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appreciated. Please take time to read this manual, this will help you make full use of the many advantages this controller can provide your PV-System with. This manual presents important recommendations for installing, operating and monitoring. Read it with special care in your own interest and please pay attention to the safety recommendations herein indicated.

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Safety instructions and waiver of liability

1.1 Safety Instructions

The following symbols are used throughout this manual to indicate potentially dangerous conditions or mark important safety instructions. Please take care when meeting these symbols.



WARNING: Indicates a potentially dangerous condition. Use extreme caution when performing this task.



CAUTION: Indicates a critical procedure for safe and proper operation of the controller.



CAUTION:

- 1) There are no user serviceable parts inside the controller. Do not disassemble or attempt to repair the controller.
- 2) Keep children away from batteries and the charge controller.

1.2 Liability Exclusion

The manufacturer shall not be liable for damages, especially on the battery, caused by use other than as intended or as mentioned in this manual or if the recommendations of the battery manufacturer are neglected. The manufacturer shall not be liable if there has been service or repair carried out by any unauthorized person, unusual use, wrong installation, or bad system design.

Overview

Magicube series solar controller is based on an advanced maximum power point tracking (MPPT) technologdeveloped, dedicated to the solar system, the controller conversion efficiency up to 98%.

It comes with a number of outstanding features, such as:

- A combination of multiple tracking algorithms enables tracking the maximum power point quickly and accurately
- Innovative Max Power Point Tracking(MPPT) technology, tracking efficiency >99.9%

- Full digital technology, high charge conversion efficiency up to 98%
- · LCD display design, read operating data and working condition easily
- · Real-time energy statistics function
- 12/24/36/48V automatic recognition
- Flexible System battery selection: Liquid, Gel, AGM and Lithium
- · Extends battery life through accurate remote temperature sensor
- The Controller is protected against over-temperature due to built-in power reduction function
- Four stages battery charging process: MPPT, boost, equalization, float
- Dual automatic protection to avoid exceeding the rated charging power and current
- · Multiple load control modes: Always on, Dusk to Dawn, Evening and Manual
- IoT Wireless communication or Bluetooth communication functions optional
- Optional APP version for Bluetooth communication
- With the wireless communication function of the IoT, the controller can be connected remotely through IoT/GPRS
- Monthly charging data can be calculated and displayed by grouping and graphs
- Based RS-485 standard Modbus protocol with RJ11 interface to maximize the communication needs of different occasions.
- · Perfect EMC & thermal design
- · Full automatic electronic protect function for increased charge controller availability

MPPT

MPPT profile

The full name of the MPPT is maximum power point tracking. It is an advanced charging way which could detect the real-time power of the solar Module and the maximum point of the I-V curve that make the highest battery charging efficiency.

Current Boost

Under most conditions, MPPT technology will "boost" the solar charge current.

MPPT Charging Power Into the controller (Pmax)=Power out of the controller (Pout) lin x Vmp= lout x Vout

Assuming 100% efficiency. Actually, the losses in wiring and conversion exist.

If the solar module's maximum power voltage (Vmp) is greater than the battery voltage, it follows that the battery current must be proportionally greater than the solar input current so that input and output power are balanced. The greater the difference between the Vmp and battery voltage, the greater the current boost. Current boost can be substantial in systems where the solar array is of a higher nominal voltage than the battery as described in the next section.

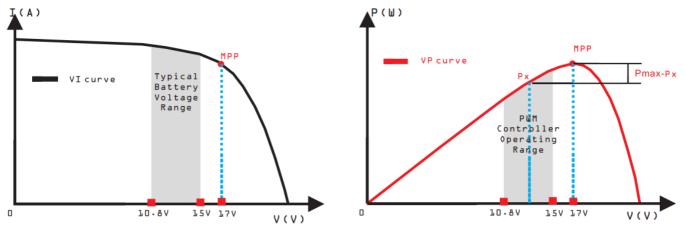
High Voltage Strings and Grid-Tie Modules

Another benefit of MPPT technology is the ability to charge batteries with solar arrays of higher nominal voltages. For example, a 12 Volt battery bank may be charged with a 12-, 24-, 36-, or 48-Volt nominal offgrid solar array. Grid-tie solar modules may also be used as long as the solar array open circuit voltage (Voc) rating will not exceed the maximum input voltage rating at the worst-case (coldest) module temperature. The solar module documentation should provide Voc vs. temperature data. Higher solar input voltage results in lower solar input current for a given input power. High voltage solar input strings allow for smaller gauge solar wiring. This is especially helpful and economical for systems with long wiring runs between the controller and the solar array.

An Advantage Over Traditional Controllers

Traditional PWM controllers connect the solar module directly to the battery when recharging. This requires that the solar module operates in a voltage range that is usually below the module's Vmp. In a 12 Volt system for example, the battery voltage may range from 10.8-15 Vdc but the module's Vmp is typically around 16 or 17V.

Because traditional controllers do not always operate at the Vmp of the solar array, energy is wasted that could otherwise be used to charge the battery and power system loads. The greater the difference between battery voltage and the Vmp of the module, the more energy is wasted.



Nominal 12 Volt Solar Module I-V curve and output power graph.

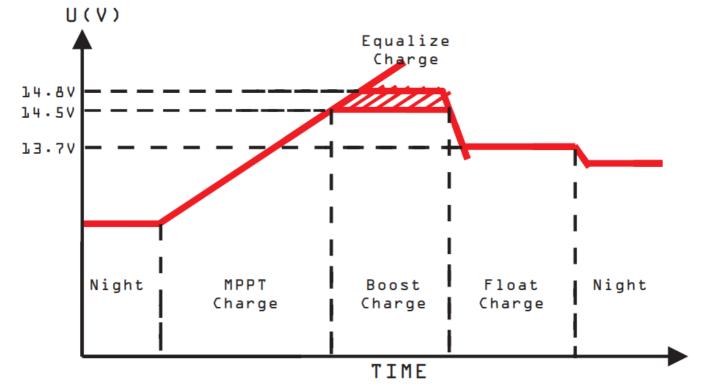
In contrast with the traditional PWM controller, MPPT controller could play a maximum power of the solar panel so that a larger charging current could be supplied. Generally speaking, the controller's energy utilization efficiency is 15%~20% higher than PWM controller.

Conditions That Limit the Effectiveness of MPPT

The Vmp of a solar module decreases as the temperature of the module increases. In very hot weather, the Vmp may be close to or even less than the battery voltage. In this situation, there will be very little or no MPPT gain compared to traditional controllers. However, systems with modules of higher nominal voltage than the battery bank will always have an array Vmp greater than the battery voltage. Additionally, the savings in wiring due to the reduced solar current make MPPT worthwhile even in hot climates.

MPPT—Four Charging Stages

Magicube series controller has a 4-stage battery charging algorithm for rapid, efficient, and safe battery charging.



MPPT Charge

In this stage, the battery voltage has not yet reached boost voltage and 100% of available solar power is used to recharge the battery.

Boost Charge

When the battery has recharged to the Boost voltage setpoint, constant-voltage regulation is used to prevent heating and excessive battery gassing. The Boost stage remains 120 minutes and then goes to Float Charge.

Whenever the controller is powered on, if it detects neither over discharged nor overvoltage, the charging will enter into the boost charging stage.

Float Charge

After the Boost voltage stage, the controller will reduce the battery voltage to Float voltage setpoint.

When the battery is fully recharged, there will be no more chemical reactions and all the charge current transmits into heat and gas at this time. Then the controller reduces the voltage to the floating stage, charging with a smaller voltage and current. It will reduce the temperature of the battery and prevent the gassing, also charging the battery slightly at the same time. The purpose of Float stage is to offset the power consumption caused by self consumption and small loads in the whole system, while maintaining full battery storage capacity.

In the Float stage, loads can continue to draw power from the battery. If the system load(s) exceed the solar charge current, the controller will no longer be able to maintain the battery at the Float setpoint. Should the battery voltage remains below the boost reconnect charging voltage, the controller will exit the Float stage and return to Bulk charging.

Equalize Charge

Certain types of batteries benefit from periodic equalizing charge, which can stir the electrolyte, balance battery voltage and complete chemical reaction. Equalizing charge increases the battery voltage, higher than the standard complement voltage, which gasifies the battery electrolyte. If it detects that the battery is being over discharged, the solar controller will automatically turn the battery to the equalization charging stage, and the equalization charging will be 120mins. Equalizing charge and boost charge are not carried out constantly in a full charge process to avoid too much gas precipitation or overheating of the battery.

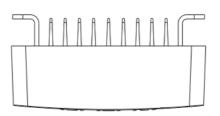


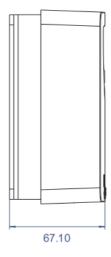
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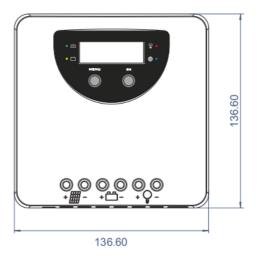
Equalizing flooded battery can produce explosive gases, so well ventilation of battery box is necessary.

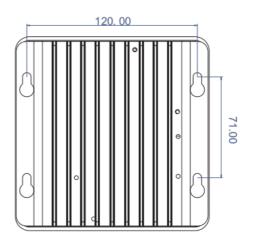
Dimensions

3.1 The dimensions of MC2010

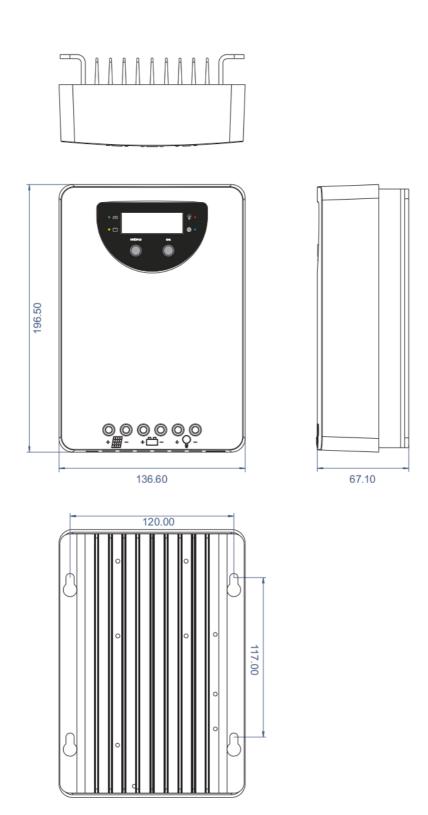




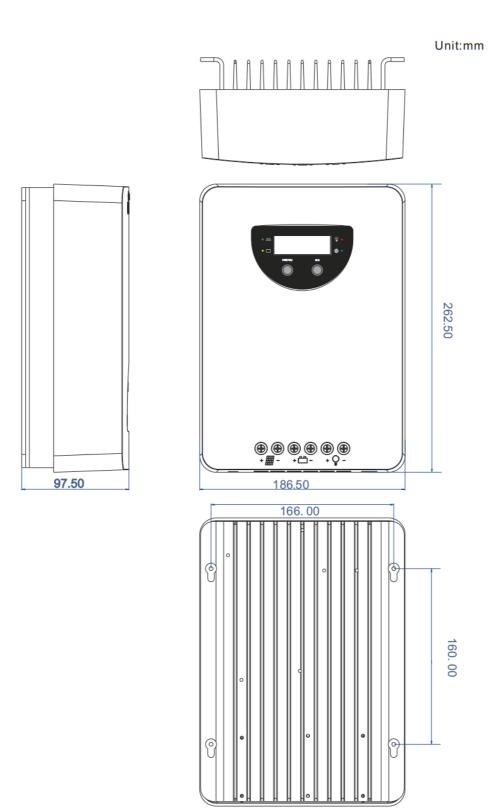




3.2 The dimensions of MC4010

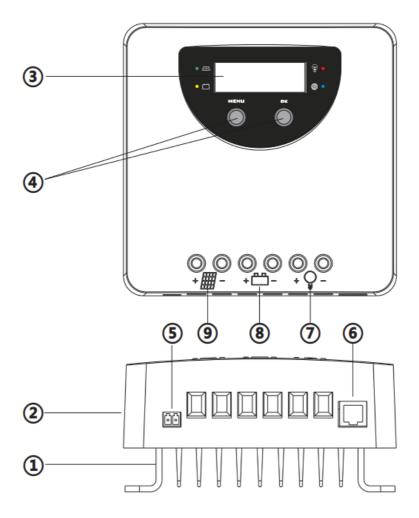


3.3 The dimensions of MC6010/6015



Structure & Accessory

4.1 Structure & Characteristics



- ①Heat Sink —dissipate controller heat
- ②Plastic Case —Internal protection
- ③LED & LCD Display settings and operating status, system parameters
- ⑤ Temperature Sensor Port —Collect temperature information, for temperature compensation.
- ©RJ11 interface —Connecting monitoring devices
- ② Load Terminals —Connected load.
- ®Battery Terminals —Connect the battery.
- Solar module terminals —Connected solar modules.

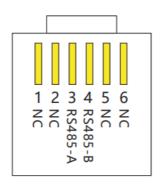
4.2 Temperature Sensor

To collect battery temperature data for temperature compensation so the controller can accurately charge the battery. The temperature sensor is connected via interface 5. If the remote temperature sensor is not connected to the controller or damaged, the default temperature for battery charging is 25 °C . The controller is shipped with an 80 mm long cable temperature sensor. Should a sensor with a longer cable be required than this needs to be ordered separately.

4.3 RS485

The charger is equipped with a RS485 port with RJ11 sockets, the RJ11 interface is defined as follows:

Pin No1	Definition
2	NC
3	NC
4	RS485-A
5	RS485-B
6	NC
	NC



RJ11(6P2C) for controller

Please contact the sales for the latest version of the communication protocol.



The RS485 interface on this charger is not galvanically isolated and can not be grounded. Do not short circuit unused pin (Note NC).

Option Accessories

4.4.1 Bluetooth Communication

Two options are available:

- 1. BT inside
- 2. BT external (Cyber-BT), and connected via RJ11 connector.

Bluetooth communication has the following characteristics

- 1. Support Android/iOS mobile phone App
- 2. Realizes wireless monitoring function of PV charge controller
- 3. Use high performance, ultra-low power consumption Bluetooth dedicated chip
- 4. Adopt Bluetooth 4.2 and BLE technology



Refer to Bluetooth APP instructions for detailed operation of mobile APP.

4.4.2 Wireless Communication for Internet of Things

The controller equipped with the Internet of Things wireless communication capability has the following characteristics:

- 1. For the wireless Internet of Things communication functionality the controller can be remotely accessed through IoT/ GPRS.
- 2. A variety of options are available for remote monitoring and real-time control through WeChat App /PC program.
- 3. Real-time monitoring of PV voltage, PV charging current, battery voltage, battery current, load voltage, load current and other system parameters as well as charge controller status.
- 4. Real-time automatic fault alarm.



IoT Please contact our Sales Team for more details about the IoT wireless communication.

Installation

CAUTION: Please read all instructions and precautions in the manual before proceeding with the installation! It is recommended to remove the protective film cover from the LCD screen before operation.

5.1 Installation Notes

This charge controller must only be used in PV systems by requirements given in this user manual and the specifications of other system components provided by their manufacturers. No energy source other than a PV generator may be connected to the PV charge controller referred to herein.

PV-modules must always be disconnected prior to the installation and adjustments of the charge controller; Make sure the circuit breaker, fuse or disconnects of the battery terminal are turned off.

Double check whether battery voltage meets the voltage range of the Charge Controller.

Batteries store a large amount of energy, never short circuit a battery under any circumstances. We strongly recommend connecting a protection fuse directly to the battery terminal for protection in case of short circuiting the battery.

Batteries can produce flammable gases. Avoid provoking any sparks, using fire or any exposed flame close to any batteries, ever. Make sure that the battery room is well ventilated to disperse any gases.

Only use insulated tools and avoid placing (any) metal objects near/close to batteries.

Be extremely cautious when working with batteries. Wear eye protection by all means. Have fresh water available to immediately wash and clean any contact with battery acid. Get immediate medical aid in case of any hazard that may occur. Never install/handle with batteries alone.

Avoid touching or short-circuiting wires or terminals. Be aware that voltages on given system components, terminals or wires can be a multiple of battery voltage. Only use insulated tools, stand on dry ground, and keep your hands always dry and protected by proper (approved) electrician gloves when working on PV-Systems.

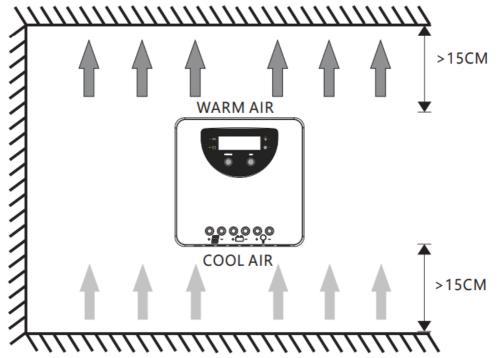
Prevent any water, ever, from penetrating the controller, outdoor installation must avoid any direct sunlight and penetration of any water (e.g. rain) and humidity.

After installation make sure that all connections are properly tightened, and eliminate any electrical loose connections to eliminate by all means any hot electrical connection spots.

5.2 Mounting Location Requirements

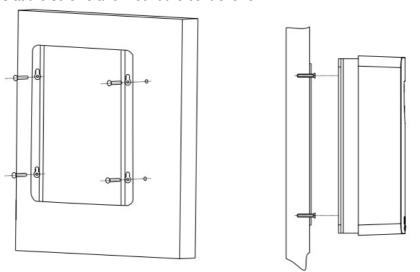
Do not subject the PV charge controller to direct sunlight or any other heat sources. Protect the PV charcontroller from any dust, dirt and moisture. Mount it flat to a vertical wall. Must be a non-flammable material. Maintain a minimum clearance of 15 cm below and around the controller to ensure unhindered air circulation. Mount the PV charge controller not too far from the batteries (for accurate voltage sensing least lessening).

Mark the position of the PV charge controller fastening holes on the wall, drill 4 holes and insert dowels, fasten the PV charge controller to the wall with the cable openings facing downwards.



5.3 Fix the controller

Drill 4 mounting holes in the wall according to "installation position" and fix the four screws(M5), then aim the controller's fixing holes at the screws and mount the controller on.



5.4 Connection

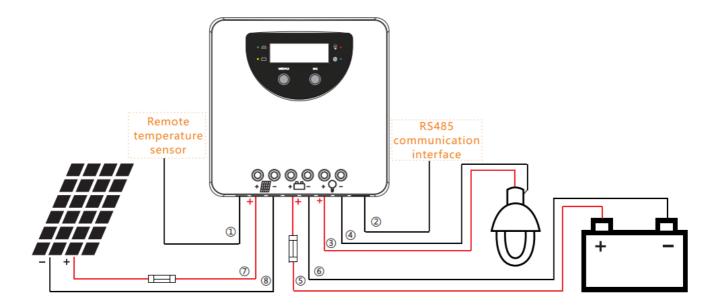
WARNING: The PV-module/array can produce open-circuit voltages in excess of 100 Vdc when exposed to sunlight. Pay highest attention to this fact.

WARNING: Risk of explosion! In case the battery's positive and negative terminals or leads get ever in touch, i.e. short-circuited, a fire or explosion hazard might get triggered.

Always pay maximum when handling batteries and related circuits.

CAUTION: 1. When the controller is not connected with the external temperature sensor, the internal temperature of the battery is 25 °C. 2.If a power inverter is used the system, directly connect the inverter to the battery.

We strongly recommend connecting a fuse directly to the battery terminal to protect from any short circuit in the battery circuit. PV-modules generate current whenever light shines on them. The generated current is directly proportional to the light intensity. Even low levels of light, will deliver the PV-Modules no load, full voltage. It is thus utterly advisable to protect PV- modules from any incident light during installation; Never touch uninsulated cables (ends), only use electric insulated tools, and make sure that the wire cross section is adequate for the PV module operating currents. Connections must always be conducted in the sequence as described below.



1st step: Connect accessories

- (1)Connect the remote temperature sensor cable Connect the remote temperature sensor cable to the interface and place the other end close to the battery.
- (2) Connect the accessories for RS485 or IoT communication.

2nd step: Connect loads

Connect the load cable with the correct polarity of the right-hand side pair of terminals on the solar charge controller (with the lamp symbol). To avoid the presence of any tension on the cable/wires, please connect these first to the load before connecting them to the charge controller.

3rd step: Connect the battery

Connect the battery cables observing the correct polarity to the center pair of terminals (make sure you identify the battery marking/symbol on the controller casing!) of the PV charge controller. Pay greatest attention to polarity. Never, ever invert the plus+ and minus- poles).

- 1) Should your system be nominal 12 Vdc, make sure the battery voltage is between the 5 and 15.0 Vdc voltage range;
- 2) for 24 Vdc nominal voltage, the battery voltage should be within the 20 to 31 Vdc range;
- 3) for 36 Vdc nominal voltage, the battery voltage should be within the 31 to 42 Vdc range;
- 4) for 48 Vdc nominal voltage, the battery voltage should be within the 42 to 62 Vdc range.
- 5) Voltages are identifiable when the controller is set to a lithium battery.

If the polarity is correct, the LCD on the controller will begin to display those. 4th step: Connect the solar module When connecting the PV-Module make sure to cover it from incident sun light. Double check the PVModule will ot exceed the maximum permissible input current of the Charge Controller (please refer to the section Technical Data). Connect the solar module connection cable to the correct polarity of the left pair of terminals on the solar charge controller (with the solar module symbol).

5th step: Final work Tighten all cables connected to the controller and remove all the remains around the controller (leaving a void of minimum 15 cm).

5.5 Wiring Specifications

Wiring and installation methods must comply with national and local electrical code/specifications.

The wiring specifications of the PV-system battery must be selected according to rated currents. Please check following table for wiring specifications:

Model	Rated charging current	Rated discharging cur rent	Solar wire diam eter (mm2/AWG	Battery wire dia meter (mm2/AW G)	Load wire diam eter (mm2/AW G)
MC2010	20A	20A	6/10	6/10	6/10
MC4010	40A	30A	10/8	10/8	6/9
MC6010/6015	60A	30A	16/5	16/5	6/9

The indicated cable/wire sizes are for reference only. If longer runs between the PV array and the controller or between the controller and the battery are required, than larger capacity cables must be used to reduce voltage drop and improve system performance.

5.6 Grounding

Be aware that the negative terminals of controller are interconnected and therefore bear the same electrical potential. If any grounding is required, always do this on the negative wires/terminals.

CAUTION: For common-negative system, such as motorhome, it is recommended to use a common-negative controller; but if in a common-negative system, some common-positive equipment is used, and the positive pole is grounded, the controller may get damaged.

Operation

6.1 LED indicator



LED	Status	Function
	On	Solar panel is connected, no charged.
Green	Fast flash(0.1 /0.1s)	MPPT charging
(PV Panel)	Flash(0.5/0.5s)	Equal or Boost Charging
	Slow flash(0.5/2s)	Float Charging
	On	Battery is normal.
Yellow	Off	Over voltage protection
(Battery)	Fast flash(0.1/0.1s)	Low voltage protection
	Slow flash(0.5/2s)	Battery voltage is low.
	On	Load is on.
Red	Off	Load is off.
(Load)	Fast flash(0.1 /0.1s)	Short circuit or over current protection
	Slow flash(0.5/2s)	Over temperature protection
Blue	Off	No communication
(Communication)	Fast flash(0.1 /0.1s)	Normal communication

6.2 Key function



Mode	Operating
Browse interface	Short press OK.
Static display	Press the MENU and OK key at the same time for 1s, the LCD screen will lock the int erface. Press the MENU and OK key again for 1s, the LCD interface will unlock and start scr olling.
Setting parameter	Press the MENU key for 1s to enter the setting mode when the icon 0 appears on the display interface, and exit automatically after 30s or press the MENU.
Load On/Off	When the controller is working in street lamp mode, press the MENU key for 3s to tur n on the load, press the MENU key again or 1min later the load will be turned off.

6.3 LCD Display

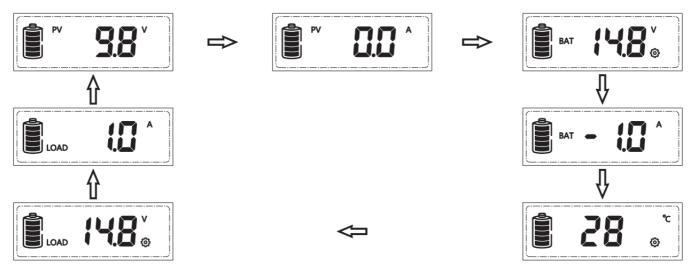


6.3.1 Status Description

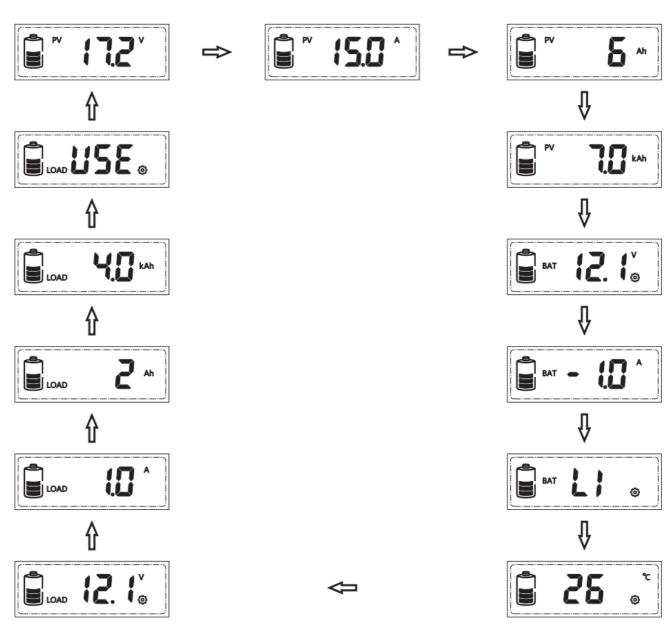
Item	Icon	Status
		Charging
	PY 7.2°	PV voltage
PV array	PV 3.0 ^	PV current
	PV 5 Ah	PV ampere hours of the day
	PV 8.0 kAh	The total charge ampere hours of the solar panel
		Battery capacity
Battery	BAT 12.3°	Battery voltage(Set Charging target voltage for lithium battery)
	BAT A	Battery current
	BAT SEL ®	Battery type(Programmable)
	25 ° 35	Temperature(Can clear Bluetooth Device Password
	LOAD 12. 1°	Load voltage(Set low voltage protection voltage)
	LOAD A	Load current
Load	LOAD 3 Ah	Load ampere hours of the day
	LOAD 5.0 kAh	The total discharge ampere hours of the load
	LOAD USE ®	Load mode(Programmable)



6.3.2 The interface automatically cycles in the displayed sequence



6.3.3 Press OK to browse the interface



6.3.4 Fault indication

Status	Icon	Description
Short circuit	Ê E I	Load off, fault icon display, the LCD screen displays E1.
Over current	E E2	Load off, fault icon display, the LCD screen displays E2.
Low voltage	Ĉ E3	Load off, battery frame flashes, the LCD screen displays E3. battery level shows empty, fault icon display,
Over voltage	₿ EY	The charge and discharge are off, b icon display, battery fla shes, the LCD screen displays E4. Battery level shows full, fault
Over temperature	E E5	The charge and discharge are off, fault icon display, icon °C flashing, the LCD screen displays E5.
Controller does not c orrectly identify system voltage	PV BAT kAh (⊕ (**)	Controller does not correctly identify system voltage.

6.4 Parameters setting

When the icon appears in the display interface, it means that the parameters can be set. Press the MENU key for 1s, then icon flashes, press OK to change the parameter; when the setting is finished, you can wait 30 second to exit the setting mode automatically, or you can press the MENU to exit the setting mode.

6.4.1Charging target voltage(Lithium)



If the battery type is set to lithium battery, the LCD display interface is shown in the left figure. Long press the MENU key for 1 second, the icon flashes to set the charging target voltage of lithium battery.

Setting range of Charging target voltage:

12/24V: 10.0 ~ 32.0V (default: 14.4V) 12/24/36/48V: 10.0 ~ 64.0v (default: 29.4V)

The controller automatically calculates the charging recovery voltage . according to the charging target voltage .

The charging recovery voltage is approximate 0.97 * Charging target voltage.

If the battery type is not lithium battery, there is no icon in the current interface.

6.4.2 Low voltage protection and recovery voltage



When the LCD shows as displayed at left, press the MENU key for 1s, the icon flashes, now you can set the controller 's low voltage protection voltage.

1.If the battery is set to lithium battery, the low voltage protection voltage setting range is as follow:

12/24V: 9.0 ~ 30.0V (default: 10.6V)

12/24/36/48V: 9.0 ~ 60.0V (default: 21.0V)

The controller automatically calculates the low voltage recovery voltage according to the low voltage protection voltage. The low voltage recovery voltage is approximate

1. 11 * low voltage protection voltage. The default low voltage recovery voltage of the controller is 0.8/1.6/2.4/3.2V higher than the low voltage protection voltage. If you want to reduce the low voltage recovery

voltage, please reduce the low voltage protection voltage first.

- 2. If the battery is not lithium battery, the low voltage protection mode of the controller is divided into battery voltage control and capacity control.
 - Battery 10.8~11.8V/21.6~23.6V/32.4~35.4V/43.2~47.2V voltage control setting range (default:11.2V/22.4V/33.6V/44.8V). ② Battery capacity control

Display	Low voltage protection range	Low voltage reconnect
5- 1	11.0~11.6V/22.0~23.2V/33.0~34.8V/44.0~46.4V	12.4/24.8/37.2/49.6V
5-2	11.1~11.7V/22.2~23.4V/33.3~35.1V/44.4~46.8V	12.5/25.0/37.5/50.0V
5-3	11.2~11.8V/22.4~23.6V/33.6~35.4V/44.8~47.2V	12.6/25.2/37.8/50.4V
5-4	11.4~11.9V/22.8~23.8V/34.2~35.7V/45.6~47.6V	12.7/25.4/38.1/50.8V
5-5	11.6~12.0V/23.2~24.0V/34.8~36.0V/46.4~48.0V	12.8/25.6/38.4/51.2V



6.4.3 Clear Bluetooth Device Password



When the LCD shows as displayed at left, press the MENU key for 1s, the icon flashes, you can press OK to clear the Bluetooth device password set by the mobile app.



For device passwords, please refer to Bluetooth APP instructions.

6.4.4 Battery type



When the LCD shows as displayed at left, press the MENU key for 1s, the icon flashes, now you can set the battery type.

Display	Battery type
GEL	GEL(Default)
8G-	AGM
LI	Lithium
L 19	Liquid

1. Charging Voltage Parameters (Liquid, GEL, AGM)

When choosing Liquid, GEL or AGM for battery type, the parameters of boost, and float equalization charge voltage can be set by IoT, RS485 or bluetooth APP. The range of parameters is as follows.

The following voltage parameters are 25°C/12V system parameters, in a 24/36/48V system displayed values are multiplied by a factor of 2/3/4.

Charging stage	Boost	Equalization	Float
Charging Voltage Range	14.0~14.8V	14.0~15.0V	13.0~14.5V
Default charging voltage	14.5V	14.8V	13.7V

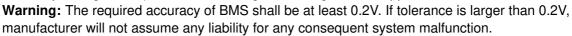
2. Charging Voltage Parameters(Lithium)

When choosing lithium battery type, the charging target voltage and overcharge recovery voltage of lithium battery can be set by pressing the key (see 6.4.1 setting selection for details), IoT, RS485 or Bluetooth APP.

Charge target voltage range:	12/24V: 12/24/36/48V:	10.0-32.0V (default:14.4V) 10.0-64.0V (default:29.4V)
Charge recovery voltage setting range:	12/24V: V)	9.2-31.8V (default:14.0V) 12/24/36/48V: 9.2-63.8V (default:28.7



Note: (Overcharge Recovery Voltage+1.5V)≥Lithium Overcharge Protection Voltage≥ (Overcharge Recovery Voltage+0.2V) Parameter setting out of range is not supported.



Load mode



When the LCD shows as displayed at left, press the MENU key for 1s, the icon flashes, now you can set the load mode.

Display	Load mode
8	Always on Mode: The load output is always switched on.
•	Dusk to Dawn Mode: The load output is switched on between sunset and sunrise.
23456789	Evening Mode: The load output will be switched on for 2~9hours afte r sunset.
บระ	Manual Mode: The load output can be switched on and off manually b y pressing MENU shortly.

1.Always on Mode

When the controller is set to always On mode, no matter the charging or discharging state, the load is always powered on (except in when in protection state).

2. Street Lamp Function

When the load is set to Dusk to Dawn or Evening mode, the voltage and the Day/Night threshold Day/Night delay t can be set b IoT, RS485 or bluetooth APP, and the load can be turned on or off by ime y the test function during the day charging process.

2.1 Day/Night threshold voltage

The controller recognizes day and night based on the solar array open circuit voltage.

This day/night threshold voltage can be modified according to local light conditions and the solar array used.

Day/Night threshold setting range: 3.0~10.0/6.0~20.0/9.0~30.0/12.0~40.0V(Default: 8/16/24/32V)

2.3 Test Function

When the controller is working in Dusk to Dawn or Evening mode, press the MENU key for 3s to turn on the load. Press the MENU key again or the load turns off automatically after 1 minute.

If the controller is operating in always on mode, the test function does not work.

- 3.User-defind Mode
- 1 MENU shortly.

②The default switching state of the load in manual mode can be changed by If the load mode is selected "USE", then you can switch on and off the load output manually by pressing IoT, RS485 or bluetooth APP. At the same time, the output to the load can be turned on or off.



1.If the controller turns off the load due to low voltage protection overcurrent protection short-circuit protection or over temperature protection, the load will turn on automatically when the controller recovers from protection state.

2. Please note: Pushing the MENU button can still activate the function of the key, even during of the above four kinds protection states.

Troubleshooting, Protections and maintenance

7.1Trouble shooting

Faults	Reason	Troubleshooting
Î E :	Short Circuit	①Clear short circuit fault ②Restart the controller or press the key to restore the load o utput
<u> </u>	Over Current	①Reduce electrical equipment;②Restart the controller or press the key to clear the fault load and restore the output
	Battery voltage is too low	Load will be reconnected when battery is recharged.
₿ EY	Battery voltage is too high	Check if other sources overcharge the battery or battery para meter is set correctly. If not, controller is damaged.
PV BAT SAA SAA SAA SAA SAA SAA SAA SAA SAA S	Battery voltage is abnormal at start-up	Charge or discharge the battery so that the battery voltage is within the normal operating range(5.0~15.0V or 20~31V or 31~42 or 40~62V).
E E5	Over temperature	After the temperature decreases, the controller will work norm ally.

Protection

Protection	Description
PV Over Current	The controller will limit charging power to the rated level. Over-sized PV array will no t be able to operate at the maximum power point.
PV Short Circuit	When PV short circuit occurs, the controller will stop charging. Remove it to resume normal operation. When the PV doesn't charge, the controller will not be damaged if short-circuit just h appened in the PV array. Warning: It is forbidden to short-circuit the PV array during charging. Otherwise, the controller may be damaged.
PV Reverse Polarity	Fully protection against PV reverse polarity, no damage to the controller. Correct the connection to resume normal operation.
Battery Reverse Polarity	Fully protection against battery reverse polarity, no damage to the controller. Correct the connection to resume normal operation.
Battery Over voltage	Should there are other energy sources to charge the battery, when the battery volta ge exceeds 15.8 / 31.3 / 46.8 / 62.3V(Overcharge protection voltage of lithium batter y equals target voltage plus 0.2V), the controller will stop charging to protect the batt ery from overcharging damage.
Battery Over discharge	When the battery voltage drops to the low voltage disconnect setting, the controller will stop discharging to protect the battery from over discharging
Load Over Current Prote ction	Ilf the load current exceeds the maximum load current rating 1.25 times, the controll er will automatically cut off the output. If the load reconnects the output automatically 10 times, it needs to be cleared by pressing the test key, restarting the controller or switching from Night to the Day.
Load Short Circuit Protection	When the load output of the controller is short circuited, the controller will automatic ally cut off the output. If the load reconnects the output automatically 10 times, it nee ds to be cleared by pressing the test key, restarting the controller or Switching from Night to the Day
Over Temperature Prote ction	The controller detects the internal temperature through internal sensor, when the temperature exceeds the setting value, the charging current will decrease. The controller stops working when the internal temperature exceeds 75°C and resumes work when the internal temperature is below 65°C.
Damaged Remote Temp erature Sensor	When the external temperature sensor is damaged or not connected, the controller will charge at 25 °C by default to prevent overcharge from damaging the battery.

7.3 Maintenance

For best system performance, the following inspections and maintenance tasks are recommended to be carried out for at least two times a year.

- Make sure no block on air-flow around the controller. Clear up any dirt and fragments on radiator.
- Check all the naked wires to make sure insulation is not damaged. Repair or replace some wires if necessary.
- Tighten all terminal screws to the indicated torque; Inspect for loose, broken, or burnt cable/wire connections.
- Check and confirm that LCD is consistent with required. Pay attention to any troubleshooting or error indication. Take corrective action if necessary.
- Make sure all system components are effectively and tightly connected to ground.
- Check all terminals for any corrosion signs, damaged insulation, increased temperature .
- Check for any dirt, nesting insects and any corrosion signs. Implement corrections actions as early as possible.

WARNING: Risk of electric shock!

Make sure that all the power is turned off before above operations, and then follow the corresponding inspections and operations.

Technical Data

	Item	MC2010	MC4010	MC6010
	Max Charging Current	20A	40A	60A
	System Voltage	12/24V automatic reco	gnition	
	MPPT Charging Voltage	before boost or equalization charging stage		
	Boost Voltage	14-14.8/28-29.6V @25°C(default 14.5/29V)		
	Equalization Voltage	14-15.0/28-30V©25°C(default 14.8/29.6V)(Liquid, AGM)		
	Float Voltage	13-14.5/26-29V @25°C(default: 13.7/27.4V)		
	Low Volt. Disconnect	10.8-11.8V/21.6-23.6V(default: 11.2/22.4V)		
Battery Param e ters	Reconnect Voltage	11.4-12.8V/22.8-25.6V (default 12.0/24.0V)		
	e Overcharge Protect 15.8/31.3V			
	Max volt on Bat. terminal	35V		
[Temp. Compensation	-4.17mV/K per cell (Boost, Equalization), -3.33mV/K per cell (Float)		
	Charging target voltage	10.0-32.0V(Lithium, default 14.4V)		
	Charging recovery voltage	9.2-31.8V(Lithium, default 14.0V)		
	Low voltage disconnect	9.0-30.0V(Lithium, default: 10.6V)		
	Low voltage reconnect	9.6-31.0V(Lithium, default: 12.0V)		
	Battery Type	Gel, AGM, Liquid, Lithium (default: Gel)		
	Max volt on PV terminal "	95V		
Panel P aram et	Max input power	260/520W	1520/1040W	1750W/1500W
ers	Day/Night threshold	3.0- 10.0/6.0-20.0V(De	efault 8/16V)	
	MPPT tracking range	(Battery Voltage + 1.0V) -Voce0.9 '		
Load	Output Current	20A	130A	
	Load mode	Always on, Street lamp	o, User-defind Mode(def	fault: Always on)
	Max tracking efficiency	>99.9%		
	Max charge conversion	98.%		
	Dimensions	136.6•136.6•67.1mm	196.5136.6'67.1mm	262. 5'186. 5'97. 5mm
	Weight	830g	1.3Kg	2.5Kg
	Self consumption	12mA	14mA	12mA
	Communication	R5485(F(111 interface		

System Param- eters	Optional	IoT,BLE(Internal/External)
	Grounding	Common Negative
	Power terminals	6AWG(16mm2)
	Ambient temperature	-20 - +55°C
	Storage temperature	-25 - +80°C
	Ambient humidity	0 – 100%RH
	Protection degree	IP32
	Max Altitude	4000m

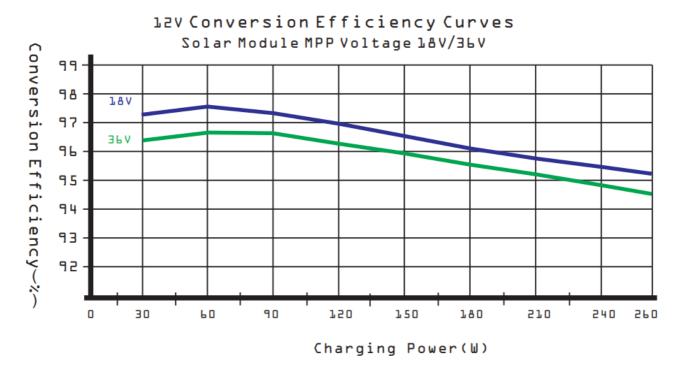
	Item	MC6015
Battery Param e ters	Max Charging Current	60A
	System Voltage	12/24/36/48V automatic recognition
	MPPT Charging Voltage	before boost or equalization charging stage
	Boost Voltage	14 -14.8/28 -29.6/42 -44.4/56-59.2V@25°C(default14.5/29/43.5/58V)
	Equalization Voltage	14-15/28-30/42-45/56-60V@25°C (default:14.8/29.6/44.4/59.2V)(Liquid, AGM)
	Float Voltage	13-14.5/26-29/39-43.5/52-58V@25°C(default:13.7/27.4/41.1/54.8V)
	low Volt. Disconnect	10.8-11.8/21.6-23.6/32.4-35.4/432-47.2V (default:11.2/22.4/33.6/44.8V)
	Reconnect Voltage	11.4-12.8/22.8-25.6/34.2-38A/45.6-51.2V(default 12/24/36/48V)
	Overcharge Protect	15.8/31.3/46.8/62.3V
	Max volt on Bat. terminal	65V
	Temp. Compensation	-4.17mV/K per cell (Boost Equalization)3.33mV/K per cell (Float)
	Charging target voltage	10.0-64.0V(Lithium, default 29.4V)
	Charging recovery Volt	9.2-63.8V(Lithium. default: 28. 7V)
	Low voltage disconnect	9.0-60.0V(Lithiurn default: 21. OV)
	Low voltage reconnect	9.6-62.0V(Lithiurn default: 22.4V)
	Battery Type	Gel. AGM. Liquid, Lithium (default: Gel)
Panel P aram eters	Max volt on PV terminal	150V, 138V"
	Max input power	750/1500/2250/3000W
	Day/Night threshold	3.0-10.0/6.0-20.0/9.0-30.0/12.0-40.0V(Default 8/16/24/32V)
	MPPT tracking range	(Battery Voltage + 1.0V) -Vocs0.9 *2
Load	Output Current	30A
	Load mode	Always on Street lamp, User-defind Mode(default Always on)
	Max tracking efficiency	>99.9%

	Max charge conversion	98.%
	Dimensions	262.5186. 5'97. 5mm
	Weight	3Kg
	Self consumption	120mA (12V); s19mA (24/36/48V)
	Communication	RS485(FU11 interface)
System Param- ters	Optional	1oT,BLE(Internal/Externab
	Grounding	Common Negative
	Power terminals	6AWG(16mini)
	Ambient temperature	-20 - +55°C
	Storage temperature	-25 – +80°C
	Ambient humidity	0 – 100%RH
	Protection degree	1P32
	Max Altitude	4000m

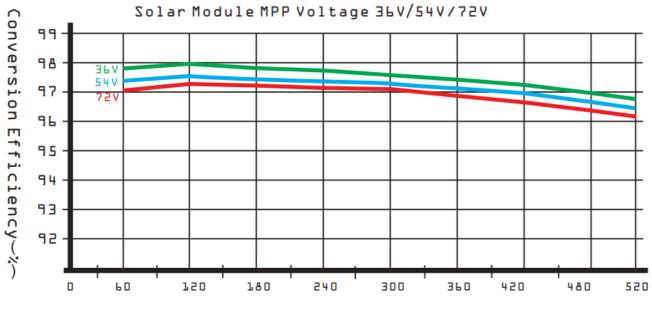
Conversion Efficiency Curves

Test conditions Illumination intensity: 1000W/m² Temperature: 25°C

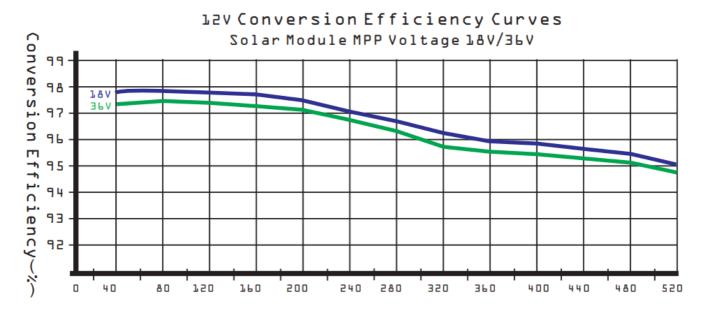
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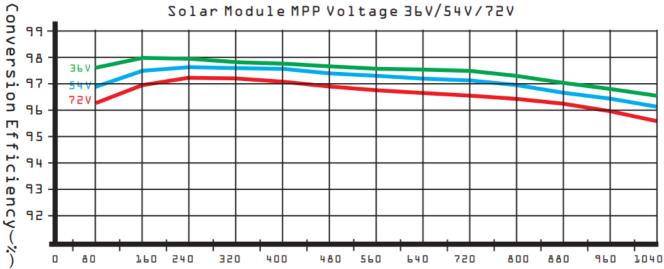


Charging Power(W)



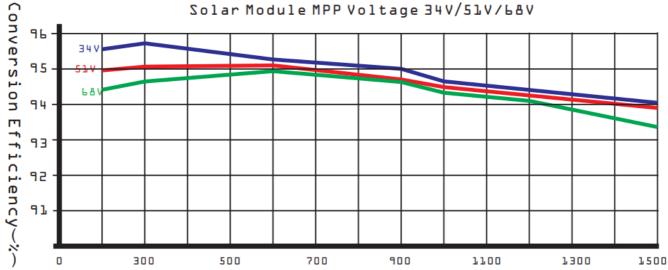
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24V Conversion Efficiency Curves Solar Module MPP Voltage 36V/54V/72V



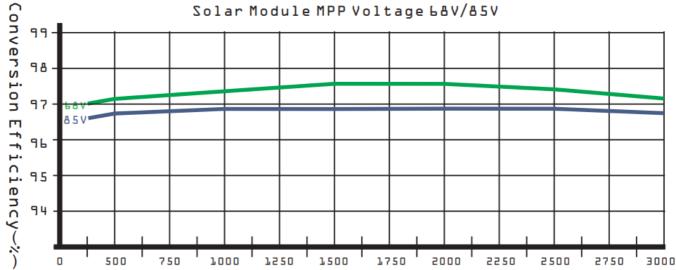
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24V Conversion Efficiency Curves Solar Module MPP Voltage 34V/51V/68V



Charging Power(W)

48V Conversion Efficiency Curves Solar Module MPP Voltage 68V/85V



Charging Power (W)

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