

## **CIG-OSM/IN DECISION**

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Question: May capacitors complying with IEC 60384-14 (Class Y) be used for

protective impedance?

**Decision:** Capacitors may be used for protective impedance if:

1. They are approved to IEC 60384-14;

2. They are Class Y;

3. They are operating within their approved voltage, temperature ratings and overvoltage category.

**Explanatory notes:** EN 60730-1 does not recognise capacitors as protective impedance.

However, they are accepted by EN 60335-1, Clause 22.42, and IEC

60950-1, tables 1C and 1D.