

CERTIFICATE

The TESLA-ST enhanced ionization lightning conductor

This certificate confirms that the TESLA-ST lightning conductor system is laboratory tested and complies with the French standard NF C 17 - 102

The TESLA-ST lightning-protection system comprises a pulse-excited, Franklin-type lightning conductor which enhances local atmospheric conditions to provide a larger area of protection than with conventional lightning conductors.

The TESLA-ST carries a sharp pointed rod made from special bronze alloy to attract and capture lightning. This rod incorporates a safety arc-gap for the main lightning current and is attached to a waterproof, spherical casing. The internal gap mechanism, the internal sparking device and circuitry are all mounted inside the sphere. The spherical shape allows the lightning current to pass freely through to the grounding cathode. The casing's base also acts as an external spark-gap between the head and the cathode. A metal horizontal disc is also fitted symmetrically around the casing, making electrical contact with it and the rod. The disc charges inductively during an increase in bad-weather, electric field conditions.

A special high-tension converter is located inside the sphere. High tension is achieved by a plasma arc inside a transverse magnetic field produced by a coil. The circuit is characterized by a series connection of the arc's negative resistance to an inductance and capacitance. Therefore ionizing high-tension is produced at the tip of the rod. The TESLA-ST type is powered inductively from bad weather electric fields and the head of the TESLA-ST is equipped with a safety arrangement to protect its own circuitry during a lightning capture.

Protection Radii

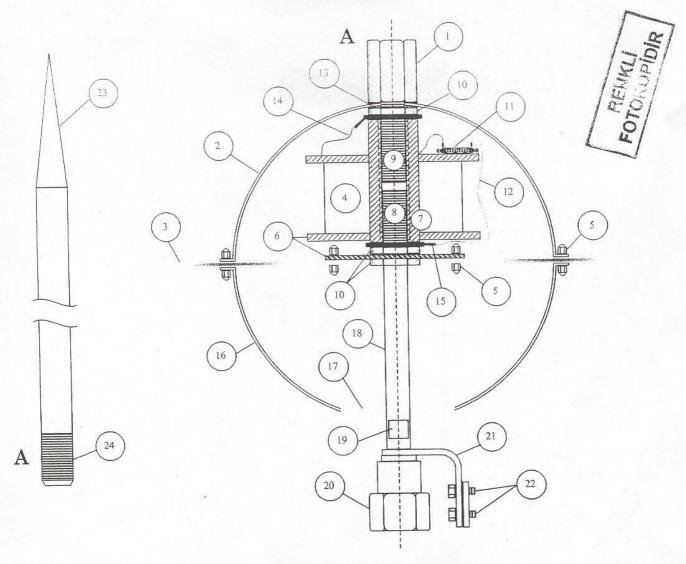
The protection radius is according to the size and dispersion of the ionisation effect in conjunction with the height of the conductor.

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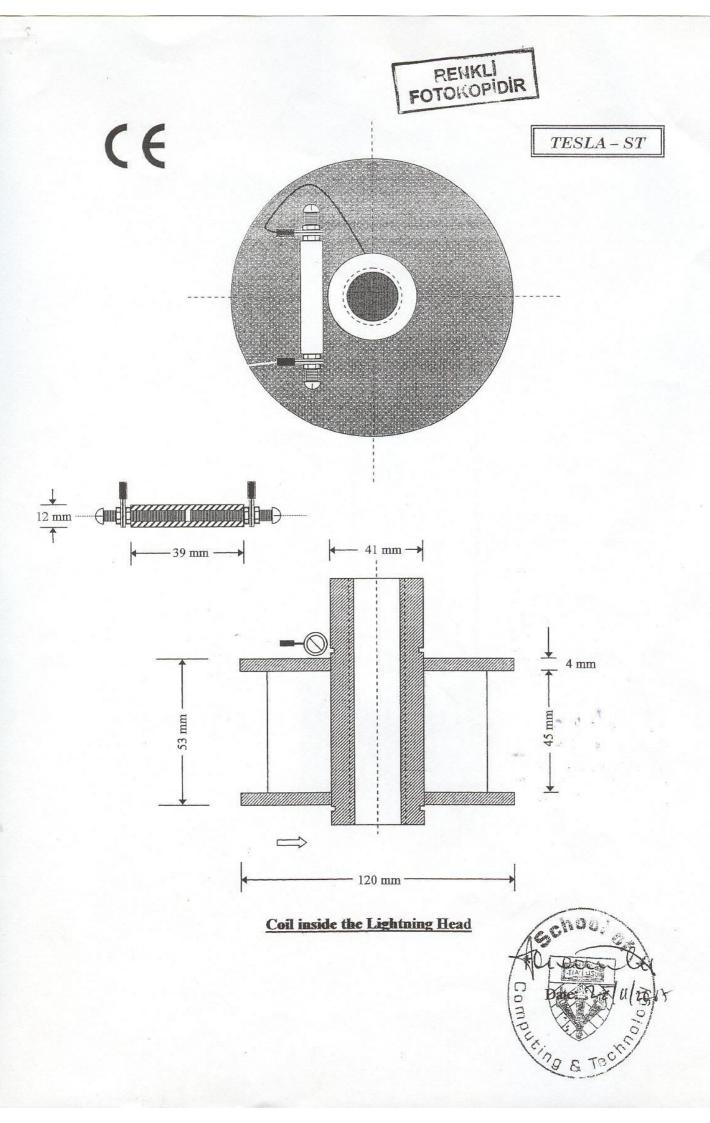
Lightning Conductor Head



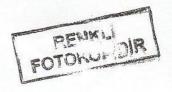
- 1. Bolted reception point connector
- 2. Spherical head casing
- 3. Head pairing hoop
- 4. High voltage coil
- 5. Head assembly bolts
- 6. Insulating disks (bakelite)
- 7. Insulating disk (ertalon)
- 8. Lower part of the reception point
- 9. Upper part of the reception point
- 10. Nuts on the reception point casing
- 11. Switching element Sparkler
- 12. Sparkler lower reception point bridge

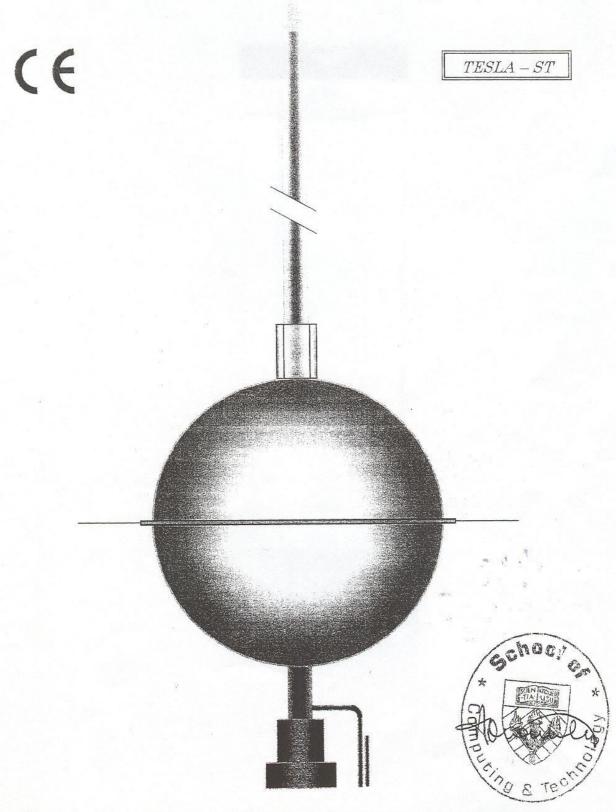
- 13. Conductive distance ring
- 14. End of the winding terminal
- 15. Bridge terminal of the lower reception point
- 16. Lower part of the head casing
- 17. Gap external sparkler
- 18. Lower part of the reception point towards the cathode
- 19. Entrance of the reception point tightening tool
- 20. Bolted base for the support of the head
- 21. Connector: cathode conductor head
- 22. Screws for the cathode conductor
- 23. Reception point
- 24. Connection thread: reception point head





(6 TESLA-STPATH OF LIGHTNING CURRENT ON THE ROD HEAD TESLA - ST FOTOKOPIOIR Conductive Surfaces Sparkling of diffusion in the gap of reception point Insulating disk (bakelite) Lower part of reception point External Sparkler (Current discharge towards the cathode)





OUTSIDE APPEARANCE OF THE LIGHTNING ROD'S HEAD TESLA – ST

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