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5 - Meter Reading

Whole Current Metering Induction



Meter Reading

How to Read a Dial Meter

- It is important that you understand how to read a dial meter. Entering the correct final reading, will ensure that the customer is billed accurately. Refer to the *information* below to assist you with how to read a meter.



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- Clock-face dial meters have four, five or six dials, which alternate in direction
- To read these meters:
 1. Stand directly in front of the meter Starting from the right, read each dial and write down the figures
 2. Do not record the dial marked 1/10 as it is only for testing.
 3. Each dial revolves in a different direction from the one next to it, e.g. anti-clockwise, then clockwise
 4. When a dial hand points between two numbers, write down the lower of the two
 5. If the hand points between 0 and 1 write down 0, but if the hand points between 0 and 9, write down 9
 6. When a dial hand appears to be exactly on a number as on dial (4) in diagram 1, look at dial (3) to the right
 7. If the hand on dial (3) has not passed 0, the number 4 has not actually been reached on dial (4) and the reading on that dial is the next lower number, 3

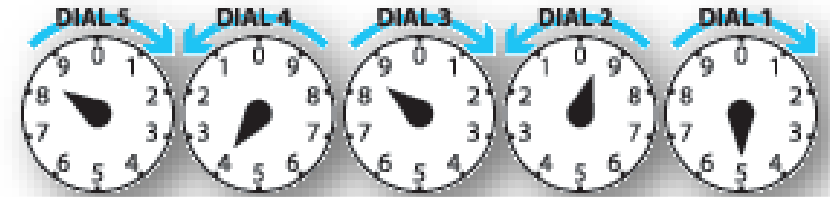


Diagram 1 - Reading 83895

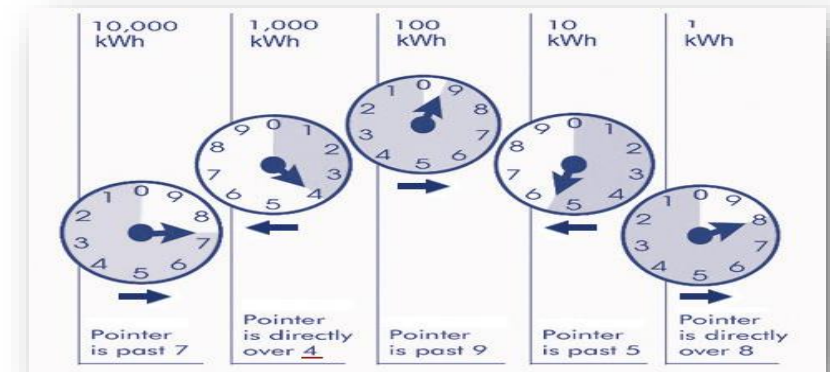


Diagram 2 - Reading 73958