



# Cable Data™ Collector

online MV cable testing system

Identifies and reports Partial Discharge (PD) activity in LIVE CABLES of distribution voltage

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### benefits

- Identifies cable defects before they fail
- Does not require a cable outage
- Quick, safe and non-destructive
- Expert cable condition analysis & reports

#### **features**

- Detects and measures PD activity in single and three phase cables
- Works with all insulated cable types over distances up to several kilometres
- Small, robust, portable and easy to use

**fact:** Taking cables offline to test for PD is disruptive

fact: The PD CableData™ system WORKS ONLINE to detect, locate and measure PD activity

## **system** components

The CableData™ Collector is supplied as a readyto-use system, in its own carry case.

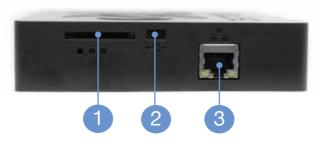
The central unit is machined and anodised aluminium for light weight and toughness, and is powered via its USB port from a laptop or PC.





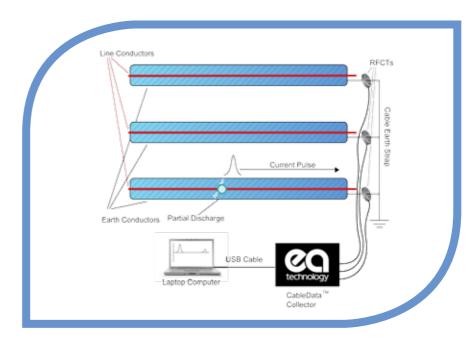
3 off Radio Frequency Current Transformers (RFCTs)

- Channel 1 user configurable for phase
- Channel 2 user configurable for phase
- C Channel 3 user configurable for phase
- Power frequency phase reference configure to eliminate noise
- SD card slot future data storage capability
- USB 2.0 port –
  provides power from
  PC/laptop and data
  communications
- Ethernet port future LAN communications capability





Rugged carry case

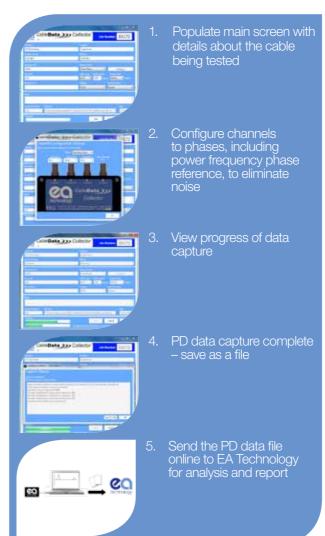


### how it works

The CableData<sup>™</sup> Collector detects and locates PD activity in live distribution cables by measuring radio emissions which are produced when discharges occur.

Simply clip the unit's Radio
Frequency Current Transformers
(RFCTs) around cable earth straps
and plug them into the Collector.
Data about PD activity is output to
a PC or laptop, via a USB cable.

## PD activity data capture





## **CableData™** analysis



- 6. The PD data file is analysed by our experts
- 7. We send you a report detailing:
- The severity of PD activity
- Assessment of the risk of failure
- Recommendations for remedia action or replacement

## technical specification

HARDWARE	
Enclosure	Anodised Aliminium
Indicators	Phase Reference Status LED, Waveform Capture LED, Events LED
Connectors	1 x Micro USB, 1 x Ethernet (inactive), 4 x BNC
ENVIRONMENTAL	
Operating Temperature	0 °C to 60 °C
Humidity	0 - 90% RH Non-Condensing
IP Rating	31
DIMENSIONS	
Size	28mm x 120mm x 176mm
Weight	600g
POWER SUPPLY	
Power Source	Power Supplied by USB port

CABLE PD MEASUREMENTS	
Measurement Type	Single Phase or Three Phase
Sensor	3 x RFCT
Capture Window	153µs, 76µs and 38µs
Cable Length	Cable Construction Dependent
Resolution	Range Dependent (14pC, 28pC, 56pC, 112pC)
Measurement Range	Range Dependent (25,000pC, 50,000pC, 100,00pC, 200,000pC)
Gain Range	4 (Auto Ranging)
Measurement	Automatically picked up from RFCT or optional LV Transformer



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