

## A-ISOMETER® IR1575

**Insulation monitoring device  
for unearthed AC / 3(N)AC systems  
up to 480 V and DC systems up to 480 V**



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### Device features

- Insulation monitoring for unearthed AC, AC/DC systems 0 ... 480 V and DC systems 0 ... 480 V
- Two separately adjustable response values 2 kΩ ... 1 MΩ
- AMP measurement method
- Automatic adaptation to the system leakage capacitance
- LEDs: Alarm 1/Alarm 2
- Fault memory behaviour, selectable
- Connection monitoring system/earth
- Test and reset button
- Connection external test and reset button
- Two separate alarm relays with one changeover contact each
- N/O or N/C operation, selectable
- Backlit LC display
- Self monitoring with automatic alarm
- Plug-in terminals
- Enclosure for door mounting 96 x 96 mm

### Standards, approvals and certifications



### Product description

The A-ISOMETER® of the IR1575 series monitor the insulation resistance of unearthed main circuits (IT systems) AC, 3(N)AC 0...480 V resp. DC 0... 480 V.

The AMP measurement method allows the Isometers to be used in systems with directly connected DC components. Taking the system leakage capacitances into account, the IR1575 automatically adapts itself to the existing system conditions in order to optimise the measuring time. An external supply voltage allows de-energised systems to be monitored too.

Please note that the frequency range of the IR1575 is limited to DC, 30...420 Hz. For use in systems containing variable-speed drives, we recommend to use the IRDH275/375 version.

### Application

- AC or AC/DC main circuits
- AC/DC main circuits with directly connected DC components
- UPS systems, battery systems
- Heaters with phase control
- Systems including switched-mode power supplies

### Function

When the insulation resistance between the system conductors and earth falls below the set response value, the alarm relays switch and the alarm LEDs light up. Two separately adjustable response values/alarm relays allow a distinction to be made between prewarning and alarm. The measured value is indicated on the LC display. The fault message can be stored. The fault memory can be reset by pressing the reset button. By pressing the test button, the function of the device as well as the connections to system and earth can be tested. When a fault occurs during this test, it will be signalled by alarm relay K2. The parameterisation of the device can be carried out via the LC display or the function buttons integrated in the front plate.

### Measurement method

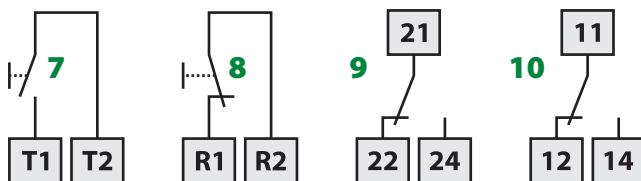
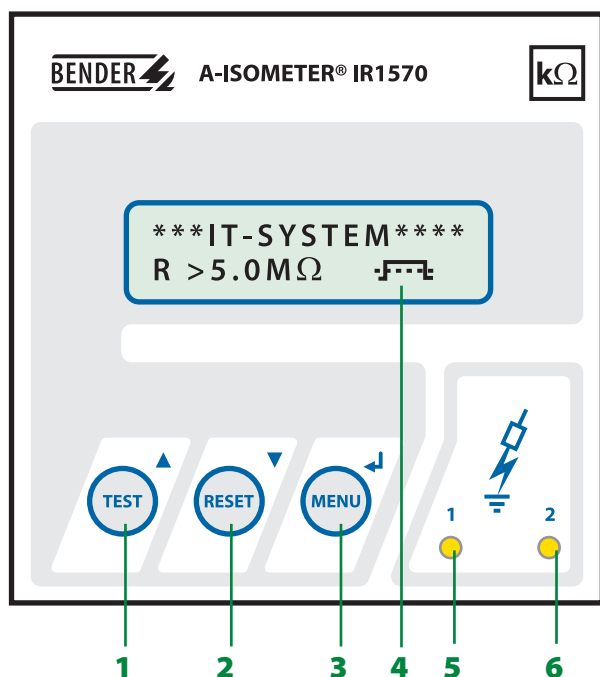


The A-ISOMETER®s of the IR1575 use the AMP measurement method.

### Standards

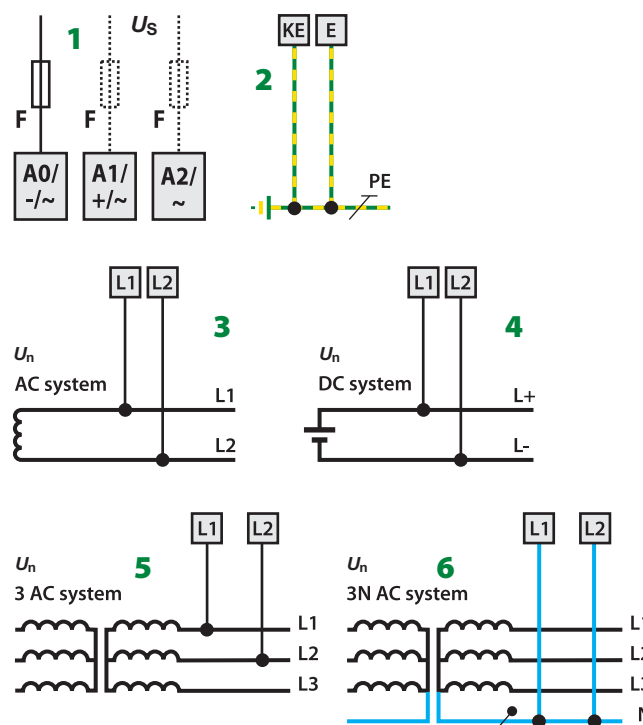
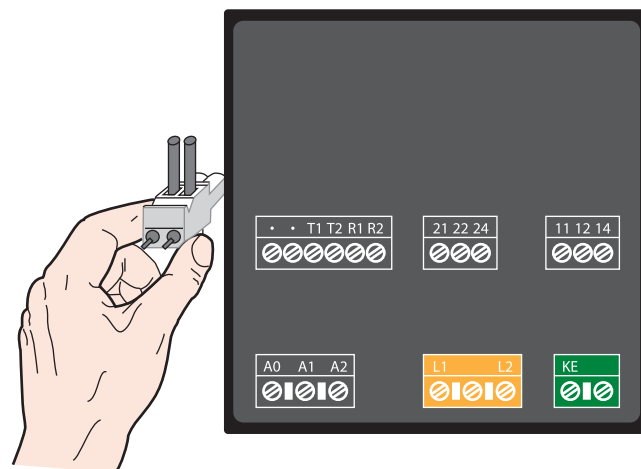
The A-ISOMETER® was designed in accordance with the following standards: IEC 61557-8, IEC 61326-2-4, IEC 60664-1, IEC 60664-3, ASTM F1669M-96 (2007), ASTM F1207M-96 (2007).

## Wiring diagram – Operating elements



- 1 - "TEST" button: to call up the self test  
Arrow up button: parameter change, scroll
- 2 - "RESET" button: to delete alarm and fault messages  
Arrow down button: parameter change, scroll
- 3 - "MENU" button: to call up the menu system  
Enter button: to confirm parameter change
- 4 - LC display 2 x 16 characters
- 5 - Alarm LED "1" lights: insulation fault, first warning level reached
- 6 - Alarm LED "2" lights: insulation fault, second warning level reached.
- 7 - External test button "T1/T2" (N/O contact)
- 8 - External reset button "R1/R2" (N/C contact or wire jumper).  
When the terminals are open, the fault message will not be stored.
- 9 - Alarm relay: Alarm 2
- 10 - Alarm relay: Alarm 1

## Wiring diagram – Mains connection



- 1 - Supply voltage  $U_s$  (see nameplate) 6 A fuse protection recommended:  
A0 - A1 = AC 88 ... 264 V, DC 77 ... 286 V  
A0 - A2 = AC 340 ... 460 V
- 2 - Separate connection of E and KE to PE
- 3 - Connection to the AC system to be monitored:  
connect terminals L1, L2 to conductor L1, L2.
- 4 - Connection to the DC system to be monitored:  
Connect terminal L1 to conductor L+, terminal L2 to conductor L-
- 5,6 - Connection to the 3AC system to be monitored:  
Connect the terminals L1, L2 to neutral conductor N or terminals L1, L2 to conductor L1, L2.

## Technical data

## Insulation coordination acc. to IEC 60664-1

Rated insulation voltage	AC 500 V
Rated impulse withstand voltage/pollution degree	4 kV/3

## Voltage ranges

Nominal system voltage $U_n$	AC, 3(N)AC 0...480 V, DC 0...480 V
Nominal frequency $f_n$	DC, 30...420 Hz
Supply voltage $U_S$	see ordering information
Power consumption	≤ 5 VA

## Response values

Response value $R_{an1}$ (Alarm 1)	2 kΩ...1 MΩ
Response value $R_{an2}$ (Alarm 2)	2 kΩ...1 MΩ
Relative uncertainty	0...+20 % / min. + 2 kΩ
Response time $t_{an}$ at $R_F = 0.5 \times R_{an}$ and $C_e = 1 \mu F$	≤ 5 s
Measuring time	see characteristic curve
Hysteresis	25%

## Measuring circuit

Measuring voltage $U_m$	± 20 V
Measuring current $I_m$ (at $R_F = 0 \Omega$ )	≤ 170 μA
Internal DC resistance $R_i$	≥ 119 kΩ
Impedance $Z_i$ at 50 Hz	≥ 14 kΩ
Permissible extraneous DC voltage $U_{fg}$	≤ DC 680 V
Permissible system leakage capacitance	≤ 60 μF

## Displays

Display	backlit LC display
Characters (number of characters, height)	2 x 16 (4.5 mm)
Display range, measuring value	1 kΩ...5 MΩ
Operating uncertainty (1 kΩ...10 kΩ)	± 1 kΩ
Operating uncertainty (10 kΩ...5 MΩ)	± 10 %

## Outputs

Test and reset button	internal/external
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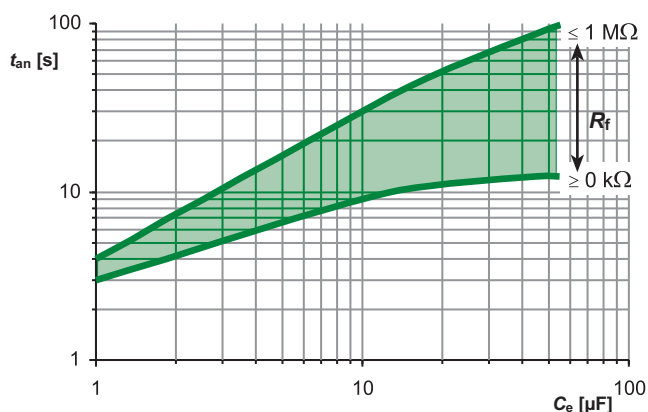
## Switching elements

Number of switching elements	2 x 1 changeover contact
Operating principle	N/C operation / N/O operation
Factory setting	N/O operation
Contact class	IIB
Rated contact voltage	AC 250 V/DC 300 V
Making capacity	AC/DC 5 A
Breaking capacity	2 A, AC 230 V, cos phi 0.4 0.2 A, DC 220 V, L/R = 0.04 s
Contact rating at DC 24 V	≥ 2 mA (50 mW)

## General data

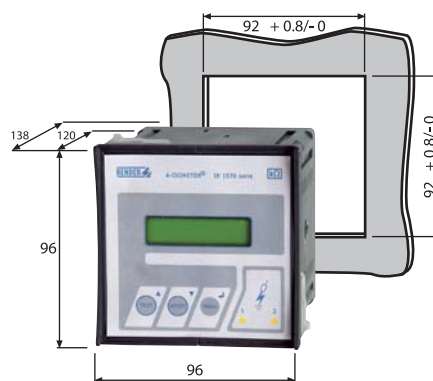
Shock resistance IEC 60068-2-27 (during operation)	15 g/11 ms
Bumping IEC 60068-2-29 (during transport)	40 g/6 ms
Vibration resistance IEC 60068-2-6 (during operation)	1 g/10...150 Hz
Vibration resistance IEC 60068-2-6 (during transport)	2 g/10...150 Hz
Ambient temperature (during operation)	-10 °C...+55 °C
Ambient temperature (during storage)	-40 °C...+70 °C
Climatic class acc. to IEC 60721-3-3	3K5
Operating mode	continuous operation
Mounting position	display-oriented
Connection	plug-in terminals
Connection properties	
rigid / flexible	0.2...4 / 0.2...2.5 mm <sup>2</sup>
flexible with ferrules without / with plastic collar	0.25...2.5 mm <sup>2</sup>
Conductor sizes (AWG)	24-12
Tightening torque	0.5...0.6 Nm (4.3...5.3 lb-in)
Degree of protection, internal components (IEC 60529)	IP 30
Degree of protection, terminals (IEC 60529)	IP 20
Mounting	panel mounting
Flammability class	UL94 V-2
Operating manual	TGH1370
Weight	≤ 400 g

## Measuring time



## Dimension diagram

Dimensions in mm



## Ordering information

Type	Supply voltage $U_S$	Art. No.
IR1575-435	AC 88...264 V / DC 77...286 V / AC 340...460 V	B 9106 4000
IR1575W-435		B 9106 4000W