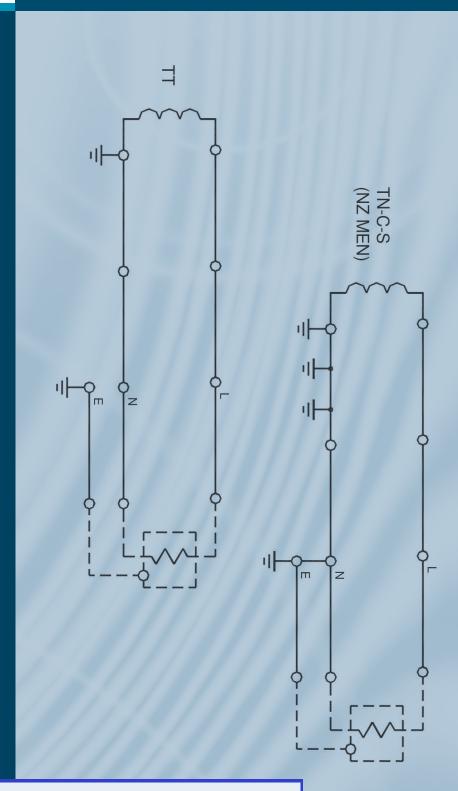
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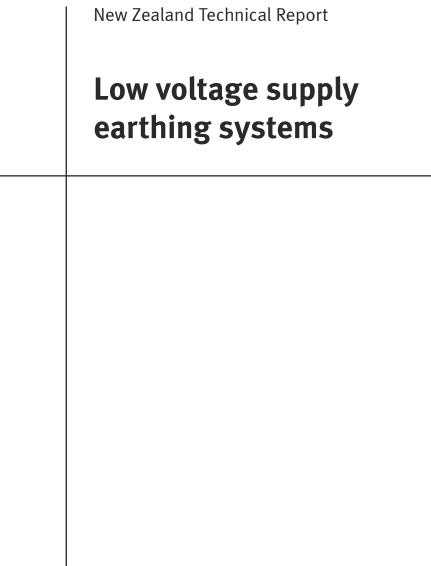
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2 ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

The following abbreviations and acronyms are used in this report:

AS/NZS	Joint Australian and New Zealand Standard
BS	British Standard
СВ	Circuit breaker
ES	Energy Safety (section of WorkSafe New Zealand)
ECC	Earth continuity conductor
EEA	Electricity Engineers' Association
EPR	Earth potential rise
ESI	Electricity Supply Industry
ESRs	Electricity (Safety) Regulations 2010
HV	High voltage
IEC	International Electrotechnical Commission
IT	International IT system of supply
LV	Low voltage
MEN	Multiple-earthed neutral
NER	Neutral earthing resistor/reactor
NZS	New Zealand Standard
PEN	Combined protective earthing and neutral conductor
PV	Photovoltaic
RCD	Residual current device
SWER	Single wire earth-return
TN	International TN system of supply
TN-C	International TN-C system of supply
TN-C-S	International TN-C-S system of supply
TN-S	International TN-S system of supply
ТТ	International TT system of supply