HB 219 Worked Example 3.6.4   Extensive Urban MEN System Supplied by a HV Overhead Line

2 km aerial HV feed to a pole-mounted distribution transformer, no OHEW, common HV/LV earth, extensive MEN (Australian type), LV neutral not bonded to HV source substation.

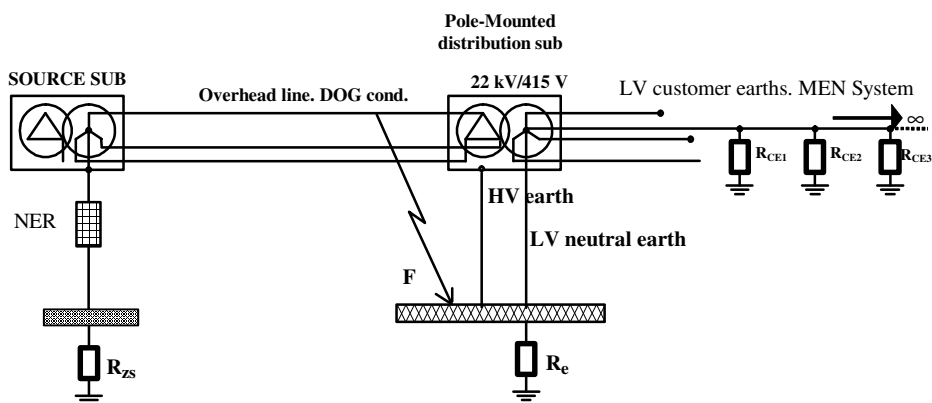### 22 kV source, 8 ohm NER.

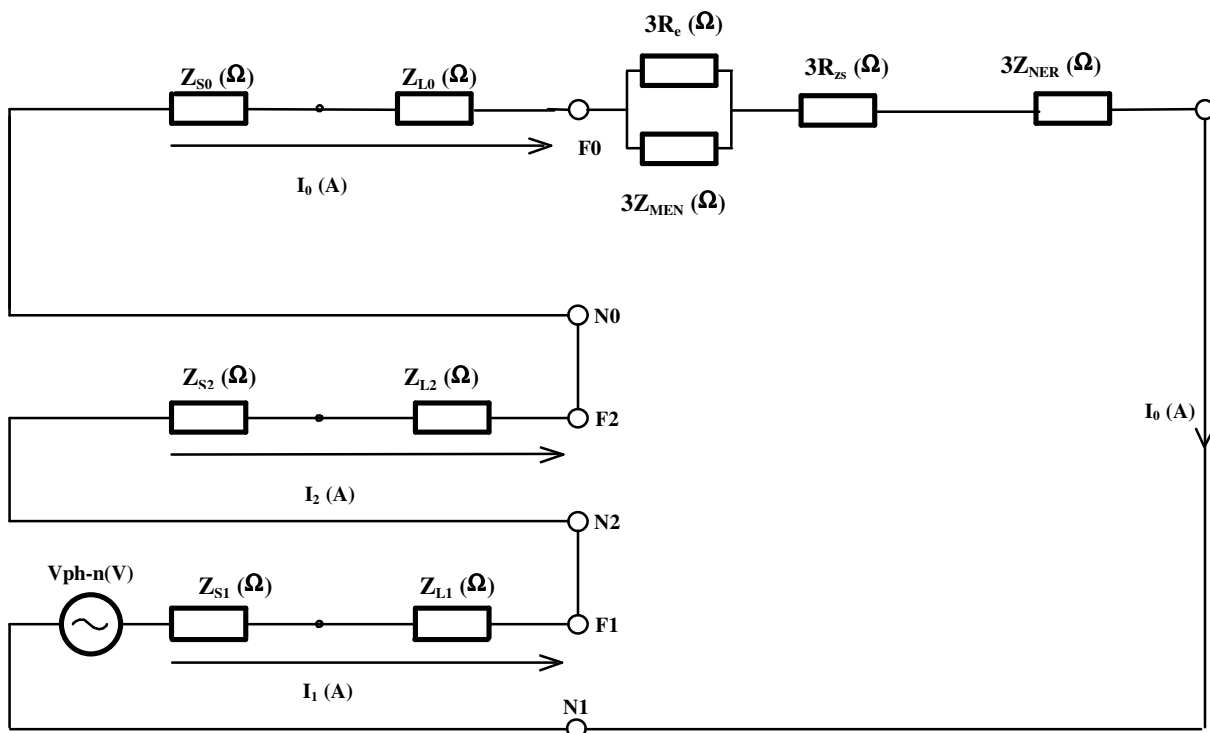Fig. 3.6.4.1   Extensive urban MEN network supplied by a HV overhead line

Fig. 3.6.4.2   Symmetrical components network for a HV single phase to earth fault at the distribution transformer

22kV SYSTEM DATA

Single phase source voltage V_{ph-n} (Volts) $Vs_1 := 12702$

Single Phase Fault Level S (MVA) $S := 400$

Source impedance calculated from the fault level. Assume source impedance is purely reactive and positive sequence = negative sequence = zero sequence.

Positive sequence source impedance (Ohms) $Z_{S1} := \dfrac{22^2}{S} \cdot j$ $Z_{S1} = 1.2j$

Negative sequence source impedance (Ohms) $Z_{S2} := Z_{S1}$

Zero sequence source impedance (Ohms) $Z_{S0} := Z_{S1}$

22kV Overhead line impedance

Conductor size: DOG (6/4.72mm aluminium with 7/1.57mm steel)

Length (km) $L := 2.0$

Line sequence impedance (Ohms/km)

Positive sequence line impedance (Ohms/km) $Z_{L1} := 0.2722 + 0.3407j$
Negative sequence line impedance (Ohms/km) $Z_{L2} := Z_{L1}$
Zero sequence line impedance (Ohms/km) $Z_{L0} := 0.4204 + 1.6545j$

22kV NER AND EARTHING IMPEDANCE (Ohms)

Neutral Earthing Resistor (Ohms) $Z_{NER} := 8$

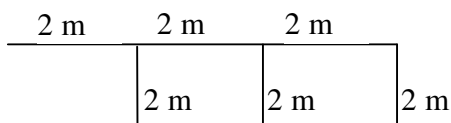Zone substation earthing system resistance (Ohms) $R_{zs} := 0.01$

Surface soil resistivity (Ohm–m) $\rho := 10$ Ohm–m

MEN impedance of typical urban extensive MEN system (see HB 219 Worked Example 4.1.2 for the derivation of this value) (Ohms) $Z_{MEN} := 0.084 + 0.063j$

Distribution transformer earthing system

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   2 m      2 m      2 m
  ____|_____|_____|____
      |        |        |
      |2 m     |2 m     |2 m
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All rods 2 m long and 14 mm dia.

Transformer earthing system resistance (Ohms) $R_e := 0.14 \cdot \rho$ $R_e = 1.4$

The equivalent hemispherical radius (m) $r_E := \dfrac{\rho}{2 \cdot \pi \cdot R_e}$ $r_E = 1.14$

Equivalent MEN plus Re impedance (Ohms) $Z_{eq} := \left(\dfrac{1}{Z_{MEN}} + \dfrac{1}{R_e} \right)^{-1}$

$Z_{eq} = 0.1 + 0.1j$

CALCULATIONS

One Phase to Earth fault on the 22kV feeder at the distribution transformer

Sequence network impedances (Ohms)

$Z_{pos} := Z_{S1} + Z_{L1} \cdot L$ $\qquad$ $Z_{neg} := Z_{S2} + Z_{L2} \cdot L$ $\qquad$ $Z_{zero} := Z_{S0} + Z_{L0} \cdot L + 3 \cdot Z_{eq} + 3 \cdot R_{zs}$

$Z_{pos} = 0.5 + 1.9j$ $\qquad$ $Z_{neg} = 0.5 + 1.9j$ $\qquad$ $Z_{zero} = 1.1 + 4.7j$

Zero sequence fault current (Amps) $\qquad\qquad$ $I_0 := \dfrac{V_{s1}}{Z_{pos} + Z_{neg} + Z_{zero} + 3 \cdot Z_{NER}}$

Fault current (Amps) $\qquad$ $I_f := 3 \cdot I_0$ $\qquad$ $I_f = 1316.6 - 425.6j$ $\qquad$ $\left| I_f \right| = 1383.7$

EPR at the distribution transformer (Volts)

$\qquad$ $EPR_{dt} := I_f \cdot Z_{eq}$ $\qquad\qquad$ $\left| EPR_{dt} \right| = 137$