



Voltage Detectors

One of the most important operations when working on electrical switchgear is to check that voltage is absent, and this requires voltage detectors that meet the highest quality and reliability requirements. PFISTERER voltage detectors meet these requirements without exception.

The **KP-Test 5** Series voltage detectors provide an exceptional combination of user comfort and safety in one device. The optimum LED layout, integrated audible signals and innovative self-test features form the basic elements on all equipment types. Thanks to our long years of experience, we are able to develop and supply voltage detectors that work reliably even in critical situations in the field.

KP-Test 5 Series voltage detectors can be supplied as capacitive single-pole voltage detectors for a.c. voltages from 1 to 420 kV, or resistive double pole voltage detectors from 500 to 4,000 V, in various types.

Equipment types:

The possible operating conditions should be taken into consideration when selecting a suitable voltage detector. Voltage detectors with a contact electrode extension have universal application, as they allow reliable indications even in difficult electrical field conditions.

KP-Test 5:

- For medium voltage applications with contact electrode extension
- Nominal voltages from 1 to 36 kV, Type S

KP-Test 5 dual:

- For medium voltage applications with contact electrode extension and nominal voltage range selector
- Nominal voltages from 3 to 36 kV, Type S

KP-Test 5L:

- Mainly for use on medium voltage overhead lines
- Nominal voltages from 3 to 36 kV, Type L

KP-Test 5L dual:

- Mainly for use on medium voltage overhead lines with nominal voltage range selector
- Nominal voltages from 3 to 36 kV, Type L

KP-Test 5H:

- For high voltage applications with contact electrode extension
- Nominal voltages from 30 to 420 kV, Type S

KP-Test 5HL:

- For use on high voltage overhead lines
- Nominal voltages from 30 to 420 kV, Type L

KP-Test 5R DC:

- For use on the catenary systems of d.c. voltage railways
- Nominal voltages from 500 to 4,000 V d.c.

KP-Test 5R DC dual:

- For use on the catenary systems of d.c. voltage railways, with nominal voltage range selector
- Nominal voltages from 500 to 4,000 V d.c.

KP-Test 5 DC:

- For use on the catenary systems of d.c. voltage systems and railways with a third rail
- Nominal voltages from 500 to 4,000 V d.c.

KP-Test II:

- For use on the catenary systems of a.c. voltage railways
- Nominal voltages 15 kV 16.7 Hz and 25 kV 50 Hz

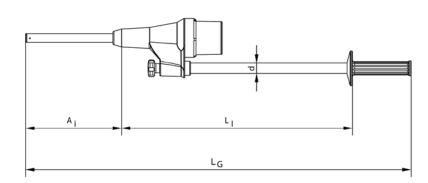
Voltage Detectors KP-Test 5

The **KP-Test 5** capacitive voltage detector can be used for indoor and outdoor medium voltage applications. It indicates the presence of operating voltage when the conductor is contacted. The **KP-Test 5** voltage detector is distinguished by its high level of user-friendliness and user safety.

Technical description:

- Integrated audible signal for reliable voltage tests, even in noisy ambient conditions
- Can be used during precipitation
- Extremely bright LEDs in clear layout to prevent confusion
- Maximum interference field protection through use of a high-quality contact electrode extension
- Extensive self-test at switch-on, which even checks the contact electrode extension
- Removable contact electrode top piece included as forked electrode
- Rated frequency 50 Hz
- Length of insulating element when assembled 520 mm
- Diameter of insulating element when assembled 24 mm

The **KP-Test 5** is designed and type-tested to Standard IEC 61243-1:2003.



No.	Nominal voltage	Total length	Insertion depth	Length of handle	
	U _n (kV)	L _G (mm)	A _i (mm)	L _H (mm)	
930 100 003	3	887	220	135	
930 100 005	5	887	220	135	
930 100 010	10	887	220	135	
930 110 005	5 - 6	1060	393	135	
930 110 010	10 - 12	1060	393	135	
930 110 013	13	1060	393	135	
930 110 020	20	1060	393	135	
930 120 003	3 - 10	1270	603	135	
930 120 005	5 - 10	1270	603	135	
930 120 010	10 - 20	1270	603	135	
930 140 010	10 - 30	1730	910	288	
930 140 020	20 - 36	1730	910	288	





Voltage Detectors KP-Test 5 dual

The **KP-Test 5 dual** capacitive voltage detector is similar in design to the **KP-Test 5**. This voltage detector can also be switched between two nominal voltage ranges. This allows a larger system range to be covered with the same interference field resistance.

Technical description:

- Integrated audible signal for reliable voltage tests even in noisy ambient conditions
- Can be used during precipitation
- Extremely strong LEDs in clear layout to prevent confusion
- Maximum interference field resistance through the use of a high-quality contact electrode extension
- Extensive self-test functions at switch-on, which even check the contact electrode extension
- Removable contact electrode headpiece included as forked electrode
- Switching between two voltage ranges by means of a switch
- 50 Hz rated frequency

The KP-Test 5 dual meets Standard IEC 61243-1:2003.

No.	Version	Nominal voltage level l	Nominal voltage level II	Total length	Insertion depth
		U _n (kV)	U _n (kV)	L _g (mm)	A _i (mm)
930 190 501	0008	3	10 - 13	1060	393
930 190 501	0005	5 - 12	20 - 36	1730	910

Voltage Detectors KP-Test 5L

The **KP-Test 5L** capacitive voltage detector is intended mainly for use on medium voltage overhead lines. It indicates the presence of operating voltage when the conductor is contacted. The **KP-Test 5L** voltage detector is distinguished by its compact design and maximum user safety.

Technical description:

- Class L as defined in IEC 61243-1
- Can be used during precipitation
- Integrated audible signal for reliable voltage tests even in noisy ambient conditions
- Extremely strong LEDs in clear layout to prevent confusion
- Extensive self-test functions at switch-on
- Available separately for use with existing insulating poles
- Available complete with suitable insulating poles in any overall length or carrying length
- Nominal frequency 50 Hz
- Overall device length without insulating poles 345 mm

The KP-Test 5L is designed and type-tested to Standard IEC 61243-1:2003.

Suitable insulating poles:

- 973 501 001 with L_o = 725 mm
- 624 760 001 with L_o = 1485 mm

No.	Version	Nominal voltage
		U _n (kV)
930 210 001	0005	11 - 33
930 210 001	0006	12 - 24





Voltage Detectors KP-Test 5L dual

The **KP-Test 5L dual** capacitive voltage detector is similar in design to the **KP-Test 5L**. This voltage detector can also be switched between two nominal voltage ranges. This allows a larger system range to be covered with the same interference field resistance.

Technical description:

- Class L as defined in IEC 61243-1
- Can be used during precipitation
- Switching between two voltage ranges using a switch
- Integrated audible signal for reliable voltage tests even in noisy ambient conditions
- Extremely strong LEDs in clear layout to prevent confusion
- Extensive self-test functions at switch-on
- Available separately for use with existing insulating poles
- Available complete with suitable insulating poles in any overall length or carrying length
- Nominal frequency 50 Hz
- Overall device length without insulating poles 345 mm

The KP-Test 5L dual meets Standard IEC 61243-1:2003.

Suitable insulating poles:

- 973 501 001 with L₀ = 725 mm
- 624 760 001 with L_o = 1485 mm

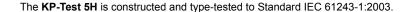
No.	Version	Nominal voltage level l	Nominal voltage level II	
		U _n (kV)	U _n (kV)	
930 210 501	0005	3 - 10	11 - 36	

Voltage Detectors KP-Test 5H

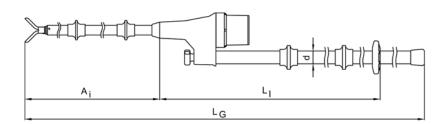
The **KP-Test 5H** capacitive voltage detector has universal high voltage application for nominal voltages from 30 to 420 kV. It indicates the presence of operating voltage when the conductor is contacted. The **KP-Test 5H** voltage detector is distinguished by its high level of user-friendliness and user safety.

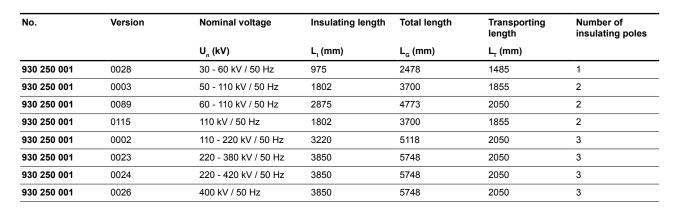
Technical description:

- Available for different ranges of nominal voltages from 30 to 420 kV
- Can be used during precipitation
- Particularly loud, integrated audible signal for reliable voltage tests even in noisy ambient conditions
- Extremely strong LEDs in clear layout to prevent confusion
- Maximum interference field resistance through the use of a high-quality contact electrode extension
- Extensive self-test functions at switch-on
- Available separately for use with existing insulating poles
- Available complete with suitable insulating poles in any overall length or carrying length
- Insertion depth A_i = 898 mm



The KP-Test 5H Series voltage detector is also available with a carrying case on request.









Voltage Detectors KP-Test 5HL

The **KP-Test 5HL** capacitive voltage detector can be used on high-voltage overhead lines with nominal voltages from 30 to 420 kV. It indicates the presence of operating voltage when the conductor is contacted. The **KP-Test 5HL** voltage detector provides particularly easy handling, while ensuring maximum user safety.

Technical description:

- Class L as defined in IEC 61243-1
- Available for various ranges of nominal voltages from 30 to 420 kV
- Can be used during precipitation
- Particularly loud, integrated audible signal for reliable voltage tests even in noisy ambient conditions
- Extremely strong LEDs in clear layout to prevent confusion
- Extensive self-test functions at switch-on
- Connection for insulating poles with universal adapter
- Eye ring for attaching the voltage detector, for example to a spring safety hook
- Available separately for use with existing insulating poles
- Available complete with suitable insulating poles in any overall length or carrying length

The **KP-Test 5HL** is constructed and type-tested to Standard IEC 61243-1:2003.

Suitable adapter:

- C2B, 935 101 002
- C2C, 935 101 003
- C2D, 935 101 004
- C2F, 935 101 005

No.	Version	Nominal voltage	Nominal frequency	Diameter of hook electrode
		U _n (kV)	f _N (Hz)	d (mm)
930 200 001	0010	30 - 60	50	20
930 200 002	0010	110 - 220	50	70
930 200 002	0011	220 - 420	50	70

Voltage Detectors for Railway Systems

The electric railway systems around the world are operated with different voltage systems. PFISTERER can supply voltage detectors for all common voltage systems.

- 15 kV at 16.7 Hz
- 25 kV at 50 Hz
- 1,500 V d.c.
- 3,000 V d.c.
- Voltage supply for trolley lines
- Voltage supply for urban track systems with third rail

Depending on type, our voltage detectors are suitable for use on railway catenaries and power lines, and also on switchgears.

Voltage Detectors KP-Test 5R DC

The **KP-Test 5R DC** double-pole voltage detector is designed for use on the catenary systems of d.c. voltage railways. It indicates the presence of operating voltage when the conductor is contacted. With its extensive, integrated self-tests, the **KP-Test 5R DC** voltage detector ensures maximum user safety.

Technical description:

- Double-pole type for the catenary systems of d.c. voltage railways with nominal voltages from 500 to 4,000 V DC
- Second pole designed for handy magnetic connection to rail
- Hook-type contact electrode with high-quality contact pin for optimum contact
- Self-test at switch-on also checks the connecting cable
- Can be used during precipitation
- Integrated audible signal for reliable voltage tests even in noisy ambient conditions
- Extremely strong LEDs in clear layout to prevent confusion
- Induced a.c. voltage signal detection
- Voltage testing possible even with a high proportion of leakage current on disconnected contact wires
- Available separately without insulating pole
- Available separately without insulating pole, but with additional adapter
- Available complete with three-piece insulating pole (poles RP1 and UP; total length about 5,000 mm), or five-piece insulating pole (poles RP2, RP3, RP4 and UP; total length about 4,880 mm)
- Available with convenient carrying case

No.	Version	Nominal Voltage DC
		U _n (V)
930 350 001	0022	650 - 750
930 350 001	0023	750
930 350 001	0024	1,500
930 350 001	0025	3,000







Voltage Detectors KP-Test 5R DC dual

The **KP-Test 5R DC** dual double-pole voltage detector is similar in design to the **KP-Test 5R DC**. This voltage detector can also be switched between two nominal voltage ranges in two steps. This allows a larger system range to be covered even when there is a high proportion of leakage current.

The KP-Test 5R DC dual has two selectable voltage steps.

Step 1:

- Voltage 750 V DC
- Selected by briefly pressing the On button
- LED indicator: 1 x green

Step 2:

- Voltage 1,500 V DC
- Selected by pressing and holding the On button
- LED indicator: 2 x green

Sensible voltage level selection at switch-on and the related self-test ensure that the **KP-Test 5R DC dual** displays safe, clear indications.

Technical description:

- Double-pole type for the catenary systems of d.c. voltage railways with nominal voltages from 500 to 4,000 V DC
- Second pole designed for handy magnetic connection to rail
- Voltage range selection
- Hook-type contact electrode with high-quality contact pin for optimum contact
- Self-test at switch-on also checks the connecting cable
- Can be used during precipitation
- Integrated audible signal for reliable voltage tests even in noisy ambient conditions
- Extremely strong LEDs in clear layout to prevent confusion
- Induced a.c. voltage signal detection
- Voltage testing possible even with a high proportion of leakage current on disconnected contact wires
- Available separately without insulating pole
- Available separately without insulating pole, but with additional adapter
- Available complete with three-piece insulating pole (poles RP1 and UP; total length about 5,000 mm), or five-piece insulating pole (poles RP2, RP3, RP4 and UP; total length about 4,880 mm)
- Available with convenient carrying case

No.	Version	Nominal voltage DC Level I	Nominal voltage DC Level II	
		U _n (V)	U _n (V)	
930 350 501	0005	750	1,500	

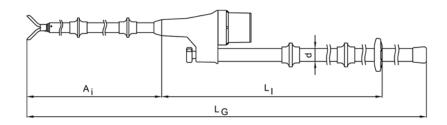
Voltage Detectors KP-Test 5H for Railway Systems

The **KP-Test 5 H** for railway capacitive voltage detector is similar in design to the **KP-Test 5 H**. This voltage detector is designed specially for application on supply line for railway systems. It indicates the presence of operating voltage when the conductor is contacted. The **KP-Test 5H for railway** voltage detector is distinguished by its high level of user-friendliness and user safety.

Technical description:

- Can be used during precipitation
- Particularly loud, integrated audible signal for reliable voltage tests even in noisy ambient conditions
- Extremely strong LEDs in clear layout to prevent confusion
- Maximum interference field resistance through the use of a high-quality contact electrode extension
- Extensive self-test functions at switch-on
- Available with convenient carrying case

The **KP-Test 5H for railway** is constructed and type-tested to Standard IEC 61243-1:2003.



No.	Version	Nominal voltage	Insulating length	Total length	Transporting length	Number of insulating poles
		U _n (kV)	L _ı (mm)	L _G (mm)	L _T (mm)	
930 250 001	0128	110 kV / 16,7 & 50 Hz	1802	3700	1855	2
930 250 001	0032	132 kV / 16,7 & 50 Hz	1802	3700	1855	2





Voltage Detectors KP-Test 5 for Railway Power Lines

The **KP-Test 5 capacitive voltage detector for railway power lines** can be used on 15 kV 16.7 Hz railway power lines. It indicates the presence of operating voltage when the conductor is contacted. This voltage detector is suitable for the particular requirements of railway power lines.

Technical description:

- Integrated audible signal for reliable voltage tests even in noisy ambient conditions
- Can be used during precipitation
- Extremely strong LEDs in clear layout to prevent confusion
- Maximum interference field resistance through the use of a high-quality contact electrode extension
- Extensive self-test functions at switch-on, which even check the contact electrode extension
- Removable contact electrode headpiece as hook electrode
- Handle length 288 mm
- Length of insulating element 520 mm

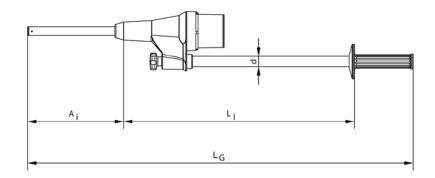
No.	Version	Nominal voltage	Nominal frequency	Total length	Insertion depth
		U _n (kV)	f _N (Hz)	L _G (mm)	A _i (mm)
930 190 001	0025	15	16.7	1810	910

Voltage Detectors KP-Test 5 for Railway Substation

The **KP-Test 5** capacitive voltage detector for railway substation can be used on 15 kV 16.7 Hz.It indicates the presence of operating voltage when the conductor is contacted. The **KP-Test 5** capacitive voltage detector for railway substation voltage detector is distinguished by its high level of user-friendliness and user safety.

Technical description:

- Can be used during precipitation
- Particularly loud, integrated audible signal for reliable voltage tests even in noisy ambient conditions
- Extremely strong LEDs in clear layout to prevent confusion
- Maximum interference field resistance through the use of a high-quality contact electrode extension
- Extensive self-test functions at switch-on, which even check the contact electrode extension



No.	Version	Total length Insertion depth Length of insulating element		Length of insulating element	Length of handle
		L _g (mm)	A _i (mm)	L _ı (mm)	L _H (mm)
	0122	1270	603	520	135





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