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# INSTRUMENT TRANSFORMERS – THE USE OF INSTRUMENT TRANSFORMERS FOR POWER QUALITY MEASUREMENT

## 1 Scope

This part of IEC 61869 is applicable to inductive and electronic instrument transformers with analogue or digital output for use with electrical measuring instruments for measurement and interpretation of results for power quality parameters in 50/60 Hz a.c. power supply systems.

This part of IEC 61869 aims at giving guidance in the usage of HV instrument transformers for measuring power quality parameters.

The power quality parameters considered in this document are power frequency, magnitude of the supply voltage and current, flicker, supply voltage dips and swells, voltage interruptions, transient voltages, supply voltage unbalance, voltage and current harmonics and interharmonics, mains signalling on the supply voltage and rapid voltage changes.

## 2 Normative references

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