

# VCS 500N12 SERIES

## COMBINATION WAVE SIMULATOR



### FOR TESTS ACCORDING TO ...

- › EN 61000-4-5
- › EN 61000-4-9
- › IEC 60255-22-5
- › IEC 61000-4-5
- › IEC 61000-4-9
- › IEC 61326
- › IEC 61850-3
- › ITU-T K.12
- › ITU-T K.20
- › ITU-T K.45

### COMBINATION WAVE SIMULATOR







Surge pulses occur due to direct or indirect lightning strokes to an external (outdoor) circuit. This leads to currents or electromagnetic fields causing high voltage or current transients. Another source for surge pulses are switching transients originating from switching disturbances and systems faults.

Due to the characteristic of the phenomenon nearly every electrical and electronic device may suffer from such lightning events which justifies the necessity of surge tests being widely performed. Surge voltage can reach several thousands of volts and surge current is seen to reach several thousands of amps.

### HIGHLIGHTS

- › Surge pulses up to 12kV/6kA
- › Single phase or three-phase coupler up to 100A (external option)
- › Fail inputs
- › Warning lamp control
- › Emergency interlock
- › Standard Test routines

### APPLICATION AREAS

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|--|---|
|  INDUSTRY   |  TELECOM     |
|  COMPONENTS |  RESIDENTIAL |
|  MEDICAL    |   |
|  BROADCAST  |   |

## TECHNICAL DETAILS

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## VCS 500N12 GENERATORS

|              |   |
|--------------|---|
| VCS 500N12   | 12 kV Surge Generator<br>1.2/50 us-8/20 us,<br>IEC and ANSI Cat.B coupling,<br>with ext. coupler 3x480 V                        |
| VCS 500N12.2 | 12 kV Surge Generator<br>1.2/50 us-8/20 us,<br>IEC and ANSI Cat.B coupling,<br>with ext. coupler 3x690 V<br>requires CNV 503S21 |

## COMBINATION WAVE 1.2/50US - 8/20US

|                          |                               |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Voltage (o.c.)           | 500 V - 12,000 V $\pm 10\%$   |
| Rise time                | 1.2 us $\pm 30\%$             |
| Pulse time to half value | 50 us $\pm 20\%$              |
| Current (s.c.)           | max. 6,000 A $\pm 10\%$       |
| Rise time                | 8 us $\pm 20\%$               |
| Pulse time to half value | 20 us $\pm 20\%$              |
| Polarity                 | Positive/negative/alternating |
| Event counter            | 1 - 30,000 or endless         |

## TRIGGER

|                   |                                       |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Trigger of events | Automatic, manual, external           |
| CRO trigger       | 5 V trigger signal for oscilloscope   |
| Synchronization   | 0° - 360°, resolution 1°              |
| Repetition rate   | 6 s - 999 s, depending on the voltage |

## PULSE OUTPUT

|        |  |
|--------|--|
| Direct | Via HV-connectors:<br>- Zi = 2 ohm<br>- To connect external surge couplers |
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## VCS 500N SURGE GENERATOR

## MEASUREMENTS

|                        |                             |
|------------------------|-----------------------------|
| CRO $\hat{U}$ -monitor | 10 Vp at 12,000 V           |
| CRO $\hat{I}$ -monitor | 10 Vp at 6,000 A            |
| Peak voltage           | 12,000 V in the LCD display |
| Peak current           | 6,000 A in the LCD display  |

## TEST ROUTINES

|                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| Quick Start            | Immediate start; easy-to-use and fast                           |
| User Test routines     | Change Polarity after n pulses<br>Change voltage after n pulses |
| Standard Test routines | As per IEC 61000-4-5<br>Manual Standard Test routine            |
| Service                | Service, set-up, self test                                      |

## INTERFACE

|                    |   |
|--------------------|---|
| Optical interface  | Opto link, 3 m cable<br>USB A connector |
| Parallel interface | IEEE 488, addresses 1 - 30              |
| CN interface       | To control external coupling matrix     |

## SAFETY

|                |                         |
|----------------|-------------------------|
| Safety circuit | Control input (24 Vdc)  |
| Warning lamp   | Floating output contact |

## TECHNICAL DETAILS

## GENERAL DATA

| VCS 500N12         |                                     |
|--------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Dimensions, weight | 19"/9 HU, approx. 35 kg             |
| Supply voltage     | 115/230 V +10/-15%                  |
| Fuses              | 2x2 AT (230 V) or<br>2x4 AT (115 V) |

| VCS 500N12.2       |                                   |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Dimensions, weight | 19"/12 HU, approx. 40 kg          |
| Supply voltage     | 115/230V +10/-15%                 |
| Fuses              | 2x2 AT (230V) or<br>2x4 AT (115V) |

| ENVIRONMENT          |  |
|----------------------|--|
| Temperature          | 10 °C to 35 °C                               |
| Humidity             | 30 % to 75 %, non condensing                 |
| Atmospheric pressure | 86 kPa (860 mbar) to<br>106 kPa (1,060 mbar) |

## OPTIONS

| PULSED MAGNETIC FIELD AS PER IEC 61000-4-9 |   |
|--|---|
| MS 100N                                    | Magnetic field coil for up to 3,200A/m  |
| iec.control                                | Software to control the test, including standard library, test report facility and data conversion generator. |

## ACCESSORIES

| EXT. COUPLERS FOR POWER LINES |   |
|-------------------------------|---|
| CNV 501S6                     | 1phase coupling/decoupling network for surge;<br>250 V/16 A                             |
| CNV 501S7                     | 1phase coupling/decoupling network for surge;<br>250 V/32 A                             |
| CNV 503S14                    | 3phase coupling/decoupling network for surge;<br>3x440 V/16 A                           |
| CNV 503S15                    | 3phase coupling/decoupling network for surge;<br>3x440 V/32 A                           |
| CNV 503S21                    | 3phase coupling/decoupling network for surge;<br>3x690 V/32 A,<br>requires VCS 500N12.1 |

| COUPLING/DECOUPLING NETWORKS FOR SIGNAL/TELECOM LINES |  |
|---|--|
| CNV 504N series                                       | 4 signal lines as per fig. 9 IEC 61000-4-5:Ed3<br>Surge voltage: up to 10 kV<br>EUT current: up to 4 A                                 |
| CNV 508N series                                       | 8 signal lines as per fig. 9 IEC 61000-4-5:Ed3<br>Surge voltage: up to 10 kV<br>EUT current: up to 4 A                                 |
| CNV 504T5   | Coupling/decoupling network for unshielded symmetrical lines (communication lines) as per IEC/EN 61000-4-5 Ed.3 (fig. 10) for 4 lines. |
| CNV 508T5   | Coupling/decoupling network for unshielded symmetrical lines (communication lines) as per IEC/EN 61000-4-5 Ed.3 (fig. 10) for 8 lines. |
| CNI 508N2 Assembly                                    | Set of coupling/decoupling and protection networks for testing unshielded and shielded high-speed communication lines (Ethernet lines) |
| SPN 508N1   | Surge protection network for unshielded and shielded lines, 4 twisted pairs, residual voltage max. 10 V                                |

# COMPETENCE WHEREVER YOU ARE



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