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Abbreviations

ac alternating current

APF Active Power Filter

ASD Adjustable Speed Drive

CEB Ceylon Electricity Board

CFL Compact Fluorescent Lamp

de direct current

HPF High Pass Filter

HV High Voltage

IEC International Electro technical Commission

IGBT Insulated Gate Bipolar Transistor

MV Medium Voltage

MCB miniature Circuit breaker Sri Lanka

MCCB Molded Case Circuit breaker leses & Dissertations

PC Personal Computer lib. mrt. ac.lk

PCC Point of Common Coupling

PQ Power Quality

PWM Pulse Width Modulation

RMS Root Mean Square

SMPS Switch Mode Power Supply

TDD Total Demand Distortion

THD Total Harmonic Distortion

UPC Uva Provincial Council

UPS Uninterruptible Power Supply

VSI Voltage Source Inverter