COMPONENT CERTIFICATE

Certificate No.: CC-GCC-TR8-07703-0 Issued: 2021-06-11 Valid until: 2026-06-10 DNV·G

Issued for:

Basler AVR of type DECS-250 and DECS-150

Specified in Annex 2

Issued to:

Basler Electric Company

12570 State Route 143 HIGHLAND IL 62249-1074 United States

According to:

VDE-AR-N 4110:2018-11 Technical requirements for the connection and operation of customer installations to the medium voltage network

FGW TG8:2019-02 Technical Guidelines for Power Generating Units, Systems and Storage Systems as well as for their Components, Part 8

Based on the documents: CR-GCC-TR8-07703-A065-0 CR-GCC-TR8-07703-A066-0 CR-GCC-TR8-07703-A067-0

Certification report: Model validation GCC, dated 2021-06-11 Certification report: Fault Ride-Through, dated 2021-06-11 Certification report: Control behavior and other grid code requirements, dated 2021-06-11

AVR of type DECS-250 and DECS-150 comply with the requirements of VDE-AR-N 4110:2018-11 and the complementary documents stated in Annex 1 provided the conditions of Annex 1 are considered at project level. The simulation model and the measurement reports of the type tests are cited in Annex 3.

Changes of the system design, software or the manufacturer's quality system are to be approved by DNV GL.

Hamburg, 2021-06-11

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Conditions and assessment criteria

1 Conditions

- Changes to the system design, software, simulation model or the manufacturer's quality system are to be approved by DNV GL.
- The parameters of the AVR are summarized in the Instruction Manuals provided by the manufacturer. The specified "default values" do not automatically meet the requirements according to the guidelines mentioned in Annex 1 section 2. If necessary, the settings must be adjusted and checked on a project level.
- The parameters for the AVR provide the setting for the reactive power control and FRT behaviour. The specified "default values" do not automatically meet the requirements according to the guidelines mentioned in Annex 1 section 2. If necessary, the settings must be adjusted and checked on a project level.
- The validity of this certificate requires that the manufacturer maintains and upholds a quality management system for its manufacturing facilities that is in accordance with ISO 9001.
- The default parameters of the simulation model do not automatically meet the requirements according to the guidelines mentioned in Annex 1 section 2. If necessary, the settings must be adjusted and checked on project level.
- Changes of the simulation model, system design (as stated in the certification reports CR-GCC-TR8-07703-A066 and CR-GCC-TR8-07703-A067), software or the manufacturer's quality system are to be approved by DNV GL.

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2 The assessment criteria and normative references for this certificate are:

- VDE-AR-N 4110:2018-11, Technische Regeln für den Anschluss von Kundenanlagen an das Mittelspannungsnetz und deren Betrieb (TAR Mittelspannung), VDE Verband der Elektrotechnik Elektronik Informationstechnik e.V., vom November 2018
 (VDE-AR-N 4110 Technical requirements for the connection and operation of customer installations to the medium voltage network (TAR medium voltage), in the following: VDE-AR-N 4110)
- /B/ Technische Richtlinie für Erzeugungseinheiten, -anlagen und Speicher sowie für deren Komponenten, Teil 3 (TR3): Bestimmung der elektrischen Eigenschaften von Erzeugungseinheiten und -anlagen, Speicher sowie für deren Komponenten am Mittel-, Hochund Höchstspannungsnetz, Fördergesellschaft Windenergie und andere Erneuerbare Energien (FGW), Revision 25, vom 01.09.2018 (Technical Guidelines for Power Generating Units, Systems and Storage Systems as well as for their Components, Part 3 (TG3): Determination of the Electrical Characteristics of Power Generating Units and Systems, Storage Systems as well for their Components in Medium., High- and Extra-High Voltage Grids (in the following: FGW TG3)
- /C/ Technische Richtlinie für Erzeugungseinheiten, -anlagen und Speicher sowie für deren Komponenten, Teil 8 (TR8): Zertifizierung der elektrischen Eigenschaften von Erzeugungseinheiten und -anlagen, Speicher sowie für deren Komponenten am Stromnetz, Fördergesellschaft Windenergie und andere Erneuerbare Energien (FGW), Revision 9, vom 01.02.2019

(Technical Guidelines for Power Generating Units, Systems and Storage Systems as well as for their Components, Part 8 (TG8): Certification of the Electrical Characteristics of Power Generating Units and Systems, Storage Systems as well as for their Components on the grid (in the following: FGW TG8)

/D/ Technische Richtlinie für Erzeugungseinheiten und -anlagen, Teil 4 (TR4): Anforderungen an Modellierung und Validierung von Simulationsmodellen der elektrischen Eigenschaften von Erzeugungseinheiten und -anlagen, Speicher sowie deren Komponenten, Fördergesellschaft Windenergie und andere Erneuerbare Energien (FGW), Revision 9, vom 01.02.2019 (Technical Guidelines for Power Generating Units and Systems, Part 4 (TG4): Demands on Modelling and Validating Simulation Models of the Electrical Characteristics of Power Generating Units and Systems, Storage Systems as well as their Components (in the following: FGW TG4)

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Description and technical data of the component

1 **Description of the component**

Basler AVR of type DECS-250 and DECS-150 are intended for synchronous generator or synchronous motor applications. They control the machine output through the application of regulated DC excitation power to the exciter field. The level of excitation power is based on the monitored voltage and current, and a regulation setpoint established by the user. The type DECS-250 and DECS-150 have a different range of typical generators the AVR is used for.

The guite extensive tables on parameters and setting ranges can be found in the detailed manuals, which are therefore to be considered as an appendix to the certification report (CR-GCC-TR8-07703-A067-0).

The electrical data of Basler AVR of type DECS-250 and DECS-150 are summarized in the following section.

Туре	DECS-250	DECS-150
Range of typically generators the AVR is used for:	300 kW- 50 MW	150 kW- 2MW
Aux. supply AC Nominal voltage:	56-70, 100-139, 190-277 Vac	100 -139 Vac or 190-2
DC nominal voltage (min/ max):	125 or 250 Vdc	125 or 250 Vdc
Desired Nominal	32 Vdc or 63 Vdc or 125 Vdc	63 Vdc or 125 Vdc
Excitation Power Voltage		
Machine frequency Measurement range f:	50 or 60Hz	50 or 60Hz
Measuring voltage:	100/120 Vac ±10%	100/120 Vac ±10%
	200/240 Vac ±10%	200/240 Vac ±10%
	400/480 Vac ±10%	400/480 Vac ±10%
	600 Vac ±10%	600 Vac ±10%
Measuring current:	1 or 5 Aac nominal	1 or 5 Aac nominal
Software version: ^{*)}	1.06.YY	2.04.YY

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The firmware is H.XX.YY where H is the hardware compatibility. XX is feature compatibility (in this case adding the German Grid code features incremented this number). YY is minor updates for cosmetic, error correction, and other reasons. The manufacturer confirms that changes to the last two digits of the software, marked with "YY", are only minor changes with no influence on the electrical behaviour. All other changes are checked and confirmed by DNV

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2.2 Operation Power

2.2.1 Operation Power DECS 250

Excitation Power	32 Vdc	63 Vdc	125 Vdc
Input Power configuration	1- or 3-phase	1- or 3-phase	1- or 3-phase
Nominal Input Voltage	60 Vac	120 Vac	240 Vac
Full Load Continuous Voltage	32 Vdc	63 Vdc	125 Vdc
Full Load Continuous Current	15 Adc (20 Adc up to 55°C (131°F))		
Minimum Residual Voltage for Buildup	6 Vac		
Operating Power Input Burden at 15 Adc Excitation Output	780 VA	1,570 VA	3,070 VA
Operating Temperature at 15 Adc Excitation Output	-40 t	to +70°C (-40 to +15	58°F)
Operating Power Input Burden at 20 Adc Excitation Output	1,070 VA	2,100 VA	4,170 VA
Operating Temperature at 20 Adc Excitation Output	-40 t	to +55°C (-40 to +13	31°F)

2.2.2 Operation Power DECS 150

Excitation Power	63 Vdc	125 Vdc
Input Power configuration	1- or 3-phase	1- or 3-phase
Nominal Input Voltage	120 Vac/125 Vdc	240 Vac/250 Vdc
Full Load Continuous Voltage	63 Vdc	125 Vdc
Full Load Continuous Current at 70°C Ambient Temperature	7A	
Full Load Continuous Current at 55°C Ambient Temperature	10 A	
Minimum Residual Voltage for Buildup	6 Vac	
Operating Power Input Burden at 7 Adc	698 VA	1,610 VA
Excitation Output	540 W	1,025 W
Operating Temperature at 10 Adc	980 VA	2,248 VA
Excitation Output	770 W	1,475 W
Operating Power Input Burden at 7 Adc Excitation Output	-40 to +70°C (·	–40 to +158°F)
Operating Temperature at 10 Adc Excitation Output	-40 to +55°C (·	-40 to +131°F)



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2.3 Generator and Bus Voltage Sensing

DECS-250

Type: 1-phase or 3-phase-3-wire Burden: <1 VA per phase Terminals: Generator Voltage Sensing: E1, E2, E3 Bus Voltage Sensing: B1, B2, B3 Voltage Nominal Input Range: 100 to 600 Vac, ±10%

Generator Current Sensing

<u>Configuration:.</u>4 inputs: A-, B-, C-phase, and crosscurrent compensation CT input <u>Type:</u> 1-phase (B-phase), 1-phase with cross-current compensation, 3phase, 3-phase with cross-current compensation <u>Range:</u> 1 Aac or 5 Aac nominal <u>Frequency:</u> 50/60 Hz <u>Burden:</u> 1 Aac Sensing: <5 VA 5 Aac Sensing: <10 VA <u>Terminals:</u> A-Phase: CTA+, CTA-B-Phase: CTB+, CTB-C-Phase: CTC+, CTC-Cross-Current Compensation: CCCT+, CCCT-

Accessory Inputs

Current Input Range: 4 to 20 mAdc Burden: Approximately 500 Ω Terminals: I+, I-<u>Voltage Input</u> Range: -10 to +10 Vdc Burden: >20 k Ω Terminals: V+, V-

Metering Accuracy

Generator Voltage (each phase and average): $\pm 1\%$ of rated Bus Voltage: $\pm 1\%$ of rated Generator and Bus Frequency: ± 0.1 Hz of rated Generator Line Current: $\pm 1\%$ of rated Generator Apparent, Active, and Reactive Power: $\pm 1\%$ of rated Power Factor: ± 0.02 Field Current and Voltage: 1% of rated Accessory Input: $\pm 1\%$ of rated

DECS-150

Type: 1-phase or 3-phase-3-wire Burden: <1 VA per phase Terminals: Generator Voltage Sensing: E1, E2, E3 Bus Voltage Sensing: B1, B2, B3 Nominal Input Voltage Range: 100 to 600 Vac ±10%

<u>Configuration</u>: 4 inputs: A-, B-, C-phase, and cross-current compensation CT input <u>Type</u>: 1-phase (B-phase), 1-phase with crosscurrent compensation, 3-phase, 3-phase with cross-current compensation <u>Range</u>: 1 Aac or 5 Aac nominal <u>Frequency</u>: 50/60 Hz <u>Burden</u> 1 Aac Sensing: <0.1 VA 5 Aac Sensing: <0.1 VA 5 Aac Sensing: <0.3 VA <u>Terminals</u> A-Phase: IA+, IA-B-Phase: IB+, IB-C-Phase: IC+, IC-Cross-Current Compensation: CC+, CC-

Current Input Range: 4 to 20 mAdc Burden: Approximately 150Ω Terminals: I+, I-Voltage Input Range: -10 to +10 Vdc Burden: Approximately 100 k Ω Terminals: V+, V-



2.4 Contact In- and outputs

DECS-250

Contact Inputs Type: Dry contact, accept PLC open-collector outputs Interrogation Voltage: 12 Vdc Terminals: Start: START, COM A Stop: STOP, COM A 14 x Programmable Input: IN, COM A/B

Contact Outputs

Make and Break Ratings (Resistive) 24 Vdc: 7.0 Adc; 48 Vdc: 0.7 Adc; 125 Vdc: 0.2 Adc 120/240 Vac: 7.0 Aac Carry Ratings (Resistive) 24/48/125 Vdc: 7.0 Adc 120/240 Vac: 7.0 Aac

<u>Terminal Assignments</u> Watchdog: WTCHD1, WTCHD, WTCHD2 11 x Relay Output : RLY , RLY

2.5 Field Power Output

DECS-250 Continuous Rating: 15 Adc (20 Adc up to 55°C (131°F)) Terminals: F+, F– **Minimum 10-Second Forcing Output Rating** 60 Vac Input: 50 Vdc, 30 Adc 120 Vac Input: 100 Vdc, 30 Adc 240 Vac Input: 200 Vdc, 30 Adc **Minimum Field Resistance** 32 Vdc Application: 2.13 Ω (1.6 Ω for 20 Adc up to 55°C (131°F)) 63 Vdc Application: 4.20 Ω (3.15 Ω for 20 Adc up to 55°C (131°F)) 125 Vdc Application: 8.33 Ω (6.25 Ω for 20 Adc up to 55°C (131°F)) DECS-150

Type: Dry contact Interrogation Voltage: 12 Vdc Terminals: 8 x Programmable Input: IN, COM

General Purpose Rating: 7 A, 24 Vdc/240 Vac Pilot Duty Rating: 2 A, 240 Vac (The load must be in parallel with a diode rated at least three times the coil current and three times the coil voltage.)

<u>Terminal Assignments</u> Watchdog: WD1, WD2, WD3 Relay Output 1: OC1, OC1 Relay Output 2: OC2, OC2

DECS-150

Continuous Rating: 7 Adc (70°C ambient) or 10 Adc (55°C ambient) Terminals: F+, F– **Minimum 10-Second Forcing Output Rating** 120 Vac Input: 100 Vdc, 11 Adc 240 Vac Input: 200 Vdc, 11 Adc **Minimum Field Resistance** 63 Vdc Application: 9 Ω 125 Vdc Application: 18 Ω

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2.6 Communication Ports

DECS-250

Universal Serial Bus (USB) Interface: USB type B port Location: Front panel

RS-232

Type: RS-232 (for external autotracking) Interface: DB-9 connector Location: Right side panel

RS-485

Type: RS-485, half duplex Interface: Spring type terminals Location: Left side panel Terminals: RS-485 A, B, C

Ethernet, Copper (style xxxx1x)

Type: 100Base-T copper Interface: RJ45 jack Location: Right side panel

Ethernet, Fiber Optic (style xxxx2x)

Type: 100Base-FX, multimode Interface: ST type connectors for RX and TX bnc style male connectors Maximum Length (Half-Duplex): 1,310 ft. (399 m) Maximum Length (Full-Duplex):6,600 ft. (2,011 m) Location: Right side panel

Controller Area Network (CAN)

Type: SAE J1939 message protocol Interface: Spring (style xxxSxxx) or compression (style xxxCxxx) type terminals Location: Right side panel Terminals: CAN 1 H, L, SH CAN 2 H, L, SH Differential Bus Voltage: 1.5 to 3 Vdc Maximum Voltage: -32 to +32 Vdc Communication Rate: 250 kb/s

DECS-150 Universal Serial Bus (USB)

Interface: USB type B port Location: Front panel (style xxS2V) or Rear panel (style xxS1V)

Ethernet

Type 10BASE-T/100BASE-TX copper Interface: RJ45 jack Location: Rear panel

Controller Area Network (CAN)

Type SAE J1939 message protocol Interface: Spring type terminals Location: Rear panel Terminals: CAN 2 H, L, SH Communication Rate: 250 kb/s

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2.7 Regulation

DECS-250

FCR Operating Mode Setpoint Range: 0 to 18 Adc, in increments of 0.1%Regulation Accuracy: $\pm 1.0\%$ of the nominal value for 10% of the power input voltage change or 20% of the field resistance change.

Otherwise, ±5.0%

FVR Operating Mode

Setpoint Range: 0 to 270 Vdc, in increments of 0.1% Regulation Accuracy: $\pm 1.0\%$ of the nominal value for 10% of the power input voltage change or 20% of the field resistance change. Otherwise, $\pm 5.0\%$

AVR Operating Mode

Setpoint Range: 70 to 120% of rated generator voltage, in increments of 0.1% Regulation Accuracy: $\pm 0.25\%$ over load range at rated PF with constant generator frequency and ambient temperature Steady-State Stability: $\pm 0.25\%$ at rated PF with constant generator frequency and ambient temperature Temperature Drift: $\pm 0.5\%$ between 0 and 40°C at constant load and generator frequency

Var Operating Mode

Setpoint Range: -100% (leading) to +100% (lagging) of the generator nominal apparent power in increments of 0.1% Regulation Accuracy: $\pm 2.0\%$ of the nominal generator

Power Factor Operating Mode

Setpoint Range: 0.5 to 1.0 (lagging) and -0.5 to -1.0 (leading), in increments of 0.005 Regulation Accuracy: ± 0.02 PF of the PF setpoint for the real power between 10 and 100% at the rated frequency

DECS-150

FCR Operating Mode Setpoint Range: 0 to 7 Adc (70°C ambient) or 0 to 10 Adc (55°C ambient) in 0.1 Adc increments Regulation Accuracy: ±5.0%

AVR Operating Mode

Setpoint Range: 70 to 120% of rated machine voltage, in increments of 0.1% Regulation Accuracy: $\pm 0.25\%$ over load range at rated PF with constant machine frequency and ambient temperature Steady-State Stability: $\pm 0.25\%$ at rated PF with constant machine frequency and ambient temperature Temperature Drift: $\pm 0.5\%$ between 0 and 40°C at constant load and machine frequency

Var Operating Mode

Setpoint Range: -100% (leading) to +100% (lagging) of the machine nominal apparent power in increments of 0.1% Regulation Accuracy: ±2.0% of the nominal machine apparent power rating at the rated machine frequency

Power Factor Operating Mode

Setpoint Range: 0.5 to 1.0 (lagging) and -0.5 to -1.0 (leading), in increments of 0.01 Regulation Accuracy: ± 0.02 PF of the PF setpoint for the real power between 10 and 100% at the rated frequency



2.8 Overexcitation Limiting

DECS-250 Off-Line Overexcitation Limiting High Current Level

Pickup Range: 0 to 40 Adc Increment: 0.1 Adc Time Range: 0 to 10 s Increment: 1 s Low Current Level Pickup Range: 0 to 20 Adc Increment: 0.1 Adc

On-Line Overexcitation Limiting High Current Level

Pickup Range: 0 to 40 Adc Increment: 0.1 Adc Time Range: 0 to 10 s Increment: 1 s **Medium Current Level** Pickup Range: 0 to 30 Adc Increment: 0.1 Adc Time Range: 0 to 120 s Increment: 1 s Low Current Level Pickup Range: 0 to 20 Adc Increment: 0.1 Adc

2.9 Environment

DECS-250

Temperature Operating Range: -40 to +70°C (-40 to +158°F) Storage Range: -40 to +85°C (-40 to +185°F) Humidity MIL-STD-705B, Method 711-1C Salt Fog MIL-STD-810E, Method 509.3

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High Current Level

Pickup Range 0 to 11 Adc (70°C ambient) or 0 to 14 Adc (55°C ambient) Increment: 0.01 Adc *Time* Range: 0 to 10 s Increment: 1 s **Low Current Level** Pickup Range 0 to 7 Adc (70°C ambient) or 0 to 10 Adc (55°C ambient) Increment: 0.01 Adc

High Current Level

Pickup Range 0 to 11 Adc (70°C ambient) or 0 to 14 Adc (55°C ambient) Increment: 0.01 Adc *Time* Range: 0 to 10 s Increment: 1 s **Low Current Level** Pickup Range 0 to 7 Adc (70°C ambient) or 0 to 10 Adc (55°C ambient) Increment: 0.01 Adc

DECS-150

Temperature Operating Range: 7 Adc Continuous: -40 to +70°C (-40 to +158°F) 10 Adc Continuous: -40 to +55°C (-40 to +131°F) Storage Range: -40 to +85°C (-40 to +185°F) Humidity Complies with MIL-STD-705B, Method 711-1C Salt Fog Complies with IEC 60068-2-11

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Type tests and validated simulation model

1 Type tests of the component

The measurements were performed on a Basler AVR of type DECS-250 and DECS-150 at customer facilities in in Highland IL, United States. The components and the software versions are described in Annex 2 of this certificate.

The measurement results are documented in the following measurement reports. Specific results can be found in the certification reports CR-GCC-TR8-07703-A067-0 and CR-GCC-TR8-07703-A066-0 also providing details on the assessment.

Measurement report no.	Extract no.	Content
10200683-A-1-A	-	Control behaviour
10200683-A-2-A	-	Fault ride-through tests
10200683-A-3-A	-	Fault ride-through tests

All tests according to FGW TG3 /B/ were assessed according to FGW TG8 /C/ and in compliance with VDE-AR-N 4110 /A/.

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2 Validated simulation model of the component

The validated simulation model of the component is contained in the following tables. In order to identify the file of the simulation model clearly, a check sum (MD5) is used.

The following table gives an overview of the open model and open library assessed.

File name	Check sum (MD5)
Basler_FRT_modelDNV_2019faster.slx 1)	48FC259032D4DB51FE95908AED03DD08
PowerControlExport2019b.slx 2)	38BD834A88BEF2CEE6F0AEA2C0E90665
DECS250_2019b.slx	FD1DDAE90A7CDF21B68E8B1F335EDF51
basler_blocks_2019b.slx	D34087903C5668350F25979F0B53387E
basler_blocks_DNV_2019b.slx	65FF25E4E1FB60024C9FF63403960330

¹⁾ only the interconnection within the Subsystem "AVR" excluding the Exciter is validated, the functional part is within the libraries

²⁾ Used for assessment, not within the certification scope

Basler Electric Company has provided protected models as listed in the table below, which do include the same libraries used for model validation. Those files may also be used.

File name	Check sum (MD5)
AVR.slxp	4A35924B0055FE1CDA0C9D4C96392FCA
FreqComp.slxp	7F7E2AA8BB26969DA154159049D22CDF
Load_Compensation.slxp	D35FBD92F6E21FAEC999E1683E30A689
LVRT.slxp	B98048A288A8B587D66BC59B63950646
PSS.slx	9879BD74F752180087629432C91EE103
SoftStart.slxp	0F66E5DD022AD7BBF13EB605578CF446
UEL.slxp	5308865F016AC547ED0FCB9F8C5EE3A7
UFLimiter.slxp	03954A12D9C5D1773B665D4A9DF3DE6A
VarController.slxp	AC5EBFC04622397E6B60D39AD188DA85

This simulation model was validated according to FGW TG4 /D/. Further explanations to the simulation model are contained in the certification report CR-GCC-TR8-07703-A065-0.