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Part 2-13: National Normative Aspects (NNA) for
ITALY (based on EN 50341-1:2012)

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Snow density $\rho_s = 500 \text{ kg/m}^3$

$S_k = 24 \text{ mm}$ for $a_s \leq 600 \text{ m}$

$S_k = 24 + 20 (a_s - 600)/1000 \text{ mm}$ for $a_s > 600 \text{ m}$.

Load type 3 (snow)

Regions: Toscana (provinces of Livorno e Grosseto), Lazio (provinces of Viterbo, Roma and Latina); Campania (provinces of Napoli and Caserta), Puglia (provinces of Brindisi and Lecce), Sardegna, Calabria (province of Reggio Calabria), Sicilia:

Snow density $\rho_s = 500 \text{ kg/m}^3$

$S_k = 0 \text{ mm}$ for $a_s \leq 600 \text{ m}$

$S_k = 20 + 15 (a_s - 600) / 1000 \text{ mm}$ for $a_s > 600 \text{ m}$

with:

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Replace:

(snc) **IT.1 Temperature effects**

For the calculation of the tensile load on conductors and earth-wires, and of related forces transmitted to supports, as well as for geometrical verifications of height above ground for electrical clearances and insulating distances, the temperatures below reported shall apply:

- a) EDS temperature (Every Day Stress) is 15°C: in this condition, in absence of wind, the tensile load of conductors shall not be greater than 25% of the breakage load.

On the basis of specific project conditions, to limit wind vibration effects, special attention should be paid to laying conditions when the parameter value (the ratio, between the horizontal tension and the mass per linear meter of conductor = 2000 m) is exceeded. Criteria and conditions of installation should be defined in project specifications.

with:

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On the basis of specific project conditions, to limit wind vibration effects, special attention should be paid to laying conditions when the **catenary constant** (the ratio, between the horizontal tension and the mass per linear meter of conductor) **exceeds a value of** 2000 m. Criteria and conditions of installation should be defined in project specifications.

3 Modifications to 4.8 Security loads

Replace:

(ncpt) **IT.1 Breaking of conductors case**

For conductors supported by suspension insulator sets, the differential loads shall be calculated taking into consideration the swing of the string. For calculating the actions due to a broken conductor (single o in a bundle) on a support, the maximum tensile load of the section inside which the supported is included can be used.

with:

(ncpt) **IT.1 Breaking of conductors case**

For conductors supported by suspension insulator sets, the differential loads **can** be calculated taking into consideration the swing of the string. For calculating the actions due to a broken conductor (single o in a bundle) on a support, the maximum tensile load of the section inside which the supported is included can be used.

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With reference to figures in subclause 4.2.10.2 of EN 50341-1 § 4.2.10.2 for the determination of load cases 2b, 2c, 2d, the following reduction factors due to ice load I_T apply:

$$\alpha = 0,5 \quad \alpha_1 = 0,3 \quad \alpha_2 = 0,7 \quad \alpha_3 = 0,3 \quad \alpha_4 = 0,7$$

For longitudinal bending scheme, if necessary, and if so indicated in the project specifications, the case of $\alpha_1 = 0$, $\alpha_2 = 1$ in absence of wind can also be considered; this load case represents the "slope" condition which should be applied only to supports placed at the peak of the hills/mountains and which separate line sections on opposite slopes.

with:

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5 Modifications to 5.8 Internal clearances within the span and at the top of the tower

Replace:

(A-dev) IT.1 Clearances calculations

The clearances, in general, shall be calculated as follows.

In the design of the towers, the following minimum air clearance shall be maintained:

Table 5.8/IT.1 – Minimum air clearances

Minimum air clearances	Unit	
Minimum distance between conductor within the span among points susceptible of approach: this spacing is reduced to D_{pp} in case of points not susceptible of approaching each others	m	$k \cdot \sqrt{(f + l_k)} + D_{pp}$
Minimum distance between conductor and earth-wire within the span	m	$k \cdot \sqrt{(f + l_k)} + D_{el}$
Minimum clearance between live metal parts and earthed metal parts with wind speed $V = 7,5$ m/s	m	$k_1 \cdot D_{el}$
Minimum clearance between live metal parts and earthed metal parts of suspension towers with max swing (wind speed with return period of 3 years)	m	$D_{50Hz_p_e}$

Where:

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	Symbol	Definition
	l_k	is the length, in metres, of that part of any insulator set swinging orthogonal to the line direction; in case of different swinging amplitudes on both supports of the span, the medium value shall be assumed;
	k	is a coefficient equal to 0,6 for homogeneous aluminium or aluminium alloy conductors, and equal to 0,5 for the other conductors;
	k_1	is a coefficient assumed equal to 0,75;
	D_{pp}	is the minimum clearance voltage dependent (phase-phase), in metres, according to EN 50341-1;
	D_{el}	is the minimum clearance voltage dependent (phase-earth), in metres, according to EN 50341-1.
	$D_{50Hz_p_p}$	is the minimum air clearances (phase-phase) in metres, voltage dependent, required to prevent a disruptive discharge at power frequency voltages corresponding to distances of Table 5.5 of EN 50341-1; for overhead lines with voltages ≤ 45 kV, a distance of $0,17 \times U_n/45$ (m) shall be assumed;
	$D_{50Hz_p_e}$	is the minimum clearance (phase-earth) in metres, voltage depending, required to withstand power frequency voltage, corresponding to the distances of Table 5.5 of EN 50341-1; for overhead lines voltage ≤ 45 kV, a distance of $0,11 \times U_n/45$ (m) shall be assumed.

These distances are not suitable for performing live works.

In case of supports where the conductors are secured by means of tension insulators, V-chains on transversal plane, or post insulators, l_k shall be assumed equal to 0 ($l_k = 0$); moreover, for overhead lines voltage ≤ 45 kV equipped with post insulators, the resulting values from the above formulas shall be reduced by 30 %.

The above mentioned minimum distance formulas shall not apply to spans of lines where $f + l_k > 40$ m.

In such cases it is merely necessary that the spacing, in metres, between the conductors are not less than:

$(3,8 + D_{pp})$ m for aluminium or aluminium alloy conductors;

$(3,2 + D_{pp})$ m for other conductors.

The previous requirements are not applicable to conductor in bundles or to single sub-conductors of the same bundle.

For loading case 1a of subclause 4.2.10.2, but with a conductor temperature of 15°C, the spacing d , in metres, shall not be less than $D_{50Hz_p_e}$; for overhead lines voltage with voltages ≤ 45 kV, a distance if $0,11 \times U_n/45$ (m) is assumed.

At conductor temperature of 15°C, with a wind speed of 7,5 m/s, the spacing d , in metres, shall not be less than $k_1 \times D_{el}$ with $k_1 = 0,75$.

The above requirements shall not apply to any insulation spark gaps for coordination.

with:

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Minimum clearance between live metal parts and earthed metal parts of suspension towers with max swing (wind speed with return period of 3 years)	m	$D_{50Hz_p_e}$
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Where:

- f is the sag, in metres, of the conductor at a temperature of +15°C in still air;
- l_k is the length, in metres, of that part of any insulator set swinging orthogonal to the line direction; in case of different swinging amplitudes on both supports of the span, the medium value shall be assumed;
- k is a coefficient equal to 0,6 for homogeneous aluminium or aluminium alloy conductors, and equal to 0,5 for the other conductors;
- k_1 is a coefficient assumed equal to 0,75;
- D_{pp} is the minimum clearance voltage dependent (phase-phase), in metres, according to EN 50341-1;
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For loading case 1a of subclause **4.12.2**, but with a conductor temperature of 15°C, the spacing d , in metres, shall not be less than $D_{50\text{Hz}_p_e}$; for overhead lines voltage with voltages ≤ 45 kV, a distance if $0,11 \times U_n/45$ (m) is assumed.

At conductor temperature of 15°C, with a wind speed of 7,5 m/s, the spacing d , in metres, shall not be less than $k_1 \times D_{e_l}$ with $k_1 = 0,75$.

The above requirements shall not apply to any insulation spark gaps for coordination.

6 Modifications to 8.2.2 Geotechnical design by calculation

Replace:

8.2.1 Geotechnical design by calculation

with:

8.2.2 Geotechnical design by calculation

7 Modifications to 9.6.2 Partial factor for conductors

Replace:

IT.1 Mechanical resistance of the joints

In spans where joints are installed, the electrical resistance of conductor shall not be increased; the mechanical resistance of the joints shall not be lower than 90 % of the mechanical resistance of conductor.

with:

IT.1 Mechanical resistance of the joints

In spans where joints are installed, the electrical resistance of conductor shall not be increased; the mechanical resistance of the joints shall not be lower than 95 % of the mechanical resistance of conductor.

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1.1 General

(ncpt) IT.1 New overhead line

This NNA (National Normative Annex) is only applicable to all new overhead lines equipped with bare conductors, covered conductors or cables, with voltages above 1kV AC. This standard is not applicable to overhead lines pre-existing before its coming into force and shall not be applied to maintenance or reconductoring; the standard can be applied in case of significant modifications of existing lines.

1.2 Field of application

(ncpt) IT.1 Field of application

This standard specifies the general safety requirements, clarifies the actions that shall be carried out in the project and their relevant combinations, defines the characteristics of materials, products and any other aspects relevant to safety of electrical overhead lines as reported in the following clause 2. With reference to structural safety aspects, in absence of specific indications, and as an integration to this standard, the dispositions reported in "Norme tecniche sulle costruzioni" apply (see subclause 2.1).

For what concerns structural aspects this standard applies also to D.C. overhead lines.

For details concerning the application of this standard to telecommunication systems involving optical fibres either incorporated in or wrapped around earth-wires or conductors or suspended from overhead line supports, reference should be made to the Project Specifications.

2 Normative references, definitions and symbols

2.1 Normative references

(A-dev) IT.1 National normative laws, government regulations

List of Law Decrees, Ministerial Decrees, Decrees of the President of the Minister's Council:

- In the following text the new Italian Technical Standard, reported in the Ministerial Decree 14.01.2008 promulgated in force of article 5, subsection 2 of Law Decree 28 May 2004 n. 136 turned into law 27.07.2004 n. 186 and the articles 52 e 83 of D.P.R. 06.06.2001, n. 380, contained the "*Testo Unico delle disposizioni legislative e regolamentari in materia edilizia*" will be referred as "*Norme tecniche sulle costruzioni*".

- Decree of the President of the Ministers' Council, 23 April 1992.

Limiti massimi di esposizione ai campi elettrico e magnetico generati alla frequenza industriale nominale (50 Hz) negli ambienti abitativi e nell'ambiente esterno.

Maximum limits of exposure to power frequency (50 Hz) electric and magnetic fields in inhabited buildings and external environment.

- Decree of the Ministers of Public Works and of Internal Affairs, 16 January 1996.

Technical standard related to "*Criteri generali per la verifica di sicurezza delle costruzioni e dei carichi e sovraccarichi*".