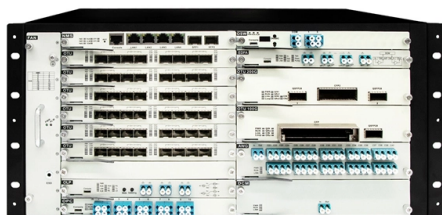


Function of Distribution Network Automation Terminal Feeder



Article Overview

A Distribution Network Automation Terminal Feeder (FTU) monitors, controls, and automates feeder operations to detect faults, isolate affected sections, and restore power efficiently.

Core Functions

Fault Detection and Isolation: FTUs continuously monitor feeder currents, voltages, and power flows using intelligent electronic devices (IEDs) and sensors. When a fault occurs, the FTU identifies the faulted section and communicates with the central control system or SCADA to isolate the affected line, preventing widespread outages and minimizing damage to the network . **Load Restoration:** After isolating a fault, FTUs can reroute power from alternate feeders to unaffected sections, restoring electricity to consumers quickly. This process, known as Fault Location, Isolation, and Service Restoration (FLISR), ensures minimal downtime and maintains service continuity for critical facilities like hospitals or industrial plants . **Real-Time Monitoring and Data Acquisition:** FTUs collect real-time data on voltage, current, active and reactive power, and other operational parameters. This data is transmitted to the distribution management system for analysis, enabling predictive maintenance, performance optimization, and rapid response to anomalies . **Communication and Control:** FTUs use standardized communication protocols (e.g., IEC60870-5-104) to interface with master stations and other network devices. This ensures interoperability, reliable data transmission, and remote control of switches and circuit breakers . **Integration with Smart Grid Systems:** FTUs support automation in moder...

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The solution consists of an automated system that senses overcurrent faults, isolates faulted sections and provides electricity supply

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