DATASHEET

EA-ELR 10000 3U
Programmable Electronic DC-Loads
With Energy Recovery
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5 KW - 10 KW - 15 KW
Programmable Electronic DC-Loads
With Energy Recovery

Features
- Wide range input, 208 V - 480 V ±10 % 3ph AC
- Active Power-Factor-Correction, typical 0.99
- Regenerative with energy recovery into the grid
- Very high efficiency up to over 96 %
- High performance of up to 15 kW per unit
- Voltage from 0 - 80 V up to 0 - 2000 V
- Currents from 0 - 20 A up to 0 - 510 A
- Flexible power regulated DC input stages (autoranging)
- Regulation mode CV, CC, CP, CR with fast crossover
- Digital regulation, high resolution with 16bit ADCs and DACs, selection of control speed: Normal, Fast, Slow
- Color 5" TFT display with touch control and intuitive user interface
- Galvanically isolated Share-Bus for parallel operation of all power classes in the 10000 series
- Master-Slave-Bus for parallel operation of up to 64 units of all power classes in the 10000 series
- Integrated function generator with predefined curves
- Integrated battery test mode
- Photovoltaics test mode, MPPT
- Command languages and drivers: SCPI and ModBus, LabVIEW, IVI

Build-in Interfaces
- USB
- Ethernet
- Analog
- USB Host
- Master-Slave-Bus
- Share-Bus

Optional Interfaces
- CAN
- CANopen
- RS232
- Profibus
- EtherCAT
- Profinet, with one or two ports
- Modbus, with one or two ports
- Ethernet, with one or two ports

Software
- EA-Power Control
## General specifications

### AC Input

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<td>Voltage, Phases</td>
<td>208 V / 380 V / 400 V / 480 V ±10% / 3ph AC (208 V 3ph AC with Derating to 3 / 6 / 9 kW)</td>
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<td>Frequency</td>
<td>45-66 Hz</td>
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<td>Power factor</td>
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<td>Leakage current</td>
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<td>Line regulation CV</td>
<td>≤0.01% FS (208 V - 480 V AC ±10% input voltage, constant load and constant temperature)</td>
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<td>Stability CV</td>
<td>≤0.02% FS (Over 8hrs interval following 30 minutes warm-up, constant input voltage, load and temperature)</td>
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<td>Temperature coefficient CV</td>
<td>≤30ppm/°C (Following 30 minutes warm up)</td>
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<td>Compensation (Remote Sense)</td>
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### Protective functions

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<td>OCP</td>
<td>Overcurrent protection adjustable, 0 - 110% INominal</td>
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<tr>
<td>OPP</td>
<td>Overpower protection adjustable, 0 - 110% PNominal</td>
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<td>OT</td>
<td>Overtemperature protection, output shuts down in case of insufficient cooling</td>
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<td>3750 Vrms (1 Minute), creepage &gt;8 mm</td>
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<td>AC Input to case (PE)</td>
<td>2500 Vrms</td>
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<td>DC Input to case (PE)</td>
<td>Depending on the model, see model table</td>
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<td>1000 V DC (Model up to 360 V output), 1500 V DC (Model from 500 V output)</td>
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### Interfaces digital

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<td>Built-in, galvanically isolated</td>
<td>USB, Ethernet (100 MBit) for communication</td>
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<td>1x USB Host for data acquisition</td>
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<td>Optional, galvanically isolated</td>
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<td>0 - 10 V or 0 - 5 V (switchable)</td>
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<td>U, I, P, R, remote control on/off, DC input on/off, resistance mode on/off</td>
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<td>Monitor U and I, alarms, reference voltage, status DC input, status CV/CC</td>
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<td>Accuracy U / I / P / R</td>
<td>0 - 10 V ±0.2%, 0 - 5 V ±0.4%</td>
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### Device configuration

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<td>Up to 64 units of any power class in series 10000, with Master-Slave-Bus and Share-Bus</td>
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### Environmental conditions

| **Operating temperature** | 0 - 50 °C |
| **Storage temperature**   | -20 - 70 °C |
| **Humidity**              | ≤80% RH, non-condensing |
| **Altitude**              | ≤2000 m (≤6600 ft) |

### Mechanical construction

<p>| <strong>Cooling</strong>               | Forced air flow from front to rear, temperature controlled fans |
| <strong>Dimensions (W x H x D)</strong> | 19” x 3U x 668 mm (Enclosure only, not over all) |
| <strong>Weight</strong>                | 18.0 kg (40 lb) 5 kW unit |
|                           | 25.4 kg (56 lb) 10 kW unit |
|                           | 32.8 kg (72 lb) 15 kW unit |</p>
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<td>0 - 80 V</td>
<td>0 - 200 V</td>
<td>0 - 360 V</td>
<td>0 - 500 V</td>
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<td>Ripple rms CV</td>
<td>≤10 mV BW 300 kHz</td>
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<td>( U_{\text{rms}} ) for ( I_{\text{rms}} ) (Sink)</td>
<td>&lt;0.5 V</td>
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<td>0 - 5000 W</td>
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<td>Resistance range</td>
<td>0.016 Ω - 26 Ω</td>
<td>0.1 Ω - 160 Ω</td>
<td>0.3 Ω - 520 Ω</td>
<td>0.6 Ω - 1000 Ω</td>
<td>1.2 Ω - 2200 Ω</td>
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<td>7790 μF</td>
<td>2520 μF</td>
<td>393 μF</td>
<td>180 μF</td>
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<td>Power range</td>
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<td>0 - 10000 W</td>
<td>0 - 10000 W</td>
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<td>Resistance range</td>
<td>0.008 Ω - 13 Ω</td>
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| **Isolation**     |               |              |              |              |
| Negative DC-Pol ↔ PE | ±600 V DC    | ±1000 V DC   | ±1000 V DC   | ±1500 V DC   | ±1500 V DC   |
| Positive DC-Pol ↔ PE | +600 V DC   | +1000 V DC   | +1000 V DC   | +2000 V DC   | +2000 V DC   |

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<td>Resistance range</td>
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| **Isolation**    |              |
| Negative DC-Pol ↔ PE | ±1500 V DC  | ±1500 V DC  |
| Positive DC-Pol ↔ PE | +2000 V DC | +2000 V DC |

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<td>≤2400 mV BW 20 MHz</td>
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*1 100% Power and 100% Output voltage
General
The device series from EA Elektro-Automatik ELR 10000 are programmable electronic loads. The device is regenerative and feeds the energy back into the local grid with an efficiency up to over 96%. The ELR 10000 series includes single and three phase units, which, together with the wide input range, allows use with practically all global mains voltages. The DC voltage and current are directed by the application and the spectrum ranges from 0 - 80 V to 0 - 2000 V and from 0 - 6 A up to 0 - 1000 A in a single device. The DC-Input operates as a flexible input stage with a constant power characteristic (autoranging), and a wide voltage, current and power range. To achieve higher power and current all units are equipped with a master-slave bus. This enables up to 64 parallel connected devices to be combined into one system which can provide a load up to 1920 W and 64000 A. Such a system works as a single unit and can use different power classes, only the voltage class must remain constant. In this way a user can construct a 75 kW system from two 30 kW and one 15 kW devices from the ELR 10000 range. Furthermore, typical laboratory functionality is provided. This includes an extensive function generator, alarm and warning management, assorted interfaces and ports, software solutions and many more functions.

AC Connection
The electronic loads in the ELR 10000 series are equipped with an active PFC which provides a high efficiency at a low energy consumption. Furthermore, the devices in this series provide a wide AC input voltage range. This extends from 1-phase 110/120 V up to 240 V AC mains supply and 3-phase 208 V to 380 V, 400 V and 480 V AC mains supply. The devices can be operated in the majority of global mains supply. They adjust automatically, without additional configuration, to the available supply. In a 110/120 V and 208 V AC grid a derating of the output power is set.

Energy recovering
The energy consumed in load mode is fed back into the connected mains supply with an efficiency of over 96 %. This reduces cost: as the energy is not converted to heat as in other loads, the energy costs are reduced. In addition, the devices generate less heat requiring less cost intensive air conditioning. One device is sufficient for the whole application, reducing investment and installation costs.

The principle of Energy recovering
This demonstrates, based on an application, how a ’device under test’ takes energy from the mains, converts it to DC and feeds that into an EA device. The electronic load ELR 10000 converts this energy back into an AC current and feeds it back into the mains.
The principle of autoranging

"Autoranging" is a term when a programmable DC Electronic Load automatically offers a wide input range of both, voltage and current, to maintain full power across a wide operation range. This type of solution allows the use of a single unit to address multiple voltage and current combinations.

Function generator

All models in the ELR 10000 series are equipped with a function generator. This allows waveforms such as sine, triangle, square or trapeze to be simply called up and applied to either the voltage or the current. A ramp function and an arbitrary generator allow voltage and current progression to be freely programmable. Test sequences for repeated tests can be saved and reloaded when needed, which saves time. A LUT allows IU and UI reference lines to be stored. For simulation of a photovoltaic system or fuel cells, adaptable tables are provided. With the standard PV characteristic curve (DIN EN 50530) various solar cells and many other technology parameters can be selected and set. In short, the user is supported by a multitude of useful functions.

Interfaces

As standard EA devices are fitted with the most important digital and analogue interfaces and ports which are galvanically isolated. These include an analogue interface which can be parameterised for input and output, control and monitoring, of 0 - 5 V or 0 - 10 V for voltage, current, power and resistance, assorted inputs and outputs as well as USB and ethernet ports. The following options which use a Plug & Play slot, complete the portfolio:
- CAN
- CANopen
- RS232
- Profibus
- EtherCAT
- Profinet, with one or two ports
- Modbus, with one or two ports
- Ethernet, with one or two ports

DC Input

The input of the electronic load ELR 10000 with a DC voltage of 0 - 80 V up to 0 - 2000 V allows currents of 0 - 6 A up to 0 - 1000 A. The flexible input stages (autoranging) provide the user with a wide voltage, current and power range and hence a wider field of working than traditional power supplies.

DC Connection

Connection of the DC output is via a copper rail on the back side of the device. If a system with higher performance is required, the devices are simply connected in parallel. With minimal effort devices can be linked with the vertical copper rails. A cover for contact protection is provided.
High performance systems

High power applications can be covered with high power systems of up to 1920 kW. These are achieved by using the outputs of many ELR 10000 devices, changing the copper rails to vertical, and connecting in parallel. Thus, a 19” cabinet with 42 U can provide a system with 240 kW occupying 0.6 m² floorspace. The master/slave bus enables up to 8 cabinets with a maximum of 64 units of 30 kW each to behave as one unit.

Master-Slave-Bus and Share-Bus

If the integral master-slave bus and share bus are used, a multi device system behaves as a single device. The master-slave bus and the share bus are simply connected to each device. With the master-slave bus the system data such as total power and total current are collected and shown in the master device. Warnings and alarms of the slave devices are shown clearly in the display. The share bus provides an equal load distribution to the individual devices.

Example representation

In this illustration you can see a fully assembled and wired 240 kW system
Application

Battery test for electro mobility
A typical application for the bidirectional power supplies from EA Elektro-Automatik is the testing of the electrical characteristics of a battery. The wide application spectrum covers cell, module or pack tests, the determination of the SOH (State-of-Health) for a second life classification as well as the End-of-Line (EOL) test. These applications put many demands on power electronics which are fulfilled by the ELR 10000 range. The excellent features of this device range are: measurement of voltage and current with the required accuracy and performance, reproducibility and reliability of these data and the flexible usability. Whether in an automated test system or in an integrated battery test, all possibilities are open to the user. Furthermore, the devices are clearly economical with efficiencies of 96% or more.

On-board charger test
In an on-board charger test (OBC) the electrical features must be tested under various conditions. This requires a flexible test system which also provides test data. With the sequencing and logging functions of the ELR 10000 devices test procedures allow data to be exported and saved. In this way applications can promptly generate reproducible test results based on dynamic and highly accurate set point and measurement data. To avoid competition between two separate control loops of the device under test (DUT) and the test device, the control frequency of the power supply is adjustable. The modes Normal, Fast and Slow allow the ELR 10000 devices to match the control characteristics of the on board charger.

Fuel cell test
The devices in the ELR 10000 range may be used for testing the electrical features of fuel cells, fuel cell stacks and fuel cell systems. Here they generate highly accurate and reproducible results in all electrical modes. To test the resistance, performance, and active life of a fuel cell quickly and economically users can readily incorporate the devices into an automatic test system. The feedback capability guarantees high level of energy and cost efficiency. If higher currents are needed for testing a complete fuel cell system, then multiple devices can be connected in parallel in a master-slave system. Here high accuracy and performance are maintained.

Battery recycling
The bidirectional power supplies of the ELR 10000 range enable retired batteries from electric vehicles to be considered for a possible further use. Assessment of the battery pack starts with a State of Health (SOH) check to determine if a second life is feasible. This standard integral function can be initiated with one click. If this check shows too little rest capacity, then the battery must be fully discharged before recycling. The autoranging of the devices guarantees the maximum possible total discharge through the high load current, even with voltages under 2 V. The mains feedback to the power grid at 96% efficiency makes this process highly cost effective.
Outline drawing ELR 10000 3U <200 V
Outline drawing ELR 10000 3U >360 V
Front panel description ELR 10000 3U

1. Main switch
2. TFT Control Interface, interactive operation and display
3. Rotary knob with push-button for settings and control
4. USB Host, use USB-stick for data logging and sequencing
5. Rotary knob with push-button for settings and control
6. On / Off push-button with LED status display

Rear panel description ELR 10000 3U

1. Ethernet interface
2. Slot for Interfaces
3. Share-Bus Interface to set up a system for parallel connection
4. Output voltage Remote Sense input terminal
5. Output terminal, Copper busbar
6. Mains input terminal
7. Grounding connection screw (PE)
8. Connector (DB15 Female) for isolated analog program, monitor and other functions
9. USB interface
10. Master-Slave-Bus interface to set up a system for parallel connection