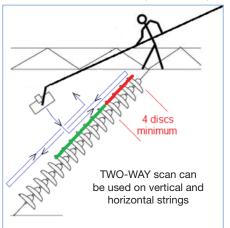
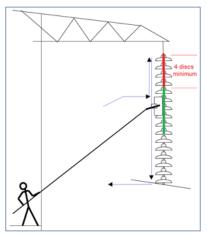
# **Insulator Scanning Procedure**

# A) Porcelain Tester

TWO-WAY scan (2 curves)



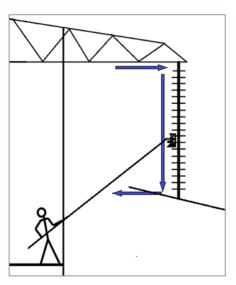
OR **ONE-WAY** scan

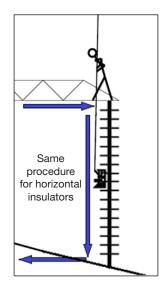


Place initially the tester in the GREEN zone, a minimum of 4 discs away from the low voltage end

# B) Composite Tester

The composite tester uses only **ONE-WAY** scan (No backward motion)





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# Quick Start Guide for Porcelain and Composite Insulator Testers



# **Quick Start Guide**Porcelain Tester & Composite Tester

# • BEFORE a Testing Session

Enter a list of Insulator Identifications
Check the Bluetooth link
Check Date and Time of the Tablet/ PC
Recharge batteries of the Tablet/ PC and the probe

# • DURING a Testing Session

Connect and check the Bluetooth link before beginning Climb the tower

Press the push-button on the probe (if required after timeout). Scan one insulator (see Scanning Procedure on next page)

Press the **Download** button on the Tablet/ PC

Press the **TAG** button and select an identification

Press the **Graphic** button

Press the **Accept** or **Reject** button

Press the **Alert** button to give instructions to the person at the top of the tower

Repeat scan, **Download**, **TAG**, **Graphic** and **Accept** for each insulators in the tower

Press **Close** to save power when all insulators are tested Switch probe **OFF** 

## **Basic Instructions**

When in the field, ensure that the Tablet/PC WiFi is disabled

Switch probe **ON**Insert Bluetooth transmitter with switch in **DCE** mode

Mount probe on sled

While the Probe is at ground level, launch the Insulator Tester Software on the Tablet/ PC and select **Connect to probe** 

Select the COM Port

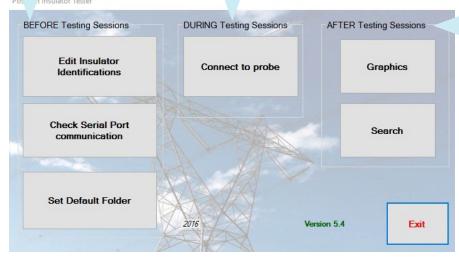
Ensure probe is in Awake Mode by pressing on the push button

Attach the probe's sled to the hot stick





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AFTER a Testing Session
 Press the Graphics button to display any insulator's data
 Press Search to find all graphics related to a given insulator showing its degradation over time

### Notes:

- Practice manipulations of the tester can be done while Bluetooth communication is active and the probe is in Sleep Mode
- The probe will go to Sleep Mode after eight (8) minutes of non-communication, press the probe's button to awaken it