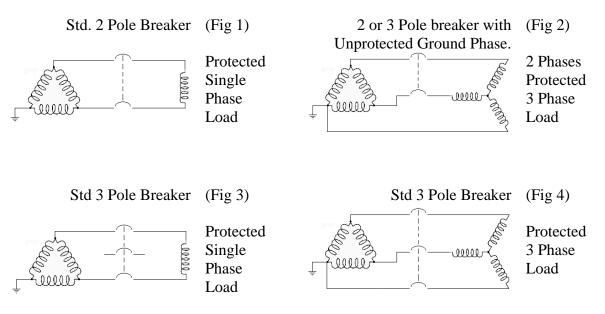
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## MOLDED CASE CIRCUIT BREAKER APPLICATION ON GROUNDED B-PHASE SYSTEMS

Occasionally you may have an application that is a delta voltage source with a grounded "B" phase, also known as corner grounded. Eaton Corporation literature states "for all 3 phase delta grounded B phase applications, refer to Eaton Corporation." Following are sketches of what the voltage source looks like with a breaker applied.



(Use outside poles when 2 poles of a 3 pole breaker are used)

Sizing a breaker for application in a Grounded B-Phase Delta system is different from sizing a breaker for application in a solidly grounded or low-resistance grounded wye system because the phase to ground interrupting duty requirement of an individual breaker pole is different for each case.

- A) In a grounded B-Phase System case, a single-line-to-ground fault occurring downstream of the breaker must be interrupted by a single pole of the breaker with full line-to-line voltage across that single interrupting pole.
- B) In a neutral-grounded wye system, solidly-grounded or low-resistance grounded; a downstream single-line-to-ground fault must likewise be interrupted by a single pole of the breaker, but in this case with only line-toneutral voltage across that single interrupting pole.

This is the difference which determines the values of the following application data table:

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## PHASE TO GROUND INTERRUPTING RATINGS MOLDED CASE CIRCUIT BREAKERS IN GROUNDED B-PHASE SYSTEMS

|                              | INTERRUPTION RATING,<br>kA |            |            |
|------------------------------|----------------------------|------------|------------|
|                              | 240 VAC                    | 480<br>VAC | 600<br>VAC |
| CLASSIC                      |                            |            |            |
| EB                           | 5                          |            |            |
| EHB                          | 18                         | 10         |            |
| FB                           | 18                         | 10         | 8.6        |
| HFB                          | 65                         | 10         | 8.6        |
| CA, CAH, HCA *               | 10                         |            |            |
| JA, KA                       | 25                         | 15         | 10         |
| НКА                          | 65                         | 15         | 10         |
| JB, KB, HKB                  | 18                         | 10         |            |
| LB, LBB, HLB                 | 25                         | 10         |            |
| DA                           | 25                         |            |            |
| LA, LAB, HLA 400A            | 42                         | 15         | 10         |
| LA, LAB, HLA 600A            | 30                         | 10         | 8.6        |
| LC, HLC                      | 30                         | 10         | 8.6        |
| LCL                          |                            | 65         |            |
| MA, HMA                      | 42                         | 12         | 10         |
| MA, HMA W/CERAMIC ARC        | 42                         | 15         | 10         |
| CHUTES                       | 10                         | 10         |            |
| MC, HMC                      | 42                         | 12         | 10         |
| NB, HNB                      | 25                         | 12         |            |
| NB TRI-PAC                   | 05                         | 75         |            |
| NC, HNC                      | 25                         | 12         |            |
| PB, PC                       | 65                         | 25         | 20         |
| PB TRI-PAC                   |                            | 100        |            |
| Series C                     | 14                         |            |            |
| GHB, GHC<br>GD               | 22                         | 0.6        |            |
| GD                           | 22                         | 8.6        |            |
| ED, EDH, EDC                 | 10                         |            |            |
| EHD                          | 14                         | 10         |            |
| FDB                          | 14                         | 10         | 10         |
| FD, JD, JDB, KD,LD, LDB, CLD | 35                         | 10         | 10         |
| HFD, HJD, HKD, HLD, CHLD     | 65                         | 10         | 10         |
| FDC, JDC, KDC, LDC, CLDC     | 100                        | 10         | 10         |
|                              | 100                        | 10         | 10         |
| MDL, CMDL                    | 50                         | 10         | 10         |
| HMDL, CHMDL                  | 65                         | 10         | 10         |
| ND, CND                      | 50                         | 14         | 14         |
| HND, CHND                    | 65                         | 14         | 14         |
| NDC, CNDC                    | 100                        | 14         | 14         |
| NDU                          | 150                        | 14         | 14         |

## PHASE TO GROUND INTERRUPTING RATINGS (Continued) MOLDED CASE CIRCUIT BREAKERS IN GROUNDED B-PHASE SYSTEMS

|                            | INTERRUPTION RATING,<br>kA |            |            |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|------------|------------|
|                            | 240<br>VAC                 | 480<br>VAC | 600<br>VAC |
| RD, CRD 1600, 2000         | 65                         | 14         | 14         |
| RDC, CRDC 1600, 2000       | 100                        | 14         | 14         |
| RD 2500                    | 65                         | 20         | 20         |
| RDC 2500                   | 100                        | 20         | 20         |
| Series G                   |                            |            |            |
| EGB                        | 18                         | 10         |            |
| EGE                        | 25                         | 10         |            |
| EGS                        | 35                         | 10         |            |
| EGH                        | 65                         | 10         |            |
| EGC                        | 100                        | 10         |            |
| JGE                        | 25                         | 10         | 10         |
| JGS, LGE                   | 35                         | 10         | 10         |
| LGS                        | 50                         | 10         | 10         |
| JGH, LGH                   | 65                         | 10         | 10         |
| JGC, LGC                   | 100                        | 10         | 10         |
| JGU, LGU                   | 150                        | 10         | 10         |
| JGX, LGX                   | 200                        | 10         | 10         |
| NGS 800,1200               | 50                         | 14         | 14         |
| NGH 800,1200               | 65                         | 14         | 14         |
| NGC 800,1200               | 100                        | 14         | 14         |
| NGU 800                    | 150                        | 14         | 14         |
| DCH 1600, 2000             | GE                         | 14         | 14         |
| RGH 1600, 2000             | 65<br>100                  | 14<br>14   | 14         |
| RGC 1600, 2000<br>RGH 2500 | 100                        |            |            |
|                            | 65<br>100                  | 20         | 20         |
| RGC 2500                   | 100                        | 20         | 20         |

• These breakers are U.L. listed for 240 VAC corner grounded applications. All others are Eaton Corporation certified, but based on U.L. test requirements.

3 pole breakers may be used for 3 phase loads with the grounded phase connected through a breaker pole. See Figure 4. In this configuration, the standard interruption values apply for phase to phase interruption, but the reduced values apply for phase-to-ground interruption.

3 pole breakers may be also be used for single phase loads connected through the outside poles. –See Figure 3.

Where permitted by the electrical code, 2 or 3 pole breakers may be used in the unprotected neutral configuration, Figure 2. In this configuration, the reduced interruption values apply for all interruptions.

The following corner grounded delta application ratings are Eaton Corporation certified, but based on U.L. test requirements. Those interruption ratings are applicable to all breakers not stated on the previous table.

| CORNER GROUNDED<br>DELTA SYSTEM VOLTS | CIRCUIT BREAKER<br>AMPERE RATING | I.C. RATING<br>(AMPERES) |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|
|                                       |                                  |                          |
| 240 with 240V Breaker                 | 100 AND BELOW                    | 4,330 FOR 240V           |
|                                       |                                  | RATED BREAKER            |
| 240 with 240V Breaker                 | 101-800                          | 8,660 FOR 240V           |
|                                       |                                  | RATED BREAKER            |
| 240 with 480V or 600V Breaker         | ALL                              | USE 480V MARKED          |
|                                       |                                  | RATING ON BREAKER        |
| 480 OR 600                            | 800 AND BELOW                    | 8,660                    |
| 480 OR 600                            | 801-1200                         | 12,120                   |
| 480 OR 600                            | 1201-2000                        | 14,000                   |
| 480 OR 600                            | 2001-2500                        | 20,000                   |
| 480 OR 600                            | 2501-3000                        | 25,000                   |
| 480 OR 600                            | 3001-4000                        | 30,000                   |
|                                       |                                  |                          |

All 480VAC or 600VAC rated breakers are suitable for use on 240VAC corner grounded delta systems, but the short circuit rating must be reduced to the 480VAC short circuit current rating marked on the breaker.

No 120/240VAC circuit breakers may be used on any corner grounded delta system.

3 pole breakers may be used for 3 phase loads with grounded phase connected through a breaker pole. –See Figure 4.

3 pole breakers may also be used for single phase loads which will be connected through the outside poles. See Figure 4. In this configuration, the standard interruption values apply for phase to phase interruption, but the reduced values apply for phase-to-ground interruption.

Where permitted by the electrical code, 2 or 3 pole breakers may be used in the unprotected neutral configuration, Figure 2. In this configuration, the reduced interruption values apply for all interruptions.

Panel boards must be built as 3 phase 3 wire.

Series ratings do not apply for phase-to-ground interruption or for protected phase-to-unprotected phase interruption.

The protected phase-to-protected phase interruption values are not affected by the corner grounded configuration.

Notice – Positive identification of the grounded phase through the entire system must be made per the NEC Code.