

DECS-250 CGCM Digital Excitation Control System





Overview

The DECS-250 CGCM controller is a system ready, total control and protection replacement package for the popular CGCM (Combination Generator Control Module) package provided through Rockwell Automation Allen-Bradley[®]. This controller combines the latest technology and the proven reliability of the DECS-250 and the CGCM. The DECS-250 CGCM, when used in conjunction with Rockwell Automation's ControlLogix[®] Automation Control, provides highly robust generator control, protection and system supervision.

Features

- Precise excitation control for synchronous machines
- Automatic Voltage Regulation, Field Current Regulation, Power Factor and var modes of operation
- Full generator metering capabilities
- Integrated Generator Protection (27/59, 810/U, 32R, 40Q, 47, EDM, 59F, 51F, Loss of PMG, and Field Short Circuit)
- Integrated Automatic Synchronization for 1 or 2 circuit breakers
- Over and Underexcitation limiting
- Autotracking between modes of operation and between redundant units
- Automatic transfer between primary and backup controller in redundant systems
- True RMS sensing, single-phase or three-phase voltage and current
- Conformal coating is applied to certain internal circuitry for additional protection and reliability
- Underfrequency Limiting or V/Hz Limiting

Benefits

- Emulation mode provides plug-and-play capabilities for quick and easy field replacement of existing CGCMs.
- Easy integration with the Allen-Bradley[®] ControlLogix[®] family.
- Ability to Autotrack between legacy CGCM's and the DECS-250 CGCM reducing the need to update both control systems.
- Powerful 15 A pulse width modulated power stage provides high initial response for exceptional system response to load transients.
- Flexible PWM power stage makes it easily adaptable to any system - shunt, auxiliary winding, permanent magnet, or dc fed.



Figure 1 - DECS-250 CGCM Connection Diagram for a Typical Application



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Power Supply			Generator an	d Bus
Nominal:		16 to 60 Vdc	Voltage Rang	1.
Burden:		50 VA or 30 W	voltage hall	Jes.
AC Operating Power and DC	Out	out Power		
All Styles				
Full Load Continuous Curre	ent: 2	20 Adc up to 55°C (131°F)	Frequency:	
	1	5 Adc up to 70°C (158°F)	Burden:	
10-Second Forcing:	3	30 Adc	Inputs and O	utputs
Power Input Configuration	n: 1	-phase and 3-phase	Contact Inpu	ts:
Power Input Frequency:	5	50 to 500 Hz	Auxiliary Inpu	uts:
32 Vdc			Current In	put:
Nominal Input Voltage:		60 Vac	Voltage In	put:
Full Load Continuous Volt	tage:	32 Vdc	Output Conta	acts:
Minimum Field Resistance	e:	2.13 Ω		
63 Vdc			Rating:	
Nominal Input Voltage:		120 Vac		
Full Load Continuous Volt	tage:	63 Vdc		
Minimum Field Resistance:		4.2 Ω	Communicat	ion
125 Vdc			USB:	USI
Nominal Input Voltage:		240 Vac	RS-232:	RS-
Full Load Continuous Voltage:		125 Vdc	Ethermore to	ext
Minimum Field Resistance	e:	8.33 Ω	Ethernet:	100
Generator Current Sensing				
Configuration:	1-p	hase or 3-phase with		
-	sep	arate input for cross-		
	cur	rent compensation		
Nominal Current:	1 Aac or 5 Aac			
Frequency:	50/60 Hz			
Burden:	<1	VA		

Specifications

nerator	and	Bus	Voltage	Sensina

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1-phase or 3-phase
100/120 Vac ±10%
200/240 Vac ±10%
400/480 Vac ±10%
600 Vac ±10%
50/60 Hz nominal
<1 VA per phase
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5:	16 programmable , dry contact
s:	1
ut:	4 to 20 mAdc
ut:	-10 to +10 Vdc
ts:	11 programmable form A
	1 watchdog form C
	Make, break, and carry 7 A resistive @ 24/48/125 Vdc (120/240 Vac).

mmunication

B:	USB type B factory port
-232:	RS-232, 9 pin, sub D for optional
	external autotracking
nernet:	100baseT

Agency/Certification

CSA certified, UL 6200:2019 recognized, CE UKCA EMC and LVD compliant, Bureau Veritas (BV), Det Norske Veritas (DNV), and American Bureau of Shipping (ABS) recognized, IECEx, UKEx, and ATEX certified

Environmental

Operating Temperature	5
20 Adc Continuous:	: −40°C to 55°C (−40°F to 131°F)
15 Adc Continuous:	∴ −40°C to 70°C (−40°F to 158°F)
Storage Temperature:	-40°C to 85°C (-40°F to 185°F)
Salt Fog: P	er MIL-STD 810E method 509.3
Shock: W	/ithstands 15 G in 3
р	erpendicular planes
Vibration: 5	G from 18 to 2,000 Hz in 3
р	erpendicular planes

Physical

Weight:	
Dimensions	(WxHxD):

14.6 lb (6.62 kg) 6.26 x 12.00 x 8.62 inches (159.0 x 304.8 x 219.0 mm)

For complete specifications, download the instruction manual at www.basler.com.



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Accessories

DECS-250 CGCM Adapter Plate (p/n 9440311112)

For mounting a DECS-250 CGCM in place of a CGCM.