## Cigre WG A3-06 "HV Equipment Reliability"

**Preliminary Results from Present Cigre Survey** 

Gas Insulated Substations (GIS) DB status : August 2007 Focus on population cards and major failure cards (namely 2004 and 2005)

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## WB A3.06 - Reliability of HV equipment – GIS population

<b>OLD SURVEY</b> :		
<u>GIS DATA AVAILABLE L</u>	<u>JP TO 31-12-1995</u>	
No. of GIS	<b>2 115</b>	
No. of GIS CB-bays	<b>13 696</b>	
No. of GIS CB-bay-years	<b>118 483</b>	
No. of countries	30	

NEW SURVEY:GIS DATA AVAILABLE UP TO August 2007No. of GIS9 066 in 2004, 9 148 in 2005No. of GIS CB-bays21 110 in 2004, 20 815 in 2005No. of GIS CB-bay-years for F rate calculation42 328No. of countries22

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Collected GIS service experience /CB-bay-years/ for failure rate calculation – 1995 (life time) & new survey comparison (4 years)



Voltage classes : 1 (60<= ... <100 kV), 2 (100<= ... <200 kV), 3 (200<= ... <300 kV), 4 (300<= ... <500 kV), 5 (500<= ... <700 kV), 6 (>=700 kV)

Influence of one dominant country (in both surveys) – new survey : Total : 67%, Classes 1, 3 and 5 : 95%, Class 2 : 15%, Class 4 : 35%



#### New survey MaF rates voltage class and age distribution



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One dominant country prevails in classes 1,3 and 5, Europe prevails in classes 2 and 4

Example of one dominant country influence on MaF rates – comparison of the country MaF rates with the rest of the world results /MaF/ CB-bay-year/





CB = Circuit breaker, DE = Disconnectors or earthing switches, IT = Instrument transformers, GI = Other parts in GIS than CB, DE and IT (namely busbars and busducts)

#### GIS age influence on MaF components distribution



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- A Failing to perform requested operation or function resp.
- B Loss of electrical connections integrity
- C Dielectric breakdown
- D Loss of mechanical integrity (big SF6 leakage incl.)
- E- Other



101 = Failing to perform requested operation or function, 102 = Loss of electrical connection integrity in primary, 103 = Loss of electrical connection integrity in secondary, 104 = Dielectric breakdown in normal service (without switching operation), 105 = Dielectric breakdown in connection with switching operation, 106 = Loss of mechanical integrity, 107 = Unknown or other than options in the questionnaire

### GIS component & age influence on MaF mode distribution



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#### A - Cause introduced during a period before putting into service

Design fault (manufacturer), Engineering fault (utility), Manufacturing fault, Incorrect transport or erection, Inadequate instructions for transport, erection, operation, Other before PTS

#### **B** - Cause introduced during service

Current in excess of rating, Voltage at power frequency in excess of rating, Switching overvoltage in excess of rating, Lightning overvoltage in excess of rating, Mechanical stress in excess of rating, Environmental stresses (other than lightning), Corrosion, Wear / Ageing, Incorrect operation, Incorrect monitoring, Electrical failure of adjacent Equipment, Mechanical failure of adjacent equipment, Human error, Incorrect maintenance, External damage caused by animals, humans etc. Other abnormal service conditions

#### C - Unknown other causes





### GIS age influence on MaF primary cause distribution





A- Mechanical in other parts than operating mechanism

**B-** Mechanical in operating mechanism

- C- Electrical in main circuit
- **D- Electrical in secondary circuit**
- E- Unknown



