

HAV260 Varicon Series 3 Automatic Constant Current Load Bank

Features

- Automatic range selection
- Lead Acid or Ni-cad battery testing
- Automatic constant current control
- Wide battery voltage up to 260V DC
- Simple operation
- Auto stop on time & battery voltage
- Hand held controller with OLED display
- Safety isolation contactors
- Fan fail protection
- High power up to 72KW
- Compact design
- Cables included
- Portable
- Computer interface option



The Hillstone HAV260 series3 load bank is designed for automatic constant current DC battery discharge testing for a wide range of lead acid and ni-cad batteries and incorporates the unique Hillstone VARICON remote hand held controller which provides a cost effective solution to fully automatic load banks. All units incorporate light weight, force cooled high power resistor elements and several safety

features including reverse polarity connection, high battery volts, fan fail, auto shut-down, emergency stop push button and battery isolation of each load circuit via continuously rated DC contactors. The unit also includes automatic battery voltage selection, thereby eliminating incorrect operator use.

Load bank operation - The unit should be connected to a 240V (110V optional) single phase auxiliary mains supply and also to the battery. On power up, the load bank will carry out a self-diagnostic check to ensure the equipment is functioning correctly and also check the battery is connected correctly and the battery voltage is within the operating limits of the load bank design. The load bank will then automatically select the appropriate internal circuits which are compatible with the connected battery. The operator then enters the required stop voltage and discharge time period, followed by the discharge current before commences the test by pressing the START push button.

The battery voltage, load current and elapse time will be displayed on the hand held OLED display during the test. The load bank will automatically maintain the load current constant at the pre-set value, as the battery voltage falls. When the battery voltage falls to the pre-set end of discharge voltage (or pre-set time period) the test will stop by automatic disconnection via internal contactors.

The display of elapse time and ampere hours discharged will be frozen on the OLED screen. The test can be terminated at any time by pressing the manual STOP push button. The load bank also incorporates a PAUSE button which allows the test to be stopped and then restarted without re-setting all the test parameters. The elapse time and ampere hours readings will also re-start without resetting to zero. This feature enables operators to remove faulty cells during the test if required.



HAV Specification:

HAV260-15 Series 3			
Type Ref			
Nominal DC Voltage	48V	120V	240V
Maximum DC Voltage	65V	130V	260V
Maximum DC Currents	57A	57A	57A
Maximum Power Rating	3.7KW	7.5KW	15KW
Maximum No Of Lead Acid Cells	30	60	120
Maximum No Of NiCad Cells	42	96	192
Nominal Constant Current Performance	37A at 43V 26A at 30V	47A at 108V 33A at 76V	47A at 216V 33A at 153V
HAV260-36 Series 3			
Type Ref			
Nominal DC Voltage	48V	120V	240V
Maximum DC Voltage	65V	130V	260V
Maximum DC Currents	140A	140A	140A
Maximum Power Rating	9KW	18KW	36KW
Maximum No Of Lead Acid Cells	30	60	120
Maximum No Of NiCad Cells	42	96	192
Nominal Constant Current Performance	92A at 43V 64A at 30V	116A at 108V 81A at 76V	116A at 216V 82A at 153V
HAV260-52 Series 3			
Type Ref			
Nominal DC Voltage	48V	120V	240V
Maximum DC Voltage	65V	130V	260V
Maximum DC Currents	200A	200A	200A
Maximum Power Rating	13KW	26KW	52KW
Maximum No Of Lead Acid Cells	30	60	120
Maximum No Of NiCad Cells	42	96	192
Nominal Constant Current Performance	132A at 43V 92A at 30V	166A at 108V 116A at 76V	166A at 216V 117A at 153V
HAV260-72 Series 3			
Type Ref			
Nominal DC Voltage	48V	120V	240V
Maximum DC Voltage	65V	130V	260V
Maximum DC Currents	280A	280A	280A
Maximum Power Rating	18KW	36KW	72KW
Maximum No Of Lead Acid Cells	30	60	120
Maximum No Of NiCad Cells	42	96	192
Nominal Constant Current Performance	185A at 43V 129A at 30V	232A at 108V 163A at 76V	232A at 216V 164A at 153V

HAV260 Specification:

Load Current Range	1A to Maximum
Digital Display	4 Line OLED Display
Display Information	Battery Volts, Battery Current, Elapsed Time, Discharged Ampere Hours, Test Status / Faults
Auxiliary Mains Supply	240V single phase 50Hz
Mains Cable Set	2 Meter IEC socket with UK 13A Plug
DC Cable Set	3 Meter twin flexible cable set with industrial plug and socket
Hand Held Controller	5 Meter (longer available on request)
Finish	Light Grey RAL7032 textured finish
Environmental Protection Rating	IP21
Movement	Swivel Castors and Top Handles
Operating Temperature	0 – 40 Degs C
Storage Temperature	0 – 80 Degs C

HAV130 Case Sizes:

Load Bank Type	Length (mm)	Width (mm)	Height (mm)	Weight (Kgs)
HAV260-15	1000mm	500mm	750mm	45Kgs
HAV260-36	1000mm	650mm	1100mm	95Kgs
HAV260-52	1000mm	850mm	1350mm	130Kgs
HAV260-72	1000mm	850mm	1600mm	160Kgs

Notes

- Units are designed for indoor use only in a clean, dry and well ventilated environment.
- The available constant current and ratings are proportional to the end of test voltage.
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HAV 52KW Case with optional louvers



HAV 72KW Case