

# BCD310 Series Isolated DC Battery Charger



A product of:



## Benefits

- Ultra-Quiet
- Convection cooled, no noisy fan
- Power sensitive electronics without interference
- Rugged & Reliable
- Ensure years of safe and trouble free operation
- Fast & Accurate Charging

## Applications

- Marine & other Rugged Environments
- Electric Utilities and Substations
- Manufacturing Plants
- Steel Mills
- Military Applications (COTS)
- Industrial Controls
- OEM Applications
- Solar / Alternative Power Systems
- Fuel Cells
- Charge any DC/DC System

# Battery Chargers

## BCD310 Series

### Description

The BCD310 battery charger provides up to 300 watts to charge a 12 or 24 or 48 Volt battery system from a 110V, 220V or 300VDC source. The batteries must share a common ground but the source can be on a different positive or negative ground.

Multiple stages of filtering reduce radiated or conducted noise to very low levels. Extra features include adjustable output voltage, audible and visual indicators for low input voltage, low output voltage, over temperature and an equalize charging cycle. Safety features include reverse input protection, over-temperature shutdown, current limiting, short circuit protection with automatic recovery, input undervoltage shutdown, reverse battery protection, output overvoltage crowbar and a dry contact alarm relay output.

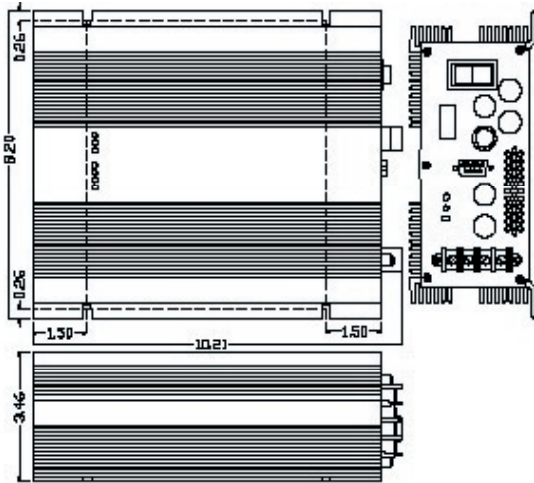
Optional features include a Digital Volt/Ammeter, 3-Bank Charging, a Remote Control Panel, and/or a second Battery Temperature Sensor.

We are confident that you will get many years of reliable service from this DC Battery Charger.

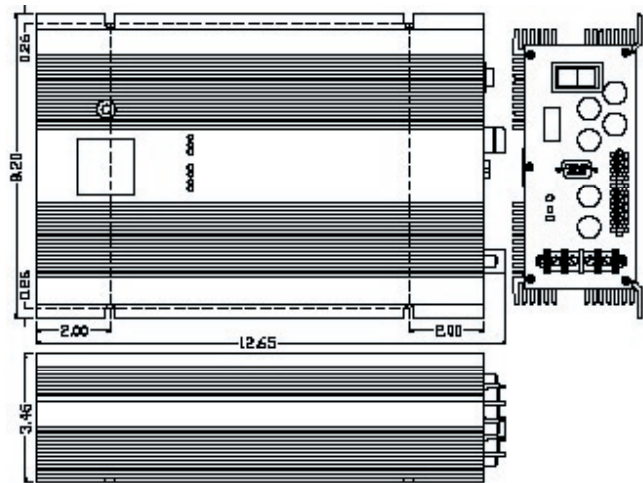
### Features

- Fully Isolated Design
- Adjustable output voltage for charging standard or deep cycle lead-acid, VRLA or Gel cell type battery
- Transient Voltage Suppressor
- Extremely rugged and well suited for marine and other demanding environments
- High tolerance for shock and vibration
- Ultra-quiet low EMI operation
- Can be left permanently connected
- Spark free connection
- User selectable 2 or 3 stage charging profile
- Audible & visual indicators for output overload, low input voltage, low output voltage & over-temperature
- Over-temperature shutdown
- Short circuit protection
- Output over-voltage crowbar
- Inrush Current Limiting with solid state bypass
- Dry contact output fail relay
- 2 years parts and labour warranty

## Mechanical Diagram



Shown without Digital Meter



Shown with Digital Meter

## Specifications (Specifications Subject to Change Without Notice)

### Electrical (Input)

|                  |         |         |         |
|------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Nominal (ip)     | 110     | 250     | 300     |
| Actual (Vdc)     | 100-140 | 230-280 | 280-360 |
| Input Amps (max) | 3.8     | 1.7     | 1.4     |
| Input Fuse (MDA) | 4       | 3       | 2       |
| Noise on Input   | < 25 mV |         |         |

### Environmental Specifications

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Operating Temp. Range | -25° to +40°C @ maximum output<br>Derate Linearly 2.5% per °C from 40°C<br>(Optional -40°C extra wide-temp. operation avail.) |
| Humidity              | 0 - 95% Relative Humidity<br>(non-condensing) with optional conformal coating   |
| Audible Noise         | NONE Ødb @ 3 ft   |
| Typical Service Life  | > 10 yrs. (87,600 hrs)  |
| Isolation             | Input-Case & Input-Output 1500VDC<br>Output-Case 500VDC   |

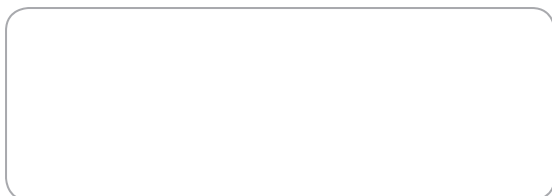
### Electrical (Output)

|                          |                                      |             |             |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Output Nominal (op)      | 12                                   | 24          | 48          |
| Output Volts (DC)        | 13.6 ± 0.05                          | 27.2 ± 0.05 | 54.4 ± 0.05 |
| Absorption Voltage (Vdc) | 14.4                                 | 28.8        | 57.6        |
| Charging Amps            | 20                                   | 10          | 5           |
| Absorption to Float      | 3.0 Amps                             | 1.5 Amps    | 1.0 Amps    |
| Output Adjustment        | ± 0.5                                |             |             |
| Output Fuses (AGC)       | 25 x 2                               | 15 x 2      | 10 x 2      |
| Battery Banks            | 1 or 2 (3 bank option available)     |             |             |
| Battery Size (Amp Hrs.)  | 80-120                               | 40-60       | 20-30       |
| Output Crowbar           | 16.0 ± 0.5V                          | 32.0 ± 1.0V | 63.9 ± 2.0V |
| Output Ripple & Noise    | < 25 mV                              |             |             |
| Regulation (Line & Load) | < +/- 0.5%                           |             |             |
| Temperature Comp.        | -30 mV/°C                            | -60 mV/°C   | -120 mV/°C  |
| Duty Cycle               | Continuous 100% for 24 hours per day |             |             |
| Efficiency               | > 75% @ Maximum Output               |             |             |
| Stages                   | 2 or 3 (user selectable)             |             |             |

### Mechanical Specifications

|             |                                      |
|-------------|--------------------------------------|
| Length      | 9.6 in / 24.4 cm                     |
| Width       | 8.2 in / 20.8 cm                     |
| Height      | 3.5 in / 6.4 cm                      |
| Clearance   | 1 inch (2.5 cm) all around           |
| Material    | Marine Grade Aluminium               |
| Finish      | Black Anodize / Powder Epoxy Coat    |
| Fastenings  | All 18-8 Stainless Steel             |
| Weight      | 7.5 lb / 3.4 kg                      |
| Connections | Four contact output terminals        |
| Warranty    | 2 years                              |
| Safety      | Approval to cETLus Standards Pending |

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