

Article Overview

Flange busbar joints are installed by aligning the busbars, securing with bolts, ensuring proper torque, and applying filler or insulation to maintain electrical and mechanical integrity.

Step-by-Step Installation

1. Preparation

- o Verify that all busbar sections and flange components are received and undamaged. Store them in a clean, dry area to prevent corrosion or contamination .

- o Ensure all personnel wear appropriate PPE and that lifting equipment is available for safe handling .

- o Check the approved isometric drawings for busbar layout and routing before starting installation . 2. Surface Cleaning and Alignment

- o Remove any oxidation, dirt, or moisture from the busbar surfaces to ensure metal-to-metal contact .

- o Align the busbar ends with the flange, ensuring that alignment slots or guide parts are properly seated .

- o Overlap the busbars slightly if required, and check that the conductors are dry and clean . 3. Bolt Installation

- o Insert bolts through the flange holes, using flat washers under both the bolt head and nut to distribute pressure evenly .

- o Initially, tighten bolts lightly to allow minor adjustments for perfect alignment .

- o Once aligned, tighten the bolts to the recommended torque (e.g., 83 Nm for medium-voltage busbars) to ensure sufficient contact pressure without damaging threads . 4. Filler or Insulation Application

- o If the joint requires filler (e.g., silicone or epoxy), inject it through the designated filler hole using a transparent pipe to monitor flow .

- o Continue filling until the material is visible at the opposite end, ensuring complete coverage .

- o Replace the plastic lid or cover after injection to protect the joint . 5. Final Checks

- o Verify that the busbar is properly seated and aligned in all directions .

- o Ensure that joint covers and adjunct lids are securely in place .

- o Conduct thermal or electrical checks if required to confirm low contact resistance and absence of hot spots .

6. Safety and Maintenance

- o Avoid mixing dissimilar metals without proper bimetallic transition plates to prevent galvanic corrosion .

- o Periodically inspect the joint for signs of oxidation, loosening, or thermal degradation . By following these steps, flange busbar joints achieve mechanical strength, electrical reliability, and long-term performance under load cycles and environmental stress .

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