

Charles Universal Broadband Enclosure CUBE-SS4D207XB1

General Description and Installation

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1. GENERAL INTRODUCTION

1.1. Document Purpose

This document provides additional information for the CUBE-SS4D207XB1 of the Charles Industries' Universal Broadband Enclosure (CUBE) product line that is not included in the family document, LT-SSXX207XXX. Figure 1 shows a closed front view of the enclosure.

-NOTE-

Hereafter, the Charles Universal Broadband Enclosure CUBE-SS4D207XB1 will be referred to as the "CUBE."



The CUBE equipment compartment has 7RU of 23" rack mount spacing. It is equipped with a 8-position AC load center and a 750W heat exchanger. The battery compartment supports four strings of customer supplied -48VDC VRLA batteries and has a thermoelectric cooling system (TEC). Figure 2 shows the components of the CUBE.









Figure 2 CUBE Components



3. CUBE WIRING AND EQUIPMENT

After the CUBE is properly mounted in the desired location, apply No-Ox where bus bar and other 2-hole lug connections will be made. Install ground and power connections. Always ground the equipment first, before making any other connections.



In order to prevent condensation prior to being placed in service, do not remove the desiccant until the CUBE is sealed and power is applied. A basic electrical diagram is shown in Figure 3.



Figure 3 Electrical Diagram



3.1. AC Voltage Connection

Incoming AC voltage is single phase, 60Hz, 208/240VAC and is connected to the 125A main breaker in the load center. The installer connects the two hot (line) wires to the breaker, the neutral wire to the neutral bus, and the ground wire to the ground bus of the AC load center. The maximum wire size is 2/0AWG. Use wire that is sized per National Electrical Code NFPA70 table 310.16.

3.2. Heat Exchanger Operation

The 750W DC powered heat exchanger in the equipment compartment has a fan speed controller and includes an internal and an external fan. Both fans' speed increases with increasing internal cabinet temperature. Fans and heat exchanger settings are defined below, and are based off of the cabinet interior temperature. The maximum airflow amount supplied to the equipment by the heat exchanger is 147CFM.

| Setting | Internal | External |
|------------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Turn-on Setting (5°C Differential) | 0°C | 30°C |
| Medium Temp Setting | 30°C | 35°C |
| High Temp Setting | 45°C | 50°C |
| High Temp Alarm Setting | 70°C | N/A |
| Low Temp Alarm Setting | -40°C | N/A |

For more information, refer to the heat exchanger documentation found inside the CUBE.

-NOTE-

Changing the speed controller default factory set points can lead to system performance issues, such as equipment failures, increased power use, unnecessary alarms, noise, condensation build up, fan failure caused by excessive runtimes and vibration. Avoid placing items in front of the heat exchanger's return and supply vents. Maintain a minimum of 6" clearance to enable proper air flow.

3.3. TEC Operation

The TEC devices mounted on the door of the battery compartment are covered by an external shroud with their wiring connected to a return bus and circuit breaker terminated to the -48VDC bus of the power system. On-board controllers allow both heating and cooling cycles. The cooling cycle turns on at 25° C and turns off at 20° C. The heating cycle turns on at 5° C and turns off at 10° C. Condensation build up on the heat sink of the TEC is normal. For more information, refer to the TEC documentation found inside the CUBE.

-NOTE-It is not possible to change any of the TEC factory default set points.

4. SPECIFICATIONS

| Physical | | | |
|----------------------------|------------------------------------|--|--|
| Weight | Approx. 850 lbs. as shipped | | |
| Electrical | | | |
| AC Load Center | Square D QO11624L125GRB | | |
| Thermal | | | |
| Heat Exchanger | 48VDC, 750W, Vikinor VHC-030-DC | | |
| Maximum Heat Dissipation | 700W@19°C above ambient with solar | | |
| Kits and Replacement Parts | | | |
| 48VDC TEC Assembly | 99-004478-0 | | |
| 48VDC TEC Internal Fan | 18-950462-0 | | |
| 48VDC TEC External Fan | 18-950463-0 | | |
| 48VDC TEC Control Board | 99-004528-0 | | |

Table 1CUBE Specifications (see family document for full list)

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