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SUMMARY

The objective of this thesis is to develop a method to calculate the saving in the cost of an existing artificial lighting system in an office room in an office building when relamping the system by another energy efficient lamps, replacing the system by another energy saver artificial system or by a system combining between daylighting and artificial lighting. The latter is considerably elaborated since utilisation of daylighting becomes now one of the most important energy efficient techniques in lighting system design.

In this thesis, the various methods for calculating the daylighting level at the reference point on the working plane area by means of calculating the daylight factor "DF" are summarised. Finally the thesis concludes by a comparison between relamping the artificial lighting system and the combination between daylighting- artificial lighting system, the resulting reduction in the life-cycle-cost.

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ABBREVIATIONS

AEG Allgemeine Elektricitats- Gesellschaft.

bre Building Research Establishment Digest.

BRS Building Research Station.

CIBS Chartered Institution of Building Services.

CIE Commission International de l'Eclairage.

EC&M Electrical Construction and Maintenance.

LD&A Lighting Design and Application.

IES Illuminating Engineering Society.

IEEE Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers.

ilr international lighting review.

DF Daylight Factor.

SC Sky Component of Daylight Factor.

ERC Externally Reflected Component of Daylight Factor.

IRC Internally Reflected Component of Daylight Factor.

HVAC Heat Ventilation and Air-Conditioning System.

D Luminaire dirt depreciation Factor.

DEFINITIONS

Energy Conservation:

Energy conservation deals with Engineering, Design, Application, Utilisation and to some extent the operation and maintenance of the electric power systems to provide for the optimal use of energy. Optimal in this case refers to the design or modification of a system to use minimum overall energy where the potential or real energy savings are justified on an economic or cost benefit basis. Optimisation also involves factors such as comfort, healthful working conditions, the practical aspects of productivity, aesthetic acceptability of the space and public relations.

Energy Management:

Energy management is the more inclusive term for energy conservation, involving many professions and fields such as Engineering, Organisation, Economic and Financial Analysis, Operation Research, Metering and Measurement and Control Systems.

Daylight Factor(DF): Daylight Factor at a point indoor is defined as the illuminance received at that point from a sky of known or assumed luminance

distribution expressed as a percentage of the horizontal illuminance outdoor from an unobstructed hemisphere of the same sky.

Direct sunlight is excluded from both illuminances.

It is usually considered that the Daylight
Factor comprises three components; the sky
component, the externally reflected component
and the internally reflected component.

Sky Component(SC):

Sky Component is the ratio of that part of the daylight illuminance at a point on a given plane which is received directly from a sky of assumed or known luminance distribution, to the illuminance on a horizontal plane due to an unobstructed hemisphere of this sky.

Direct sunlight is excluded from both values of illuminances.

Externally Reflected
Component(ERC):

Externally Reflected Component is the ratio of that part of daylight illuminance at a point on a given plane which received directly from external reflecting surfaces illuminated directly or indirectly by a sky of assumed or known luminance distribution,