

# MultiPlus inverter / charger

800VA – 5kVA

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**MultiPlus**  
24/3000/70

## Multi-functional, with intelligent power management

The MultiPlus is a powerful true sine wave inverter, a sophisticated battery charger that features adaptive charge technology, and a high-speed AC transfer switch in a single compact enclosure. Next to these primary functions, the MultiPlus has several advanced features, as outlined below.

## Two AC Outputs

The main output has no-break functionality. The MultiPlus takes over the supply to the connected loads in the event of a grid failure or when shore/generator power is disconnected. This happens so fast (less than 20 milliseconds) that computers and other electronic equipment will continue to operate without disruption. The second output is live only when AC is available on one of the inputs of the MultiPlus. Loads that should not discharge the battery, like a water heater for example, can be connected to this output (second output available on models with 50A transfer switch only).

## Virtually unlimited power thanks to parallel operation

Up to 6 Multi's can operate in parallel to achieve higher power output. Six 24/5000/120 units, for example, will provide 25 kW / 30 kVA output power with 720 Amps charging capacity.

## Three phase capability

In addition to parallel connection, three units of the same model can be configured for three-phase output. But that's not all: up to 6 sets of three units can be parallel connected for a huge 75 kW / 90 kVA inverter and more than 2000 Amps charging capacity.

## PowerControl - Dealing with limited generator, shore side or grid power

The MultiPlus is a very powerful battery charger. It will therefore draw a lot of current from the generator or shore side supply (nearly 10A per 5kVA Multi at 230VAC). With the Multi Control Panel a maximum generator or shore current can be set. The MultiPlus will then take account of other AC loads and use whatever is extra for charging, thus preventing the generator or shore supply from being overloaded.

## PowerAssist - Boosting the capacity of shore or generator power

This feature takes the principle of PowerControl to a further dimension. It allows the MultiPlus to supplement the capacity of the alternative source. Where peak power is so often required only for a limited period, the MultiPlus will make sure that insufficient shore or generator power is immediately compensated for by power from the battery. When the load reduces, the spare power is used to recharge the battery.

## Four stage adaptive charger and dual bank battery charging

The main output provides a powerful charge to the battery system by means of advanced 'adaptive charge' software. The software fine-tunes the three stage automatic process to suit the condition of the battery, and adds a fourth stage for long periods of float charging. The adaptive charge process is described in more detail on the Phoenix Charger datasheet and on our website, under Technical Information. In addition to this, the MultiPlus will charge a second battery using an independent trickle charge output intended for a main engine or generator starter battery (trickle charge output available on 12V and 24V models only).

## System configuring has never been easier

After installation, the MultiPlus is ready to go.

If settings have to be changed, this can be done in a matter of minutes with a new DIP switch setting procedure.

Even parallel and 3-phase operation can be programmed with DIP switches: no computer needed!

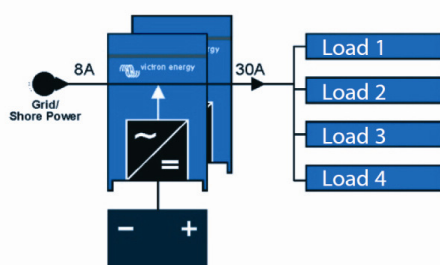
Alternatively, VE.Net can be used instead of the DIP switches.

And sophisticated software (VE.Bus Quick Configure and VE.Bus System Configurator) is available to configure several new, advanced, features.

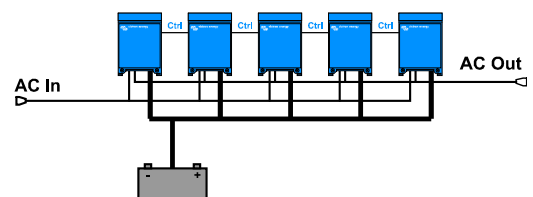


**MultiPlus Compact**  
12/2000/80

## PowerAssist with 2x MultiPlus in parallel



## Five parallel units: output power 25 kVA



MultiPlus	12 Volt 24 Volt 48 Volt	C 12/800/35 C 24/ 800/16	C 12/1200/50 C 24/1200/25	C 12/1600/70 C 24/1600/40	C 12/2000/80 C 24/2000/50	12/3000/120 24/3000/70 48/3000/35	24/5000/120 48/5000/70
PowerControl		Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
PowerAssist		No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Transfer switch (A)		16	16	16	30	16 or 50	50
Parallel and 3-phase operation		No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes
INVERTER							
Input voltage range (V DC)	9,5 – 17 V    19 – 33 V    38 – 66 V						
Output	Output voltage: 230 VAC ± 2%    Frequency: 50 Hz ± 0,1% (1)						
Cont. output power at 25 °C (VA) (3)	800	1200	1600	2000	3000	5000	
Cont. output power at 25 °C (W)	700	1000	1300	1600	2500	4500	
Cont. output power at 40 °C (W)	650	900	1200	1450	2200	4000	
Peak power (W)	1600	2400	3000	4000	6000	10.000	
Maximum efficiency (%)	92 / 94	93 / 94	93 / 94	93 / 94	93 / 94 / 95	94 / 95	
Zero-load power (W)	8 / 10	8 / 10	8 / 10	9 / 11	15 / 15 / 16	25 / 25	
Zero load power in AES mode (W)	5 / 8	5 / 8	5 / 8	7 / 9	10 / 10 / 12	20 / 20	
Zero load power in Search mode (W)	2 / 3	2 / 3	2 / 3	3 / 4	4 / 5 / 5	5 / 6	
CHARGER							
AC Input	Input voltage range: 187-265 VAC    Input frequency: 45 – 65 Hz    Power factor: 1						
Charge voltage 'absorption' (V DC)	14,4 / 28,8 / 57,6						
Charge voltage 'float' (V DC)	13,8 / 27,6 / 55,2						
Storage mode (V DC)	13,2 / 26,4 / 52,8						
Charge current house battery (A) (4)	35 / 16	50 / 25	70 / 40	80 / 50	120 / 70 / 35	120 / 70	
Charge current starter battery (A)	4 (12V and 24V models only)						
Battery temperature sensor	yes						
GENERAL							
Auxiliary output (A) (5)	n. a.	n. a.	n. a.	n. a.	Yes (25A)	Yes (25A)	
Programmable relay or relay driver (6)	relay driver (7)	relay	relay	relay driver (7)	relay	relay	
Protection (2)	a - g						
VE.Bus communication port	For parallel and three phase operation, remote monitoring and system integration						
Common Characteristics	Operating temp. range: -20 to +50°C (fan assisted cooling)    Humidity (non condensing) : max 95%						
ENCLOSURE							
Common Characteristics	Material & Colour: aluminium (blue RAL 5012)    Protection category: IP 21						
Battery-connection	battery cables of 1.5 meter			M8 bolts	Four M8 bolts (2 plus and 2 minus connections)		
230 V AC-connection	G-ST18i connector			Spring-clamp	Screw terminals 13 mm² (6 AWG)		
Weight (kg)	10	10	10	12	18	30	
Dimensions (hwxwd in mm)	375x214x110			520x255x125	362x258x218	444x328x240	
STANDARDS							
Safety	EN 60335-1, EN 60335-2-29						
Emission, Immunity	EN55014-1, EN 55014-2, EN 61000-3-3						
Automotive Directive	2004/104/EC						
1) Can be adjusted to 60 HZ; 120 V 60 Hz on request	3) Non linear load, crest factor 3:1						
2) Protection key:	4) At 25 °C ambient						
a) output short circuit	5) Switches off when no external AC source available						
b) overload	Available on 3kVA models with 50A transfer switch only						
c) battery voltage too high	6) Programmable relay that can a. o. be set for general alarm,						
d) battery voltage too low	DC undervoltage or genset start/stop function						
e) temperature too high	AC rating: 230V/4A						
f) 230 VAC on inverter output	DC rating: 4A up to 35VDC, 1A up to 60VDC						
g) input voltage ripple too high	7) Open collector output 66V 40mA						



### Digital Multi Control

This panel is intended both for Multi's and Quattro's. Allows PowerControl and PowerAssist current limit setting for two AC sources: a generator and shore-side current for example. Setting range: up to 200 Amps. The brightness of the LED's is automatically reduced during night time.

### Computer controlled operation and monitoring

Several interfaces are available:

- **MK2.2 VE.Bus to RS232 converter**  
Connects to the RS232 port of a computer (see 'A guide to VEConfigure')
- **MK2-USB VE.Bus to USB converter**  
Connects to a USB port (see 'A guide to VEConfigure')
- **VE.Net to VE.Bus converter**  
Interface to VE.Net (see VE.Net documentation)
- **VE.Bus to E-PLEX converter**  
Interface to the E-PLEX System. The world's most advanced and field proven digital switching and monitoring system.
- **Victron Global Remote**  
The Global Remote is a modem which sends alarms, warnings and system status reports to cellular phones via text messages (SMS). It can also log data from Victron Battery Monitors, Multi's, Quattro's and Inverters to a website through a GPRS connection. Access to this website is free of charge.

### BMV-600 Battery Monitor

The BMV-600 Battery Monitor features an advanced microprocessor control system combined with high resolution measuring systems for battery voltage and charge/discharge current. Besides this, the software includes complex calculation algorithms, like Peukert's formula, to exactly determine the state of charge of the battery. The BMV-600 selectively displays battery voltage, current, consumed Ah or time to go. The monitor also stores a host of data regarding performance and use of the battery. Several models available (see battery monitor documentation).