

# Blue Power Battery Charger IP 20

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# Adaptive 4-stage charge characteristic: bulk – absorption – float – storage

The Blue Power charger features a microprocessor controlled 'adaptive' battery management. The 'adaptive' feature will automatically optimise the charging process relative to the way the battery is being used.

## Less maintenance and aging when the battery is not in use: the Storage Mode

The storage mode kicks in whenever the battery has not been subjected to discharge during 24 hours. In the storage mode float voltage is reduced to 2,2 V/cell (13,2 V for a 12 V battery) to minimise gassing and corrosion of the positive plates. Once a week the voltage is raised back to the absorption level to 'equalize' the battery. This feature prevents stratification of the electrolyte and sulphation, a major cause of early battery failure.

#### Protected against overheating and silent fan cooling

Output current will reduce as temperature increases up to  $60^{\circ}$ C, but the Blue Power charger will not fail. The load and temperature controlled fan is practically inaudible

#### Two LED's for status indication

 $Yellow\, LED: bulk\, charge\, (blinking\, fast),\, absorption\, (blinking\, slow),\, float\, (solid)\, Green\, LED: power\, on\,$ 

## Learn more about batteries and battery charging

To learn more about batteries and charging batteries, please refer to our book 'Energy Unlimited' (available free of charge from Victron Energy and downloadable from <a href="https://www.victronenergy.com">www.victronenergy.com</a>).

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Input voltage range	90-265 VAC or 125-350 VDC	180-265 VAC or 250-350 VDC	90-265 VAC or 125-350 VDC	180-265 VAC or 250-350 VDC
Frequency	45-65 Hz or DC			
Number of outputs	1	1 or 3	1	1 or 3
Charge voltage 'absorption' (V DC)	14,4	14,4	28,8	28,8
Charge voltage 'float' (V DC)	14	14	28	28
Charge voltage 'storage' (V DC)	13,2	13,2	26,4	26,4
Charge current (A)	7/10/15	25	5/8	15
Charge characteristic	4-stage adaptive			
Minimum battery capacity (Ah)	24/30/45	75	16/24	45
Can be used as power supply	Yes			
Protection	Battery reverse polarity (fuse) Output short circuit Over temperature			
Operating temp. range	-20 to +60°C (full rated output up to 40°C)			
Humidity (non condensing)	Max 95 %			
		ENCLOSURE		
Material & Colour	Aluminium (blue RAL 5012)			
Battery-connection	Black and red cable of 1,5 meter	Screw terminals 6 mm <sup>2</sup>	Black and red cable of 1,5 meter	Screw terminals 6 mm²
230 V AC-connection	Cable of 1,5 meter with CEE 7/7 or AS/NZS 3112 plug			
Protection category	IP 20			
Weight (kg)	1,3	1,3	1,3	1,3
Dimensions (h x w x d in mm)	60 x 90 x 210	66 x 90 x 235	60 x 90 x 210	66 x 90 x 235
		STANDARDS		
Safety	EN 60335-1, EN 60335-2-29			
Emission	EN 55014-1, EN 61000-6-3, EN 61000-3-2			
Immunity	EN 55014-2, EN 61000-6-1, EN 61000-6-2, EN 61000-3-3			

