# **NRG** Intelligent Engine Start Battery Charger



### The Smart Choice for Mission-Critical Engine Starting

- Fast, accurate, mission-critical charging gives best starting reliability
- 4-rate, temperature-compensated output offers longest battery life
- Replace nearly any charger without planning ahead
- Industry-first battery-fault alarm helps dispatch service early
- Lasting reliability field MTBF > 1 million hours with industry-best warranty
- IBC seismic certification meets latest building codes, no installation delays
- Optional OSHPD pre-approval already approved for California hospital projects















## **NRG Battery Charger Benefits and Features**



Failure to start due to battery problems is the leading cause of inoperable engine generator sets.

SENS NRG battery charger maximizes starting system reliability while slashing genset servicing costs:

One NRG replaces almost any charger without extra site visits. Installers can select or change at any time 120, 208 or 240 volts AC input, 12 or 24-volt battery and output settings optimized for nearly any lead-acid or nickel cadmium battery.

**Easy to understand user interface provides state-of-the-art system status** – including digital metering, NFPA 110 alarms and a battery fault alarm that can send service personnel to the site before failure to start.

Batteries charged by NRG give higher performance and last longer. In uncontrolled environments precision charging by SENS increases battery life and watering intervals 400% or more.

NRG meets all relevant industry standards – including UL, NFPA 110 and CE. Seismic Certification per International Building Code (IBC) 2000, 2003, 2006. All units are C-UL listed. 50/60 Hz units add CE marking to UL agency marks.

#### EnerGenius reliability technology built into every charger includes:

- All-electronic operation with generous component de-rating
- Disconnected/reversed/incorrect voltage battery alarm and protection
- Protection of connected equipment against load dump transients
- · Widest temperature rating, and overtemperature protection
- Superior lightning and voltage transient protection
- Demonstrated field MTBF > 1 million hours
- Standard 3-year warranty (10 years magnetics) and available 10-year extended warranty

Earn the best return on your charger investment – choose SENS NRG

## **NRG Specifications**

#### **AC Input**

110-120/208-240 VAC,  $\pm$ 10%, single phase, field selectable Voltage Input current

10A charger: 6.6/3.3 amps maximum 20A charger: 12.6/6.3 amps maximum 60 Hz +5% standard; 50/60 Hz +5% optional 1-pole fuse, soft-start, transient suppression

Frequency Input protection

#### **Charger Output**

Electronic current limit

Temperature compensation

Charge characteristic

Output protection

Nominal voltage ratings 12 or 24 volt nominal Optional voltage rating 12/24 volt, field selectable **Battery settings** 

Six discrete battery voltage programs

- Low or high S.G. flooded - Low or high S.G. VRLA

- Nickel cadmium 9, 10, 18, 19 or 20 cells  $\pm 0.5\%$  (1/2%) line and load regulation

10 or 20 amps nominal

105% rated output typical - no crank disconnect required Constant voltage, current limited, 4-rate automatic equalization

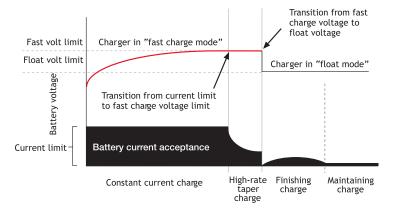
Enable or disable anytime, remote sensor optional Current limit, 1-pole fuse, transient suppression

Standard

4-rate charging

Regulation

Current



#### **User Interface, Indication and Alarms**

Digital meter Automatic meter alternately displays output volts, amps1 Accuracy  $\pm 2\%$  volts,  $\pm 5\%$  amps LED and Form C contact(s) per table: **Alarms** 



Front panel status display

Alarm System Functions					
	Alarm code "C" (meets requirements of NFPA 110)				
AC good	LED				
Float mode	LED				
Fast charge	LED				
Temp comp active	LED				
AC fail	LED and Form C contact <sup>2</sup>				
Low battery volts	LED and Form C contact <sup>2</sup>				
High battery volts	LED and Form C contact <sup>2</sup>				
Charger fail	LED and Form C contact <sup>2</sup>				
Battery fault <sup>3</sup>	LED and Form C contact <sup>2</sup>				

- 1. Three-position jumper allows user to select from three display settings: alternating volts / amps (normal), constant volts, or constant amps
- 2. Contacts rated 2A @ 30 VDC resistive
- 3. Battery fault alarm indicates these fault conditions:
  - Battery disconnected Battery polarity reversed Mismatched charger battery voltage - Open or high resistance charger to battery connection
  - Open battery cell or excessive internal resistance

#### **Controls**

AC input voltage select Optional 12/24-volt output select Battery program select Meter display select Fast charger enable/disable Temp compensation enable Remote temp comp enable

Field-selectable switch Field-selectable two-position jumper Field-selectable six-position jumper Field-selectable three-position jumper Field-selectable two-position jumper Standard. Can be disabled or re-enabled in the field Connect optional remote sensor to temp comp port



Simple field adjustments

#### **Environmental**

Operating temperature Over temperature protection

Humidity

**EMC** 

Vibration (10A unit)

Transient immunity

Seismic Certification

-20C to +60C, meets full specification to +45C

Gradual current reduction to maintain safe power device temperature

5% to 95%, non-condensing UL 991 Class B (2G sinusoidal)

ANSI/IEEE C62.41, Cat. B, EN50082-2 heavy industrial, EN 61000-6-2

IBC 2000, 2003, 2006, 2009 Maximum S<sub>ds</sub> of 2.28 g, Optional OSHPD pre-approval

#### **Agency Standards**

Safety C-UL listed to UL 1236 (required for UL 2200 gensets), UL Category BBGQ,

> CSA standard 22.2 no. 107.2-M89 CE: 50/60 Hz units DOC to EN 60335

Agency marking 60 Hz: C-UL-US listed

50/60 Hz: C-UL-US listed plus CE marked Emissions: FCC Part 15, Class B; EN 50081-2

Immunity: EN 61000-6-2

NFPA standards NFPA 70, NFPA 110. (NFPA 110 requires Alarms "C")

Optional agency compliance OSHPD pre-approval

#### Construction

Housing/configuration Material: Non-corroding aluminum. C-UL listed enclosure.

**Dimensions** See Drawings and Dimensions page for details Printed circuit card Surface mount technology, conformal coated

Cooling Natural convection

Listed housing: NEMA-1 (IP20). Optional IP21 drip shield. Optional NEMA 3R enclosure Protection degree

Damage prevention Fully recessed display and controls Electrical connections Compression terminal blocks

#### Warranty

Three year parts and labor warranty (10 years magnetics and power semiconductors) from Standard warranty

date of shipment

**Optional** warranty If specified at time of order, warranty coverage for the standard warranty period can be upgraded to

reimburse customer's documented field service costs up to the original charger price.

Alternatively, standard parts and labor warranty coverage can be increased to 5 or 10 years. Contact

the factory for full details

#### **Optional features**

Input

Remote temp comp sensor Drip shield meets s/b (IP21)

**NEMA 3R housing** 

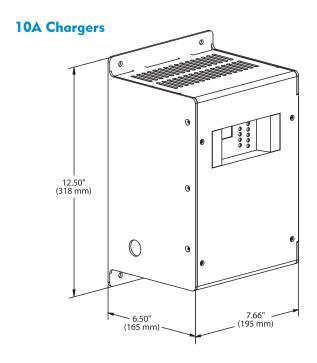
Input frequency, 50/60 Hz

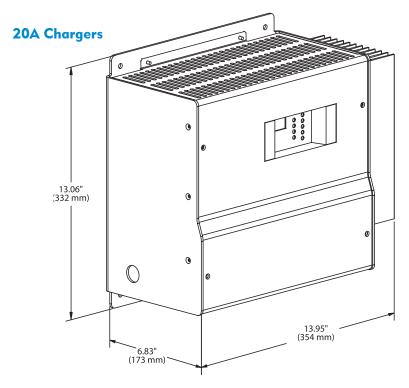
Recommended where battery and charger are in different locations

Protects from dripping water

Enables outdoor installation (remote temp sensor recommended)

# **Drawings and Dimensions**

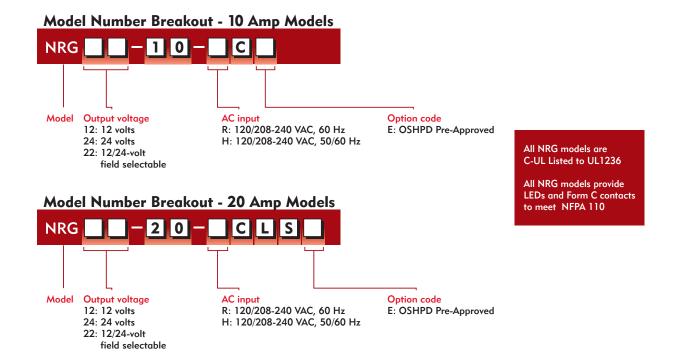




Housing Dimensions Table						
Amps	Width	Depth	Height			
10	7.66" (195 mm)	6.50" (165 mm)	12.50" (318 mm)			
20	13.95" (354 mm)	6.83" (173 mm)	13.06" (332 mm)			

NRG Ordering Information							
Output volts	Output amps	Model	NFPA 110 Alarms	Lbs/Kg	Shipping Lbs/Kg		
12	10	NRG12-10-RC	Yes	23 / 10.4	25 / 11.4		
24	10	NRG24-10-RC	Yes	23 / 10.4	25 / 11.4		
12/24	10	NRG22-10-RC	Yes	23 / 10.4	25 / 11.4		
12	20	NRG12-20-RCLS	S Yes	39 / 17.7	43 / 19.5		
24	20	NRG24-20-RCLS	S Yes	42 / 19.1	46 / 20.9		
12/24	20	NRG22-20-RCLS	S Yes	42 / 19.1	46 / 20.9		

All models offer field-selectable input 120/ 208-240 volts. 60 Hz input is standard with C-UL listing. Optional 50/60 Hz input includes C-UL listing and adds CE mark.



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#### **Additional Information**

Contact SENS or your local sales representative for additional specification, engineering and installation information. Check the SENS web site for latest available data. Specification is subject to change without notice.













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