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Safety and Recommended Practices

For use in restricted-access locations only.
Suitable for mounting on concrete or other non-combustible surface only.

The Compact C-shelf DC Power System operates on an AC voltage between 100 V and 240 V, 50–60 Hz, and produces a regulated DC output of 20–56 V (depending on rectifiers deployed; see ). It is capable of delivering a maximum DC output of 160 A in an ambient operating temperature range of −40°C up to +62°C.

**WARNING:** HAZARDOUS VOLTAGE AND ENERGY LEVELS CAN PRODUCE SERIOUS SHOCKS AND BURNS. Only authorized, qualified, and trained personnel should attempt to work on this equipment. The equipment is to be connected to supply mains by a qualified personal in accordance with local and national codes (e.g. NEC, CEC, etc). Refer to datasheets for full product specifications.

**WARNING:** For safety, the power supply is required to be reliably connected to PROTECTIVE GROUND. Do not disconnect and reconnect I/O power connectors during a lightning storm. Equipment meets GR-1089 Surge requirements and is intended for deployments where an external Surge Protective Device (SPD) is not utilized.

Observe all local and national electrical, environmental, and workplace codes.

Each power shelf should be fed from a dedicated AC branch circuit of a terra neutral (TN) power system.

The plug end of an AC line cord is considered to be the primary disconnection means, and reasonable access must be given to the plug and receptacle area. The receptacle must be fed with a breaker or fuse according to NEC requirements.

For hard-wired AC connections, a readily accessible disconnection device must be incorporated in the building installation wiring. Select circuit breaker sizes according to national and local electric codes.

**CAUTION:** All rectifiers employ internal double pole/neutral fusing. Fuses are not field-replaceable.

The output of the power supply is not intended to be accessible due to energy hazard.

Use Underwriters Laboratories (UL)-listed, double-hole lugs for all DC connections to prevent lug rotation and inadvertent contact with other circuits. Terminal strip connections require only single-hole lugs.

Wire rated for 90°C is recommended for all DC connections. In practice, wires of a size larger than the minimum safe wire size are selected for loop voltage drop considerations.

Alarm contacts are rated for a maximum voltage of 60 V, SELV (Safety Extra Low Voltage) and a maximum continuous current of 0.5A. Connection and mounting torque requirements are listed in Table 6.

Heat dissipation greater than the objectives listed in GR-63-CORE may occur. Additional equipment room cooling may be required. To cope with high heat release, aisle spacing
may be increased and high heat-dissipating equipment may be located adjacent to equipment generating less heat.

It is recommended practice to ensure that all circuit breakers (including those for DC distribution) are in the OFF position during both installation and removal.

Eltek does not recommend shipping the power shelf with rectifiers installed. Rectifiers should be shipped in separate boxes provided by Eltek.

Rack mounting must be performed in accordance with instruction provided by the manufacturer to avoid potential hazards.

**FCC Compliance Statement**

**NOTE:** The power system complies with Part 15 of Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Rules. Its operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- The system may not cause harmful interference.
- The system must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

The system has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. The system generates, uses, and radiates radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation.

If the system causes harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the system and the receiver.
- Connect the system to an outlet of a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/television technician for help.

**WARNING:** Changes or modifications to the system not expressly approved by the party responsible for the compliance could void the user's authority to operate the system.

**ICES-003 CLASS B NOTICE:** This Class B digital apparatus complies with Canadian ICES-003. Cet appareil numérique de la classe B est conforme à la norme NMB-003 du Canada.
1. Overview

The Compact C-shelf is a DC power system has a mid-mount design for a standard 23” telecommunications racks. It can accommodate up to four Eltek V-series rectifiers and output either 24Vdc or 48Vdc (depending on which rectifiers are deployed).

Figure 1 - C Shelf

Rectifier Specifications

Rectifiers for the Compact power system are listed in Table 1 (high-efficiency rectifiers) and Table 2 (standard rectifiers). Heat dissipation for Eltek rectifiers is also listed. “Typical” is calculated at AC 240 V and typical DC voltage and current values for the rectifier. “Maximum” is calculated at minimum AC input and maximum DC output voltage.

NOTICE: A minimum of ¾” of space is required above and below Compact DC Power Systems for airflow.

NOTICE: Values listed in the table are per rectifier rather than the sum of a fully-populated shelf.

Table 1 – High Efficiency (“HE”) V-Series Rectifiers

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Rectifier Part Number</th>
<th>AC Input Operating Voltage Range (VAC)</th>
<th>Maximum AC Current (A)</th>
<th>Nominal DC Output Voltage (VDC)</th>
<th>DC Output Current (A)</th>
<th>Heat Dissipation (BTU/hr) / (W)</th>
<th>Operating Temperature Range</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>VBLANK-HE</td>
<td>NA</td>
<td>NA</td>
<td>NA</td>
<td>NA</td>
<td>NA</td>
<td>NA</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>V1000A1-HE</td>
<td>90-264</td>
<td>13.7</td>
<td>48</td>
<td>20</td>
<td>171 / 50</td>
<td>-40°C to +70°C</td>
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<tr>
<td>V1500A1-HE</td>
<td>180-264</td>
<td>10.1</td>
<td>48</td>
<td>30</td>
<td>276 / 81</td>
<td>-40°C to +70°C</td>
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<tr>
<td>V2000A1-HE</td>
<td>180-264</td>
<td>13.6</td>
<td>48</td>
<td>40</td>
<td>425 / 124</td>
<td>-40°C to +70°C</td>
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</table>
Table 2 - Standard V-Series Rectifiers

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Rectifier Part Number</th>
<th>AC Input Operating Voltage Range (VAC)</th>
<th>Maximum AC Current (A)</th>
<th>Nominal DC Output Voltage (VDC)</th>
<th>DC Output Current (A)</th>
<th>Heat Dissipation (BTU/hr) / (W)</th>
<th>Operating Temperature Range</th>
</tr>
</thead>
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<tr>
<td>VBLANK-VC</td>
<td>NA</td>
<td>NA</td>
<td>NA</td>
<td>NA</td>
<td>NA</td>
<td>NA</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>V0500A-VC</td>
<td>90-264</td>
<td>7.4</td>
<td>48</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>180 / 53</td>
<td>-40°C to +65°C</td>
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<tr>
<td>V0750A-VC</td>
<td>90-264</td>
<td>11.1</td>
<td>48</td>
<td>15</td>
<td>271 / 79</td>
<td>-40°C to +65°C</td>
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<tr>
<td>V1000A-VC</td>
<td>90-264</td>
<td>14.6</td>
<td>48</td>
<td>20</td>
<td>361 / 106</td>
<td>-40°C to +65°C</td>
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<tr>
<td>V1250A-VC</td>
<td>90-264</td>
<td>17.8</td>
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<td>451 / 132</td>
<td>-40°C to +75°C</td>
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<td>V1500A-VC</td>
<td>180-264</td>
<td>10.9</td>
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<td>30</td>
<td>541 / 159</td>
<td>-40°C to +65°C</td>
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<td>V2000A-VC</td>
<td>180-264</td>
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<td>40</td>
<td>722 / 212</td>
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<td>V2500A-VC</td>
<td>180-264</td>
<td>18.2</td>
<td>48</td>
<td>50</td>
<td>902 / 264</td>
<td>-40°C to +65°C</td>
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<tr>
<td>V1500B-VC</td>
<td>180-264</td>
<td>10.9</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>60</td>
<td>882 / 258</td>
<td>-40°C to +73°C</td>
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</table>

**NOTICE:** Heat dissipation greater than the objectives listed in GR-63-CORE may occur. Additional equipment room cooling may be required. To cope with high heat release, aisle spacing may be increased and high heat-dissipating equipment may be located adjacent to equipment generating less heat.

**AC Input Requirements**

The Compact C-shelf has AC input architecture that supports single-, dual-, and individual-feed options. The single- and dual-feed shelves are shipped configured for dual-feed and can be converted single-feed. The AC terminal block is located in the rear of the shelf.

**Dual and Single Feed**

A dual feed architecture is powers rectifier slots 1 and 3 on AC feed 1 and rectifier slots 2 and 4 on AC feed 2. The ground wires should be connected first; there are two ¼”-20 studs provided next to the terminal block (see Figure 7). Connect each feed, sized according to specifications in Table 3, onto the #8-32 screw on the rear terminal block. If AC cords
from Eltek are not ordered, choose AC ring terminals from the list in Table 4. The AC terminal strip on the rear of the shelf accepts ring terminals that are less than 0.5" in width. Two knockouts are provided for cable entry to the AC block that each accept either an AC cord grip provided by Eltek or a ¾” conduit. Shelves with DC circuit 5 have two knockouts that each accept snap bushings provided by Eltek, and two more knockouts for ½” conduit.

**Figure 3 - Single Feed AC Wiring Architecture**

A single feed architecture is configured by installing the bus bars provided onto the AC terminal strip. This configuration powers all four rectifier slots on a single AC feed. The ground wire should be connected first; there is a single, ¼”-20 stud provided next to the terminal block (see Figure 8). The AC feed, sized according to specifications in Table 3, connects to the top set of #8-32 screws on the rear terminal strip. There is a set of small bus bars that power the second rectifier from the top AC input terminal. If AC cords from Eltek are not ordered, choose AC ring terminals from the list in Table 4. The AC terminal strip on the rear of the shelf accepts ring terminals that are less than 0.5” in width. Two knockouts for ¾” conduit are provided for cable entry to the AC block, and AC cord grips are provided. Shelves with DC circuit 5 have two knockouts that each accept snap bushings provided by Eltek, and two more knockouts for ½” conduit.
Individual Feed

Figure 4 - Individual Feed AC Wiring Architecture

An individual feed architecture powers one rectifier on each AC feed. Connect each feed, sized according to specifications in Table 3, onto the #8-32 screws of the terminal strip. All grounds should be on ¼”-20 studs as shown in Figure 9. Choose AC ring terminals from the list in Table 4. The AC terminal strip on the rear of the shelf can accept ring terminals of less than 0.5” width and a wire size of 10 AWG (6 mm²). There are two knockouts for ¾” conduit (cord grips are provided) and one knockout for a 1” conduit (the cord grip can be ordered separately).

AC Feed Sizing

To size AC feeds properly, follow the specifications in Table 3. Failure to size the AC breaker and wiring properly can result in annoying breaker trips or even fire. If you anticipate growth, size the AC breaker and wiring for the expected capacity. Always follow NEC (national electrical code) rules and your local company practices when selecting AC wires and protection devices.

AC requirements listed in Table 3 are based on the absolute minimum input voltage at which the rectifiers will run. To calculate current draw for a feed with multiple rectifiers, simply multiply the current draw value in Table 3 by the number of rectifiers on the feed.
Table 3 - Rectifier Worst-case Current Draw

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Rectifier Part Number</th>
<th>Minimum Input Voltage (VAC)</th>
<th>Maximum Rated AC Current (A)</th>
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</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>VBLANK-VC</td>
<td>NA</td>
<td>NA</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>VBLANK-HE</td>
<td>NA</td>
<td>NA</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>V0500A-VC</td>
<td>90</td>
<td>7.4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>V0500A-VC</td>
<td>180</td>
<td>3.7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>V1000A-VC</td>
<td>90</td>
<td>14.6</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>V1000A-VC</td>
<td>180</td>
<td>7.3</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>V1000A1-HE</td>
<td>90</td>
<td>13.7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>V1000A1-HE</td>
<td>180</td>
<td>6.2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>V1250A-VC</td>
<td>90</td>
<td>17.8</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>V1250A-VC</td>
<td>180</td>
<td>9.1</td>
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<td>V1500A-VC</td>
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<td>10.9</td>
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<td>V1500A1-HE</td>
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<td>10.1</td>
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<tr>
<td>V2000A-VC</td>
<td>180</td>
<td>14.6</td>
</tr>
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<td>V2000A1-HE,2</td>
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<td>13.6</td>
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<td>V2500A-VC</td>
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<td>18.2</td>
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<tr>
<td>V1500B-VC</td>
<td>180</td>
<td>10.9</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

1HE is the high-efficiency line of rectifiers
2Select rectifiers based on 80% rule (current draw should not exceed 80% of terminal ampacity).

AC Connector Requirements

Part numbers that can be used for AC input connections are listed in Table 4. Wire type should be considered when determining the type of lug to use.

Table 4 - Lug Part Number for AC Input

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Wire size</th>
<th>Burndy Lug</th>
<th>AMP ring terminal</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<tr>
<td>14</td>
<td>1.6</td>
<td>321045</td>
<td>For ground connection on single, dual, or individual feed</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>12</td>
<td>1.6</td>
<td>320565</td>
<td>For line connections on single, dual, or individual feed</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>12</td>
<td>1.6</td>
<td>323763</td>
<td>For ground connection on single, dual, or individual feed</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>12</td>
<td>4.0</td>
<td>35605</td>
<td>For line connections on single, dual or individual feed</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10</td>
<td>6.0</td>
<td>323763</td>
<td>For ground connection on single or dual feed</td>
</tr>
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<td>10</td>
<td>6.0</td>
<td>35605</td>
<td>For line connections on single or dual feed</td>
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<td>8</td>
<td>10.0</td>
<td>YA8CL1BOX</td>
<td>For ground connections on single or dual feed</td>
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<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>10.0</td>
<td>YA8CLNT6</td>
<td>For line connections on single or dual feed</td>
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<td>6</td>
<td>16.0</td>
<td>YA6CLBOX</td>
<td>For ground connections on single feed</td>
</tr>
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<td>6</td>
<td>16.0</td>
<td>YA6CLNT6</td>
<td>For line connections on single feed</td>
</tr>
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</table>

DC Output Requirements

Distribution circuit 9 accepts UL-approved bullet-style breakers of up to 100 A and GMT fuses of up to 15 A. Maximum load on breakers should not exceed 80A, and maximum load on GMT-style fuses should not exceed 10A. The shelf is rated for a maximum total output of 160A.
Circuit 9 systems have twenty GMT fuse and four circuit breaker positions, with breakers C and D connected through an optional battery LVD contactor as shown in Figure 5. GMT fuse connections are made on compression screws. The maximum wire size for fuse connections is 12 AWG (4 mm²). Circuit breaker connections are made with double-hole lugs on ¼”-20 studs with 5/8” centers. The maximum tongue width for breaker connections is 0.68” and a wire size of 2 AWG (35 mm²). Breaker positions A-D in Figure 5 correspond to positions A-D in Figure 12. Select the lug and wire size based on specifications in section Table 5. An extra return connection is available for the DC reference ground; this connection has double ¼”-20 studs with 5/8” centers.

**DC Reference Ground**

The power system is a fully floating system. This means that the return bus bar is not tied to the chassis or an earth ground. An external reference or earth ground may be connected to any return connection or to the “DC reference ground” connection. The DC reference ground attachment point is internally wired to all fuse, circuit breaker, and bulk return connections. Follow your company’s guidelines for sizing and attaching a reference ground.

**DC Output Wire Sizing**

There are two main considerations for sizing a DC wire: ampacity and voltage drop. Ampacity refers to the safe current-carrying capacity of a wire as specified by the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA), which publishes the National Electrical Code (NEC). Voltage drop is the amount
of voltage loss in a length of wire due to ohmic resistance of the conductor. A DC wire may be sized for either ampacity or voltage drop, depending on loop length and conductor heating. In general, for ampacity considerations, wires of loop length less than 50 feet are selected, and for voltage drop considerations, wires of loop length more than 50 feet are selected. The NEC provides ampacity values for various wire sizes, wire bundles, and insulation temperature–rated wires. **Always follow NEC rules and your local company practices when selecting DC wires and protection devices.**

The size of wires for DC circuit breakers must be based on the breaker size rating. The size of wires for DC GMT fuses must be based on the GMT fuse size rating. The selection of unprotected DC output wires is based on the total rectifier capacity of the shelf.

**DC Lug Requirements**

Table 5 lists lug part numbers from Burndy that can be used for circuit breaker or bulk output connections. These part numbers are of lugs used with the flex conductor cable. Wire type should be considered when determining the type of lug to use. Follow your company practices when determining the exact part numbers of lug and ring terminals required.

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Wire size</th>
<th>Burndy Lug</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<td>AWG  mm²</td>
<td>Part number</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10 6</td>
<td>YAV102TC14</td>
<td>Double hole lug with 1/4&quot; holes and 5/8&quot; centers</td>
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<td>8 10</td>
<td>YA8CL2TC14</td>
<td>Double hole lug with 1/4&quot; holes and 5/8&quot; centers</td>
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<tr>
<td>6 16</td>
<td>YAV6C-L2TC14-FX</td>
<td>Double hole lug with 1/4&quot; holes and 5/8&quot; centers</td>
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<tr>
<td>4 25</td>
<td>YAV4C-L2TC14-FX</td>
<td>Double hole lug with 1/4&quot; holes and 5/8&quot; centers</td>
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<tr>
<td>2 35</td>
<td>YAV2C-L2NT14-FX</td>
<td>Double hole lug with 1/4&quot; holes and 5/8&quot; centers</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Circuit 9 uses compression screws and, therefore, does not require ring terminals for GMT fuse connections.
2. Installation

Before installing the power system the following safety requirements should be considered.

- **Elevated Operating Ambient:** If installed in a closed or multi-unit rack assembly, the operating ambient temperature of the rack environment may be greater than room ambient. Therefore, consideration should be given to installing the equipment in an environment compatible with the maximum ambient temperature (Tma) specified by the manufacturer.

- **Reduced Air Flow:** Installation of the equipment in a rack should be such that the amount of air flow required for safe operation of the equipment is not compromised.

- **Mechanical Loading:** Mounting of the equipment in the rack should be such that a hazardous condition is not achieved due to uneven mechanical loading.

- **Circuit Overloading:** Consideration should be given to the connection of the equipment to the supply circuit and the effect that overloading of the circuits might have on over-current protection and supply wiring. Appropriate consideration of equipment nameplate ratings should be used when addressing this concern.

- **Reliable Earthing:** Reliable earthing of rack-mounted equipment should be maintained. Particular attention should be given to supply connections other than direct connections to the branch circuit (e.g. use of power strips).

**Site Preparation**

Before unpacking the DC power system, note any physical package damage that could indicate potential damage to the contents. After removing the system from boxes and packing material, inspect for any shipping or other damage. Contact sales or technical support immediately if you notice any damage.

Have all tools, wires, cables, and hardware within easy reach. To the extent possible, ensure a clean (free of debris, dust, and foreign material) work environment. Care should be taken during the installation process to prevent exposure of the equipment to wire clippings. If possible, rectifiers should remain sealed in their shipping boxes until the shelf wiring is complete. Ensure that all AC and DC power sources are off and disconnected.
Torque Settings

Table 6 shows recommended torque settings for all mechanical and electrical connections according to the screw or nut size.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
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<td>7.6-9</td>
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<td>15-18</td>
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<td>21-31.2</td>
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<td>#12-24</td>
<td>36-42</td>
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<td>1/4&quot;-20</td>
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<tr>
<td>Fuse Terminal</td>
<td>7.6-9.0</td>
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</table>

Required Tools

The power system is designed to be installed with a minimum number of commonly available tools.

- #1 and #2 Phillips screwdrivers
- Torque wrench
- 5/16” and 7/16” box wrenches, sockets, and nut drivers
- Wire and cable strippers
- Wire and cable crimpers

Mechanical Mounting

The system is intended for normal operations and should be installed in a standard 23” telecommunications rack. Eltek recommends that one person hold the shelf in position on the rack while another person secures it to the rack with the #12-24 screws provided. See Table 6 for recommended torque settings. A minimum gap of ¾” is required above and below the system for proper airflow.
Controller Connections

Any BC-series controller is compatible with the power system. Install the controller into the controller slot, which is on the left side of the shelf (see Figure 6). Only gentle force is required to fully install the controller module. If the controller does not mate with the backplane, simply withdraw the chassis, realign, and try again. Excessive force can bend or break the pins of the connector, permanently damaging the controller. For more information about installing peripheral connections, refer to the Installation and Operation manual that is shipped with the controller unit. System controllers are sold separately.

AC Input Connections

There are two AC input feed configurations available: dual and individual. A dual-feed AC box can be modified for single-feed by following the instructions in the section “Single Feed”, beginning on page 16.

Remove knockouts and install a conduit or cord grip before connecting AC wiring. There are two knockouts for ¾” conduit (provided) and one knockout for a 1” conduit (available for order separately).

**Dual Feed**

Make these connections with single-hole ring terminals on #8-32 screws, and follow torque settings listed in Table 6.

To install AC 110 V:

1. Always make ground connections first. Ground leads should be longer than the AC lines. Make the ground connections with single-hole lugs onto the ¼”-20 stud labeled with the ground symbol, and follow torque settings listed in Table 6.
2. Connect the first line/hot to Line 1, labeled on the AC terminal block (Figure 7).
3. Connect the neutral to the slot labeled Line 1/N1.
4. For the second feed, connect line/hot to the slot labeled Line 2.
5. Connect the neutral to the slot labeled Line 2/N2.

To install AC 208/220 V:

1. Always make ground connections first. Ground leads should be longer than the AC lines. Make the ground connections with single-hole lugs onto the ¼”-20 stud labeled with the ground symbol, and follow torque settings listed in Table 6.
2. Connect the first line/hot to Line 1, labeled on the AC terminal block (Figure 7).
3. Connect the second line/hot to the slot labeled Line 1/N1.
4. For the second feed, connect line/hot to the slot labeled Line 2.
5. Connect the second line/hot to the slot labeled Line 2/N2.

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**Figure 7 - AC Terminal Block Connections (Dual Feed)**

**Single Feed**

To convert a dual feed box to single feed, install the terminal straps provided. The straps are small bus bars (part numbers B0247011513 and B0247011512) that, when installed, allow all rectifier slots to be fed by a single AC input.

**WARNING:** AC breaker and wire sizing must be adjusted for a single AC input feed.

**WARNING:** Once the bus bar straps are added only one AC feed can be connected to the power shelf. DO NOT attempt to connect a second feed in parallel.
To install the AC straps:

CAUTION: Ensure that AC power is removed from the system before following these instructions.

1. Remove the cover to the AC section. The AC section may look similar but not identical to the photos below, which depict the AC section of a K-series shelf.

2. Remove four terminal block screws.

3. Insert B0247011512 from screw labeled “Line 1” (top screw) to “Line 2” (third screw from the top).

4. Secure bus bar using the screws removed in step 2.

5. Insert B0247011513 from screw labeled “Line 1/N” (second screw from the top) to “Line2/N2” (bottom screw).


7. Follow directions for single feed AC installation per the installation and operation manual provided with the shelf.

8. Torque all screws to 18 in-lbs.

9. Replace cover over AC section before activating AC breakers.
Make AC line connections with single-hole ring terminals on #8-32 screws, and follow torque settings listed in Table 6.

To install AC 110 V:

1. Always make ground connections first. Ground leads should be longer than the AC lines. Make the ground connections with single-hole lugs onto the ¼”-20 stud labeled with the ground symbol, and follow torque settings listed in Table 6.
2. Connect the line/hot to Line 1, labeled on the AC terminal block (Figure 8).
3. Connect the neutral to the slot labeled Line 1/N1.

To install AC 208/220 V:

1. Always make ground connections first. Ground leads should be longer than the AC lines. Make the ground connections with single-hole lugs onto the ¼”-20 stud labeled with the ground symbol, and follow torque settings listed in Table 6.
2. Connect the first line/hot to Line 1, labeled on the AC terminal block (Figure 8).
3. Connect the second line/hot to the slot labeled Line 1/N1.

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**Individual Feed**

Make AC line connections with single-hole ring terminals on #8-32 screws, and follow torque settings listed in Table 6.
To install AC 110 V:

1. Always make ground connections first. Ground leads should be longer than the AC lines. Make the ground connections with single-hole lugs onto the ¼"-20 stud labeled with the ground symbol, and follow torque settings listed in Table 6.

2. Connect each line/hot to Line 1 (L1), rectifier 1 (R1), labeled on the AC terminal block (Figure 9).

3. Connect the neutral to the slot labeled Line 2/N (L2), rectifier 1 (R1).

4. Repeat the procedure for each remaining rectifier.

To install AC 208/220 V:

1. Always make ground connections first. Ground leads should be longer than the AC lines. Make the ground connections with single-hole lugs onto the ¼"-20 stud labeled with the ground symbol, and follow torque settings listed in Table 6.

2. Connect the line/hot to Line 1 (L1), rectifier 1 (R1), labeled on the AC terminal block (Figure 9).

3. Connect the second line/hot to the slot labeled Line 2/N (L2), rectifier 1 (R1).

4. Repeat the procedure for each remaining rectifier.
DC Output Connections

**WARNING:** It is very important to verify polarity of all shelf connections, as well as of batteries, before connecting batteries to the shelf. A wrong connection can cause the system not to work properly, can damage the shelf, and may cause bodily harm. For continued protection against fire, replace a fuse with another of only same type and rating. Indicating fuses have exposed live parts. Use caution when replacing or servicing them.

**CAUTION:** Circuit breakers (both load and battery) should be in the “OFF” position when installed in the system.

**NOTE:** Use the distribution label card, located on the door of the distribution section, to document fuse and breaker locations.

**Proper DC Cable Routing**

Figure 10 shows the proper cable routing for circuit breaker connections. All circuit breaker cables should be routed through the cable openings to the left, when looking at the rear of the shelf, of the connection points.

**NOTE:** Routing the cables in any other manner may harm the personnel or the system.

![Cable routing openings](image1)

![DC cables](image2)

**Figure 10 - Proper Cable Routing for Circuit Breaker Connections**

Circuit 9 contains four circuit breaker and twenty GMT fuse connections. All DC output connections are accessible from the rear (Figure 12), whereas circuit breakers and fuses are accessible from the front (Figure 11).
Make GMT output and return connections by using the compression screws on the GMT terminal strips accessible from the rear (Figure 12). Select wire size according to specifications in the section “DC Output Requirements” on page 10. GMT cables should be routed straight down through the cable holes just below the GMT terminal block. Torque these M3 screws to 4.5 in-lbs. Install fuses into appropriate slots in the GMT fuse block shown in Figure 11.

For load output and return circuit breaker connections (positions A and B), connect lugs to the double ¼” -20 studs with 5/8” centers, accessible from the rear, as shown in Figure 12. Circuit breakers can be found behind the distribution door on the right side of the system when viewing it from the front (Figure 11). Size wires and lugs according to specifications in the section “DC Output Requirements” on page 10. Breaker cables should be routed through the cable holes on the left side of the shelf when viewing it from the rear (Figure 10). **DO NOT connect an equipment load to LVD-protected output connections.**
For battery output and return circuit breaker connections (positions C and D), connect lugs to the double ¼”-20 studs with 5/8” centers, accessible from the rear, as shown in Figure 12. Circuit breakers can be found behind the distribution door on the right side of the system when viewing it from the front (Figure 11). Breaker cables should be routed through the cable holes on the left side of the shelf when viewing it from the rear (Figure 10). If no LVD is installed, all circuit breaker connections can be used for either load or battery connections.

Connect a DC reference ground to the extra return connection next to the GMT connections shown in Figure 12. This connection has double ¼”-20 studs with 5/8” centers.

**Circuit Breaker Installation**

⚠️ **CAUTION:** Circuit breakers (both load and battery) should be in the “OFF” position when installed in the system.

Circuit breakers (sold separately) are UL-approved bullet-nose style and install into the breaker connection points shown in Figure 11. Follow national, local, and company codes for sizing and installation. If circuit breakers supplied by Eltek are not used, the system requires agency-approved breakers with isolated auxiliary output connections. In addition, alarm contacts should short-circuit between the NC (normally closed) and C (common) connections in a tripped state.

![Figure 13 - DC Circuit Breaker](image-url)
3. Test and Turn-Up

Power up

1. After all input and output connections have been secured and checked, activate all input breakers.

2. When input breakers are on, install each rectifier sequentially by sliding the rectifier into position and closing the latch as shown in Figure 14. **Rectifier latches must be open for installation. Attempting to install rectifiers with latches closed can result in mechanical damage to the rectifiers and the shelf.** Rectifier fans will start in high-speed mode and reduce their speed according to the ambient and plant conditions within 10 seconds. As each rectifier is installed, the controller automatically identifies the new rectifier and reconfigures the system.

3. Activate all DC breakers in the system. Leaving DC breakers in the off position may cause a distribution alarm on the controller. In addition, if the system contains an LVD contactor there may be a system alarm for a short period of time until the LVD closes.

4. After all rectifiers have been installed, and if there are no alarms, the controller will display “System OK.” (If there are alarms, refer to Section 5 for troubleshooting assistance.) At this time, make any adjustments to the default controller settings by following the instructions in the Installation and Operation manual that is shipped with the controller.

5. If no changes are necessary, the installation is complete.

**NOTE:** There will be an LVD alarm initially (if the optional LVD is installed), but it will clear after the pre-programmed LVD reconnect time (typically 20 seconds) has elapsed. If there are no alarms, make any adjustments to the default controller settings by following the instructions in the Installation and Operation manual that is shipped with the controller.

![Figure 14 - Rectifier Insertion](image-url)
4. Replacement Items

The controller, LVD and shunt (optional), and rectifiers are designed as modular, field-replaceable units. The following sections outline the procedure to replace these items.

**Controller**

To replace a controller module:

1. Unlatch the display by using the release on the backside of the faceplate, and remove it. The display is connected to the controller module by a ribbon cable (do not disconnect it).
2. Pull the controller module out of the shelf.
3. Align the replacement controller module and carefully insert it into the shelf. If it does not seat properly, partially withdraw the body and try again until it mates with the connector in the rear of the shelf.

**CAUTION:** Using excessive force may permanently damage the communication pins or the housing on the back of the controller. Once properly seated, the controller turns on if the shelf is powered.
4. Install the display by hooking the bottom of the faceplate into the shelf and rocking the top back until the release snaps in place.

For settings and operation of a BC-series controller, see the controller operation manual provided with the controller unit.

**Rectifiers**

In the event that a rectifier needs to be removed:

1. Press the latch button on the front of the unit, and pull the handle until the unit slides out of the slot.
2. With the latch open, (Figure 14), slide the replacement unit into the open slot until it connects with the backplane.
3. After the rectifier is inserted, close the latch by pressing it.

The rectifier will power up and the controller will configure it automatically. No further setup is required.

**LVD and Shunt (Optional)**

It is necessary to use an insulated ratchet and socket for removing an LVD and shunt (referred to as just LVD) from a live system. Failure to use insulated
tools and take precautions while removing the LVD screws can result in serious bodily harm and damage to the shelf.

To replace the LVD, perform the following steps:

1. Remove circuit breakers from all LVD-protected positions.
2. Remove the two connection screws as shown in Figure 15 by using an insulated ratchet with a ¼ inch socket. Caution must be taken not to short-circuit the connection screws to the shelf chassis.
3. Grasp and pull the LVD plate as shown in Figure 16, until it unlatches from the backplane.
4. To reinstall a new LVD, align the slots and pins as shown in Figure 17 and push the assembly until the front edge lines up with the front surface of the chassis. Replace the LVD screws removed in step 2.

Figure 15 - Removal of the LVD Screw

Figure 16 - Removal of the LVD Plate
Rectifiers

To replace a rectifier, perform the following steps:

1. Press the latch button on the front of the rectifier that needs to be removed, and pull the handle until the unit slides out of the slot.

2. Open the latch of the new rectifier, and slide the rectifier into the open slot until it connects with the backplane. (See Figure 14.)

3. After the rectifier is inserted, close the latch by pressing it. The rectifier will power up and the controller will configure it automatically. No further setup procedure is required.
5. Troubleshooting

In case of an alarm from the controller, verify the following (for details, refer to the Controller Installation and Operation manual):

- All AC and DC connections are secured properly.
- All rectifiers are installed and seated properly.
- The controller is installed and seated properly.

Follow these instructions for different scenarios:

- **AC OK off, DC OK off, ALM on or off, and display blank**: Verify that proper AC voltage has been supplied to the rectifiers being used. Refer to Error! Reference source not found. for AC input voltage requirements. Reseat the rectifiers, and if problems continue, replace the rectifiers.

- **AC OK on, DC OK off, ALM LED on, and display blank**: Check DC output connections for short circuits. Reseat rectifiers, and if problems continue, replace the rectifiers.

- **AC OK on, DC OK on, and display blank**: For details about troubleshooting in this scenario, refer to the Controller Installation and Operation manual.

### Short Circuit and Current Limit

Figure 18 represents the behavior of the output voltage in relation to the output current as load requirements exceed the ILimitsetpoint. ILimit can be adjusted up to +105% of the rated current of the rectifier. The system output voltage will remain constant up to ILimit at which point it will drop quickly to 0 V, as shown in Figure 18. If the output voltage of a V rectifier drops below 12 V for more than 5 seconds, the system will shut down. The system will automatically restart after 60 seconds, and will continue to restart and shut down until the short circuit is cleared.

![Figure 18 - Current Limit Graph](image-url)
6. Installationsanleitung (German)

Eingangsspannung (Voltage):

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Eingangsstrom (Current): 15 A
Eingangsleistung (Watts): 3000
Nennfrequenz (Frequency): 50/60 Hz
Modellnummer (Model No.): CCxx-xxx

AbmessungensindnurzurReferenz (Dimensions are for reference only.):
- Depth: 12”/30.8 cm (front access with front wire)
- Depth: 15”/38.1 cm (front access with rear wire)
- Height: 3.45”/87.6 cm
- Width: 21.45” (std. 23")/54.5 cm or 17.45" (std. 19")/44.3 cm

Max. Umgebungstemperatur: V2000A rectifier, full power: 65 °C/Vollast (Max operation temperature) V1500B, N+1 configuration: 70 °C

Ausgangsspannungen und –stöme 54 V, max 240 A (output voltage and current)
- Das Gerät darf nur in Räumen mit beschränktem Zutritt aufgestellt werden. (Nurausgebildetes Personal) Restricted access locations only.
- Das Gerätemuß mindestensmiteinerAnschlußleitung 4 x mm oder 5 x mm versehensein. (Minimum wire sizes)
- Das Gerät hat keineneigenenAusschalter, esmußdahermiteinemEin- und AusschalterimVersorgungskreisversehensein. No mains ON/OFF switch is provided; disconnection means must be provided in the end-installation.
- Das Gerät hat keinBrandschutzgehäuseesdarfdaubernauf nichtbrennbarenUntergrundaufgestelltwerden. (Beton, Metallusw.) The unit must be installed on non-combustible flooring.
- Beim Aufstellen des Gerätesist daruf zu achten das alleAnforderungengemäß EN60950 eingehaltenwerden. Installation must comply with EN60950.
### 7. Revision Table

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