

RANGE SUMMARY ILLUMINA NI-CD BATTERIES FOR DEMANDING PV APPLICATIONS

PIBAS[®] Illumina Range

Based on the more than 130 years of experience PIBAS[®] Illumina range is built on the well proven pocket plate design combined with the breakthrough PIBAS[®] AFM-Technology (absorbed fibre mat) ensuring the highest possible recombination efficiency. PIBAS[®] Illumina is leading the battery world in being employed in photovoltaic applications with most punishing environments for energy storage only the toughest battery can survive. The plate technology and special lithiumized electrolyte tolerates temperature fluctuations from -50°C to $+70^{\circ}\text{C}$ with no effect on plate structure. The high temperature characteristics offer the unchallenged, longest lifetime of any battery in this hostile environment. The PIBAS[®] Illumina design offers a 20 years+ service life, while it requires a minimum of maintenance. All this makes PIBAS[®] Illumina batteries the perfect product when the total cost of ownership (TOC) and an optimized OPEX is considered.

Advanced-Technology Build In

PIBAS[®] Illumina range has been especially designed to be used in uncertain conditions to offer highest reliability. The nickel plated iron & corrosion free internal construction, the special lithiumized electrolyte combined with the PIBAS[®] Modular Single Cell Concept and the PIBAS[®] AFM-Technology (absorbed fibre mat) make Illumina range to be the perfect choice for energy storage installations which are too important to fail.

PIBAS[®] Modular Single Cell Concept

All Illumina single cell cases are made by robust polypropylene container material moulded out of one piece to ensures 100% leak free operation, easy and fast installation and economical replacement/reduced OPEX throughout the lifetime.

Advantages of PIBAS[®] Illumina Batteries

- Excellent resistance against electrical and mechanical stress
- No risk of terminal decompose or sudden death due to plate construction
- Excellent cycling – 8.000 cycles at 15% dod (depth of discharge)
- Extremely long lifetime - 20 years+ service life in cycling applications at average 15% DoD
- Robust construction - hard-wearing and insensitive to faults in maintenance
- PIBAS[®] single cell concept for economical replacement and highest safety
- Wide operational temperature range
- More than 4 years without topping up – maintenance - possible

Configuration Forms

PIBAS[®] Illumina cells can be assembled into many different configuration forms, for example:

- Putting up on battery racks and cabinets
- Mounting as compact blocks
- Assembling in plastic/ stainless steel crates or battery troughs
- Can be equipped with a central water and degassing system

Important

The rated capacity C_{120} is not the basis for the performance of the batteries. It is to take into account that the performance depends on the battery construction, i.e. on the different battery ranges. Therefore, our discharge tables should be used to find out the appropriated cell type for a specific application in comparison to prices, dimensions ...

The rated capacity C_{120} of PIBAS[®] Illumina range batteries is based on the available ampere hours (Ah) at a discharge rate of 120 hours to the final discharge voltage which is stated in technical specification table per cell at $20^{\circ}\text{C} \pm 5^{\circ}\text{C}$.

Nominal voltage per cell is 1.2 V.

PIBAS[®] Illumina battery cells fulfil all requirements according to IEC 62259 and IEC 61427.

Discharging Conditions

The rated capacities C_5 given in this brochure are only valid for fully charged cells in accordance with IEC 62259.

Charging Conditions - Constant Voltage Limitation

Float level: 1.5 V/cell
Boost (optional): 1.65 V/cell

Charging Conditions - Regulator Based Switching

Float level: 1.55 V/cell
Boost (optional): 1.65 V/cell
Battery reconnect: 1.45 V/cell

For temperatures higher than $+25^{\circ}\text{C}$, a temperature compensation is not recommended, for lower temperatures the correcting factor for charge voltage is -3 mV/K .

PIBAS[®] Illumina Single Cell

Safety flip top vent cap

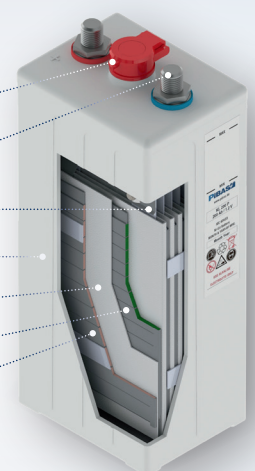
Nickel plated steel structure

PP single cell container

PIBAS[®] AFM-Separator

Positive deep cycle plate

Enhanced negative plate



PIBAS® ILLUMINA RANGE CELL DIMENSIONAL DETAILS / DESIGN LIFE: 20 YEARS + / NI-CD SINGLE CELL

TYPE	NOMINAL CAPACITY		NOMINAL CAPACITY 5 hr rate [Ah]	DIMENSIONS [mm]				TERMINALS Size	WEIGHT
	120 hr rate [Ah]			l	w	h	h1		
IL	108	G	100	74	136	339	357	2 x M10	6,18
IL	130	G	120	74	136	339	357	2 x M10	6,51
IL	151	G	140	112	134	291	327	2 x M16	7,67
IL	162	G	150	112	134	291	327	2 x M16	7,84
IL	194	G	180	118	167	327	362	4 x M20	10,61
IL	216	G	200	118	167	327	362	4 x M20	10,91
IL	248	G	230	118	167	327	362	4 x M20	11,17
IL	259	G	240	118	167	327	362	4 x M20	11,62
IL	297	G	275	129	167	364	400	2 x M20	12,22
IL	324	G	300	129	167	364	400	2 x M20	16,30
IL	356	G	330	129	167	364	400	2 x M20	16,50
IL	410	G	380	171	174	337	372	4 x M20	17,50
IL	432	G	400	171	174	337	372	4 x M20	18,00
IL	470	G	435	171	174	337	372	4 x M20	18,50
IL	486	G	450	171	174	337	372	4 x M20	18,90
IL	540	G	500	155	169	491	527	4 x M20	22,30
IL	605	G	560	155	169	491	527	4 x M20	24,80
IL	648	G	600	155	169	491	527	6 x M20	25,70
IL	675	G	625	195	215	376	405	6 x M20	28,80
IL	702	G	650	195	215	376	405	6 x M20	30,70
IL	810	G	750	195	268	376	405	6 x M20	32,30
IL	864	G	800	195	268	376	405	6 x M20	35,40
IL	918	G	850	195	268	376	405	6 x M20	37,20
IL	983	G	910	195	351	376	405	8 x M20	49,20
IL	1080	G	1000	195	351	376	405	8 x M20	53,70
IL	1210	G	1120	195	351	376	405	8 x M20	56,20
IL	1350	G	1250	195	437	376	405	10 x M20	53,80
IL	1458	G	1350	195	437	376	405	10 x M20	56,40
IL	1512	G	1400	195	437	376	405	10 x M20	58,00
IL	1620	G	1500	195	472	376	405	10 x M20	62,90
IL	1728	G	1600	195	472	376	405	10 x M20	64,70
IL	1840	G	1700	195	522	376	405	12 x M20	69,00

All dimensions and weights are subject to manufacturing tolerances. Issue January 2020