

# Versatile and Rugged Lead-Based Industrial Charger Series



- California Energy Compliant
- Optional Temp Compensation
- Power phase-back with temperature
- Wide operating temperature range
- Transient protected input/output
- Active I/O reverse polarity protection
- Informative LED display
- Optional wireless/digital interface
- Relay and discrete I/O signals
- Over temp protection with auto reset
- Overcurrent / overvoltage protected
- Three year warranty

# **Description**

The M-series is an environmentally robust and sophisticated battery chargers with models supporting Leadbased, batteries. With a wide operating temperature range (-25°C to 65°C), a rugged mechanical design, and AC or DC input power options, this product is well suited for high end industrial applications. The charger complies with the California Energy Commission guidelines and with UL/CSA specifications pending.

This charger's unique mechanical design provides a sealed unit with a replicable fan for increased power capability in high ambient temperatures. This provides extremely high power density and environmental reliability.

The M-series optional external communications can be programmed with user specific firmware. The product may be ordered with an optional user defined set of discrete I/O signals, a wireless option, an RS-232 or RS-

485, CAN or other interfaces. Temperature compensation can be included and the temperature can be sensed in the battery vicinity or on the positive terminal per request. An informative LED display indicates state of charge, input power present, battery voltage and current, fault conditions and proper battery connection are standard.

The M-series charger precisely controls the charging algorithm to insure a complete recharge while prolonging battery life. The charger can be programmed for direct pack charging or with a BMS (battery management system) equipped pack.

The charger may be left connected indefinitely and the product ideal for remote and standby applications. It can be mounted in any orientation and ordered with input and output power connectors per customer specification. Customized charging algorithms, power sequencing and control/monitoring options are available upon request.

## **AC series input specifications**

PARAMETER	DESCRIPTION / CONDITIONS
AC input voltage range	3 input ranges covering 85 VAC - 280 VAC
Input AC amps (max)	Measured at 85 VAC / 1200 watts output: 19 Arms without PFC
AC input configuration	AC input: line, neutral , chassis ground
Connector	IEC-320

## DC input series specifications

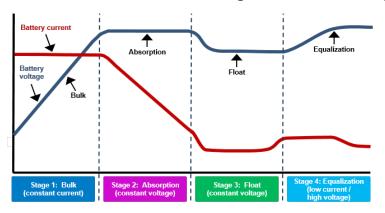
PARAMETER	DESCRIPTION / CONDITIONS		
DC input voltage range	8 input ranges covering 11 VDC to 500 VDC		
Input DC amps (max)	Measured at 40 VDC / 1200 watts output: 35A		
DC input configuration	DC input: DC Power, DC Return, Chassis ground		
Connector	Anderson PP-75 or user defined		

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## **M-Series Model Specific Specifications**

## Four Stage Lead-based battery charging curve



Charging algorithm: Supplies constant current  $I_{mx}$  to battery until absorption voltage is reached  $(\boldsymbol{V}_{\text{FSTERM}}$  ). Transition to absorption mode follows and regulates battery voltage at  $\boldsymbol{V}_{\text{\tiny FSTERM}}$  until current decreases to  $\mathbf{I}_{\text{ABTERM.}}$  Float mode follows and regulates battery voltage at  $\boldsymbol{V}_{\text{\tiny FLOAT.}}.$  At the user's discretion, an equalization mode can be initiated. The equalization voltage  $V_{\rm EQ}$  is approximately 2.5V/cell and battery current is limited. For more information, please refer to www.chargetek.com/ images/pdfs/equal.pdf

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#### **Standard LED indicators**

PARAMETER	GREEN	RED/GREEN	RED	RED on/off	GREEN on/off
state of charge	Complete	Absorption (top off)	Constant Current	-	-
battery voltage (volts)	< 75% of V <sub>FSTERM</sub>	75% to 85% of V <sub>FSTERM</sub>	85% to 95% of V <sub>FSTERM</sub>	> 95% of V <sub>FSTERM</sub>	-
battery current (amps)	< 10% of I <sub>max</sub>	10% to 30% of I <sub>max</sub>	30% to 90% I <sub>max</sub>	> 90% of I <sub>max</sub>	-
fault indicator	Polarity OK	Short/Reversed	Battery < 2.7V/cell	Over Voltage	Over Temperature
input power	Power Good	-	-	-	-

## **M-Series Common Specifications**

CHARGING PARAMETERS	DESCRIPTION
Absorption transition time-out	10 hours following 85% of V <sub>FSTERM</sub> ( factory settable upon request)
Max charging time	Terminate if $> I_{max}/3 > 15$ hours (factory settable upon request)
Overvoltage protection	Maximum Charging Voltage + 1.0V
Output noise and ripple (PARD)	<150mV, 100MHz BW
Regulation	<u>+</u> 0.5%
Efficiency	Measured at max power, varies from 80% to 92% depending on model

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# **M-Series Charging Specifications**

6V battery bank (3S)				
PARAMETE	R DESCRIPTION / CONDITIONS	VALUE	UNITS	
V <sub>FSTERM</sub>	Fast charge transition voltage	7.3 ±0.1	VDC	
V <sub>FLOAT</sub>	Float voltage, I <sub>OUT</sub> < I <sub>FS</sub> , 25°C	6.8 ±0.1	VDC	
I <sub>max</sub>	Maximum charging current	102 ±2.0	Amps	
I <sub>ABTERM</sub>	Absorption transition current	3.0 ±0.1	Amps	
$V_{EQ}$	Equalization voltage @ < 1Amp	7.8 ±0.1	volts	
I <sub>SBY</sub>	Max standby current, AC off	1.0	ma	

12V battery bank (6S)			
PARAMETE	R DESCRIPTION / CONDITIONS	VALUE	UNITS
V <sub>FSTERM</sub>	Fast charge transition voltage	14.6 ±0.1	VDC
V <sub>FLOAT</sub>	Float voltage, I <sub>OUT</sub> < I <sub>FS</sub> , 25°C	13.6 ±0.1	VDC
l <sub>max</sub>	Maximum charging current	62 ±1.0	Amps
I <sub>ABTERM</sub>	Absorption transition current	2.5 ±0.1	Amps
$V_{EQ}$	Equalization voltage @ < 1Amp	15.5±0.1	volts
I <sub>SBY</sub>	Max standby current, AC off	1.0	ma

18V battery bank (9S)				
PARAMETER	DESCRIPTION / CONDITIONS	VALUE	UNITS	
V <sub>FSTERM</sub>	Fast charge transition voltage	21.9 ±0.1	VDC	
V <sub>FLOAT</sub>	Float voltage, I <sub>OUT</sub> < I <sub>FS</sub> , 25°C	20.4 ±0.1	VDC	
I <sub>max</sub>	Maximum charging current	41 ±1.0	Amps	
I <sub>ABTERM</sub>	Absorption transition current	2.5 ±0.1	Amps	
V <sub>EQ</sub>	Equalization voltage @ < 1Amp	23.3 ±0.1	volts	
I <sub>SBY</sub>	Max standby current, AC off	1.3	ma	

24V batter	y bank (12S)		
PARAMETER	DESCRIPTION / CONDITIONS	VALUE	UNITS
V <sub>FSTERM</sub>	Fast charge transition voltage	29.2 ±0.1	VDC
V <sub>FLOAT</sub>	Float voltage, I <sub>OUT</sub> < I <sub>FS</sub> , 25°C	27.2 ±0.1	VDC
l <sub>max</sub>	Maximum charging current	31.0 ±0.1	Amps
I <sub>ABTERM</sub>	Absorption transition current	2.0 ±0.1	Amps
V <sub>EQ</sub>	Equalization voltage, <1A	31.0±0.1	volts
I <sub>SBY</sub>	Max standby current, AC off	1.5	ma

36V battery bank (18S)			
PARAMETER	DESCRIPTION / CONDITIONS	VALUE	UNITS
V <sub>FSTERM</sub>	Fast charge transition voltage	43.8 ±0.2	VDC
V <sub>FLOAT</sub>	Float voltage, I <sub>OUT</sub> < I <sub>FS</sub> , 25°C	13.5 ±0.2	VDC
l <sub>max</sub>	Maximum charging current	21.0 ±1.0	Amps
ABTERM	Absorption transition current	2.0 ±0.1	Amps
V <sub>EQ</sub>	Equalization voltage @ < 1Amp	46.5 ±0.2	volts
SBY	Max standby current, AC off	1.8	ma

48V batter	y bank (24S)		
PARAMETER	DESCRIPTION / CONDITIONS	VALUE	UNITS
V <sub>FSTERM</sub>	Fast charge transition voltage	58.4 ±0.2	VDC
V <sub>FLOAT</sub>	Float voltage, I <sub>OUT</sub> < I <sub>FS</sub> , 25°C	54.4 ±0.2	VDC
l <sub>max</sub>	Maximum charging current	16.0 ±1.0	Amps
I <sub>ABTERM</sub>	Absorption transition current	1.5 ±0.1	Amps
V <sub>EQ</sub>	Equalization voltage @ < 1Amp	62.0 ±0.2	volts
I <sub>SBY</sub>	Max standby current, AC off	1.	ma

60V battery bank (30S)				
PARAMETER	DESCRIPTION / CONDITIONS	VALUE	UNITS	
V <sub>FSTERM</sub>	Fast charge transition voltage	73.0 ±0.2	VDC	
V <sub>FLOAT</sub>	Float voltage, I <sub>OUT</sub> < I <sub>FS</sub> , 25°C	68.0±0.2	VDC	
I <sub>max</sub>	Maximum charging current	13.0 ±0.1	Amps	
I <sub>ABTERM</sub>	Absorption transition current	1.5 ±0.1	Amps	
V <sub>EQ</sub>	Equalization voltage, <1A	77.5 ±0.2	volts	
I <sub>SBY</sub>	Max standby current, AC off	2.0	ma	

72V battery bank (36S)					
PARAMETER	DESCRIPTION / CONDITIONS	VALUE	UNITS		
V <sub>FSTERM</sub>	Fast charge transition voltage	87.6 ±0.3	VDC		
V <sub>FLOAT</sub>	Float voltage, I <sub>OUT</sub> < I <sub>FS</sub> , 25°C	81.6 ±0.3	VDC		
I <sub>max</sub>	Maximum charging current	11.0 ±0.1	Amps		
I <sub>ABTERM</sub>	Absorption transition current	1.0 ±0.1	Amps		
V <sub>EQ</sub>	Equalization voltage, <1A	93.0 ±0.3	volts		
I <sub>SBY</sub>	Max standby current, AC off	2.0	ma		

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# M-Series Ordering Guide, p/n GbM-xyz-r

P/N Field	Definition	Options	Ι	Description					
b	Input Power	A - AC input		See description of field z in the part number for input voltage					
		E - DC input	ra	range options.					
х	Number of Series Cells Defines the output voltage.	For Lead-based chargers the options are:  35, 65, 95, 125, 185, 245, 305 and 365	This option determines the Nominal Charging Voltage for Lead- based batteries. For Lead-based chargers the nominal output voltage is the number of cells multiplied by the nominal cell voltage of 2.0V. For example, option 12S would specify a 24V charger, (12 times 2.0V/cell = 24V)						
У	Maximum Charging Current	Maximum Charging Current in amps.		Maximum Charging Current vs. Number of Series Cells					
		For standard model the maximum charging current is determined			Series Cells		Max. Curr	ent	
					6V(3S)		100 Am <sub>l</sub>	os	
		by the number of Series Cells, see tables to the right. If a <i>lower</i> maxi-		ĺ	12V(6S)		60 Amp	ıs	
		mum output current is desired		İ	18V(9S)		40 Amp	ıs	
		then it is specified in this field as			24V(12S)		30 Amp	ıs	
	amps.				36V(18S)	20 Amps			
		For example a standard AC input			48V(24S)		15 Amp	ıs	
		Lead based 6S model is ordered			60V(30S)		12 Amp	s	
	as GAM-S660-1. If a charger with a maximum output current of 35			72V(36S)			10 Amps		
		amps is needed the order number would be GAM-S635-1.							
Z	Input voltage range	For AC input chargers, three options; 01, 02, and 03 are available  For DC input chargers, eight options; 07, 08, 09, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14 are available.	Input Voltage Range Options						
				Option	Input Voltage Range	2	Option		/oltage nge
				01	85 - 140 VAC		09		0 VDC
				02	180 - 300 VAC		10	38 - 7	5 VDC
				03	85 - 300 VAC		11	72 - 14	10 VDC
				07	11 - 20 VDC		12	100 - 2	00 VDC
				08	18 - 36 VDC		13	150 - 3	00 VDC
							14	250 - 5	00 VDC
r	Options	List of Available Options, listed separated by '-' characters, some options are mutually exclusive.  An: External Interface Rxy: Internal Relay	An: External Interface, choose n as follows:  0 - RS-232, 1 - RS-485, 2 - Wired Ethernet, 3 - CAN, 5 - Wireless Ethernet, 99 - Special  Rxy: Internal Relay, there can be up to 4 internal relays x = relay configuration; O for NO, C for NC y = function; 1 - Over voltage, 2 - Charging, 3 - Over temperature, 4 - AC On						

Example: GAM-S660-01-RA1-RC3-RO4 specifies a Lead based AC input(A) charger with maximum output voltage set to charge 6-series cells, 12V (S6) at a maximum current of 60 amps (60) and the AC input range is 85-140 VAC (01). The chargers has options for an RS-485 interface (RA1) with two relays, NC Over Temperature (RC3) and NO AC On (RO4)

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# **Certifications and Compliance (model dependant - consult factory)**

а	UL CSA 1236
b	CE mark
С	California Energy Compliant
d	RF emissions: US FCC Part 15 Class A, CISPR 22:2009
е	IEC 555, power factor
f	IEC 61000-4-5; Class 4 Severity Level, Surge
g	IEEE C2-2012 National Electrical Safety Code
h	NFPA 70-2014 National Electric Code
i	IEC 60950 Safety of IT Equipment; Pollution Degree 2
j	WEEE and Restriction of Hazardous Substances (ROHS) Directives 2002/95/EC
k	T-Mark

# **Workmanship specifications**

IPC-610	Acceptability of electronic assemblies IPC J-STD-006 Requirements for electronic grade solder alloys and fluxed and non-fluxed solid solders for electronic soldering applications
IPC-2221	FR4, 130C 94V-0
IPC/WHMA-A-620	Requirements and acceptance of wiring and cabling

# **Mechanical specifications**

PARAMETER	(units are in inches and pounds)	
Dimensions	8.0 (L) × 6.0 (W) × 2.76 (H)	
Chassis material	Aluminum	
Chassis finish	Black anodized	
Clearance	12 inches all sides	
Mounting	#6 screws at eight locations	
Output connector	Model Dependant, consult factory	
Fan connector	Molex P/N 53048-0310	
Weight	Ten pounds	
Fan noise during full- speed operation	< 45dBA, variable speed	

# **Environmental specifications**

PARAMETER	DESCRIPTION / CONDITIONS		
Operating environment	Indoor/outdoor - IP67 -not submersible		
Storage temp.	-40°C to +80°C		
Operating temp.	-20°C to +50°C at maximum output over entire input voltage range		
Humidity	0°C to +95°C relative humidity (non-condensing)		
Operational altitude	10,000 feet		
Vibration	MIL-STD-810 or IEC60068-2-6 and -2-64 as applicable		
Shock	MIL-STD-810 or IEC60068-2-27 as applicable		
Isolation	Input - chassis: 2KVDC Input - output: 2KVDC Output - chassis: 500VDC		
DC leakage current	Input - chassis: < 200uA at 2KVDC Input - output: < 100uA at 2KVDC		
AC leakage current	< 3.5mA at 264VAC, 60Hz		

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# **Control and Monitor Interfaces**



#### Standard Control Functions:

- On/Off
- Terminating Voltage
- Current Limiting
- Termination Current
- Pre-charge Current

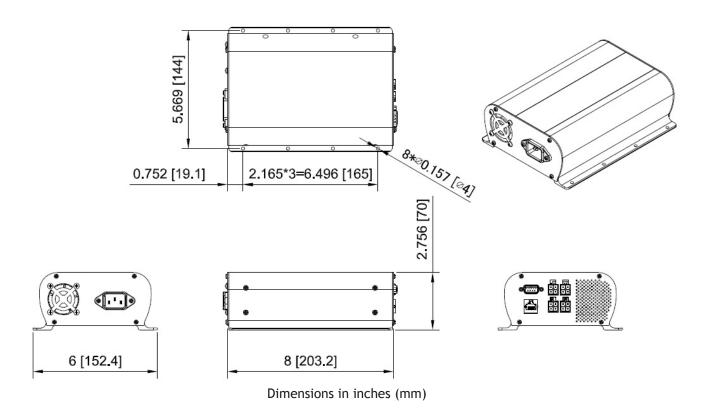
#### Standard Monitoring Functions:

- Charger State
- Voltage
- Current
- Control Settings
- Temperature
- Status, Warnings, Errors

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- Charger State
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## **Outline and mounting**



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