HIGH ENERGY

Nickel-cadmium module for automotive industry

Ni-Cd

Saft Nickel-cadmium batteries equip the largest fleet of EVs (about 8,000) currently in circulation. Mature technology, the Saft Ni-Cd has proved to be an attractive alternative to lead acid batteries. The Saft Ni-Cd battery meet the electric vehicle requirements of energy density for range and power density for acceleration. A complete battery system using STM modules also incorporates thermal management for increased efficiency.

Applications

All-electric vehicles (compact cars, minivans, scooters...)

Main advantages

- ·Low-maintenance
- Life time of over 65,000 miles (100 000 km)
- Adapted to extreme temperatures:
- -20°C to +40°C
- Rapid recharge
- •Fully recyclable

Technology

- •Sintered positive electrodes
- Plastic-bonded negative electrodes

Electrical characteristics

S1	M 5-100	STM 5-100	STM 5-140
	MR*	MRE**	MR*
Nominal voltage (V)	6	6	6
Rated capacity at C/3 (Ah)	100	100	136
Typical specific energy at C/3 (Wh/kg)	55	54	54
Typical energy density at C/3 (Wh/dm³)	88	87	95
Typical specific power at 3/4 Uo at 80% DOD (W/kg)	122	120	108
Typical power density (W/l)	203	200	190

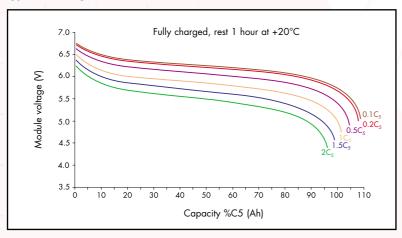
Mechanical characteristics

Typical weight (kg)	12.9	13.2	1 <i>7</i> .0
Dimensions (mm)	248x120x260	246x123x260	244x153x260
Volume (dm³)	7.74	7.87	9.7

^{*}MR: air-cooled - **MRE: integrated liquid cooling



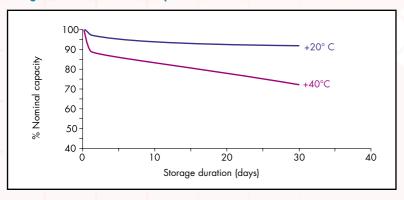
Typical discharge at +20°C



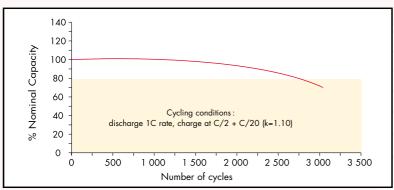
Range 45 km to 90 km (27 to 54 miles) Max.speed 45 km/h (54 mph) Range 80 km to 110 km (48 to 66 miles) Max.speed 95 to 110 km/h (57 to 66 mph)

according to the use conditions and battery specifications

Charge retention at various temperatures



Capacity at 1 C rate during cycling at 80% DOD



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