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Base station battery maintenance and testing



Overview

Why are batteries important in a substation?

Batteries are among the least expensive pieces of equipment in a substation, and they are the heart that keeps the protection and control system running. Despite this, they are often not maintained properly. NERC standards make battery maintenance mandatory and its requirements are more stringent than those for other equipment.

What are the NERC standards for battery maintenance?

NERC standards make battery maintenance mandatory and its requirements are more stringent than those for other equipment. Very specific activities and maintenances schedules are described in PRC-005. Failing to comply with these requirements can reduce the life and performance of batteries, in addition to incurring fines.

How do I define a PSMP for a battery system?

When defining a PSMP for the battery system, the activities listed in Table 1-4 are the minimum to be included but additional activities can be added according to the needs or conditions of the system. IEEE and NETA have recommendations for battery maintenance that can be used as a reference when adding maintenance activities for batteries.

What chemistries are used in a battery?

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helps detect ...

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