First numeral				Second numeral				
Protection against ingress of solid foreign objects			Meaning protection of persons against access to	Protection against harmful ingress of water			Meaning for protection from ingress of water:	
IP	Requirements	Example	hazardous parts with:	IP	Requirements	Example	rigress of water.	
0	No protection	4	No protection provided	0	No protection	4	No protection provided	
1	Full penetration of 50.0 mm diameter sphere not allowed and shall have adequate clearance from hazardous parts. Contact with hazardous parts not permitted	Œ	Back of hand	1	Protected against vertically falling drops of water	** * * * *	Vertically dripping	
2	Full penetration of 12.5 mm diameter sphere not allowed. The jointed test finger shall have adequate clearance from hazardous parts	7 -	Finger	2	Protected against vertically falling drops of water with enclosure tilted 15° from the vertical.	4	Enclosure tilted 15° from the vertical	
3	The access probe of 2.5 mm diameter shall not penetrate	4	Tool	3	Protected against sprays to 60° from the vertical	** * * * * * * * * *	Limited spraying	
4	The access probe of 1.0 mm diameter shall not penetrate	4	Wire	4	Protected against water splashed from all directions	4	Splashing from all directions	
5	Limited ingress of dust permitted (no harmful deposit, refer to standard)		Wire	5	Protected against lowpressure jets of waterfrom all directions	□• <u>4</u> •□	Hosing jets from all directions	
6	Totally protected against ingress of dust	4	Wire	6	Protected against strong jets of water	D+-{ / }	Strong hosing jets from all directions	
				7	Protected against the effects of immersion between 15.0 cm and 1.0 m	15 cm 1 4	Temporary immersion	
				8	Protected against longer periods of immersion under pressure	4	Immersion	