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FOREWORD

This Specification has been prepared by the Commercial Service and Sales in collaboration with Standards Department, Meter Central Laboratory, ICT, Network Management all of The Kenya Power & Lighting Company PLC (KPLC). It lays down requirements for Three-Phase Watt-hour Smart Meter for use in the KPLC Advanced Metering Infrastructure (AMI).

The Specification establishes uniform requirements for Three-Phase Watt-hour Smart Meters Specifications in this series are:

- (i) TSP/14/011-02 Single-Phase Split Din-rail Mounting Static Watt-hour Prepayment Meter for Active Energy- Using Power Line Carrier (PLC) as Medium of Communication Between Measurement and Control Unit (MCU) and User Interface Unit (UIU)
- (ii) TSP/14/011-03 Single-Phase Post-Payment Watt-hour Meter for Active Energy
- (iii) TSP/14/011 05 Single-Phase Watt-Hour Smart Meter with Selectable Prepayment and Postpaid Modes- Specification

The Specification is intended for use by KPLC for procurement of Three-Phase Watt-hour Smart Meter and does not purport to include provisions of a contract.

Users of this KPLC specification are responsible for its correct interpretation and application.

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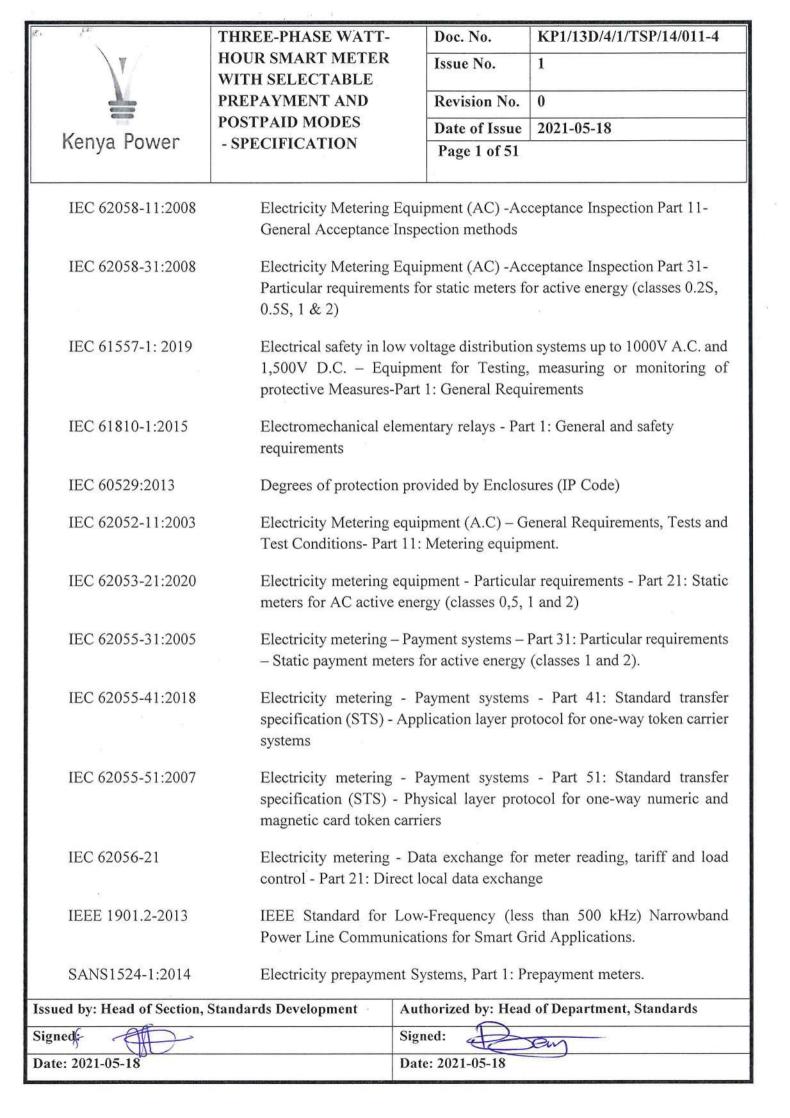
1. SCOPE

- 1.1.1 This specification is for newly manufactured Three-Phase Watt-hour Smart Meter for measurement of alternating current active energy in 3 x 230/415 V, 50 Hz networks.
- 1.1.2 The Meters are for use in KPLC's Advanced Metering Infrastructure (AMI) system. The Meter shall communicate via GSM/GPRS/3G/4G/NB-IoT and shall also support field/hot swappable/ replaceable plug-in type bi-directional communication modules with easy adaptability to network interfaces with other modes of communications;G3 PLC, Radio Frequency, Wi-Fi, Fibre Optic, RS485, Modbus, IP port, Broadband PLC (BPL), Narrow band PLC (PLC), RF receiver for Long-Range WiFi (LoRa), etc.
- 1.1.3 The modem shall support meter communication protocols as per DLMS/COSEM standards
- 1.1.4 The specification also describes the inspections and tests to be carried out on the meters as well as Schedule of Guaranteed Technical Particulars to be filled and signed by the manufacturer and submitted with bids for tender evaluation.
- 1.1.5 The specification stipulates the minimum requirements for Three-Phase Watt-hour Smart Meter acceptable for use in KPLC's system and it shall be the responsibility of manufacturer to ensure adequacy of the design, good workmanship, good engineering practice and adherence to the Specifications and applicable Standards and regulations in the manufacture of the Meters.

2. NORMATIVE REFERENCES

The following Standards contain provisions, which through reference in text constitute provisions of this Specification. Unless otherwise stated, the latest Editions (including amendments) apply. In case of conflict, the requirements of this Specification take precedence.

IEC 61968-9:2013	Application integration at electric utilities - System interfaces for distribution management - Part 9: Interfaces for meter reading and control
IEC 60695-2-11:2014	Fire Hazards Testing-Part 2-Test Methods-Section 1/sheet: Glow-wire end-product test and guidance.
IEC 61000-4-5:2014	Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC)-Part 4-5: Testing and measurement Techniques- Surge immunity test
IEC 61010-1:2010	Safety requirements for electrical equipment for measurement, control, and laboratory use -Part 1: General requirements
IEC 61140:2016	Protection against electric shock-common aspects for installation and equipment
IEC 62056-6-2:2017	Electricity metering data exchange - The DLMS/COSEM suite - Part 6-2: COSEM interface classes.





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ISO 75-1:2020

Determination of temperature of deflection under load — Part 1: General

test method.

ISO 9001:2015

Quality management systems — Requirements

3. DEFINITIONS AND ABBREVIATIONS

For the purposes of this Specification, the Terms, Definitions and Abbreviations given in the Reference Standards apply, and shall include the following:

DLMS/COSEM

Device Language Message Specification/Companion Specification for

Energy Metering

CIU:

Customer Interface Unit

EDIS:

Energy Data Identification System

EMC:

Electromagnetic Compatibility

GPRS:

General Packets Radio Service

GSM:

Global System for Mobile communications

Ib:

Basic current of an electric meter

Imax:

Maximum current of an electricity meter

I_n:

Nominal current of a transformer coupled electricity meter

IEC:

International Electro-Technical Commission.

ISO:

International Organization for Standardization

LCD:

Liquid Crystal Display

KPLC:

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RF:

Radio Frequency

TCP/IP:

Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol

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TMR:

Energy Tele-Meter Reading system

Hz

Hertz

kV

Kilovolt

KWH

Kilowatt-hour

LED

Light emitting diode

MCU

Measurement and Control Unit

PLC

Power Line Carrier

SRE

Significant Reverse Energy

STS

Standard Transfer Specification

UIU

User Interface Unit

BPL,

Broadband PLC

LoRa,

Long-Range WIFi

Nb-IOT

Narrowband Internet of Things

G3 PLC

Narrow band PLC based on ITU G.9903

Prime PLC

PoweRline Intelligent Metering Evolution PLC

SMS

Short Message Service

USSD

Unstructured Supplementary Service Data

CSD

Circuit Switched Data

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4. REQUIREMENTS

4.1 OPERATING CONDITIONS

4.1.1 Operating Environmental Conditions

The meters shall be suitable for continuous outdoor operation in tropical climate with the following conditions:

- a) Altitude of up to 2400m above sea level
- b) Humidity of up to 95%,
- c) Average ambient temperature of +30°C with a minimum of -1°C and a maximum of +50°C and;
- d) Pollution: Design pollution level to be taken as "Heavy" (Pollution level III) for inland and "Very Heavy" (Pollution level IV) for coastal applications:
- e) Isokeraunic levels of up to 180 thunderstorm days per year.

4.1.2 System Characteristics

- 4.1.2.1. The meter shall be connected to an overhead or underground-earthed system.
- 4.1.2.2 The nominal voltage (U_n) is 3 x 230/415 volts, 50Hz.

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4.2 DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS

4.2.1 General Requirements

- 4.2.1.1 The meter shall be constructed as Three-phase Four-wire Direct-Connected Prepaid/Postpaid meters. The meter shall support both prepaid and postpaid modes.
- 4.2.1.2 The meter shall be of British Standard (BS) 5685-foot print for standardized mounting for asymmetrical (BS) wiring
- 4.2.1.3 The meter shall have terminals with bottom entry for cables and the arrangement shall be L1L1: L2L2: L3L3: NN for 3 phase 4-wire meters
- 4.2.1.4 The meter base and cover shall be of non-metallic, non-hygroscopic, flame retardant, polished material having high impact-resilience and low dirt absorption properties.
- 4.2.1.5 The meter front cover shall be of translucent material but shall have a window (clear glass or polycarbonate) for reading the display and for observation and the terminal cover shall be transparent with sealable Nickel-plated steel screws.
- 4.2.1.6 The meter shall conform to the degree of protection of at least IP 54 as given in IEC 60529:2013. The terminals shall be designed to ensure protection from ingress of water and dust.
- 4.2.1.7 The meter shall have a real-time clock controlled by a quartz crystal oscillator. It shall be possible to reset the clock without loss of billing data that shall be synchronized with the AMI system.
- 4.2.1.8 The material of which the terminal block shall be capable of passing the tests given in ISO 75-1:2020.
- 4.2.1.9 The meter shall be for front projection mounting.
- 4.2.1.10 The meter shall have an internal back –up battery to support the LCD display, clock and calendar in the event of an AC power failure. The life expectancy of the battery shall last for a minimum of 10 years.
- 4.2.1.11 The meters shall be equipped with lockable/sealable push buttons where such buttons are used to program the meter parameters.
- 4.2.1.12 The potential link of the meters shall be internal (inside the sealed part of the meter).
- 4.2.1.13 The meter shall have a sealing provision for terminal cover. The meter terminal cover shall be of the long type with cable entry knock-offs which shall be at least 20mm from the terminal block.

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- 4.2.1.14 The meter shall have terminal cover open detection. Once the terminal cover is opened, the load shall be disconnected.
- 4.2.1.15 The meters' terminal holes and screws shall be of moving-cage type made of brass or nickel-plated brass for high strength and good conductivity. The copper content in the brass shall be at least 60%.
- 4.2.1.16 The meter shall support double element circuit measurement (phase and neutral circuits).
- 4.2.1.17 The meter body dimensions shall not exceed: Height = 290mm; Width = 170mm; and Depth = 90 mm:
- 4.2.1.18 The MCU shall have a keypad on the body of the meter for keying in the tokens and shall be IP54 compliant.
- 4.2.1.19 The MCU body shall be ultrasonically sealed for life and there shall be no screws on the MCU body except for the termination of cables.
- 4.2.1.20 The meter shall have terminal cover open detection mechanism. Once the terminal cover is opened, the load shall be disconnected. The mechanism shall be designed to operate as in subclauses (a) to (c) below:
 - (a) The MCU shall be supplied with loading switch in open mode and installer can open terminal cover when MCU is not activated by commissioning code (token).
 - (b) After installation of MCU, the installer will input a commission code (token) to close the loading switch and activate terminal cover open detection function. The commissioning code/token shall precede any token to be keyed into the meter to activate all functionalities of the meter. The meter shall reject any token (clear tamper token, credit token, etc.) input into the meter as long as the commissioning token has not been keyed into the meter.
 - (c) After commissioning token is put into the MCU and loading switch closes, opening of the terminal cover shall lead to tamper. When MCU has power and terminal cover is opened, MCU will disconnect immediately. When MCU has no power and terminal cover is opened, MCU will detect and record the event and disconnect immediately power resumes.

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- 4.2.1.21 The MCU shall be sealed and its Printed Circuit Boards conformal coated in a manner so as not to allow malfunction due to ingress of moisture, vermin, dust, chemicals and temperature extremes.
- 4.2.1.22 The terminals shall be of suitable rating to carry continuously Imax current.
- 4.2.1.23 Terminal holes shall be of at least 10-mm diameter and 15mm in depth.
- 4.2.1.24 The meter terminal cover shall have screw inserts sealable with utility wire seals.
- 4.2.1.25 The meter protection class shall be Class II (Double insulated) as per IEC 61140:2016 standard.
- 4.2.1.26 The meter shall have a non-volatile memory capable of data storage and with long-term data retention period of not less than 10 years or for the certified life of the meter or whichever is greater without an electrical supply being supplied to the meter.
- 4.2.1.27 The meter shall have register codes as per the list of the OBIS codes provided.
- 4.2.1.28 The principal unit for the measured values shall be the kilowatt-hour (kWh) for active power and kilo volt-ampere for reactive power (kVAR) with a resolution of at least 0.01 for testing purposes.
- 4.2.1.29 The cumulative consumption register of the meter shall **NOT** be resettable to zero.
- 4.2.1.30 The meter shall detect significant reverse energy (SRE) when the line and load wires are swapped and this shall be indicated on the LCD display of the meter.
- 4.2.1.31 The meters shall continue to operate correctly and decrement credit during SRE detection for prepaid meters and increment for postpaid meters.
- 4.2.1.32 The meters shall have LED indicators for testing and indication of Active power and Reactive power consumption.
- 4.2.1.33 The spacing between the LEDs shall be sufficient so as not disrupt the testing of the meter during the verification of the accuracy of the energy meter.
- 4.2.1.34 The internal circuit of the meter shall be designed in a manner to delink the optical interface and the display to allow interrogation of the meter through the optical interface when the LCD display is not working.
- 4.2.1.35 The MCU enclosure material shall be of good dielectric and mechanical strength with minimum thickness of 2.0mm. The material shall comply with IEC 60695-2-11 grow wire test.

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4.2.1.36 The bidders shall specify Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEM) and any Technical Partners in the design of their meters.

4.2.2 Communication

- 4.2.2.1 The meter shall support bi-directional communication.
- 4.2.2.2 The meters shall be compliant with the DLMS/COSEM communication protocol. The bidder shall submit the Compliance Certificate together with the tender document for evaluation.
- 4.2.2.3 The meter shall have an integrated GPS module on the meter PCB for locating the meter.
- 4.2.2.4 The meter shall be equipped with an infrared optical port compliant with the IEC 62056-21 standard for meter programming and data downloading.
- 4.2.2.5 The MCU shall come fitted with an SCSSCAAA9 (MC171) compliant data port for programming and interrogating the meter.
- 4.2.2.6 The Meters shall have a modular design and have a GPRS communication module and also support other communication modules and the point at which it is placed shall be sealable. The Meter shall be able to communicate with a remote central system using a plug in modem/module, through the GPRS 3G networks and higher.
- 4.2.2.7 The communication module shall be hot swappable.
- 4.2.2. 8 The communication module shall be interchangeable by the different interfaces as described in clause 4.2.2.9
- 4.2.2.9 The Meter shall communicate via GSM/GPRS/3G/4G/NB-IoT but shall also have a sealable slot to support field/hot swappable/ replaceable plug-in type bi-directional communication modules with easy adaptability to network interfaces with other modes of communications: G3 PLC, Radio Frequency, Wi-Fi, Fibre Optic, RS485, Modbus, IP port, Broadband PLC (BPL), Narrow band PLC (PLC), RF receiver for Long-Range WiFi (LoRa), etc. All the interfaces shall be DLSM/COSEM complaint.
- 4.2.2.10 The Meters shall have RS485 communication interface that include at least a 4 digital outputs, isolated from all other meter circuits with fail-safe circuitry able to withstand AC 230V for 2 minutes without damage.

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- 4.2.2.11 Meter's firmware shall be upgradable remotely and locally. Upgrading of firmware shall not stop or affect meter's metrology.
- 4.2.2.12 (a) The communication module shall support both SMS and GPRS modem and support the mode of: on line and on-demand on line.
 - (b) The communication module shall not be powered directly from the terminals and shall have a backup battery to allow remote communication in the event of power outage.
- 4.2.2.13 The communication module shall support USSD, CSD communication.
- 4.2.2.14 Meter shall send a 'last gasp' power outage response when it loses power and a 'First Breath' restoration message when power is restored.
- 4.2.2.15 The meter shall support manual meter reading in case of loss of communication to the meter.
- 4.2.2.16 The meter shall work under Postpaid Mode or Prepaid Mode. The switch of mode shall be done via meter specific token or optical communication or via the system.
- 4.2.2.17 The meters shall be supplied together with a scanner and laptop for scanning the meters at KPLC warehouse and a laptop loaded with software for interrogating the meter data and loading commissioning and credit token during testing at our laboratory. The laptop specification shall be as in Table 1.

Table 1: Laptop Technical Specifications

Description	Mandatory Minimum Requirements	
	Intel Core i7-5500 (2.60GHz 1600MHz 3MB, 8 Cores)	
Processor		
RAM	16GB DDR4-2133MHz SODIMM	
Operating System	Windows 10 pro 64 bit	
Optical Drive	Super Multi DVD-RW or DVD Recordable Burner	
Hard Disk	1TB 7200 rpm Hard Drive	
	15.6" FHD LED Glossy (1920x1080) with integrated	
Display Panel	Webcam 720p camera	
Graphics	Integrated Intel HD Graphics 520	
	Integrated HD audio internal speaker (standard) or Stereo	
Internal Audio	with Dolby Audio TM, 1xMic Headphones Combo	
GPRS/ HSDPA Modem, Integrated Intel Gig		
Communications	Connection (10/100/1000 NIC)	
Wireless	Intel 802.12 AC WLAN and Bluetooth(R)	

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	VGA, MDP, 4-in-1 Card Reader, Smart Card Reader. RJ-
	45, Headphone and Microphone Jack, Mechanical
	Docking, 2 x USB 3.0, W/WAN SIM, Express Card Slot,
Interfaces	1 HDMI port, Bluetooth, Wi-Fi enabled
	Touchpad with scroll zone, Two Pick Buttons or Pick
Pointing Devices	Stick, Two Pick Buttons
Keyboard	Keyboard with Number Pad – English (Standard)
Mouse	External USB Mouse
Warranty	1 Year
Power	4-cell 41WHr Lithium-ion Battery; External AC adapter
Power Supply	230V AC, 50 Hz, British plugs
Carrying Case	Genuine Leather Carrying Case
	Manufacturers Authorization Certificate/ Letter and for
	the models quoted, the principal (Manufacturer) MUST
Manufacturer's Authorization	have an established regional office in Kenya.

4.2.3 Meter Display

- 4.2.3.1 The meters shall have a backlight seven-segment Liquid Crystal Display (LCD) for displaying parameters and measured values.
- 4.2.3.2 The meter LCD shall have at least seven (7)-numerical characters comprising of selectable integers and two decimals points for energy measurement. The minimum character height shall be eight (8) mm.
- 4.2.3.3 The meters LCD shall be capable of displaying the current state of the relay via symbols.
- 4.2.3.4 The meters LCD shall be capable of displaying various tampering conditions of the meter.
- 4.2.3.5 The display parameters shall be configurable by software action.
- 4.2.3.6 The LCD display shall operate in at least two modes, namely, basic and extended data list display using push buttons on meter front.
- 4.2.3.7 Meters shall have provision for reading the meter at site even when mains power supply fails.

4.2.4 Functionality Requirements

4.2.4.1 Measurement and Control Unit (MCU)

- 4.2.4.1.1 The MCU shall measure and display the energy quantities of active power, reactive power and apparent power in both import and export modes.
- 4.2.4.1.2 The meters shall be capable of profiling multiple channels of energy, demand (KVA, KW, KVAr), voltage, current, power factor, harmonics, for a period of at least six (6) months for 60 minutes data intervals.
- 4.2.4.1.3 The meter shall be able to measure the units consumed in the event of an imbalanced load or the absence of one or two phases.
- 4.2.4.1.4 The meters shall measure Energy correctly even when the phase rotation/sequence is incorrect.

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- 4.2.4.1.5 The meters shall be capable of recording of active and reactive energy in all four (4) quadrants with up to four (4) tariffs.
- 4.2.4.1.6 The meter shall have at least four (4) registers for energy.
- 4.2.4.1.7 The meter shall be capable of measuring energy in security mode and also record reversed units.
- 4.2.4.1.8 The Meter shall indicate on the LCD display reverse energy consumption.
- 4.2.4.1.9 The meter shall have capability of closing end of billing period on any selected date of the month selectable by software.
- 4.2.4.1.10 The meter's billing registers shall NOT be re-settable to zero.
- 4.2.4.1.11 The meters shall have at least twelve (12) billing historical data stored in memory and retrievable by software action.
- 4.2.4.1.12 The meter shall have a load switch to disconnect the load circuit on the expiry of credit balance in the case of prepayment meters.
- 4.2.4.1.13 The load switch shall automatically restore the load circuit after token top up for prepayment meters.
- 4.2.4.1.14 The meter load switch shall comply with the requirements given in IEC 62055-31:2005.
- 4.2.4.1.15 The meters shall have a programmable power limit setting that shall disconnect the load once exceeded and reconnect once the load falls below the set limit
- 4.2.4.1.16 The meters shall disconnect the load if power failure is detected and connect the load after normalization.
- 4.2.4.1.17 The meters shall be able to indicate absence or presence of continuous power by use of a Light Emitting Diode (LED).
- 4.2.4.1.18 The MCU shall have an LED indicator to show the rate of consumption. The pulse rate shall be proportional to current rate of consumption.
- 4.2.4.1.19 The MCU shall have an LED to indicate the presence of an alarm of any registered event on the meter.
- 4.2.4.1.20 The MCU shall have a self-diagnostic feature to diagnose the status of the functions of the meter.

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- 4.2.4.1.21 The MCU shall have a Liquid Crystal Display (LCD) for numeric display and language independent pictograms to identify operational features. The LCD shall have a wide viewing angle of 45 deg. to 60 deg. with, up to one-meter distance.
- 4.2.4.1.22 The Live and Neutral shall be DC immune complying with requirements of IEC 62052-11:2003 and IEC 62055-31:2005.
- 4.2.4.1.23 The MCU shall come fitted with an SCSSCAAA9 (MC171) compliant data port for programming and interrogating the meter. Two (2) sets of data interrogating and programming probes and software (1 each for optical and SCSSCAAA9 ports) shall be provided with the meter sample for evaluation. For the winning bidders, each delivery of 100,000 meters shall have 50 sets of probes and read only software for use with the optical and the SCSSCAAA9 ports.
- 4.2.4.1.24 The MCU shall be supplied together with a plastic card of dimension 60mm x 40 mm (length x height) indicating the meter number. A tolerance of ±1mm will be acceptable. The meter serial number shall be engraved on the card together with its bar code version. No random redundant digits shall be added to the meter number.
- 4.2.4.1.25 The MCU shall be with Nil units pre-loaded (i.e. 0 (Zero) kWh for prepaid meters.

4.2.5 Time-of-use tariff measurements

- 4.2.5.1 The meters shall be capable of measuring and displaying time-of-day active and reactive energy consumption up to four tariff registers.
- 4.2.5.2 The meters shall be capable of measuring and displaying time-of-day demand (kW and kVA) consumption up to four tariff registers.
- 4.2.5.3 Each tariff register shall be set to operate over defined time periods during a 24-hour day.
- 4.2.5.4 The meters shall have at least two seasons and four day types namely weekday, Saturday, Sunday and Special/Holiday with switching times set independently.
- 4.2.5.5 The meters shall have at least forty (40) special days to take care of national holidays, world days and Easter holidays.

4.2.6 Demand measurements

- 4.2.6.1 The meters shall be capable of measuring and displaying active, reactive and apparent demand consumption in both import and export modes.
- 4.2.6.2 The meters shall display demand values and their time and date stamps.
- 4.2.6.3 The meters shall measure demand correctly even when the phase rotation/sequence is incorrect.
- 4.2.6.4 The meter shall have at least four (4) registers for demand.
- 4.2.6.5 The meters shall have a capability of closing end of billing period on any selected date of the month selectable by software.

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4.2.6.6 The meters shall have at least twelve (12) billing historical data stored in memory and retrievable by software action. The current and billing/historical data shall be available on meter display for reading and billing purposes.

4.2.7 Instrumentation data measurements

- 4.2.7.1 The meters shall be capable of displaying instrumentation data namely instantaneous phase voltages and currents, phase angles, and power factor.
- 4.2.7.2 The meters shall be capable of measuring and displaying instantaneous power (active, reactive and apparent).
- 4.2.7.3 The meters shall be capable of measuring and displaying average power factor for the current and the previous billing months.
- 4.2.7.4 The meters shall be capable of continuous display of the presence or absence of individual phase voltages.
- 4.2.7.5 The meter shall have diagnostics to alert of any abnormal three phase power condition, such as: over/under voltage, missing voltage, missing current, improper meter vectors for service, reverse power flow, etc.

4.2.8 Load profiling

- 4.2.8.1 The meters shall be capable of profiling multiple channels of energy, demand (kVA, kW, kVAr), voltage, current, power factor, harmonics, for a period of at least six (6) months for 60 minute intervals.
- 4.2.8.2 The load profile integration period shall be programmable from one (1) minute up to a maximum of sixty (60) minutes.

4.2.9 Power Quality Analysis

- 4.2.9.1 The meter shall collect and record basic power quality information overcurrent, total no. of alarms, power outages, voltage and current, average power factor and line frequency, etc.
- 4.2.9.2 The meter shall be able to provide voltage sag and swell detection.
- 4.2.9.3 The meters shall provide Total Harmonic Distortion (THD) event detection at least up to the 10th harmonic with analysis for unusual system conditions.

4.3 Security features

The meters shall be capable of event recording and communication, which shall include but not be limited to the following:

- a) Power ups and power downs with date and time stamp;
- b) Individual phase failure, with date and time stamps;
- c) Over- and under-voltages based on a pre-set threshold with date & time stamp;

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- d) Battery voltage status (if applicable);
- e) Memory status;
- f) Meter errors,
- g) Date and time of last programming/parameterization;
- h) Date and time of the last end of billing period;
- i) Firmware upgrades
- i) Prepayment events
- k) Terminal cover removal, even during a power failure
- 1) Main meter cover removal, even during a power failure
- m) Communications removal
- n) Magnetic detection, at least 0.5 mT
- o) Bypassing neutral
- p) Interchanging incoming and outgoing leads

The LCD shall display events that have occurred. The events displayed shall include but not be limited to the following:

- a) Meter errors
- b) Phase failures
- c) Battery voltage status (if applicable)
- d) Alarms
- e) Warning messages
- f) Prepayment mode
- g) Terminal cover removal
- h) Communications removal
- i) Magnetic detection, at least 0.5 mT

4.4 Electrical Requirements

- 4.4.1 The meter shall be operated from mains with reference values of 3 x 230/415V, 50 Hz \pm 10 %, with a load switching voltage range from 0.4Un to 1.3Un phase to neutral.
- 4.4.2 The load switch shall be of bi-stable type designed and manufactured in accordance with IEC 61810- 1, as well as meet the overload and short circuit requirement of IEC 62052-11 /

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62055-31:2005. The load switch shall interrupt the supply when the voltage is below $0.4\ Un$ and above 1.3Un phase to neutral.

- 4.4.3 The load switch shall automatically restore supply within a minute when the voltage falls within 0.4 Un 1.3 Un phase to neutral.
- 4.4.4 The meters shall be connectable for 3 Phase 4-wire systems, a permanent connection drawing of which shall be printed on the meter body. Stickers of any kind shall not be accepted.
- 4.4.5 The meter shall have Reference Standard Electrical Design Parameters as in Table 2 below.

Table 2: Summary of Electrical Parameters

Measurement and Control Unit	
Electrical Parameters	
Accuracy Active power	kWh Class 1 (IEC 62055-31:2005)
Accuracy Reactive power	kVAr Class 2 (IEC 62055-31:2005)
Rated Nominal Voltage (Un), Frequency	3 x 230/400V, 50Hz ± 10% in line with Kenya National
(Hz)	Distribution Grid Code, 2017
Load switching voltage range	0.4 U _n to 1.3 U _n (Phase to neutral)
Base Reference current, Ib	10A
Max. Voltage circuit burden	1W and 5 VA @3 x 230/415V, 50Hz, 30° C
Max. Current circuit burden	2VA @ 5A, 50Hz, 30 ⁰ C per phase
Maximum Current I _{max} (A)	120 A.
Protective class	Class II (double insulated)
Accurate metering range	0.002 I _b to I _{max}
Starting current	0.002 I _b
Running with no-load	No more than one pulse on application
Short circuit current	30 I _{max}
Meter Constant	1000 imp/kwh
Meter Constant	1000 imp/kVAr
Disconnection Device	
Туре	Single pole latching contactor, 100 A.
Mechanical life at maximum power, PF=1	At least 3,000 cycles
Maximum switching current per phase	At least 100 A
Maximum switching voltage per phase	At least 265 V AC

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Maximum overload current per phase	120 A (30 min)
Insulation; Over voltage and Surge	Protection
Insulation classification	Protective Class II
Insulation level	At least 6 kV rms for 1 minute
Over voltage withstand	400 VAC for 48 hours
Voltage Impulse withstand	At least 6 kV, 1.2/50 μ s (IEC 62052-11) with 2 Ω source
Current Impulse withstand	impedance
Lightning Surge Withstand	At least 5kA, 8/20 μs
	At least 30kA, 4/10 μs
Electromagnetic compatibility	
Electrostatic discharge	15 kV air discharge
Immunity to HF fields	80 MHz to 2 GHz @ 10V/m with load; 80 MHz to 2
	GHz @ 30V/m no load- Accuracy not affected by
¥) U	magnetic fields from all sides-front, sides, top and
Immunity to Fast Transient Bursts	bottom of the meter.
Radio interference	4 kV
Communication Circuitry	
Type	GPRS
Rated Impulse Voltage	Peak Voltage 6 kV (1.2/50µs) waveform (IEC 62052-11)
	Protective Class II
Insulation level	6 kV _{rms} (1 Minute) - IEC 62052-11 Protective Class II
Communication Protocol	DLMS/COSEM (IEC 62056)
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Note: The above electrical design parameters shall all form part of the Type Test Report:

The meter shall have Default Factory Parameters settings as in Table 3 below:

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NFIGURATION ITEM	DATA VALUE
Basic Parameters	
Rated Voltage	3 x 230/415V
Basic Current (I _b)	10A
Maximum Current(Imax)	100A
Meter Constant for Active power	1000imp/kWh
Meter Constant for Reactive power	1000imp/kVAr
Accuracy class for active power	1
Accuracy class for reactive power	2
Frequency	50Hz
Time zone	GMT+3
Measurement configuration	
Active	Ai = +A + -A
	Ae = -A
Reactive	Ri = +R + -R
	Re = -R
Prepaid parameters	
Factory default payment mode	Prepaid/Postpaid
Pre-load credit	0KWh
Low credit warning(Alarm green LED-Permanent)	≤20KWh
Low credit warning(Alarm Red LED-Permanent)	≥10KWh to <20KWh
Low credit warning(Alarm Red LED-Flashing)	≥5KWh to <10KWh
Low credit warning(Alarm Red LED-Flashing and alarm puzzer)	<5KWh
Emergency recharge credit limit	0KWh
Maximum recharge credit limit	999999.99kWh

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Supplier Group Code(SGC)	XXXXXXX (to be supplied by VPLC)
Tariff Index	(to be supplied by KPLC)
Events Parameters	
Overvoltage threshold value	299V (Phase to Neutral)
Overvoltage estimate delay	10s
Under voltage threshold value	92V (Phase to Neutral)
Under voltage estimate delay	10s
Bypass define Threshold	10%
Bypass Enter Define Delay	30s
Overload trip threshold value	Un*Imax
Duration time of over load for disconnection	30s
Overload Exit(recovery) Define Delay	30s
Overload Recover Define Delay(after sustained overload)	30 mins
Over current trip threshold	120A
MCU Display	
MCU Auto -scroll interval	3s
MCU Auto -scroll sequence	-Remaining Credit balanc - Total Units consumed -Date and Time -Flagged Alarms e.g. met bypass, meter termin cover open

4.5 Interoperability Requirements

- 4.5.1 The Manufacturer shall produce meters that fully meet the requirements of the IEC 62055-51:2007 on Standard Transfer Specification protocol and IEC 62056-6-2:2017 on communication protocol to be provided by KPLC:
- (a) Facilitates interoperability amongst hardware, software and meters supplied by other manufacturers.

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- (b) Does not lock KPLC to only the bidder or any one supplier or manufacturer in its future procurement of prepayment meters, software or hardware.
- (c) The smart meters shall be interoperable with the existing KPLC Advanced Metering Infrastructure (AMI).
 - 4.5.2 The bidder awarded the contract to supply the smart meters as per this specification shall be provided with the communication protocol encryption/decryption security key by KPLC for the meters supplied.

4.6 Quality Management Systems

- 4.6.1 The supplier shall submit a Quality Assurance Plan (QAP) that will be used to ensure that the meter design, physical properties, tests and documentation, will fulfill the requirements stated in the contract documents, standards, specifications and regulations. The QAP shall be based on and include relevant parts to fulfill the requirements of ISO 9001: 2015.
- 4.6.2 Copies of quality management certifications including copy of valid and relevant ISO 9001: 2015 Certificate for international manufacturers and/or KEBS Standardization Certificate for local manufacturers shall be submitted with the tender for evaluation.

5 TESTS AND INSPECTIONS

- 5.1 The meters shall be tested in accordance with the requirements of IEC 62053-21:2020, IEC 62055-31:2005 and provisions of this specification. It shall be the responsibility of the supplier to perform or to have performed the tests specified in their premise or a third party accredited laboratory.
- 5.2 The bidder shall submit copies of Type Tests Reports for each type of meter offered with the tender for technical evaluation. The Type Test Reports shall have been issued by a Third-Party testing laboratory, accredited to ISO/IEC 17025. The accreditation certificate to ISO/IEC 17025 for the same third-party testing laboratory used shall also be submitted with the tender document (all in English Language).
- 5.3 Routine and sample test reports for the meter to be supplied shall be submitted to KPLC for approval before shipment/delivery of the goods.
- 5.4 All acceptance tests as stipulated in the relevant standards shall be carried out by the supplier and shall be witnessed by KPLC Engineers before shipment.

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- 5.5 On receipt of the goods KPLC will perform any of the tests specified in order to verify compliance with this specification.
- 5.6 The supplier shall conduct training in Nairobi for 20 No personnel on the use of optical and the SCSSCAAA9 ports.
- 5.7 The supplier shall replace without charge to KPLC the meters, which upon examination, test or use; fail to meet any of the requirements in the specification.
- 5.8 The following tests shall be conducted on the meter as per IEC 62053-21: 2003 and other relevant standards:

5.8.1 Tests of Insulation Properties

- 5.8.1.1 Impulse Voltage Test
- 5.8.1.2 AC High Voltage Test
- 5.8.1.3 Insulation Test

5.8.2 Test of Accuracy Requirements

- 5.8.2.1 Tests on Limits of Error
- 5.8.2.2 Interpretation of Test Results
- 5.8.2.3 Test of Meter Constant
- 5.8.2.4 Test of Starting Conditions
- 5.8.2.5 Test of No-load Condition
- 5.8.2.6 Test of Ambient Temperature Influence
- 5.8.2.7 Test of Repeatability Error
- 5.8.2.8 Test of Influence Quantities

5.8.3 Test of Electrical Requirements

- 5.8.3.1 Test of Power Consumption
- 5.8.3.2 Test of Influence of Supply Voltage
- 5.8.3.3 Test of influence of Short-term Over-currents
- 5.8.3.4 Test of Influence of Self-heating
- 5.8.3.5 Test of Influence of Heating
- 5.8.3.6 Test of Influence of Immunity to Earth Faults

5.8.4 Test for Electromagnetic Compatibility

- 5.8.4.1 Radio Interference Measurement
- 5.8.4.2 Fast Transient Burst Test
- 5.8.4.3 Test of Immunity to Electrostatic Discharges

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5.8.4.4 Test of Immunity to electromagnetic HF Fields

5.8.5 Test for Climatic Influences

- 5.8.5.1 Dry Heat Test
- 5.8.5.2 Cold Test
- 5.8.5.3 Damp Heat Cyclic Test

5.8.6 Test for Mechanical Requirements

- 5.8.6.1 Vibration Test
- 5.8.6.2 Shock Test
- 5.8.6.3 Spring Hammer Test
- 5.8.6.4 Protection Against Penetration of Dust and Water
- 5.8.6.5 Test of Resistance to Heat and Fire

5.8.7 Functional Tests

- 5.8.7.1 Open Cover tamper detection.
- 5.8.7.2 Token validation test
- 5.8.7.3 Decrementing of units when connected to Load.
- 5.8.7.4 Automatic interrupting of the load circuit on expiry of units
- 5.8.7.5 Test of credit balance and debit
- 5.8.7.6 Test of disconnect of supply when credit decrement to zero
- 5.8.7.7 Test of reconnecting supply on providing credit
- 5.8.7.8 Test to disconnect supply if load/current exceeds the preset value of the meter
- 5.8.7.9 Test to reconnect supply if load current falls within present value.

5.8.8 Additional Tests

- 5.8.8.1 Glow wire testing for polycarbonate material
- 5.8.8.2 Accuracy tests in the presence of harmonics
- 5.8.8.3 Influence of d.c and even harmonics
- 5.8.8.4 Measurement of Total energy Effect of Harmonics
- 5.8.8.5 Magnetic induction of external origin (AC & DC)

5.9 Minimum Testing Facilities

The manufacturer shall have the necessary minimum testing facilities for carrying out the following Routine Tests:

- (a) AC high voltage test
- (b) Insulation resistance test
- (c) Test of limits of errors

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- (d) Test of meter constant
- (e) Test of starting condition
- (f) Test of no load condition
- (g) Repeatability of error test
- (h) Test of power consumption
- (i) Tamper conditions as per this specification
- (j) Transportation Test.

NB: The manufacturer shall have duly calibrated Equivalent Series Resistance (ERS) meter of Class 0.5 accuracy or better.

6 MARKING AND PACKING

6.1 Marking

Markings shall comply with IEC 61010-1 unless otherwise specified in other parts of IEC 61557. The measuring equipment shall carry the following marking which shall be clearly readable and indelible (in English Language) on the meter and of at least 4mm figure height.

The following information shall be marked on each meter.

- (a) The Standard Transfer Specification (STS) compliant serial number, in the preferred format known as a national meter number,
- (b) The STS compliance logo,
- (c) The inscription "Property of KPLC.",
- (d) Name or trade mark of the manufacturer;
- (e) Wiring Connection diagram.
- (f) Country of Origin
- (g) Type/model
- (h) Meter number
- (i) Barcode comprising of meter serial number without blank spaces
- (j) Standard(s) to which the meter complies
- (k) Year and Month of Manufacture
- (1) Guarantee 5 Years
- (m) KEBS Standardization/Diamond Mark. This is exempt for international manufacturers

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6.2 Packing

- 6.2.1 The meters shall be packaged in such a manner as to minimize damage and entry of moisture during transportation and handling.
- 6.2.2 (a) The meters shall be packed in suitable groups and / or batches with consecutive serial numbers. The barcodes of the serial numbers shall be labelled on the outer part of the carton for easy scanning. Packaging shall be done only after KPLC approval
 - (b) For postpaid meters the serial numbers of the energy meters shall be provided by KPLC
- 6.2.3 The meters and UIU shall be packaged in multiples of ten unless where the number of meters in a group/batch does not make a multiple of ten and the number of meters should be packaged with an equal number of CIUs.
- 6.2.4 The number of meters packaged in a group and/or batch for handling/lifting/carrying by an operator manually shall be such that their weight does not exceed 15 kg.
- 6.2.5 The supplier shall indicate the delivery time versus quantities of each type of meter and his production capacity.

7 DOCUMENTATION

- 7.1 The bidder shall submit its tender complete with technical documents required by Annex A (Guaranteed Technical Particulars) for tender evaluation. The technical documents to be submitted (all in English language) for tender evaluation shall include the following:
 - a) Fully filled clause by clause guaranteed technical particulars (GTP) signed by the manufacturer;
 - b) Meter drawing giving all the relevant dimensions;
 - c) Wiring diagrams;
 - d) Users and operational manuals.
 - e) Copies of the Manufacturer's catalogues, brochures, drawings and technical data;
 - f) Sales records for the last five years and at least four customer reference letters;
 - g) Details of manufacturing capacity and the manufacturer's experience;
 - h) Copies of valid Type Test Certificates and Reports by an Independent Third-Party Testing Laboratory accredited to ISO/IEC 17025; Type Test Certificates and Reports of offered meter carried out within the last Five (5) years shall be deemed valid. The test certificates

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shall bear the product serial number of meter on offer. KPLC reserves the right to demand repetition of some or all the type tests in presence of KPLC's representative, which acceptance should be submitted together with the offer. The retest results from the 3rd Party Laboratory shall be binding and not be disputed. All type test reports of the meters shall be approved by Head of Standards, KPLC, before commencement of supply. Type tests conducted in manufacturer's own laboratory and certified by testing bodies shall not be acceptable.

- i) Copy of a valid Accreditation Certificate to ISO/IEC 17025 for the Third-Party Testing Laboratory;
- j) Valid copies of ISO 9001:2015 certificate for international manufacturers and/or KEBS standardization quality mark certificate for local manufacturers.
- k) Evidence of the manufacturer having supplied a minimum of 200,000 pieces of the meter type offered to similar utilities in the past two years.
- 1) Copies of DLMS/COSEM certificates
- m) Copies of STS Certificates
- n) Current e-mail addresses, fax and telephone numbers of the National / International Testing / Calibration Laboratories and Meter Certification bodies used to test the meter on offer.
- o) The supplier shall provide the test results of all the meters supplied in soft copy in a format that shall enable a quick search of a particular meter number and its results.

NOTE: The bidder shall complete, clearly, all the clauses in of the Schedule of Guaranteed Technical Particulars in the Annex. This shall form the basis of evaluation of the submitted tender. Failure to complete this Appendix shall render the tender non-responsive. The tenderers shall indicate the details of their offer where it is different from these requirements. Where the requirement is the same, they shall indicate what is offered. Insertions such as "noted", "agreed", "comply" etc. shall be considered as non-responsive where a specific response is called for.

- 7.2 The successful bidder (supplier) shall submit the following documents/details to The Kenya Power & Lighting Company for approval before manufacture:
 - a) Fully filled clause by clause Guaranteed Technical Particulars (GTP) signed by the manufacturer;
 - b) Design Drawings with details of low voltage measurement instruments to be manufactured for KPLC. Quality Assurance Plan (QAP) that will be used to ensure that the design, material; workmanship, tests, service capability, maintenance and documentation will fulfill the requirements stated in the contract documents, standards, specifications and regulations. The QAP shall be based on and include relevant parts to fulfill the requirements of ISO 9001:2015.

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- c) The QAP Statement shall include a matrix of important raw materials and components (including the measurement and computing chips, memory chips, display modules, key electronic components and the battery) names of sub-suppliers for the raw materials, list of standards according to which the raw materials are tested and copies of test certificates in respect of bought out accessories.
- d) An outline of the proposed work and programme sequence.
- e) List of areas in manufacturing process, where stage inspections are normally carried out for quality control and details of such tests and inspections.
- f) The successful bidder shall within 30 days of placement of order, submit a matrix/list of raw materials and test certificates of the selected accessories and the names of sub-suppliers whether same or different from those furnished alongside the bids.
- g) Detailed test program to be used during factory acceptance testing;
- h) All documentation necessary for safety of the equipment as specified in IEC 61010-1:2010 clause 5.4 shall be provided with the instrument.
- 7.3 The supplier shall submit recommendations for use, care, storage and routine inspection/testing procedures, all in the English Language, during delivery of the meters to KPLC stores.
- 8 INFORMATION AND WARRANTY (IN CASE OF TENDER AWARD)

8.1 Warranty

- 8.1.1 The supplied meters, MCUs, UIUs and associated software/hardware shall be guaranteed by Warranty against any defects, which may develop due to faulty material, calibration, transportation or workmanship for a period of fifty-four (54) months from the date of successful commissioning certificate for KPLC or sixty (60) months from dispatch, whichever is later. All defective meters shall be replaced at the supplier's cost within one (1) month of receipt of intimation.
- 8.1.2 All software supplied shall be updated by the supplier at no extra cost while any required changes, e.g. tariff changes, statutory changes, etc. shall be implemented free of cost during the warranty period and beyond.
- 8.1.3 The successful bidder/supplier shall observe performance of their meter on site for a period of at least one (1) year and monitor accuracy of the same independently and submit a performance evaluation report of the same.

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8.2 Samples

- 8.2.1 The tenderer shall submit three (3) MCUs and three (3) UIUs samples together with the tender documents. Samples shall not be returned to the tenderers.
- 8.2.2 The submitted meter samples shall be subjected to accuracy tests at KPLC's Meter Central Laboratory and independent third-party accredited laboratory of KPLC's choice to verify compliance with all the requirements of IEC 62053-21:2003 other requirements of this specification.
- 8.2.3 The samples of the meters offered shall be submitted together with test tokens for; different Power Limit Settings and resets for the same, Credit and Clear Credit Tokens to aid in the testing of the meters. The manufacturer might be required to provide more tokens at no extra cost.
- 8.2.4 Bidders are advised that the Laws of Kenya require that the Kenya Bureau of Standards must approve any new meter being introduced in the country. To this end, Bidders shall furnish the Bureau with 4 (four) samples of each meter type to be supplied. Bids submitted without the meter type approval from the Bureau will NOT be considered non-responsive. However, the winning Bidder must submit this approval before the signing of the supply contract.
- 8.2.5 The samples provided during tendering shall be the same as the product being delivered and this shall be confirmed with the samples and the approved drawings to verify that there is no variation of the product.

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ANNEX A (Normative): Guaranteed Technical Particulars for Split Prepayment Static Meters for Active Energy Measurement (to be filled and signed by the <u>Manufacturer</u> and submitted together with a sample meter, relevant copies of the Manufacturer's catalogues, brochures, drawings, technical data, sales records for previous five years, four customer reference letters, details of manufacturing capacity, the manufacturer's experience and copies of complete type test certificates and type test reports for tender evaluation, all in English Language)

Clause	KPLC requirement		Bidder's offer (indicate
number	-		full details of the offered
			for the prepayment meter)
Manufactu	rer's Name and address		Specify
Brand nam	ne or designation		Specify
Country of	f Manufacture		Specify
Bidder's N	Jame and address		Specify
1.	Scope		Specify
2.	Normative References	9	Specify
3.	Terms, Definitions and Abbrevia	ations	Specify
4.	REQUIREMENTS		
4.1	OPERATING CONDITIONS		
4.1.1	Operating environmental	Altitude	State
	conditions	Humidity range - Rel.	State
		humidity	
N.		Operating temperature	State
		Pollution category	State
		Isokeraunic levels	
4.1.2	System Characteristics	Compatible electrical	State
		system	
		Nominal voltage and	State
		frequency	
4.2	DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS		
4.2.1	General Requirements-Standards applicable		State
4.2.1.1	Meter shall be constructed as Three-phase Four-wire		Specify
	Direct-Connected Prepaid/Postpaid meters.		
	Meter shall support both prepaid and postpaid modes.		Specify
4.2.1.2	Meter shall be of British Standard		
_	standardized mounting for asymmetrical (BS) wiring		

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Clause	KPLC requirement	Bidder's offer (indicate
number	9	full details of the offered
		for the prepayment meter)
4.2.1.3	The meter shall have terminals with bottom entry for cables	Specify
	and the arrangement shall be L1L1: L2L2: L3L3: NN for 3	
	phase 4-wire meters	N N
4.2.1.4	Meter base and cover shall be of non-metallic, non-	Specify
	hygroscopic, flame retardant, polished material having	
	high impact-resilience and low dirt absorption properties.	
4.2.1.5	Meter front cover shall be of translucent material but shall	Specify
	have a window (clear glass or polycarbonate) for reading	
	the display and for observation	
	Meter terminals cover shall be transparent with sealable	Specify
	Nickel-plated steel screws	
4.2.1.6	Meter shall conform to the degree of protection of at least	Specify
	IP 54 as given in IEC 60529:2013.	
	The terminals shall be designed to ensure protection from	
	ingress of water and dust.	
4.2.1.7	The meter shall have a real-time clock controlled by a	Specify
	quartz crystal oscillator.	
	It shall be possible to reset the clock without loss of billing	
	data that shall be synchronized with the AMI system.	
4.2.1.8	The material of which the terminal block shall be capable	Specify
	of passing the tests given in ISO 75-1:2020.	30 SI
4.2.1.9	The meter shall be for front projection mounting.	Specify
4.2.1.10	Meter shall be provided with an internal back –up battery	Specify
	to support the LCD display with backlight, clock and	
	calendar in the event of an AC power failure.	
	The life expectancy of the battery shall last for a minimum	
	of 10 years.	
4.2.1.11	Meter shall be equipped with lockable/sealable push	Specify
	buttons where such buttons are used to program the meter	
	parameters	
4.2.1.12	The potential link of the meters shall be internal (inside the	Specify
	sealed part of the meter).	ii a
4.2.1.13	Meter shall have a sealing provision for terminal cover.	Specify

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Clause	KPLC requirement	Bidder's offer (indicate	
number		full details of the offered	
		for the prepayment meter)	
	The meter terminal cover shall be of the long type with	Specify	
	cable entry knock-offs which shall be at least 20mm from		
	the terminal block and shall ensure adequate coverage of		
	all the terminals.	8	
4.2.1.14	Meter shall have terminal cover open detection. Once the	Specify	
	terminal cover is opened, the load shall be disconnected		
4.2.1.15	Meters' terminal holes and screws shall be of moving-cage	Specify	
	type.		
	Made of brass or nickel-plated brass for high strength and	Specify	
	good conductivity.	10	
	The copper content in the brass shall be at least 60%.	Specify	
4.2.1.16	Meter shall support double element circuit measurement	Specify	
	(phase and neutral circuits).		
4.2.1.17	The meter body dimensions shall not exceed: Height =	Specify	
	290mm; Width = 170mm; and Depth = 90 mm;		
4.2.1.18	Meter shall have a keypad on the body of the meter for	Specify	
	keying in the tokens and shall be IP54 compliant.		
4.2.1.19	Meter body shall be ultrasonically sealed for life.	Specify	
	There shall be no screws on the MCU body except for the	Specify	
	termination of cables.		
4.2.1.20	Meter shall have terminal cover open detection	Specify	
	mechanism. Once the terminal cover is opened, the load		
	shall be disconnected. The mechanism shall be designed		
	to operate as in sub-clauses (a) to (c) below:		
(a)	The MCU shall be supplied with loading switch in open	Specify	
	mode and installer can open terminal cover when MCU is	22	
	not activated by commissioning code (token).		

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Clause number	KPLC requirement	Bidder's offer (indicate full details of the offered for the prepayment meter)
(b)	After installation of MCU, the installer will input a commission code (token) to close the loading switch and activate terminal cover open detection function. The commissioning code/token shall precede any token to be keyed into the meter to activate all functionalities of the meter. The meter shall reject any token (clear tamper token, credit token, etc.) input into the meter as long as the commissioning token has not been keyed into the meter.	Specify
(c)	After commissioning token is put into the MCU and loading switch closes, opening of the terminal cover shall lead to tamper. When MCU has power and terminal cover is opened, MCU will disconnect immediately. When MCU has no power and terminal cover is opened, MCU will detect and record the event and disconnect immediately power resumes.	Specify
4.2.1.21	MCU shall be sealed and its Printed Circuit Boards conformal coated in a manner so as not to allow malfunction due to ingress of moisture, vermin, dust, chemicals and temperature extremes	Specify
4.2.1.22	The terminals shall be of suitable rating to carry continuously Imax current	Specify
4.2.1.23	Terminal holes shall be of at least 10-mm diameter and 15mm in depth.	Specify
4.2.1.24	Meter terminal cover shall have screw inserts sealable with utility wire seals.	Specify
4.2.1.25	Meter protection class shall be Class II (Double insulated) as per IEC 61140:2016 standard.	Specify
4.2.1.26	Meter shall have a non-volatile memory capable of data storage and with long-term data retention period of not less than 10 years or for the certified life of the meter or whichever is greater without an electrical supply being supplied to the meter.	Specify
4.2.1.27	Meter shall have register codes as per the list of the OBIS codes provided.	Specify

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Clause	KPLC requirement	Bidder's offer (indicate
number	N N	full details of the offered
		for the prepayment meter)
4.2.1.28	The principal unit for the measured values shall be the	Specify
	kilowatt-hour (kWh) for active power and kilo volt-ampere	
	for reactive power (kVar) with a resolution of at least 0.01	
	for testing purposes.	
4.2.1.29	The cumulative consumption register of the meter shall	Specify
	NOT be resettable to zero	
4.2.1.30	Meter shall detect significant reverse energy (SRE) when	Specify
	the line and load wires are swapped.	
	This shall be indicated on the LCD display of the meter	Specify
4.2.1.31	Meter shall continue to operate correctly and decrement	Specify
	credit during SRE detection for prepaid meters and	
	increment for postpaid meters.	
4.2.1.32	Meter shall have LED indicators for testing and indication	Specify
	of Active power and Reactive power consumption.	
4.2.1.33	The spacing between the LEDs shall be sufficient so as not	Specify
	disrupt the testing of the meter during the verification of	
	the accuracy of the energy meter	
4.2.1.34	The internal circuit of the meter shall be designed in a	Specify
	manner to delink the optical interface and the display to	
	allow interrogation of the meter through the optical	
	interface when the LCD display is not working	
4.2.1.35	The MCU enclosure material shall be of good dielectric	Specify
	and mechanical strength with minimum thickness of	
	2.0mm. The material shall comply with IEC 60695-2-11	
	grow wire test.	
4.2.1.35	The bidders shall specify Original Equipment	Specify
	Manufacturers (OEM) and any Technical	
	Partners in the design of their meters	
4.2.2	Communication	
4.2.2.1	The meter shall support bi-directional communication.	Specify
4.2.2.2	The meters shall be compliant with the DLMS/COSEM to	Specify and state reference
	IEC 62056 standard communication protocol.	standard

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Clause	KPLC requirement	Bidder's offer (indicate
number	140)	full details of the offered
		for the prepayment meter)
	The bidder shall submit the Compliance Certificate	Specify
	together with the tender document for evaluation.	
4.2.2.3	The meter shall have an integrated GPS module on the	Specify
	meter PCB for locating the meter	300
4.2.2.4	The meter shall be equipped with an infrared optical port	Specify
	compliant with the IEC 62056-21 standard for meter	
	programming and data downloading.	
4.2.2.5	The MCU shall come fitted with an SCSSCAAA9	Specify
	(MC171) compliant data port for programming and	100
	interrogating the meter.	
4.2.2.6	The Meters shall have a modular design and have a GPRS	Specify
	communication module and also support other	
	communication modules and the point at which it is placed	
	shall be sealable. The Meter shall be able to communicate	4.
	with a remote central system using a plug in	C
	modem/module, through the GPRS 3G networks and	
	higher.	
4.2.2.7	The communication module shall be hot swappable.	Specify
4.2.2.8	The communication module shall be interchangeable by	Specify
	the different interfaces as described in clause 4.2.2.9	
4.2.2.9	The Meter shall communicate via GSM/GPRS/3G/4G/NB-	Specify
	IoT but shall also have a sealable slot to support field/hot	
	swappable/ replaceable plug-in type bi-directional	
	communication modules with easy adaptability to network	
	interfaces with other modes of communications: G3 PLC,	
	Radio Frequency, Wi-Fi, Fibre Optic, RS485, Modbus, IP	
	port, Broadband PLC (BPL), Narrow band PLC (PLC), RF	
	receiver for Long-Range WiFi (LoRa), etc. All the	
	interfaces shall be DLSM/COSEM complaint.	
4.2.2.10	The Meters shall have RS485 communication interface that	Specify
	include at least a 4 digital outputs, isolated from all other	
	meter circuits with fail-safe circuitry able to withstand AC	
	230V for 2 minutes without damage.	

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Clause	KPLC requirement	Bidder's offer (indicate
number		full details of the offered
		for the prepayment meter)
4.2.2.11	Meter's firmware shall be upgradable remotely and locally.	Specify
	Upgrading of firmware shall not stop or affect meter's	
	metrology.	
4.2.2.12(a)	The communication module shall support both SMS and	Specify
	GPRS modem and support the mode of: on line and on-	
(*)	demand on line.	
(b)	The communication module shall not be powered directly	Specify
	from the terminals and shall have a backup battery to allow	
	remote communication in the event of power outage.	
4.2.2.13	The communication module shall support USSD, CSD	Specify
	communication.	18 E
4.2.2.14	Meter shall send a 'Last Gasp' power outage response	Specify
	when it loses power and a 'First Breath' restoration	*
35.65	message when power is restored.	
4.2.2.15	The meter shall support manual meter reading in case of	Specify
	loss of communication to the meter.	0.000. 166.
4.2.2.16	The meter shall work under Postpaid Mode or Prepaid	Specify
	Mode. The switch of mode shall be done via meter specific	
	token or optical communication or via the system.	
4.2.2.17	The meters shall be supplied together with a scanner and	Specify
	laptop for scanning the meters at KPLC warehouse and a	1000 29
	laptop loaded with software for interrogating the meter data	
-	and loading commissioning and credit token during testing	
	at our laboratory	
4.2.3	Meter Display	
	The meters shall have a backlight seven-segment Liquid	Specify
4.2.3.1	Crystal Display (LCD) for displaying parameters and	ESERGE AM
=	measured values.	1
	The meter LCD shall have at least seven (7)-numerical	Specify
4.2.3.2	characters comprising of selectable integers and two	6733 97
4.2.3.2	decimals points for energy measurement. The minimum	
	character height shall be eight (8) mm.	
1222	The meters LCD shall be capable of displaying the current	Specify
4.2.3.3	state of the relay via symbols.	

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number		full details of the offered
	9	for the prepayment meter)
4.2.3.4	The meters LCD shall be capable of displaying various	Specify
4.2.3.4	tampering conditions of the meter.	
4.2.3.5	The display parameters shall be configurable by software	Specify
4.2.3.3	action.	
	The LCD display shall operate in at least two modes,	Specify
4.2.3.6	namely, basic and extended data list display using push	
	buttons on meter front.	i i
4.2.3.7	Meters shall have provision for reading the meter at site	Specify
4.2.3.7	even when mains power supply fails.	
4.2.4	Functionality Requirements	
	Measurement and Control Unit (MCU)	
	The MCU shall measure and display the energy quantities	Specify
	of active power, reactive power and apparent power in both	,
	import and export modes.	
	The meters shall be capable of profiling multiple channels	Specify
	of energy, demand (KVA, KW, KVAr), voltage, current,	
	power factor, harmonics, for a period of at least six (6)	
	months for 60 minutes data intervals.	
	The meter shall be able to measure the units consumed in	Specify
	the event of an imbalanced load or the absence of one or	
	two phases.	
	The meters shall measure Energy correctly even when the	Specify
	phase rotation/sequence is incorrect.	
	The meters shall be capable of recording of active and	Specify
	reactive energy in all four (4) quadrants with up to four (4)	
	tariffs.	
	The meter shall have at least four (4) registers for energy.	Specify
٠	The meter shall be capable of measuring energy in security	Specify
	mode and also record reversed units.	
	The Meter shall indicate on the LCD display reverse energy	Specify
	consumption	
	The meter shall have capability of closing end of billing	Specify
	period on any selected date of the month selectable by	- W
	software	

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Clause	KPLC requirement	Bidder's offer (indicate
number		full details of the offered
		for the prepayment meter)
	The meter's billing registers shall NOT be re-settable to	Specify
	zero.	
DC.	The meter shall have at least twelve (12) billing historical	Specify
	data stored in memory and retrievable by software action	
	The meter shall have a load switch to disconnect the load	Specify
	circuit on the expiry of credit balance in the case of	
	prepayment meters.	
	The load switch shall automatically restore the load circuit	Specify
	after token top up for prepayment meters	
181	The meter load switch shall comply with the requirements	Specify
	given in IEC 62055-31:2005	
	The meters shall have a programmable power limit setting	Specify
	that shall disconnect the load once exceeded and reconnect	1980
	once the load falls below the set limit	
	The meters shall disconnect the load if power failure is	Specify
	detected and connect the load after normalization	
6	The meters shall be able to indicate absence or presence of	Specify
	continuous power by use of a Light Emitting Diode (LED).	
	The MCU shall have an LED indicator to show the rate of	Specify
	consumption. The pulse rate shall be proportional to	
	current rate of consumption.	
	The MCU shall have an LED to indicate the presence of an	Specify
	alarm of any registered event on the meter.	
	The MCU shall have a self-diagnostic feature to diagnose	Specify
	the status of the functions of the meter.	ja ja
	The MCU shall have a Liquid Crystal Display (LCD) for	Specify
	numeric display and language independent pictograms to	50
	identify operational features with backlight. The LCD shall	
	have a wide viewing angle of 45 deg. to 60 deg. with, up to	(5)
	one-meter distance.	
	The Live and Neutral shall be DC immune complying with	Specify
4.2.3.1.14	requirements of IEC 62052-11:2020 and IEC 62055-	
	31:2005.	

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Clause	KPLC requirement	Bidder's offer (indicate
number		full details of the offered
		for the prepayment meter)
	The MCU shall come fitted with an SCSSCAAA9	Specify
	(MC171) compliant data port for programming and	(C) (C)
	interrogating the meter. Two (2) sets of data interrogating	
	and programming probes and software (1 each for optical	8
4.2.3.1.6	and SCSSCAAA9 ports) shall be provided with the meter	
	sample for evaluation. For the winning bidders, each	
	delivery of 100,000 meters shall have 50 sets of probes and	
	read only software for use with the optical and the	
	SCSSCAAA9 ports.	
	The MCU shall be supplied together with a plastic card of	Specify
	dimension 60mm x 40 mm (length x height) indicating the	7.9
4.2.3.1.7	meter number. A tolerance of ±1mm will be acceptable.	
4.2.3.1.7	The meter serial number shall be engraved on the card	
	together with its bar code version. No random redundant	*
	digits shall be added to the meter number.	
4.2.3.1.8	The MCU shall be with Nil units pre-loaded (i.e. 0 (Zero)	Specify
7.2.3.1.0	kWh.	
4.2.5	Time-of-use tariff measurements	
	The meters shall be capable of measuring and displaying	Specify
	time-of-day active and reactive energy consumption up to	
	four tariff registers.	
	The meters shall be capable of measuring and displaying	Specify
	time-of-day demand (kW and kVA) consumption up to	
	four tariff registers.	
	Each tariff register shall be set to operate over defined time	Specify
	periods during a 24-hour day.	
	The meters shall have at least two seasons and four day	Specify
	types namely weekday, Saturday, Sunday and	
	Special/Holiday with switching times set independently.	
	The meters shall have at least forty (40) special days to take	Specify
	care of national holidays, world days and Easter holidays.	
4.2.6	Demand measurements	

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number		full details of the offered
	*	for the prepayment meter)
	The meters shall be capable of measuring and displaying	Specify
	active, reactive and apparent demand consumption in both	
	import and export modes.	
	The meters shall display demand values and their time and	Specify
	date stamps.	
	The meters shall measure demand correctly even when the	Specify
	phase rotation/sequence is incorrect.	1100
	The meter shall have at least four (4) registers for demand.	Specify
Ψ.	The meters shall have a capability of closing end of billing	Specify
	period on any selected date of the month selectable by	
	software.	
	The meters shall have at least twelve (12) billing historical	Specify
	data stored in memory and retrievable by software action.	
	The current and billing/historical data shall be available on	
	meter display for reading and billing purposes.	A
4.2.7	Instrumentation data measurements	Specify
	The meters shall be capable of displaying instrumentation	Specify
	data namely instantaneous phase voltages and currents,	
	phase angles, and power factor.	
	The meters shall be capable of measuring and displaying	Specify
	instantaneous power (active, reactive and apparent).	
	The meters shall be capable of measuring and displaying	Specify
	average power factor for the current and the previous	
	billing months.	
	The meters shall be capable of continuous display of the	Specify
	presence or absence of individual phase voltages.	
	The meter shall have diagnostics to alert of any abnormal	Specify
	three phase power condition, such as: over/under voltage,	
	missing voltage, missing current, improper meter vectors	
	for service, reverse power flow, etc.	
4.2.8	Load profiling	

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		for the prepayment meter)
	The meters shall be capable of profiling multiple channels	Specify
	of energy, demand (kVA, kW, kVAr), voltage, current,	
3	power factor, harmonics, for a period of at least six (6)	y
	months for 60 minute intervals.	
	The load profile integration period shall be programmable	Specify
	from one (1) minute up to a maximum of sixty (60)	
	minutes.	
4.2.9	Power Quality Analysis	
	The meter shall collect and record basic power quality	Specify
	information - overcurrent, total no. of alarms, power	
	outages, voltage and current, average power factor and line	
	frequency, etc.	
	The meter shall be able to provide voltage sag and swell	Specify
	detection.	
	The meters shall provide Total Harmonic Distortion (THD)	Specify
	event detection at least up to the 10th harmonic with	
	analysis for unusual system conditions.	
4.3	Security features	

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The meters shall be a	anable of event recording and	Chasifu
	capable of event recording and	Specify
	hall include but not be limited to	
the following:	D 1	
q)	Power ups and power downs	
	with date and time stamp;	
r)		
39	date and time stamps;	
s)	Over- and under-voltages based	
	on a pre-set threshold with date	
	& time stamp;	
t)	Battery voltage status (if	
	applicable);	
u)	Memory status;	
v)	Meter errors,	
W) Date and time of last	
	programming/parameterization;	
x)	Date and time of the last end of	
	billing period;	
y)	Firmware upgrades	
z)	Prepayment events	
aa	a) Terminal cover removal, even	
	during a power failure	
bl	o) Main meter cover removal,	
	even during a power failure	
co	c) Communications removal	
	d) Magnetic detection, at least 0.5	
10	mT	
ee	e) Bypassing neutral	
) Interchanging incoming and	
	outgoing leads	
The LCD shall display	events that have occurred. The	
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following:	Property (Company Communication Communicatio	

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l) Battery voltage status

(if

j) Meter errorsk) Phase failures

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	m) Alarms n) Warning messages o) Prepayment mode p) Terminal cover removal q) Communications removal r) Magnetic detection, at least 0.5 mT	
4.4	Electrical Requirements	Specify
4.4.1	The meter shall be operated from mains with reference values of 3 x 230/415V, 50 Hz \pm 10 %, with a load switching voltage range from 0.4Un to 1.3Un phase to neutral	Specify
4.4.2	The load switch shall be of bi-stable type designed and manufactured in accordance with IEC 61810-1, as well as meet the overload and short circuit requirement of IEC 62052-11 / 62055-31:2005. The load switch shall interrupt the supply when the voltage is below 0.4 Un and above 1.3Un phase to neutral	Specify
4.4.3	The load switch shall automatically restore supply within a minute when the voltage falls within $0.4 \text{ Un} - 1.3 \text{ Un}$ phase to neutral.	Specify
4.3.4	The meters shall be connectable for 2-wire systems, a permanent connection drawing of which shall be printed on the meter body. Stickers of any kind shall not be accepted.	Specify
4.4.5	The meter shall have Reference Standard Electrical Design Parameters as in Table 2 below.	Specify
4.4.5	Summary of electrical parameters as per table 1 of specification	Specify
(a)	Meter accuracy class	Specify class and reference standard
(b)	Rated Nominal Voltage (Un)	Specify
(c)	Load switching voltage range	Specify
(d)	Maximum Voltage Circuit burden (W and VA)	Specify

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(e)	Base Reference Current, Ib	Specify
(f)	Maximum Current circuit burden (VA)	Specify
(g)	Maximum Current Imax (A)	Specify
(h)	Protective class	Specify class and reference standard
(i)	Accurate Metering Range	Specify
(j)	Starting Current (as a percentage of Ib)	Specify
(k)	Running with no-load	Specify
(1)	Short Circuit current (as a function of Imax)	Specify
(m)	Meter constant	Specify
(n)	Disconnection device	Specify type and current rating
(0)	Insulation class	Specify and reference standard
(p)	Insulation Level (kV)	Specify and reference standard
(q)	Overvoltage withstand (VAC for 48 hours)	Specify and reference standard
(r)	Voltage Impulse Withstand (KV)	Specify withstand value and reference standard
(s)	Current Impulse withstand (kA/microsecs)	Specify withstand value and reference standard
(t)	Lightning Surge Withstand	Specify withstand value and reference standard
(u)	EMC-Electrostatic discharge (kV air discharge)	Specify rating and reference standard
(v)	Immunity to HF Fields	Specify rating and reference standard
(w)	Immunity to Fast Transient Bursts	Specify rating and reference standard
(x)	Immunity to Radio interference	Specify rating and reference standard

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(y)	Rated impulse withstand voltage of PLC (kV)	Specify withstand value
		and reference standard
(z)	Insulation level of PLC (kVrms)	Specify withstand value
		and reference standard
(aa)	Communication Protocol	Specify
(bb)	Communication Range of PLC	Specify
4.4.6	Default Factory Parameters settings	Specify
70	Basic Parameters	
(a)	Rated Voltage	Specify
(b)	Basic Current (Ib)	Specify
(c)	Maximum Current(Imax)	Specify
(d)	Meter Constant	Specify
(e)	Frequency	Specify
(f)	Load Rating	Specify
(g)	Time zone	Specify
	Measurement Configuration	
(h)	Active	Specify
(i)	Reactive	Specify
	Prepayment Parameters	
(j)	Factory default payment mode	Specify
(k)	Pre-load credit	Specify
(l)	Low credit warning(Alarm green LED-Permanent)	Specify
(m)	Low credit warning(Alarm Red LED-Permanent)	Specify
(n)	Low credit warning(Alarm Red LED-Flashing)	Specify
(o)	Low credit warning(Alarm Red LED-Flashing and alarm	Specify
	buzzer)	
(p)	Emergency recharge credit limit	Specify
(q)	Maximum recharge credit limit	Specify
	Event Parameters	
(r)	Overvoltage threshold value	Specify
(s)	Overvoltage estimate delay	Specify
(t)	Under voltage threshold value	Specify
(u)	Under voltage estimate delay	Specify

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(v)	Bypass define Threshold	Specify
(w)	Bypass Enter Define Delay	Specify
(x)	Overload trip threshold value	Specify
(y)	Duration time of over load for disconnection	Specify
(z)	Overload Exit(recovery) Define Delay	Specify
(aa)	Overload Recover Define Delay(after sustained overload)	Specify
(bb)	Over current trip threshold	Specify
4.5	Interoperability Requirements	
4.5.1	The meter's applicable standards	Specify
(a)	Interoperability of the meter on offer among hardware,	Specify
	software and meters supplied by other manufacturers	
(b)	Non-proprietary technology that does not lock KPLC to	Specify
	only one bidder or any one manufacturer in its future	1358 2004
	procurement of software, hardware or meters	
(c)	Meter interoperable with the existing KPLC smart	Specify
	metering management system. The bidder shall be able to	
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4.4.2	Provision of Communication protocol	Provide
	Encryption/decryption key	
4.6	Quality Management System	
4.6.1	Quality Assurance Plan	Provide
4.6.2	Copy of valid ISO 9001:2015 Certificate for international	Provide
	manufacturers and/or KEBS standardization certificate for	
	local manufacturers	
5.	TESTS AND INSPECTIONS	
5.1	Test standards and responsibility of carrying out tests	Specify
5.2	Copies of valid Type Test Reports and 3 rd Party testing lab	Provide
	accreditation certificate submitted with tender	
5.3	Routine and sample test reports to be submitted by supplier	Provide
	to KPLC for approval before shipment	
5.4	Acceptance tests to be witnessed by KPLC Engineers at	Provide
	factory before shipment	

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5.5	KPLC to perform any of the tests independently in order to	Comply
	verify compliance with this specification	Substitute Management
5.6	Training of 20No. KPLC staff on the use of optical and the	Comply
	SCSSCAAA9 ports.	E 82
5.7	Supplier to replace without charge to KPLC meters which	Comply
	upon examination, test, or use, fail to meet any	400 1/2004
	requirements in the specification	
5.8	Required Type Tests and Routine Acceptance Tests	Specify
5.9	Minimum testing facilities	Specify
6	MARKING AND PACKING	
6.1	Marking as per specification	Specify
6.2	Packing as per specifications	Specify
7	DOCUMENTATION	
7.1	Documents to be submitted with GTPs for tender	Comply
	evaluation	50
7.2	Documents to be submitted to KPLC for approval before	Comply
	manufacture (if tender awarded)	89 S20
8	INFORMATION AND WARRANTY	
8.1	Fifty four (54) months warranty from date of successful	Specify
	commissioning certificate for KPLC or Sixty (60) months	
	warranty from the date of dispatch whichever is later	
8.1.2	Software supplied shall be updated by the supplier at no	Specify
	extra cost while any required changes, e.g. tariff changes,	94 04
	statutory changes, etc. shall be implemented free of cost	
	during the warranty period and beyond.	
8.1.3	The successful bidder/supplier shall observe performance	Specify
	of their meter on site for a period of at least one (1) year	233.
	and monitor accuracy of the same independently and	
	submit a performance evaluation report of the same.	
8.2	Samples	Specify
8.2.1	The tenderer shall submit Three (3) MCUs samples	Provide
	together with the tender documents (N.B. Samples shall not	
	be returned to the tenderers).	

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	The submitted meter samples shall be subjected to type and routine tests at KPLC's Meter Central Laboratory and also a third-party accredited laboratory to verify the requirements of IEC 62053-21:2020 and to verify responsiveness to other requirements of this specification.		
8.2.2	Sample of meter offered to be submitted together with test tokens for different power limit settings and resets for the same, credit and clear credit tokens to aid in the testing of the meters. The manufacturer may be required to provide tokens at no extra cost		

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