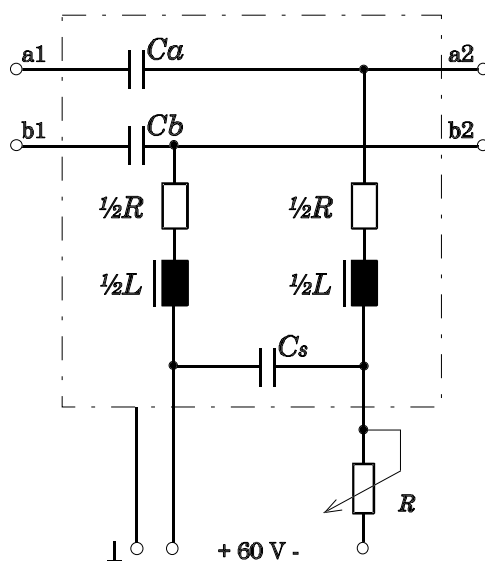
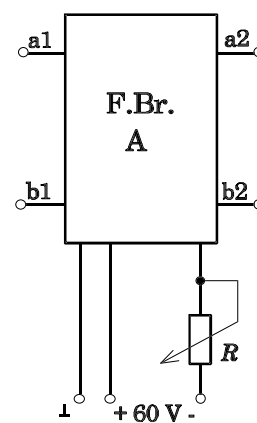
1.5 (D) 1**Feeding bridge A****Equivalent circuit diagram**

Figure 1.5.a (D) 1

1.5 (E) 1

In some test procedures other feeding arrangements or other values may be used.

In all cases in which a feeding bridge is specified, the values of inductors (L_f) and capacitors (C_f) shall be met at all frequencies of measurement, and the circuit diagram of the feeding bridge used may have additional components to meet this requirement. For this reason the diagram shown in figure 1.5 is considered to be an idealised representation of the circuit at the frequency or frequencies of measurement.

In all cases in which a DC voltage source or an AC signal generator is specified, it is understood that the values of the external associated components absorb the values of the source/generator output resistance.

When a DC voltage source is connected in series with an AC signal generator, both they shall be coupled in such a manner that the magnitude of the DC voltage source impedance shall be near 0Ω , at the frequencies of testing.

1.5 (E) 2

Mains test power source

When the Terminal Equipment Under Test (TEUT) is intended to be connected to the mains, then

- a) the voltage of the mains test power source shall be within $\pm 5 \%$ of any of the declared nominal mains voltages for which the TE is prepared;
and
- b) the frequency of the mains test power source shall be within $\pm 1 \text{ Hz}$ of the nominal frequency of 50 Hz.

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Other test power sources

When the TEUT is intended to be powered from power sources other than the network and/or the mains, the voltage of the test power sources shall be within $\pm 5 \%$ of the declared nominal voltages.

1.5.1 Requirement values for feeding conditions

The range of ΔV_f , ΔR_f and ΔI_f (where applicable) which should be applied to the feeding bridge circuit in order to represent the local exchange network and subscribers line of each Administration are given in table 1.5.1.

All requirements should be fulfilled within all ranges specified in table 1.5.1, except otherwise specified.

Table 1.5.1: Requirement values for feeding conditions

COUNTRY	REQUIREMENT VALUES			Remarks
	ΔV_f (V)	ΔR_f (Ω)	ΔI_f (mA)	
Austria			19 - 60	yes
Belgium	44,5 - 53	360 - 1 725		
Bulgaria	40,5 - 66	800 - 3 000	17 - 60	
Cyprus	43 - 53	400 - 1 740	20 - 100	
Czech Republic	24 - 60	600 - 2 200	15 - 60	yes
Denmark	44 - 56	500 - 2 400	$\leq I_{\max}$	yes
Finland	44 - 58	800 - 1 710		
France	46 - 54 89 - 104	300 - 1 400 1 400 - 2 960	25 - 60	yes
Germany	60	1 000 - 3 500		
Greece	44 - 66		20 - 80	
Hungary	48 - 10	440 - 2 400	20 - $I_{\max}$	
Iceland	43 - 56	800 - 2 400	14 - 70	
Ireland	48	0 - 5 000	20 - 100	
Italy	44 - 52	720 - 1 880		
Luxembourg	60		14 - 60	
Malta				
Netherlands	42 - 66	800 - 2 140		yes
Norway	24 - 60	460 - 3 500		yes
Poland	48 + 6/-5 60 $\pm$ 6	800 - 1 800 1 000 - 2 000	17 - 70 17 - 70	yes
Portugal	45 - 55	300 - 5 500	not applicable	
Slovakia	45 - 63 V		15 - 40	yes
Spain	48	500 - 2 200		yes
Sweden				yes
Switzerland	43 - 57	2 200 - 600		yes
U. Kingdom	50	≥ 400	0 - 125	

1.5.1 (A) 1

ΔV_f in idle condition of the PSTN line circuit: 15 - 64 V

ΔI_f in transient condition to go from idle to loop condition of the PSTN line circuit: 1 - 60 mA.

Transient time of the PSTN line circuit to go from idle to loop condition: (loop current ≥ 19 mA): ≤ 40 ms.

ΔV_f in loop condition of the PSTN line circuit: ≤ 64 V

ΔI_f in loop condition of the PSTN line circuit: 19 - 60 mA.

In new exchanges exists a limitation for the current to a nominal value of 30 mA.

NOTE: The maximum value for ΔV_f will be possibly changed in the future from 64 V to 72 V. The value of 72 V should be taken into consideration in the idle condition, ringing state and pulse dialling function during the break pulses.

1.5.1 (CZ) 1

The feeding bridge resistance value of 800 Ω is associated with the nominal feeding voltage of 48 V (-10 %, +20 %). The feeding bridge resistance value of 1 000 Ω is associated with the nominal feeding voltage of 60 V (± 10 %). Digital switching systems with the SLIC circuit in the subscriber's line unit stabilize the subscriber loop current.

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5.4 Dialling with MFPB (DTMF) tone bursts

5.4 (D) 1 MFPB (DTMF) dialling state

The MFPB (DTMF) sender shall meet the following requirements at feeding conditions as specified in the first paragraph of Chapter 2, section 2.4.1 (D) 1. This also applies where a dial tone or special dial tone is present.

The effective DC resistance of the terminal equipment at the NTA shall be within the permissible range for " $I \geq 20$ mA", as shown in Chapter 2, section 2.1 (D) 1.

The return loss of the terminal equipment, measured against Z_R (see Chapter 10, section 10.1 (D) 1.1), shall adhere to the following value during the signal send time and the minimum interdigital pause (see table 5.4 (D) 5):

Table 5.4 (D) 1

$600 \text{ Hz} \leq f \leq 1\,700 \text{ Hz}$	$\alpha \geq 14 \text{ dB}$
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The unbalance about earth at the NTA caused by the terminal equipment shall adhere to the following values during the signal send time and the minimum interdigital pause (see table 5.4 (D) 5):

Table 5.4 (D) 2

$50 \text{ Hz} \leq f \leq 300 \text{ Hz}$	$a_U \geq 30 \text{ dB}$
$300 \text{ Hz} < f \leq 600 \text{ Hz}$	$a_U \geq 46 \text{ dB}$
$600 \text{ Hz} < f \leq 3\,400 \text{ Hz}$	$a_U \geq 52 \text{ dB}$

Each MFPB (DTMF) signalling character shall be assigned one frequency from the lower and one frequency from the higher frequency group, according to table 5.4 (D) 3.

Table 5.4 (D) 3: Nominal frequencies for MFPB (DTMF) signalling characters

Lower nominal frequencies (Hz)	Upper nominal frequencies (Hz)		
	1 209	1 336	1 477
697	1	2	3
770	4	5	6
852	7	8	9
941		0	

The MFPB (DTMF) signalling frequencies may deviate from their respective nominal frequencies by $d \leq 1,8 \%$ during the signal send time.

The envelope of the MFPB (DTMF) signalling character shall correspond to the curve illustrated in figure 5.4 (D) 1 and to the requirements specified in table 5.4 (D) 4 and table 5.4 (D) 5.

5.4.2 Signalling frequencies and format

For each digit or special signalling character provided on a TE, two frequencies shall be assigned, one from each of two groups of four frequencies as outlined in table 5.4.2.a.

The frequencies shall be generated simultaneously such that the resultant combination of signals appears across the line terminals.

These frequencies shall be maintained to within n% of the nominal values shown in table 5.4.2.a over the range of DC feeding conditions given in table 5.4.2.b.

Compliance shall be checked using the test outlined in section A.5.4.2.

Table 5.4.2.a: Signalling frequency groups

Signalling frequencies (Hz)	
Low frequency group	High frequency group
697	1 209
770	1 336
852	1 477
941	1 633

Table 5.4.2.b: MFPB frequency groups and format, feeding conditions

COUNTRY	REQUIREMENT VALUES				Remarks
	V _f (V)	R _f (Ω)	I _f (mA)	n (%)	
Austria	60		19 - 60	± 1,5	
Belgium	48		20 - I _{max}	1,5	
Bulgaria	60	1 000 - 3 000		± 1,5	
Cyprus	48	440 - 1 740	20 - 100	1,5	
Czech Republic	60	variable	15 - I _{max}	± 1,5	
Denmark			16 - I _{max}	1,5	
Finland	44 - 58	800 - 1 710		± 1,5	
France	46 - 54 89 - 104	300 - 1 400 1 400 - 2 960		1,5	
Germany					yes
Greece	44 - 66		20 - 80	± 1,6	
Hungary	48		20 - I _{max}	± 1,5	
Iceland	48		14 - I _{max}	± 1,5	
Ireland	48		20 - 100	± 1,5	
Italy	44 - 52	720 - 1 880		± 1,5	
Luxembourg	60		19 - 60	± 1,5	
Malta					
Netherlands	42 - 66	800 - 2 140		1,5	
Norway	60	adjustable	15 - I _{max}	1,5	yes
Poland	43 - 54 54 - 66	800 - 2 600 1 000 - 2 500	17 - 70	± 1,5	
Portugal	45 - 55	400 - 1 800	not applicable	1,5	
Slovakia	48, 60		15, 40	± 1,8	
Spain	48	500 - 2 200		1,5	yes
Sweden				1,5	yes
Switzerland	43 - 57	2 200 - 600		± 1,5	
U. Kingdom	50	≥ 400	25 - 100	1,5	

The digital storage oscilloscope is used to record the current at the $10\ \Omega$ resistor and the voltage in the communication state via CH1 and CH2 respectively. If the DC resistance during the emission of the signalling character does not remain constant, the max. value is determined by optical averaging of the transient timing illustrated on the oscilloscope. The resistance is calculated.

The polarity of the TEUT is reversed by means of a pole inverter and the measurement repeated.

A.5.4.2 Signalling frequencies and format

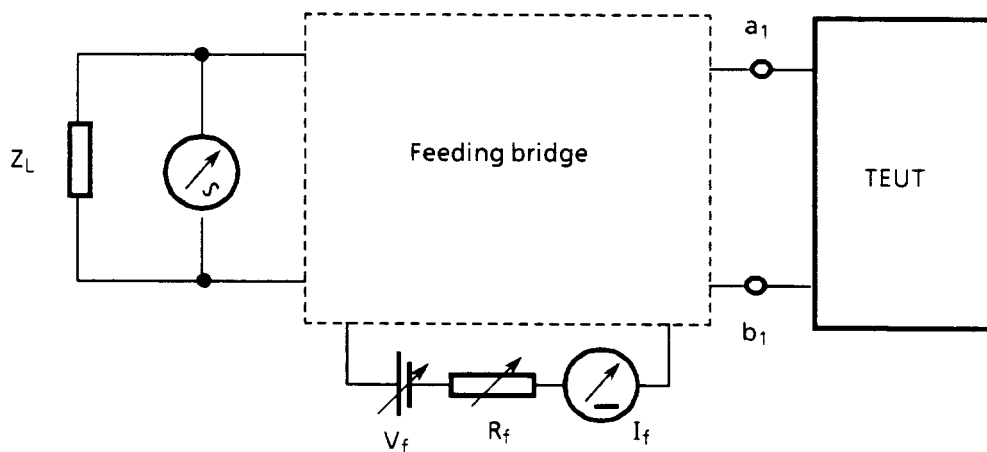
The TEUT is connected as shown in figure A.5.4.2 and placed in the signalling state. The MFPB sender is caused to output, in turn, all provided combinations of the signalling frequencies.

The frequency of each output signal is evaluated using an instrument capable of measuring each signal frequency with an accuracy better than $\pm 0,2\ \%$.

This accuracy requirement shall be met for continuous signals as well as for bursts of signal of 50 ms duration separated by 40 ms intervals of no signal output.

Measurements are carried out at the various DC feeding condition values shown in table A.5.4.2.

The load impedance value Z_L is shown in Table A.5.4.2.



Feeding bridge as specified in Chapter 1
Figure A.5.4.2: Signalling frequencies and format

Table A.5.4.2: Signalling frequencies and format

COUNTRY	TEST VALUES				Remarks
	Z_L (Ω)	V_f (V)	R_f (Ω)	I_f (mA)	
Austria	600	60		19, 60	
Belgium	600	48	400, 1 600		yes
Bulgaria	220 +820/115 nF or 600	60	1 000, 3 000		
Cyprus	600	48	800		
Czech Republic	600	60	variable	15, I_{max}	
Denmark	600			16, I_{max}	
Finland	600	48	800, 1 710		
France	600	46, 54	1 400 resp. 300		
Germany					yes
Greece	600	60		20, 35	
Hungary	600	48		20, I_{max}	
Iceland	600	48		14, I_{max}	
Ireland	270 + (750//150 nF)	50	2 300, 360		
Italy	600	44, 52	1 880, 720		
Luxembourg	600	60		19, 60	
Malta					
Netherlands	600	42, 48, 66	2 140, 1 130, 800		
Norway	600	60	adjustable	15 - I_{max}	
Poland	600	48, 60	800, 1 200, 2 000		
Portugal	600			not applicable	yes
Slovakia	600	48, 60		15, 40	
Spain	600	48	500, 2 200		yes
Sweden	600				yes
Switzerland	600	50	2 300, 500		
U. Kingdom	600	50	400	40	yes

A.5.4.2 (B) 1 For digital PBX the value of Z_L is equal to Z_C as defined in Chapter 4, section 4.1.2 (B) 1.

A.5.4.2 (P) 1

V_f (V)	R_f (Ω)
45	1 800
55	400

A.5.4.2 (E) 1 The input impedance of the instrument (or DTMF analyser) shall be greater than 50 k Ω .

When the frequency tolerance is tested, it is assumed that the TEUT would fulfil the associated requirement if the test procedure were repeated when the load resistor (Z_L) takes also the values of 400 ohms and 900 ohms.

A.5.4.2 (S) 1 Feeding conditions, see Chapter 1, table 1.5.2.

A.5.4.2 (GB) 1 Measurements are carried out with $I_f = 40$ mA, or the current obtained when the TEUT is connected to a 50 V DC source in series with a 400 ohm resistor, whichever is the less.

5.4.3 Signalling codes

The sixteen combinations assigned to digits or special signalling characters are shown in the matrix in Table 5.4.3.a.

Table 5.4.3.a: Signalling combinations

Low group (Hz)	High group (Hz)			
	1 209	1 336	1 477	1 633
697	1	2	3	A
770	4	5	6	B
852	7	8	9	C
941	*	0	#	D

The TE may use only 10 signalling frequency combinations, in which case the frequencies assigned to characters *, #, A, B, C, and D are not used.

Alternatively, the TE may use 12 signalling frequency combinations, in which case the frequencies assigned to characters A, B, C, and D are not used.

Compliance shall be checked using the test outlined in section A.5.4.3.

Table 5.4.3.b: Signalling codes

COUNTRY	REQUIREMENT VALUES	Remarks
Austria		
Belgium		
Bulgaria		
Cyprus		yes
Czech Republic		yes
Denmark	only A, B, C, D not mandatory	
Finland		
France		yes
Germany		yes
Greece		
Hungary		yes
Iceland		
Ireland		
Italy		
Luxembourg		
Malta		
Netherlands		
Norway		
Poland	A, B, C, D - optional	yes
Portugal		
Slovakia	only A, B, C, D not mandatory	
Spain		yes
Sweden		
Switzerland		
U. Kingdom	not specified	

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Signalling combinations used are as in table 5.4.3.a with A, B, C, D not mandatory.

5.4.4 Sending levels

The sending levels across a load impedance Z_L for frequencies in each group shall differ and be defined by the values according to the option described in table 5.4.4.a. In either case, the value of the level of the higher frequency component of the compound signal shall be $2 \text{ dB} \pm 1 \text{ dB}$ greater than the value of the level of the lower frequency component.

The requirement shall be met in the presence of dial tone signals of level "b" and frequency "f".

Measurements are carried out at the various DC feeding condition values shown in table 5.4.2.b.

The TE should be submitted for test with a declaration of which option has been selected for evaluation.

The parameter values Z_L , "b", and "f" are shown in table 5.4.4.b.

Compliance shall be checked using the tests outlined in section A.5.4.4.

Table 5.4.4.a: Sending levels options

	Sending level options	
	Option 1	Option 2
High group	-9 dBm $\pm$ 2 dB	-6 dBm $\pm$ 2 dB
Low group	-11 dBm $\pm$ 2 dB	-8 dBm $\pm$ 2 dB

Table 5.4.4.b: Sending levels

COUNTRY	REQUIREMENT VALUES					Remarks
	b (dBm)	Z_L (Ω)	f (Hz)	Option 1	Option 2	
Austria	-16	600	380 - 490	no	yes	
Belgium	-4	600	420 - 455	no	yes	yes
Bulgaria		600		no	yes	
Cyprus	-7	600	350 + 450	no	yes	
Czech Republic		600		no	yes	
Denmark	0	600	425	yes	no	yes
Finland	not mandatory	600	not mandatory	yes	yes	
France	-20	600	440	no	yes	yes
Germany						yes
Greece	0	600	400 - 475	no	yes	
Hungary	not mandatory	600	not mandatory	see remark		yes
Iceland	0	600	425	yes	yes	
Ireland	not applicable	270 + (750//150 nF)	not applicable	no	no	yes
Italy	-6	600	425	no	yes	
Luxembourg	-6,5	600	380 - 490	no	yes	
Malta						
Netherlands	not mandatory	600	not mandatory	yes	no	
Norway	-6	600	425	yes	no	
Poland	-5	600	425	no	yes	
Portugal	-5	600	425	yes	no	
Slovakia	not mandatory	600	400 - 450	-	yes	yes
Spain		600		no	yes	yes
Sweden	-5	600	425	yes	no	
Switzerland	0, -23	600	375 - 475	no	yes	yes
U. Kingdom	not applicable	see remark	not applicable	see remark		yes

5.4.5 Unwanted frequency components

The TE shall be placed in the signalling state and caused to emit the frequencies corresponding to any given signalling character combination (see section 5.4.3). During the period in which the selected combination of frequencies causes a corresponding signal to appear across the load impedance Z_L :

- a) the total power level of all unwanted frequency components over the bandwidth 300 - 3 400 Hz shall be at least 20 dB below the level of the low-group frequency component of the signal;
- b) the level of any individual unwanted frequency component found in a bandwidth of 125 Hz shall not exceed the following limits:
 - in the frequency band 300 - 4 300 Hz: -33 dBm;
 - in the frequency band 4 300 - 28 000 Hz: -37 dBm;
at 4 300 Hz falling 12 dB/octave to 28 kHz;
 - in the frequency band 28 - 150 kHz: -70 dBm.

The requirement shall be met at the DC feeding conditions specified in table 5.4.2.b.

The value of the load impedance Z_L and the use of the requirements "a" and "b" are shown in table 5.4.5.

Compliance shall be checked using the test outlined in section A.5.4.5.

Table 5.4.5: Unwanted frequency components

COUNTRY	REQUIREMENT VALUES			Remarks
	Requirement a	Requirement b	Z_L (Ω)	
Austria	X	X	600	yes
Belgium	X	X	600	yes
Bulgaria	X	X	600	
Cyprus	X		600	yes
Czech Republic		X	600	yes
Denmark	X		600	yes
Finland			600	yes
France	X		600	yes
Germany				yes
Greece	X	X	600	
Hungary	X	X	600	yes
Iceland	X	X	600	
Ireland	X		270 + (750//150 nF)	yes
Italy	X	X	600	
Luxembourg		X	600	
Malta				
Netherlands	X	X	600	yes
Norway	X		600	
Poland	X		600	
Portugal		X	600	yes
Spain				yes
Sweden	X		600	yes
Switzerland	X	b) Replaced by section 4.4.3.1 (120 Ω)	600	
U. Kingdom	X	X	600	yes

For the purpose of this requirement, the dial tone is defined as a single tone signal, delivered from a generator with a source impedance of $600\ \Omega$ with a frequency of 425 Hz and with a level of -10 dBm when measured across a resistor of $600\ \Omega$ which substitutes the TE.

The measurements are executed with the source impedance of $600\ \Omega$ interchanged with impedances Z_L .

Z_L is a complex impedance made up of a resistor R_1 in series with a parallel combination of a resistor R_2 and a capacitor C_1 .

The values of resistors and capacitors to be used in Z_L are:

- Z_{La} : $R_1 = 82\ \Omega$, $R_2 = 600\ \Omega$, $C_1 = 68\ \text{nF}$ (short line representation);
- Z_{Lb} : $R_1 = 270\ \Omega$, $R_2 = 750\ \Omega$, $C_1 = 150\ \text{nF}$ (medium line representation);
- Z_{Lc} : $R_1 = 220\ \Omega$, $R_2 = 1\ 800\ \Omega$, $C_1 = 150\ \text{nF}$ (long line representation).

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When a multifrequency tone signal is sent, the level of any individual unwanted frequency component shall not exceed the following limits:

- within 300 Hz - 4 300 Hz: -33 dBm;
- within 4 300 Hz - 12 000 Hz: -37 dBm at 4 300 Hz and then dropping at 12 dB per octave to 12 000 Hz;
- 12 kHz - 150 kHz: -55 dBm.

When no signal is sent, the level of any signal frequency emitted from the sender to the line shall not exceed -60 dBm in the 300 Hz - 3 400 Hz frequency band nor exceed the values shown on the curve in Chapter 4, figure 4.4.3.1 (S) 1 in the 3,4 kHz - 150 kHz frequency band.

5.4.5 (GB) 1

When no DTMF signal is being sent to the network, the total power of all signals presented to the network shall be not greater than -60 dBm.

In addition during signalling, for any single unwanted frequency component in the frequency range 300 Hz to 3 400 Hz the power level shall be not greater than -33 dBm, and above 3 400 Hz the power level shall be not greater than the limit values shown in Chapter 4, section 4.4.3.1 (GB) 1. Compliance shall be checked by the test of A.5.4.5 (GB) 1.

A.5.4.5 Unwanted frequency components

The TEUT is connected as shown in figure A.5.4.5 and placed in the signalling state. The MFBP sender is caused to output, in turn, all provided combinations of the signalling frequencies.

The frequency and level of each unwanted output signal are evaluated.

Measurements are carried out at the various DC feeding condition values shown in table A.5.4.2.