

BACS®

BACS - Battery Analysis & Care System - Europe and North America's most successful Battery Management System - 100% Made in Germany / Made in USA



## **Features**

- Robust system proven in the field a million times over with passive balancing for voltage regulation
- More than 3.6 million installations worldwide The standard in data centers & critical infrastructures
- Increases the capacity of batteries by up to 20% and extends the service life by up to 50%
- Available as ATEX version for Zone 1 and 2 hazardous areas
- Only system with measurement and display of battery capacity in % (SOC and P\_SOC)
- Determines battery health (SOH) and warns of battery failures and faulty currents
- Certified according to UL 2900-1 Cybersecurity and UL 62368-1 for electrical safety
- Halogen-free, fire-retardant cabling with fused measuring circuit up to 1000V and overheating protection

No.	Volt. [V]	Temp. [°C]	Ri. [mΩ]	Charge [%]	Equalize	Status
1	13.59	24.5	20.94	100%	att	0
2	13.59	25.5	21.67	100%	II	0
3	13.59	25.5	20.65	100%	. all	0
4	11.41	26.0	21.70	<mark>38</mark> % )	all	•

BACS® is the most successful battery management system for stationary applications in the EU and North America with the highest standards for electrical safety and cybersecurity. BACS offers a modern interface for recording and controlling up to 512 batteries and provides long-term recording of battery data for analysis. Simple operation and evaluation of the data with direct recommendations for action allow massive service cost savings with higher operational safety. The core functions of BACS include determining and maintaining the battery state of health (SOH) and capacity (SOC), even with periodic charging curves. BACS guarantees 100% charge and battery stability over the entire service life. The voltage equalization process of passive/active "balancing" known from lithium battery charging technology harmonizes the charging voltage of all batteries to the target value of the charger and ensures that the voltage range of each battery/cell is always optimal. This allows a highly precise and comparable impedance measurement to determine the capacity and battery ageing.



BACS has a service database that archives changes to the battery system and logs the entire "life" of a battery system in accordance with EU BattG 2024. BACS warns of residual currents and "thermal runaway" conditions and can take automated countermeasures. BACS complies with the NERC (North American Electrical Reliability Corp.) guidelines and uses halogen-free, sustainable materials with maximum operational safety, a long service life and avoidance of hazardous substances and conflict minerals.

BACS is based on the "CS141" network computer, which has been used millions of times in UPS systems and has been tested several times by the UL authority as the safest device on the market. In addition to UPS, charger and battery data,

BACS uses environmental data (temperature, humidity, hydrogen gas, smoke, fire, etc.) to monitor the power supply components of a data





## **BACS® Modules - Technical Data**

Measuring modules with voltage balancing and battery capacity measuring (SOC and SOH) for application to Lead-Acid, NiCd and Lithium battery technologies LTO, LiFePo; measuring cables featuring built-in fuse for protection against escalation of electrical fault; the most secure system on the market, also available certified for ATEX Zone 1 + Zone 2 and IP65 for Industrial applications					
Normal operation: 15 - 40 mA, depending upon operating voltage - Sleep Mode: < 1mA Heat dissipation: At <5% Balancing: C20:363mW/1,2 BTU, C30:293mW/1,0 BTU, C44:191mW/0,6 BTU At 100% Balancing: C20:2139mW/7,2 BTU, C23:2265mW/7,7 BTU, C30:2025mW/6,8 BTU, C44: 2025mW/6,8 BTU					
Internal resistance: C20/23/30/ < 2% with balancing, < 5% at C20/23/30/C44 without balancing C44 < 1% with balancing, <3% without balancing   Voltage : < 0.5 %   Temperature: C20/23/30 < 15 %, C44 < 3% +/- 0,5°C					
2x RJ10 for BACS battery bus + 1x button for addressing, Temperature sensor -35 to + 85 °C Optical display LED (alarms red/green, mode red/green)					
ABS housing (UL certified, flame retardant UL94-V0) C20/23/23: 55 x 80 x 24 mm = 2,17 x 3,15 x 0,94 in., 45g, C44: 55 x 55 x 26 mm = 2,17 x 2,17 x 1,1 in 41g. (W x H x D) ATEX: Light Grey Copper-free Aluminum with Inspection (190 x 146mm), 4800g incl. 3 Modules and halogen-free cable)					
Temperature 0 - 60°C, max.					
87,600 hours (10 years)					
Available as Zone 2: II 3G Ex dc IIC T5 Gb or II 3D Ex tc IIIC T100°C Db IP65 and as ATEX Zone 1: II 2G Ex db IIC T5 Gb or II 2D Ex tb IIIC T100°C Db IP 65 as BACS C20ex3, C30ex3 and C44ex3 with 3 C Modules.					

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Module Type	BACS C20	BACS C23	BACS C30	BACS C44	BACS C20ex3/C30ex3/C44ex3
Voltage Range	9.7-17V	9.7-21V	4.8-8.0V	0.7-4.8V	0.7-21V
RI Range	0.5-60mOhms	0.5-60mOhms	0.5-60mOhms	0.02-6mOhms	0.02-60mOhms
Bypass Current	150mA	120mA	300mA	900mA	120-900mA



**Minimum Lifetime**