# INSULATOR, MEDIUM-VOLTAGE, PORCELAIN, PIN-TYPE



#### 1. Scope

This standard covers the requirements for porcelain medium-voltage pin-type insulators.

This standard applies to Seattle City Light Stock Number 690005.

### 2. Application

Porcelain medium-voltage pin-type insulators are installed on wood cross arms to support lines rated up to 2.6 kV, phase-to-ground.

### 3. Industry Standards

Porcelain pin-type insulators shall meet the requirements of the following national standard:

ANSI C29.5-1984 - American National Standard for Wet-Process Porcelain Insulators Low- and Medium-Voltage Types

### 4. Requirements

Porcelain pin-type insulators shall meet the following requirements:

ANSI C29.5 Class	55-2 (Radio Freed)
60 Hz dry flashover, kV rms, nominal	45

60 Hz wet flashover, kV rms, nominal	25
Positive critical impulse flashover, kV crest, nominal	70
Leakage distance, in, nominal	5
Strike/dry arc distance, in, nominal	3-3/8
Pin height, in, minimum	4
Pin diameter, in, nominal	1
Cantilever strength, ultimate, lbs	2500
Porcelain color	gray, according to ANSI C29.5, Section 5.2
Semi-conductive glaze	required
Top and side wire grooves	according to ANSI C29.5, Figure 2
Neck type	"C"

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# 5. Testing

Test data that establishes compliance with the requirements of ANSI C29.5, Section 8 shall be provided upon request.

## 6. Marking

Porcelain, pin-type insulators shall be clearly and indelibly marked in accordance with ANSI C29.5-Section 7.

Marking shall include but not be limited to:

- Manufacturer's name or symbol
- Year of manufacture
- Product Identification Number

### 7. Packaging

Porcelain pin-type insulators shall be packaged in a way that prevents damage during shipping, handling, and long-term outside storage.

Crates shall be secured to pallets for handling by forklifts. Pallets shall not exceed 4 feet in height or 1,000 pounds in weight.

Individual packages shall be legibly marked with:

- Manufacturer's name
- Manufacturer's catalog number
- Seattle City Light's Stock Number

Shipping containers shall be legibly marked with:

- Seattle City Light's Purchase Order Number
- Seattle City Light's Stock Number

### 8. Issuance

Stock Unit: EA

### 9. Approved Manufacturers

	Manufacturers and Catalog Numbers				
Stock No	Gamma Insulators (formerly Lapp)	PPC (Seves)	Santa Terezinha (CST)	Victor Insulators, Inc.	
NU	Lapp)	(Seves)	(031)	IIIC.	
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### 10. References

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