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Sir or Madam,

Ref. Footnote 35 page 40:-

Are you aware that the term "capacity factor" is NOT recognised in the International Electrotechnical Commission's IE Vocabulary of about 23,000 terms to which the UK, EU and over 100 other countries adhere as standard terminology?

UK adherence is due to membership of IEC by its Standards Authority , British Standards Institution. IEC was formed 100 years ago with the support of the then Institution of Electrical Engineers.

The correct term is "**Load Factor**". "Capacity factor" is an American term.

Please refer to the IEC/IEV website "**ELECTROPEDIA**"

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