

## System specifications

|                                   | Controller LX   | Controller MX                        |                            | Controller LX   | Controller MX  |
|-----------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|---|--|
| <b>Capability</b>                 | up to 512 blocks<br>up to 8 strings*  | up to 200 blocks<br>up to 4 strings* | <b>Interfaces</b>          | Link Battery Management Software<br>Controller Web Interface  |  |
|                                   |   |                                      |                            | 16 x 2 character LCD & keypad   | –  |
| <b>Battery system information</b> | Block: Voltage, Ripple Voltage, Ohmic, Temp<br>String: Voltage, Current, Ripple Current<br>Environment: Ambient Temperature, Humidity                                   |                                      | <b>Communication ports</b> | 2 x 1000Base-T Ethernet<br>2 x Expansion ports<br>Expansion port options: RS485, Wi-Fi <sup>1</sup> | 1 x 1000Base-T Ethernet<br>1 x USB<br>1 x Expansion ports - RS485 (optional)<br>1 x Wifi (optional) <sup>1</sup> |
| <b>Battery types</b>              | Lead Acid (2V, 4V, 6V, 8V, 12V & 16V)<br>Ni-Cd (1.2V, 3.6V)   |                                      | <b>Protocols</b>           | ModbusTCP, SNMP, HTTP and HTTPS<br>ModbusRTU when RS485 card is fitted                              |  |
| <b>Battery charging regime</b>    | Float and Intermittent  |                                      | <b>Relay outputs</b>       | up to 12, 4 via Controller up to 8 via Hubs   | 1  |
| <b>Thermal runaway management</b> | String breaker or charger step down signalling  |                                      | <b>Digital inputs</b>      | up to 10, 2 via Controller, up to 8 via Hubs  | up to 4 via Hubs   |
| <b>Environment</b>                | Operating temperature: 0 to 50°C / 32 – 122°F<br>Storage temperature: -10 to 70°C / 14 – 158°F<br>10 to 90% RH non condensing<br>Altitude: 2000m max., Indoor use only. |                                      | <b>Certifications</b>      |   |  |

<sup>1</sup>Wi-Fi 802.11 dual band 2.4/5 GHz a/ac/b/g/n, security WPA2. \* Contact PowerShield for further details.

## Controller

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|--|--|----------------------|---|--|--|
| <b>Service port</b>                                      | Front Ethernet port (1000Base-T)                               | USB 2.0 (Type B)     | <b>Dimensions</b><br>Width<br>Depth<br>Height<br>Weight | 1U High 19" rack mount<br>430mm / 16.9 inches  | 250mm / 9.84 inches  |
| <b>Port 1</b>  | Back Ethernet port (1000Base-T)                                |                      |   | 265mm / 10.4 inches  | 155mm / 6.1 inches   |
| <b>Port 2</b>  | Expansion port - optional RS485                                |                      |   | 45mm / 1.8 inches  | 36mm / 1.4 inches  |
| <b>Port 3</b>  | Expansion port <sup>1</sup> RS485 or Wi-Fi <sup>1</sup>        | –                    | <b>Power supply</b>                                     | 3.0 kg / 6.6 lb  | 1.2kg / 2.7lb  |
| <b>Display</b>   | 16 x 2 character LCD   | –                    |   | AC Model:<br>90 – 260V 50/60Hz<br>24V DC Model: 18 – 30V<br>48V DC Model: 35 – 60V<br>110V DC Model: 80 – 150V | AC Model:<br>90 – 260V 50/60Hz<br>48 DC Model: 18 – 60V<br>110 DC Model: 80 – 150V |
| <b>Front</b>   | USB data storage   | SD Card data storage | <b>Power consumption</b>                                | 5W + 1.2W per Hub  | 1.5W + 1.2W per Hub  |
| <b>Relay outputs</b>                                     | 4 SPDT   | 1 SPDT               | <b>Digital inputs</b>                                   | 2 (Voltage free / Dry contact)   | –  |
| <b>Rating Selectable</b>                                 | 1A @ 30VDC, resistive*<br>Any relay configurable to any alarm  |                      |   |  |  |
| <b>Configuration interface</b><br><b>Minimum version</b> | Web browser<br><br>Chrome 51, Edge 15, Firefox 54, Safari 10.0 |                      | <b>Memory</b>   | 2GB RAM<br>16GB Flash  | 1GB RAM<br>8GB Flash   |

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# Link battery management software

## Minimum PC system requirements<sup>1</sup>

|                         |  |                        |  |
|-------------------------|--|------------------------|--|
| <b>Processor</b>        | Intel i3-8100 or faster  | <b>RAM</b>             | 8GB  |
| <b>Operating system</b> | Windows 10 or 11<br>Windows Server 2012 R2, 2016, 2019 or 2022 | <b>Storage Monitor</b> | 20GB available hard disk space<br>1024 x 768 or 1366 x 768 |

<sup>1</sup>Recommended for up to 5 Controller connections, with single seat operation. Refer to PowerShield for larger configurations.

## mSensor

### Dual and Single Input

|   |  |                     |                     |                     |
|---|--|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Nominal voltage<sup>1</sup></b>      | NiCad <sup>2</sup>   | 2V                  | 6V                  | 12V                 |
| <b>Operating range</b>                  | 0.8V-1.9V  | 1.6V-2.6V           | 4.8V-7.8V           | 9.6V-15.6V          |
| <b>Maximum input voltage</b>            | ±5V  | ±6V                 | ±25V                | ±65V                |
| <b>DC resolution / accuracy</b>         | 1mV / ±0.3%  | 1mV / ±0.3%         | 5mV / ±0.2%         | 5mV / ±0.2%         |
| <b>AC resolution</b>                    | 1mV  | 1mV                 | 1mV                 | 1mV                 |
| <b>Ohmic measurement range</b>          | 0.10-5mΩ   | 0.10-5mΩ            | 0.50-20mΩ           | 1.00-40.00mΩ        |
| <b>Resolution / accuracy</b>            | 1uΩ / ±2.5% + ±15uΩ  | 1uΩ / ±2.5% + ±15uΩ | 1uΩ / ±2.5% + ±25uΩ | 1uΩ / ±2.5% + ±25uΩ |
| <b>Temperature<sup>3</sup></b>          | -10 to 80°C / 14 to 176 °F (all models)<br>0.1°C / ±1°C (all models) |                     |                     |                     |
| <b>Range Resolution / accuracy</b>      |  |                     |                     |                     |
| <b>Power supply current<sup>4</sup></b> | 50mA   | 30mA                | 20mA                | 20mA                |
| <b>Dimensions</b>                       | 76mm x 26mm x 106mm (W x D x H) (all models)                         |                     |                     |                     |
| <b>Weight</b>                           | 110 g / 0.24 lb (all models)   |                     |                     |                     |

<sup>1</sup>Most common models, other models available on request

<sup>2</sup>Ni-Cd single 1V mSensor cannot perform ohmic measurement

<sup>3</sup>Operating temperature -10 to 50°C / 14 to 122°F

<sup>4</sup>Power by block being monitored

Design rated to 750VDC. UL certified to 600Vdc

## Hub

|                                       |                                  |                          |                                   |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <b>Powered</b>                        | 24Vdc supplied by Controller     | <b>Digital inputs</b>    | 1, voltage free                   |
| <b>Power consumption<sup>2</sup></b>  | 1.2W                             | <b>Relay outputs</b>     | 1 SPDT                            |
| <b>Current transducer input</b>       | 2                                | <b>Rating</b>            | 1A @ 30VDC, resistive*            |
| <b>DC current</b>                     | 0 - 2000A                        | <b>Selectable</b>        | Configurable to any alarm         |
| <b>Typical resolution<sup>1</sup></b> | 0.05A                            | <b>Temperature</b>       | -10 to 80°C / 14 to 176°F         |
| <b>Accuracy</b>                       | ±1% + CT accuracy                | <b>Resolution</b>        | 0.1°C / 0.18°F                    |
| <b>Ripple current (AC)</b>            | True RMS                         | <b>Accuracy</b>          | ±1°C / 1.8°F                      |
| <b>Typical resolution<sup>1</sup></b> | 0.5A                             | <b>Relative humidity</b> | 0 - 100%                          |
| <b>Accuracy</b>                       | ±1% + CT accuracy                | <b>Resolution</b>        | 1.0%                              |
| <b>Frequency range</b>                | 10 - 1000Hz                      | <b>Accuracy</b>          | ±3% @ 25°C / 77 °F, 20% to 80% RH |
| <b>Dimensions</b>                     | 120mm x 25mm x 107mm (W x D x H) | <b>Weight</b>            | 180 g / 0.40 lb                   |

<sup>1</sup>Resolution dependent on CT model used, typical values are based on 400A CT.

<sup>2</sup>With 1 CT connected

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## Installation Dimensions

| Dimension | Maximum |      | Factory sizes      |                  |
|-----------|---------|------|--------------------|------------------|
|           | Metres  | Feet | Metres             | Feet             |
| <b>A</b>  | 75      | 246  | -                  | -                |
| <b>B</b>  | 50      | 164  | 3, 5, 10, 15       | 10, 16, 33, 49   |
| <b>C</b>  | 25      | 82   | -                  | -                |
| <b>D</b>  | 15      | 49   | 3                  | 10               |
| <b>E</b>  | -       | -    | 0.2, 0.4, 0.7, 1.0 | 8, 16, 28, 39 in |

