# 29 kV, Three-phase, SF6, Multi-purpose Switchgear, Manually Controlled 



1. Scope

This standard covers 29 kV , three-phase, SF6-insulated, multi-purpose, manually controlled switchgear and related accessories.
This standard applies to the following Seattle City Light (SCL) stock numbers:

|  |  | Fault Interrupting | Load Interrupting |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  | Remote Low-Pressure Alarm <br> Contacts (R-12 feature) |  |  |  |
| \# of Ways | Style |  | Yes | No | Section |
| 2 | Padmount | 012673 | - | - | 10.1 |
| 2 | Padmount | - | - | 013490 | 10.2 |
| 3 | Padmount | - | - | 012846 | 10.3 |
| 3 | Wet | - | 013347 | $012707^{\text {a }}$ | 10.4 |
| 4 | Wet | - | - | 012748 | 10.5 |
| 5 | Padmount | - | - | 012709 | 10.6 |
| 5 | Wet | - | - | 012706 | 10.7 |
| 6 | Padmount | - | - | 012708 | 10.8 |
| 6 | Wet | - | - | 012705 | 10.9 |
| Note:    <br> a. No purchase    |  |  |  |  |  |

The overcurrent control adapter cables associated with this switchgear are described in Section 11.


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## 2. Application

This switchgear is intended for use on $26.4 \mathrm{kV}, 4$-wire, three-phase, 60 Hz , solidly grounded, wye-connected systems where the available fault current is less than 25 kA rms symmetrical.

All switches are provided with viewing windows to observe open gaps, ground positions, ground bus, and fault trip indicators (if so equipped).

Refer to SCL 9202.17 for detailed application information.

## 3. Industry Standards

Except as modified by this standard, switchgear shall meet the applicable requirements of the latest revisions of:

IEEE C37.112; Standard Inverse-Time Characteristic Equations for Overcurrent Relays
IEEE 386; Standard for Separable Insulated Connector Systems for Power Distribution Systems above 600 V

IEEE C57.12.28; Switchgear \& Transformers - Pad Mounted Equipment Enclosure Integrity

IEEE C37.74 - Standard Requirements for Subsurface, Vault, and Padmounted Load-Interrupter Switchgear and Fused Load-Interrupter Switchgear for Alternating Current Systems up to 38 kV
IEC 298; Appendix AA - 1 - 52 kV A.C. Metal Enclosed Switchgear and Controlgear
4. Construction

### 4.1 General

The switchgear assembly shall be integrally designed and produced by the manufacturer of the individual switch components. Manufacturer shall be solely responsible for the performance of the individual switch components as well as the assembly.

Padmount-style switch cabinets shall be sized to accommodate the use of S\&C Electric portable (remote) motor operators.

All switchgear components shall be factory assembled and tested.

### 4.2 Design Changes

The manufacturer shall inform SCL in writing of all design changes that could affect the understood or published capabilities of the switchgear.

### 4.3 Quality

Switchgear design and construction shall be high quality and provide safe and reliable operation with minimal maintenance over the life of the product.

### 4.4 Switch Ratings

Switchgear shall have the following basic electrical ratings:

| Maximum voltage | $29 \mathrm{kV}, \mathrm{rms}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Number of phases | 3 |
| Power frequency | 60 Hz |
| Lightning-impulse withstand voltage (BIL) | 125 kV, crest |
| Short-time (1 s) withstand current | 25 kA, rms symmetrical |
| Momentary (10 cycles) withstand current | $40 \mathrm{kA}, \mathrm{rms}$ asymmetrical |

5. Nameplate

Each switch shall be provided with a nameplate that meets the requirements of IEEE C37.74.

Each switch shall be provided with a label that states the amount of SF6 gas (in pounds) contained within the unit's tank.

## 6. Documentation

One instruction book shall be securely attached to each switch in an ultraviolet light-resistant envelope.
Provision shall be made for SCL to obtain PDF files of all relevant, switch-specific documentation, such as the following:

- Installation instructions
- Operation and maintenance instructions
- Outline drawings
- Wiring and schematic drawings


## 7. Packaging

Each switch shall be packaged in its own crate and delivered on its own pallet.
The pallet shall be compatible with either a pallet jack or forklift.
The two openings for the pallet jack or forklift shall have a minimum height of 4 in and width of 21 in .

Crate and pallet, including slats, blocking, and wedges, shall be unpainted wood.
The outside of each crate shall be permanently and clearly marked with:

- Manufacturer name or symbol
- Seattle City Light purchase order number
- Seattle City Light stock number
- Manufacturer equipment serial number

8. Shipping

Switches may be delivered on enclosed, covered, or flatbed trucks. If switches are delivered on flatbed truck, switches shall be side-loaded. Because Washington State law requires a 10 -in minimum side board when driving a forklift or pallet jack onto the bed of a truck or trailer, most flatbed trucks or trailers must be side-loaded to ease off-loading.
9. Issuance

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## 10. Detailed Requirements

### 10.1 2-Way, Padmount Style, Fault Interrupting Switch

| Stock No. | S\&C Electric Co. Vista Switch Catalog No. |
| :--- | :--- |
| 012673 | 852113-L2-M1-O-P12-R31-S101 with one TA-3153 |

where:

| $85=$ | 25 kA rms symmetrical short-circuit rating |
| :---: | :---: |
| $211=$ | Two-way, one load interrupting way, one fault interrupting way |
|  | 29 kV voltage rating, maximum |
| L2 = | Potential indication with test feature with provision for low-voltage phasing |
| M1 = | 600 A bushings without studs, at load-interrupter switch and bus terminals |
| $\mathrm{O}=$ | Two-hole ground pad, one per way, located below bushings or bushing wells (in lieu of standard one ground pad per tank) |
| $\mathrm{P} 12=$ | Pad-mounted style, two-way unit, stainless steel outer enclosure, olive green finish |
| R31 = | External trip provisions, allows three-pole tripping of single-pole or three-pole fault interrupters via trip signal from a remote location or an external relay in addition to standard overcurrent control |
| TA-3153 $=$ | Overcurrent control adapter cable accessory for field programming of overcurrent control, USB style |
| S101 = | 6 inch stainless steel base spacer to accommodate Portable Motor Operators |

Figure 10.1. 2-Way, Padmount Style, Fault Interrupting Switch


### 10.2 2-Way, Padmount Style, Load Interrupting Switch

| Stock No. | S\&C Electric Co. Vista Switch Catalog No. |
| :--- | :--- |
| 013490 | 852103-M1-P12-L2-O-R2-S102 |

where:

| $85=$ | 25 kA rms symmetrical short-circuit rating |
| ---: | :--- |
| $210=$ | Two-way, one load interrupting way, zero fault interrupting ways |
| $3=$ | 29 kV voltage rating, maximum |
| $\mathrm{M} 1=$ | 600 A bushings (without studs) at all terminals |
| $\mathrm{P} 12=$ | Pad-mounted style, stainless steel outer enclosure and <br> low-voltage compartment, olive green finish |
| $\mathrm{L2}=$ | Potential indication with test feature with provision for <br> low-voltage phasing |
| $\mathrm{O}=$ | Two-hole ground pad, one per way, located below bushings or <br> bushing wells (in lieu of standard one ground pad per tank) |
| $\mathrm{R} 2=$ | Remote low-pressure alarm includes internal contact for remote <br> low-pressure indication with wiring to outside of tank. Wires are <br> terminated in an enclosure furnished with a terminal block for <br> customer connections. |
| $\mathrm{S102}=$ | 6 inch stainless steel base spacer to accommodate Portable <br> Motor Operators |

Figure 10.2. 2-Way, Padmount Style, Load Interrupting Switch


### 10.3 3-Way, Padmount Style, Load Interrupting Switch

| Stock No. | S\&C Electric Co. Vista Switch Catalog No. |
| :--- | :--- |
| 012846 | 853303-M1-P14-L2-O-S105 |

where:

| $85=$ | 25 kA rms symmetrical short-circuit rating |
| ---: | :--- |
| $330=$ | Three-way, three load interrupting ways, zero fault interrupting <br> ways |
| $3=$ | 29 kV voltage rating, maximum |
| $\mathrm{M} 1=$ | 600 A bushings (without studs) at all terminals |
| $\mathrm{P} 14=$ | Pad-mounted style, stainless steel outer enclosure and low- <br> voltage compartment, olive green finish |
| $\mathrm{L} 2=$ | Potential indication with test feature with provision for <br> low-voltage phasing |
| $\mathrm{O}=$ | Two-hole ground pad, one per way, located below bushings or <br> bushing wells (in lieu of standard one ground pad per tank) |
| S105 $=$ | 6 inch stainless steel base spacer to accommodate Portable <br> Motor Operators |

Figure 10.3. 3-Way, Padmount Style, Load Interrupting Switch


### 10.4 3-Way, Wet Vault Style, Load Interrupting Switch

| Stock No. | S\&C Electric Co. Vista Switch Catalog No. |
| :--- | :--- |
| 013347 | 853303-M1-V4-L2-O-R12 |
| $012707^{\text {a }}$ | 853303-M1-V4-L2-O |

where:

| $85=$ | 25 kA rms symmetrical short-circuit rating |
| ---: | :--- |
| $330=$ | Three-way, three load interrupting ways, zero fault interrupting <br> ways |
| $3=\quad 29 \mathrm{kV}$ voltage rating, maximum |  |
| $\mathrm{M} 1=$ | 600 A bushings (without studs) at all terminals |
| $\mathrm{V} 4=$ | Wet vault mounted style. Includes stainless steel tank and <br> submersible wiring and control housings. |
| $\mathrm{L} 2=$ | Potential indication with test feature with provision for low- <br> voltage phasing |
| $\mathrm{O}=$ | Two-hole ground pad, one per way, located below bushings or <br> bushing wells (in lieu of standard one ground pad per tank) |
| $\mathrm{R12}=$ | Remote low-pressure alarm. Includes internal contact for remote <br> low-pressure indication, with wiring to outside of tank |

Note:
a. No purchase

Figure 10.4. 3-Way, Wet Vault Style, Load Interrupting Switch


### 10.5 4-Way, Wet Vault Style, Load Interrupting Switch

Stock No.
012748
S\&C Electric Co. Vista Switch Catalog No.
854403-M1-V4-L2-O
where:

| $85=$ | 25 kA rms symmetrical short-circuit rating |
| ---: | :--- |
| $440=$ | Four-way, four load interrupting ways, zero fault interrupting <br> ways |
| $3=$ | 29 kV voltage rating, maximum |
| $\mathrm{M} 1=$ | 600 A bushings (without studs) at all terminals |
| $\mathrm{V} 4=$ | Wet vault mounted style. Includes stainless steel tank and <br> submersible wiring and control housings. |
| $\mathrm{L} 2=$ | Potential indication with test feature with provision for low- <br> voltage phasing |
| $\mathrm{O}=$ | Two-hole ground pad, one per way, located below bushings or <br> bushing wells (in lieu of standard one ground pad per tank) |

Figure 10.5. 4-Way, Wet Vault Style, Load Interrupting Switch


### 10.6 5-Way, Padmount Style, Load Interrupting Switch

## Stock No. S\&C Electric Co. Vista Switch Catalog No.

012709
855503-M1-P16-L2-O-S103
where:

| $85=$ | 25 kA rms symmetrical short-circuit rating |
| ---: | :--- |
| $550=$ | Five-way, five load interrupting ways, zero fault interrupting ways |
| $3=$ | 29 kV voltage rating, maximum |
| $\mathrm{M} 1=$ | 600 A bushings (without studs) at all terminals |
| $\mathrm{P} 16=$ | Pad-mounted style, stainless steel outer enclosure and low- <br> voltage compartment, olive green finish |
| $\mathrm{L} 2=$ | Potential indication with test feature with provision for low- <br> voltage phasing |
| $\mathrm{O}=$ | Two-hole ground pad, one per way, located below bushings or <br> bushing wells (in lieu of standard one ground pad per tank) |
| $\mathrm{S103}=$ | 6 inch stainless steel base spacer to accommodate Portable <br> $\quad$Motor Operators |

Figure 10.6. 5-Way, Padmount Style, Load Interrupting Switch


### 10.7 5-Way, Wet Vault Style, Load Interrupting Switch

Stock No.
012706
where:

| $85=$ | 25 kA rms symmetrical short-circuit rating |
| :---: | :---: |
| $550=$ | Five-way, five load interrupting ways, zero fault interrupting ways |
| $3=$ | 29 kV voltage rating, maximum |
| M1 = | 600 A bushings (without studs) at all terminals |
| V4 = | Wet vault mounted style. Includes stainless steel tank, submersible wiring and control housings |
| L2 = | Potential indication with test feature with provision for low-voltage phasing |
| $\mathrm{O}=$ | Two-hole ground pad, one per way, located below bushings or bushing wells (in lieu of standard one ground pad per tank) |

Figure 10.7. 5-Way, Wet Vault Style, Load Interrupting Switch


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### 10.8 6-Way, Padmount Style, Load Interrupting Switch

Stock No. S\&C Electric Co. Vista Switch Catalog No.

## 012708 856603-M1-P16-L2-O-S101

where:
\(\left.\begin{array}{rl}85= \& 25 \mathrm{kA} rms symmetrical short-circuit rating <br>
660= \& Six-way, six load interrupting ways, zero fault interrupting ways <br>
3= \& 29 \mathrm{kV} voltage rating, maximum <br>
\mathrm{M} 1= \& 600 \mathrm{~A} bushings (without studs) at all terminals <br>
\mathrm{P} 16= \& Pad-mounted style, stainless steel outer enclosure and <br>

\& low-voltage compartment, olive green finish\end{array}\right]\)\begin{tabular}{rl}

$\mathrm{L} 2=$ \& | Potential indication with test feature with provision for |
| :--- |
| low-voltage phasing | <br>


$\mathrm{O}=$ \& | Two-hole ground pad, one per way, located below bushings or |
| :--- |
| bushing wells (in lieu of standard one ground pad per tank) | <br>


\hline S101 $=$ \& | 6 inch stainless steel base spacer to accommodate Portable |
| :--- |
| Motor Operators |

\end{tabular}

Figure 10.8. 6-Way, Padmount Style, Load Interrupting Switch


### 10.9 6-Way, Wet Vault Style, Load Interrupting Switch

Stock No. S\&C Electric Co. Vista Switch Catalog No.

## 012705 <br> 856603-M1-V4-L2-O

where:

| $85=$ | 25 kA rms symmetrical short-circuit rating |
| ---: | :--- |
| $660=$ | Six-way, six load interrupting ways, zero fault interrupting ways |
| $3=$ | 29 kV voltage rating, maximum |
| M1 $=$ | 600 A bushings (without studs) at all terminals |
| V4 $=$ | Wet vault mounted style. Includes stainless steel tank, <br> submersible wiring and control housings |
| $\mathrm{L} 2=$ | Potential indication with test feature with provision for <br> low-voltage phasing |
| $\mathrm{O}=$ | Two-hole ground pad, one per way, located below bushings or <br> bushing wells (in lieu of standard one ground pad per tank) |

Figure 10.9. 6-Way, Wet Vault Style, Load Interrupting Switch


## 11. Accessories

### 11.1 Overcurrent Control Adapter Cable, 9 Pin Style

## Stock No. S\&C Electric Co. Catalog No. <br> None ${ }^{\text {a }}$ TA-2367 <br> Description

Note:
a. Obtain from Relay Group

Overcurrent control adapter cable with 9-pin connectors

### 11.2 Overcurrent Control Adapter Cable, USB Style

Stock No. S\&C Electric Co. Catalog No.
Description
None ${ }^{\text {a }}$ TA-3153
Overcurrent control adapter cable with USB connectors

Note:
a. Obtain from Relay Group

## 12. References

SCL Design Standard 9202.17; "Vista Switch Application Guide"

## 13. Sources

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