

SB-8D - 12V260Ah - General Purpose/Standby Series



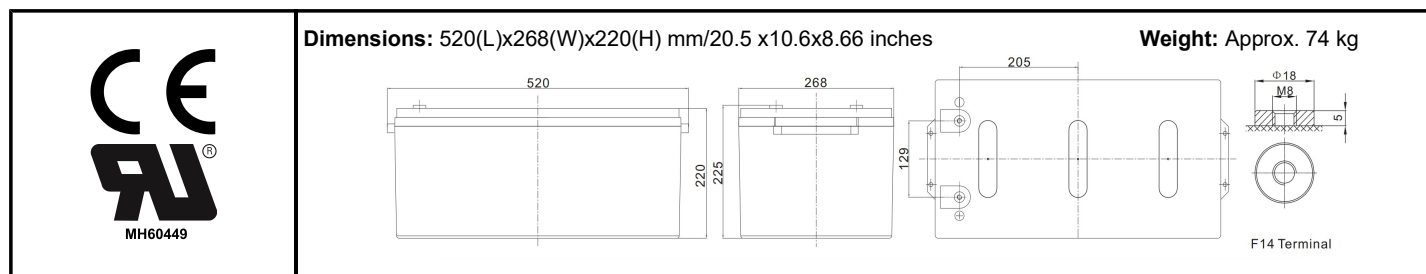
SB-8D is a General Purpose/Standby Series battery with 12 years of design life in float service. It meets with IEC and JIS standards. With up-dated AGM valve regulated technology and high purity raw materials, the SB series battery has a reliable standby service life. It is suitable for UPS/EPS, medical equipment, emergency light and security systems applications.

Specifications

- Nominal Voltage: 12 volts
- Nominal Capacity at 77°F/25°C
 - 20 Hour rate 270.4 Ah
 - 10 Hour rate 262.6 Ah
 - 5 Hour rate 222.5 Ah
 - 1 Hour rate 156.7 Ah
- Number of cells - 6
- Design Life - 12 year(s)
- Internal resistance - $\pm 3.5 \text{ m}\Omega$
- Operating Temperature Range - (See Charging recommendations)
 - Discharge: -40°C to 60°C
 - Charge: -20°C to 50°C
 - Storage: -20°C to 60°C
- Max. Discharge current - 2600 A (5sec)
- Float Charge - 13.6 to 13.8 Volts @ 25°C
- Cyclic charge - 14.6 to 14.8 Volts @ 25°C
- Terminal configuration - F14(M8)
- Self discharge rate at 25°C - 3% per month

General Features

- AGM technology also called VRLA (Valve Regulated Lead Acid) has an efficient gas recombination process which allows for a maintenance free battery.
- Not restricted for air transport and complies with IATA/ICAO Special Provision A67.
- UL-recognized component (MH60449)
- Manufactured in a plant with the following standards:
 - ISO 9001:2008
 - ISO 14001:2004
 - OHSAS 18001:2007
- Can be mounted in any orientation, but not to be charged in a inverted position.
- Computer designed lead/calcium/tin alloy grids for high power density. The lead is virgin lead of the highest purity.
- Long service life (years) designed for float/standby applications.
- Low self discharge rate.



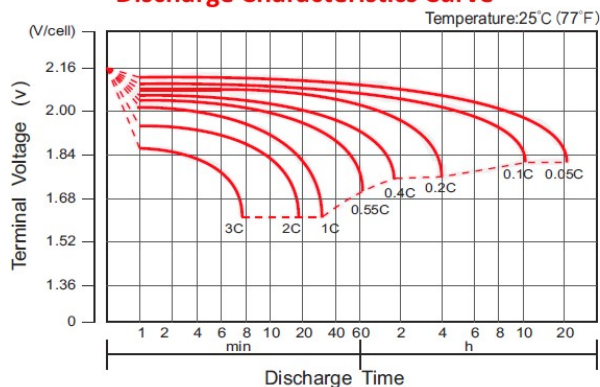
Constant Current Discharge Characteristics: Amps @ 25°C

F.V/Time	15MIN	30MIN	1HR	2HR	3HR	4HR	5HR	8HR	10HR	20HR
1.60V	440.4	272.8	160.1	95.9	71.1	57.8	48.8	32.6	27.7	14.2
1.65V	428.9	266.8	157.1	94.5	70.2	57.1	48.2	32.3	27.5	14.1
1.70V	413.7	258.9	153.2	92.6	68.9	56.1	47.5	31.8	27.1	13.9
1.75V	393.9	248.5	148.0	90.2	67.3	54.8	46.5	31.2	26.6	13.7
1.80V	368.5	235.1	141.3	86.9	65.1	53.2	45.1	30.5	26.0	13.5
1.85V	336.5	217.9	132.6	82.7	62.2	51.0	43.4	29.4	25.2	13.1

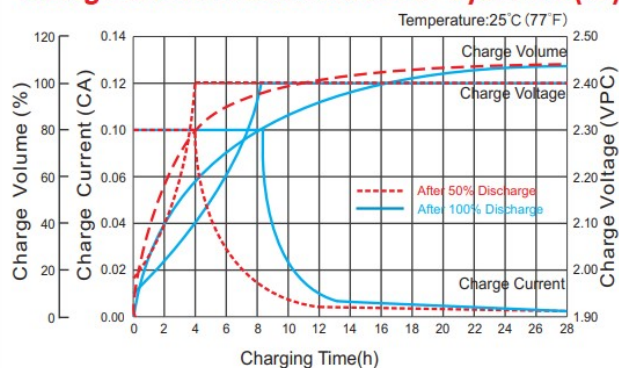
Constant Power Discharge Characteristics: Watts @ 25°C

F.V/Time	15MIN	30MIN	1HR	2HR	3HR	4HR	5HR	8HR	10HR	20HR
1.60V	781	503	304	184	138	113	95.4	64.6	55.3	28.4
1.65V	777	499	301	183	137	112	94.8	64.1	54.9	28.2
1.70V	756	487	295	180	135	110	93.5	63.4	54.2	28.0
1.75V	730	472	286	176	132	108	91.9	62.3	53.4	27.6
1.80V	693	451	275	171	128	105	89.6	60.9	52.2	27.1
1.85V	642	423	260	163	123	101	86.4	59.0	50.6	26.4

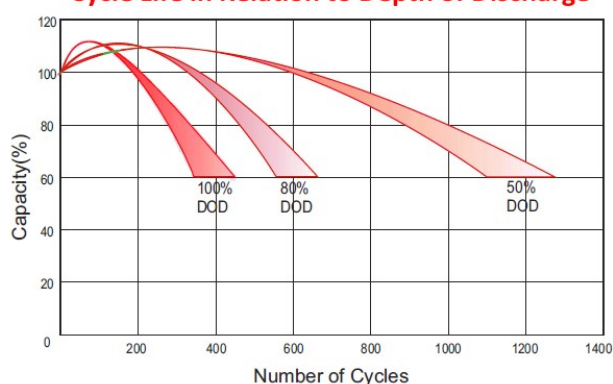
Discharge Characteristics Curve



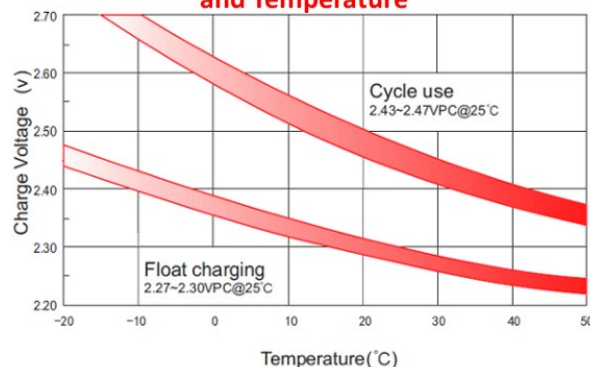
Charge Characteristics Curve for Cycle Use(IU)



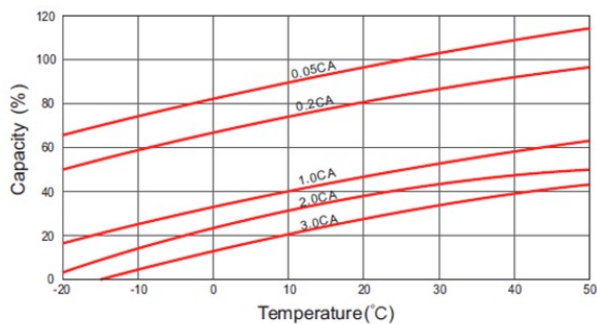
Cycle Life in Relation to Depth of Discharge



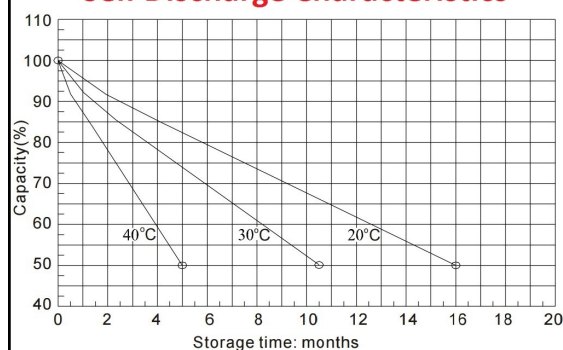
Relationship Between Charging Voltage and Temperature



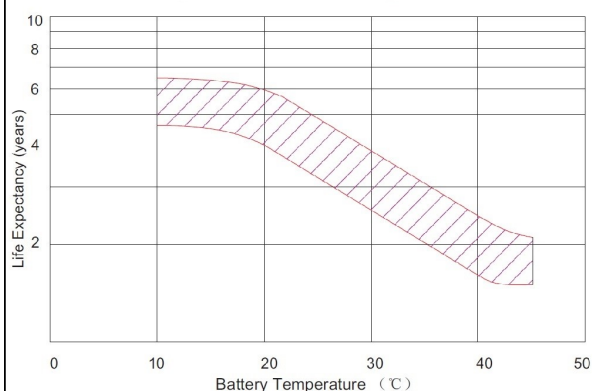
Temperature Effects on Capacity



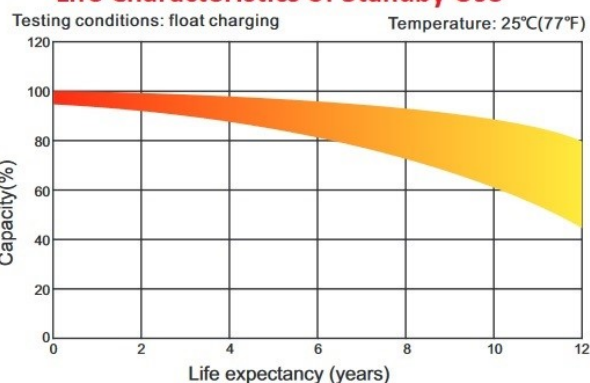
Self Discharge Characteristics



Effect of Temperature on Long Term Float Life



Life Characteristics of Standby Use



Charging Recommendations

- For standby (float) use 2.27 to 2.3 volts per cell (@ 25°C).
- For cyclic use 2.43 to 2.47 volts per cell (@25°C)
- Recommended maximum charging current limit is 78 Amp.
- Charging voltage should be regulated in relation to the ambient temperature. When the temperature is higher, the charging voltage should be lower. Where the temperature is lower, the charging voltage be higher. (3 mVolts per °C per cell in standby applications and 4 mVolts per °C per cell in cyclic applications). Typical applications in a range of 0°C-30°C do not require this compensation.
- It is recommended that "refresh charging" be applied to any battery which has been stored for a long period of time, prior to putting the battery into service and/or within 6 months after manufacture.
- To obtain the optimum standby performance it is vital that the correct charging profile is utilised (see Charge Characteristics figures)
- Typically it takes more energy to recharge a battery that it has expended. The ratio is 1.1 - 1.15 has to get into battery for every 1.0 that was supplied by the battery.

Service Life

- Please refer to the life curves provided. These curves represent typical results under optimum operating conditions. Actual life will vary due to variability of these conditions.
- Improper charging (overcharging and lack of charging) is the number one reason why AGM/VRLA batteries fail prematurely. Follow charging guidelines found on this specification sheet.
- Elements that affect Cycle Life: There are various factors that will have an effect on the service life of AGM/VRLA batteries in cyclic applications; ambient operation temperature, discharge rate, depth of discharge, the manner in which the battery is recharged, and the timeliness of the recharge, to obtain maximum service life it is recommended not to go beyond 80% DOD (Depth Of Discharge) and if all possible limit it to 50 % DOD. At 50 % you will obtain the ideal trade-off for life expectancy for AGM batteries. This recommendation goes for all brands of AGM batteries.
- Elements that affect standby life: All the same factors are responsible but the most important in this case is the ambient temperature followed closely by the charging parameters. For example - in an enclosed UPS cabinet with no ventilation temperatures, are most often than not well above 25°C, henceforth battery life is severely affected.

Warnings

- Never install AGM/VRLA batteries in an airtight container.
- Keep away from sparks, and any source of flames.
- Connect cables tightly to avoid sparks at terminals.
- The electrolytes contains sulfuric acid which can cause serious damage to eyes and skin. Should this occur, flush profusely with water and seek medical attention.
- Do not short circuit AGM/VRLA terminals with metal object, they are capable of generating hundreds of amperes, you can seriously burn yourself in short circuiting a battery.
- Mixing batteries of different capacities, age and/or manufacturer is not recommended.