

Outline for Grounding and Bonding
8 hours Code Class

Intro and Sign in

7:30 – 7:45

1. Article 100 Definitions 1.25 Hour(s) 7:45 - 9:00
 - a. Ground
 - b. Ground Fault
 - c. Grounded
 - d. Solidly Grounded
 - e. Grounded Conductor
 - f. Ground Fault Current Path
 - g. Effective Ground Fault Current Path
 - h. Equipment Grounding Conductor (EGC)
 - i. Grounding Electrode
 - j. Grounding Electrode Conductor
 - k. Supply Side Bonding Jumpers
 - l. Bonding
 - m. Bonding Jumpers
 - n. Main Bonding Jumper
 - o. System Bonding Jumper

2. Scope of Grounding and Bonding 250.1
 - a. What does this article cover?
3. 250.4 General Requirements for Grounding and Bonding
 - a. A 1 Electrical System Grounding
 - b. A 5 Effective Ground Fault Current Path
 - i. Earth not used as a path.
4. 250.6 Objectionable Current
 - a. What is objectionable current
 - b. How to stop objectionable currents
5. 250.8 Connection of Grounding and bonding Equipment
 - a. Methods Permitted
 - b. What not Permitted
 - i. Solder only
6. 250.12 Clean Surfaces
7. 250.24 Grounding Service-Supplied Alternating Current Systems 1.25 Hour 9:00-10:15
 - a. System Grounding Connections
 - i. General Locations
 - ii. Outdoor Transformers
 - iii. Load Side Connections
 - b. Main Bonding Jumper
 - i. What shall be connected together by it.
 - c. Grounded Conductor Brought to Service Equipment
 - i. Sizing for single Raceway
 - ii. Sizing for parallel raceways
 - iii. Delta Connected Services
 - iv. High Impedance
 1. 250.36
 - d. Example of calculating Grounded Conductor

8. 250.28 Main Bonding Jumper and Service Bonding Jumper
 - a. Material
 - b. Construction
 - c. Attachment
 - d. Sizing
 - i. General methods
 - ii. Main for more than one Enclosure.
 - e. Examples of sizing main bonding jumper

Break 15 min. 10:15 – 10:30

9. 250.30 Separately Derived Systems AC Systems 1.5 Hour 10:30 -12:00
PM
 - a. Grounded Systems
 - i. System Bonding Jumper
 - ii. Supply Side Bonding Jumper
 - iii. Grounded Conductor
 - iv. Grounding Electrode
 - v. Grounding Electrode Conductor, Single system
 - vi. Grounding Electrode Conductor for Multiple Systems

10. 250.32 Building or Structures supplied by a Feeder or branch Circuit(s)

11. 250.36 High Impedance Ground Neutral System

- a. What are they?
- b. Where used Mostly

Lunch 45 min. 12:00 – 12:45

12. 250.50 Grounding Electrode System and Grounding Electrode Conductor 1 Hour 12:45 – 1:45
a. How many electrodes shall be used?

13. 250.52 Grounding Electrodes

- a. Electrodes permitted for Grounding
 - i. Metal Underground Water Pipe
 - ii. In Ground Support Structures
 - iii. Concrete Encased Electrode (ufer)
 - iv. Ground Ring
 - v. Rod, Pipe
 - vi. Other Listed Electrodes
 - vii. Plate Electrode
 - viii. Other Local Metal Underground Systems
- b. Not permitted for use as an electrode
 - i. Gas Piping systems underground
 - ii. Aluminum

14. 250.53 Grounding Electrode System Installation

- a. Rod, Pipe
 - i. In Moisture
 - ii. 8 feet in Ground
 - iii. Can be at an angle if rock is hit.
 - iv. Supplemental Electrode Required
 - v. Supplemental Electrode
 1. 6 feet apart if another rod or pipe.
- b. Plate Electrode
 - i. 30 inches in the ground
- c. Metal Underground water pipe
 - i. Continuity

- ii. Supplemental Electrode Required
 - d. Electrode conductor wire size
 - i. #6 or larger
 - e. Ground Ring Requirements
 - i. 30 inches deep
- 15. 250.54 Auxiliary Grounding Electrodes
 - a. Not required to meet other Rod electrode requirements
 - i. 25 ohms
 - ii. Wire size
- 16. 250.58 Common Electrodes
 - a. Must be used if more than one supply into building.
- 17. 250.64 Aluminum or Copper Clad Aluminum conductors
 - a. Not closer than 18 inches to the earth if used.
 - b. Secured and Protection of electrode conductors
 - c. Continuous
 - d. Service with Multiple Disconnecting means
 - i. Common Grounding Electrode Conductor and Taps
 - e. E Enclosures for grounding electrode Conductors
 - i. Bonded on both ends

- 18. 250.66 Size of AC Grounding Electrodes Conductors 1 Hour 1:45 – 2:45
 - a. Rod and Pipe
 - b. Concrete encased
 - c. Ground Rings
 - d. Sizing Grounding Electrode Conductors

- Break 15 min. 2:45 – 3:00

- 19. 250.92 Service Bonding 1 Hour 3:00 – 4:00
 - a. Bonding of Equipment for Services
 - b. Methods of Bonding at the service
- 20. 250.94 Bonding of Other Systems
 - a. Intersystem bonding Termination
- 21. 250.97 Bonding for Over 250 Volts
 - a. Methods to do so as found in 250.92 B
- 22. 250.100 Hazardous Locations
- 23. 250.102 Bonding Conductors and Jumpers
 - a. Supply Side
 - b. Load Side
 - c. Sizing Bonding jumper examples
- 24. 250.104 Bonding of Piping Systems and Exposed Structural Steel
 - a. Metal Water Piping
 - b. Building with Multiple Occupancies.
 - c. Other Metal Piping
 - d. Structural Steel
- 25. 250.106 Lighting Protection Systems
- 26. 250.118 Types of Equipment Grounding Conductors
- 27. 250.119 Identification of Equipment Grounding Conductors
 - a. Smaller than a #4
 - b. Larger than a # 6

28. 250.122 Size of Equipment Grounding Conductors 1 Hour 4:00 – 5:00
- a. General
 - b. Increase in Size
 - i. Example of increase of size
 - c. Multiple Circuits
 - d. Motor Circuits
 - i. General
 - ii. MCP and Instantaneous Circuit Breakers
 - 1. Example of motor circuit EGC
 - e. Conductors in Parallel
 - f. Feeder Taps
 - i. Sized from the OCPD ahead of Tap but not larger than Tap Conductors
29. 250.138 Cord and Plug Connected Equipment
- a. By Equipment Grounding Conductor
30. 250.140 Ranges and Clothes Dryers
31. 250.146 Connecting Receptacle Grounding Terminal to Box
- a. Surface Mounted Box
 - b. Contact Devices or Yokes
 - c. Isolated Receptacles
32. 250.148 Continuity and attachment of Equipment Grounding Conductor to Boxes
- a. Connections
 - b. Grounding Continuity
 - i. Removal of Device does not stop grounding
33. Article 547 Agricultural Buildings
- a. 547.5 Separate Equipment Grounding Conductor
 - b. 547.10 Equipotential Bonding
34. Article 517 Health Care Facilities
- a. 517.13 Grounding of Receptacles and fixed equipment.
 - b. 517.14 Bonding of Panelboards
35. Swimming Pools
- a. 680.25 (B) Feeder Grounding
 - b. 680.26 B 1 Equipotential Bonding
 - c. 680.43 (D) Spa's and Hot tubs
 - d. 680.74 Hydro massage Bathtubs