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Data sheet

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Turn your roof into a power station.

The transformerless, three-phase inverters Powador 12.0 TL3 to 20.0 TL3.

Photovoltaic systems of up to several hundred kilowatts can be designed extremely flexibly in small, highly efficient units with the transformerless, three-phase Powador 12.0 TL3 to 20.0 TL3 inverters.

They operate using two separate MPP trackers that can handle both symmetrical and asymmetrical loads to allow for optimum adjustment. This allows for all typical requirements of complex designs to be fulfilled; on the one hand, for example, full configuration of an east/west-facing roof (symmetrical load) or, on the other hand, the regular configuration of a south-facing roof without having to dispense with the solar yield of a dormer (asymmetrical load). The MPP trackers can also be connected in parallel: installation costs less (you do not need an additional external disconnector) when strings need to be combined before the inverter. Two strings can be connected per MPP controller, i.e. 4 strings for each unit.

The input voltage range is particularly broad: the inverters switch to the grid from 250 V, and, when in operation, they still feed in at 200 V. This means that solar yields are optimum for comparatively small areas such as dormers or carports but they also operate for more of the day. The compact design with the DC connection via solar connectors makes installation very easy and economical.

It is easy to achieve perfect communication with these units. They are fitted with an integrated data logger with web server, a graphical display for showing operating data and a USB port for installing firmware updates. The current software can be downloaded free of charge from the download area of our homepage. The yield data can be called from the web server or via USB for evaluation. The integrated data logger can also be connected directly to an internet portal for professional evaluation and visualisation of the inverter data.

A number of country-specific default settings are programmed into the inverters. These are easy to select during on-site installation. The interface language can be selected separately.

And, if you want to use your self-generated solar power in your own home, the Powador 12.0 TL3 to 20.0 TL3 also come with our Priwatt function for managing self-consumption.

Technical data

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Electrical data	12.0 TL3	14.0 TL3	18.0 TL3	20.0 TL3
DC input				
MPP range@Pnom [1]	280 V ... 800 V	350 V ... 800 V	420 V ... 800 V	470 V ... 800 V
Operating range	200 V - 950 V	200 V - 950 V	200 V - 950 V	200 V - 950 V
Min. DC voltage/start voltage	200 V / 250 V	200 V / 250 V	200 V / 250 V	200 V / 250 V
No-load voltage	1 000 V	1 000 V	1 000 V	1 000 V
Max. input current	2 x 18.6 A	2 x 18.6 A	2 x 18.6 A	2 x 18.6 A
Number of MPP trackers	2	2	2	2
Max. power/tracker	10.2 kW	12.8 kW	14.9 kW	14.9 kW
Number of strings	2 x 2	2 x 2	2 x 2	2 x 2
AC output				
Rated output (@230 V)	10 000 VA	12 500 VA	15 000 VA	17 000 VA
Line voltage	acc. to local requirements	acc. to local requirements	acc. to local requirements	acc. to local requirements
Rated current	3 x 14.5 A	3 x 18.1 A	3 x 21.8 A	3 x 24.6 A
Rated frequency	50 Hz/60 Hz	50 Hz/60 Hz	50 Hz/60 Hz	50 Hz/60 Hz
cos phi	0.80 inductive ... 0.80 capacitive	0.80 inductive ... 0.80 capacitive	0.80 inductive ... 0.80 capacitive	0.80 inductive ... 0.80 capacitive
Number of grid phases	3	3	3	3
General electrical data				
Max. efficiency	98.0 %	98.0 %	98.0 %	97.9 %
Europ. efficiency	97.5 %	97.6 %	97.7 %	97.6 %
Night consumption	1.5 W	1.5 W	1.5 W	1.5 W
Circuitry topology	transformerless	transformerless	transformerless	transformerless
Mechanical data				
Display	graphical display + LEDs	graphical display + LEDs	graphical display + LEDs	graphical display + LEDs
Control units	4-way navigation + 2 buttons	4-way navigation + 2 buttons	4-way navigation + 2 buttons	4-way navigation + 2 buttons
Interfaces	Ethernet, USB, RS485, S0 output, digital input „inverter off“	Ethernet, USB, RS485, S0 output, digital input „inverter-off“	Ethernet, USB, RS485, S0 output, digital input „inverter off“	Ethernet, USB, RS485, S0 output, digital input „inverter off“
Fault signalling relay	potential-free NOC max. 230 V / 1 A	potential-free NOC max. 230 V / 1 A	potential-free NOC max. 230 V / 1 A	potential-free NOC max. 230 V / 1 A
Connections	DC: solar connector AC: cable connection M40 and terminal (max. cross-section: 16 mm^2)	DC: solar connector AC: cable connection M40 and terminal (max. cross-section: 16 mm^2)	DC: solar connector AC: cable connection M40 and terminal (max. cross-section: 16 mm^2)	DC: solar connector AC: cable connection M40 and terminal (max. cross-section: 16 mm^2)
Ambient temperature	-25 °C … +60 °C [2]	-25 °C … +60 °C [2]	-25 °C … +60 °C [2]	-25 °C … +60 °C [2]
Cooling	temperature-dependent fan	temperature-dependent fan	temperature-dependent fan	temperature-dependent fan
Protection class	IP65	IP65	IP65	IP65
Noise emission	< 52 dB(A)	< 52 dB(A)	< 52 dB(A)	< 52 dB(A)
DC switch	integrated	integrated	integrated	integrated
Casing	aluminium casting	aluminium casting	aluminium casting	aluminium casting
H x W x D	690 x 420 x 200 mm	690 x 420 x 200 mm	690 x 420 x 200 mm	690 x 420 x 200 mm
Weight	40 kg	40 kg	44 kg	44 kg
Certifications				
Safety	IEC 62109-1/-2, EN 61000-6-1/-2/-3/-4, EN 61000-3-2/-3	IEC 62109-1/-2, EN 61000-6-1/-2/-3/-4, EN 61000-3-11/-12	IEC 62109-1/-2, EN 61000-6-1/-2/-3/-4, EN 61000-3-11/-12	IEC 62109-1/-2, EN 61000-6-1/-2/-3/-4, EN 61000-3-11/-12
Grid compliance	VDE 0126, C10/11, VDE-AR-N 4105, BDEW, G83-2, G59/3, IEC 61727, IEC 62116, CEI-016, EN 50438, ... for more see homepage/download area		VDE 0126, C10/11, VDE-AR-N 4105, BDEW, G83-2, G59/3, IEC 61727, IEC 62116, CEI-016, EN 50438, ... for more see homepage/download area	

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- Up to 98.0 % efficiency
- 2 MPP trackers, symmetrical and asymmetrical loading possible
- Multilingual menu and graphical display
- Data logger with web server
- Priwatt function for the self-consumption of solar power

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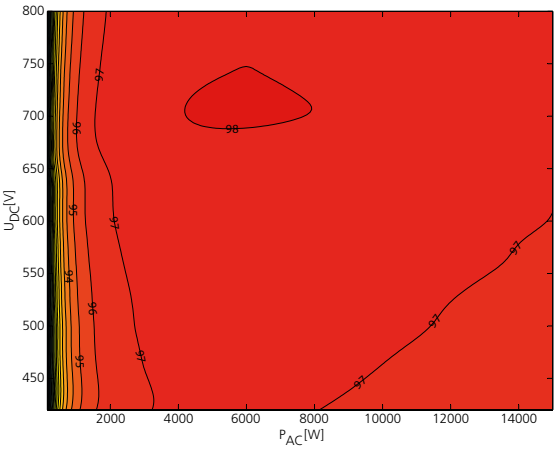
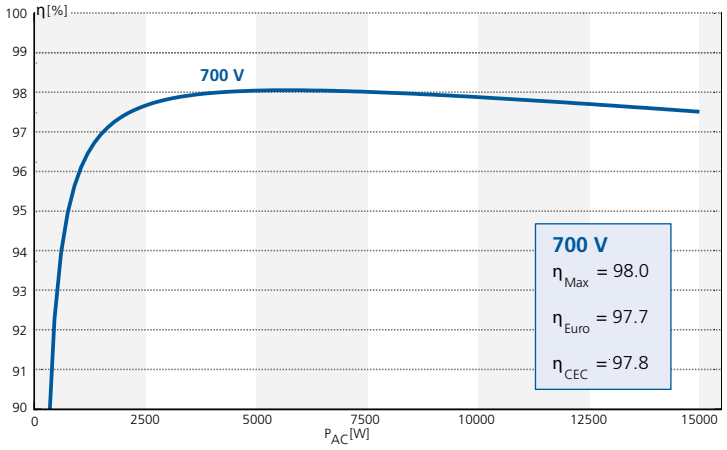
Graphical Display of efficiency

3D efficiency diagram for Powador 18.0 TL3



Efficiency characteristic curve for Powador 18.0 TL3



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