

TopCon TC.GSS

Programmable Grid-tie Source – Sink
Bidirectional High-Power DC Supply



TopCon GSS Power Supply unit with optional front panel control unit HMI

- TopCon Grid-tie Source Sink technology enables full bidirectional operation
- Compact design with integrated EMI - and Sine filters
- Constant voltage (0 – 100 %), constant current (0 – 100 %) and constant power operation (5 – 100%) with automatic and fast crossover and mode indication. Internal resistance simulation.
- Graduated product line: 400, 500, 600V DC, higher Voltages with series connection up to 1500V_{DC}. Power categories of 20 and 32 kW are available for each nominal output voltage.
- Optional extras and accessories complete the product line of power supply units.
- Modular concept for easy power increase: Parallel, series or multiloading master-slave-operation for up to eight power supply units.
- High efficiency at a low cost, resulting from the application of innovative IGBT and transformer technology. Primary switched. Galvanic isolated. Full digital control and regulation.
- A user-friendly PC program, the operating and service software TopControl, enables the user to communicate with the power supply.
- TopControl installation file, LabVIEW® and C/C++ API (DLL file) are included in the scope of delivery.
- CE conformity
- Swiss made: Developed, manufactured and tested in Switzerland by Regatron AG.

20 kW / 600 VDC / 42 A

Mains requirements and output specifications

AC line

Line voltage..... 3 x 360 – 440 V_{AC}
 Line frequency 48 – 62 Hz
 Mains connection type 3L+PE (no neutral)
 Input current Q1 active mode..... 3 x 32 Arms¹⁾
 Leakage current L to PE < 20 mA
 Powerfactor Q1 active- / Q4-mode..... ≥ 0.99
 (At nominal power)

DC-side ratings

Power range..... 0 – +/- 20 kW
 Voltage range..... 0 – 600 VDC
 Current range..... 0 – +/- 42 A²⁾
 Internal resistance range 0 – 1000 mΩ³⁾

Operating modes

Q1 active mode..... source mode
 Q4 mode regenerative/sink mode
 Voltage regulation (CV)..... 0 – 100 % U_{max}
 Current regulation (CC)..... 0 ± 100 % I_{max}
 Power regulation (CP)..... 0 ± 100 % P_{max}

Static accuracy

Load regulation CV, CC < ± 0.1% FS⁴⁾
 Line regulation CV, CC < ± 0.1% FS⁵⁾

Transient response time

Load regulation CV, CC < 2 ms⁶⁾
 Set value tracking CV, CC < 2 ms⁷⁾
 Quadrant change time CV, CC < 2 ms⁷⁾

Stability

CV, CC < ± 0.05% FS⁸⁾

Temperature coefficient

CV < 0.02 % FS / °C⁹⁾
 CC < 0.03 % FS / °C⁹⁾

DC-side ripple Q1 / Q4 Mode

300 Hz V_{pp} < 0.5% FS¹⁰⁾
 300 Hz V_{rms} < 0.1% FS¹⁰⁾

DC-side noise Q1 / Q4 Mode

40 kHz – 1 MHz V_{pp} < 1 V¹⁰⁾
 40 kHz – 1 MHz V_{rms} < 0.2 V¹⁰⁾

Remote sensing

Terminals on rear side Load voltage drop
 Compensation

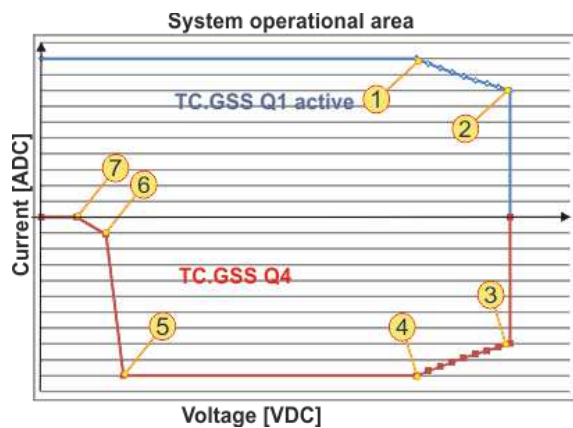
1) At nominal output power and line input voltage 3 x 400 VAC / 50 Hz. Soft-start to limit turn-on surge currents.
 2) Current according to the given power limit of the corresponding units. (P=U_{out} * I_{out} ≤ 20 kW; for I_{out} > 34 A --> U_{out} < 600 V). No current derating.
 3) Optionally extendable to a maximum of 12000 mΩ
 4) Typical value for 0 – 100 % load variation, at constant line input and temperature conditions.
 5) Typical value for input voltage variation within 360 – 440 VAC, at constant load and temperature conditions.
 6) Typical recovery time to within ± 5 % band of set value for a load step 10 – 90 %, ohmic load, at constant line input and temperature conditions. Transient response time can be slightly affected by multi-unit operation.
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 8) Maximum drift over 8 hours after 30 minute warm-up time, at constant line input, load and temperature conditions.
 9) Typical change of output values versus ambient temperature, at constant line input and load conditions.
 10) Typical value at nominal ohmic load, line asymmetry < 1 V_{rms}.

Non-ohmic loads can lead to deviations in the technical data. All product specifications are subject to change without notification.

General specifications

Efficiency at nominal power	92 % ¹⁶⁾
Weight	90 kg
Width front panel	483 mm
Width housing.....	(19") 444 mm
Height front panel	399 mm
Height housing.....	(9U) 394 mm
Depth with output terminals	634 mm
Depth housing	594 mm
Input connections:	terminal block 4 x 25 mm ²
DC terminals:	nickel-plated copper bars, length: 40 mm, 1 hole 9 mm Ø in each bar
Operating orientation	upside
Storage, transport orientation	upside

Operating range



Q1 and Q4 range of device TC.GSS.20.600.400.S

-1- :	477 V / 42 A	-4-:	477 V / -42 A
-2- :	600 V / 33.3 A	-5-:	80 V / -42 A
-3- :	600 V / -33.3 A	-6-:	70 V / -9 A
.....		-7-:	35 V / 0 A

Ambient conditions

Operating temperature	5 – 40 °C
Storage temperature.....	-25 – 70 °C
Relative air humidity (non-condensing)	0 – 95 %

Cooling

Standard: Internal liquid cooling with completely integrated liquid to air heat-exchange system using temperature-controlled fans.

Optional: Integrated liquid cooling system of the power stage with completely integrated liquid to liquid heat-exchange system.

Heat exchanger

Material.....	Stainless steel
Inlet/outlet on rear side size:	G ½"
Liquid temperature.....	15 ¹⁸⁾ – 35 °C
Flow	≥ 3 l/min
Pressure max.	≤ 10 bar
Pressure drop.....	50 mbar@3 l/min

Protection

Built-in protection

Overvoltage protection (programmable)	0 – 110 % U _{max}
Overcurrent protection (programmable)	0 – 110 % I _{max}
Max. reactive load voltage	≤ 110 % U _{max}
short circuit protection.....	Cont. short circuit allowed
Islandig, grid off, requirements for the connection of micro-generators in public grid according VDE 0126/EN 50438.	

Internal diagnostics

line input conditions, transformer primary current, temperature conditions, processor idle time, system configuration, system communication, sensor signals, power semiconductor temperatures.

Type of protection (according EN 60529)

Basic construction.....	IP 20 (current bars on rear side excluded)
Mounted in cabinet	Up to IP 53

Conformity CE-Marking

EMC Directive

EMC emission.....	EN 61000-6-4
EMC immunity.....	EN 61000-6-2

Low Voltage Directive

Electronic equipment for use in power installations.....	EN 50178
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Isolation

Line to output	4000 Vrms
Line to case.....	2500 Vrms
Output to case	> 10 MΩ
per DC output	13.6 nF
- bar ¹⁵⁾	+ 1000 VDC / - 1000 VDC
+ bar ¹⁵⁾	+ 1500 VDC / - 1000 VDC

Standard programming interfaces

Control port

Isolation to electronics and earth: 125 Vrms
25 pin D-sub connector, female, on rear panel

Control port input functions

Output voltage off / on.....	0 / 24 VAC / DC
2 digital application inputs	0 / 24 VAC / DC ¹¹⁾
Interlock circuit	0 / 24 VDC
Voltage setting 0 – 100 %	0 – +10 V
Current setting -100% – 100 %	-10 – +10 V
Power setting 0 – ±100 %.....	+10 – 0 V
Int. resistance setting 0 – 1000 mΩ ³⁾	0 – +10 V

Control port output functions

Unit ready / error	Relay contact
Output voltage on.....	Relay contact
Warnings.....	Relay contact
Actual voltage readback 0 – 100 %	0 – 10 V
Actual current readback -100% – 100 %	-10 V – 10 V
Resolution (programming and readback): U, I, P, Ri.....	0.2 % FS

3) Optionally extendable to a maximum of 12000 mΩ.
11) Customer-specificly programmable.
15) Peak Voltage including DC-Output Voltage.
16) At 8kHz switching frequency line side inverter.
17) Ni brazed, ready to use with deionized water.
18) 21 °C ambient ≤ 70 °C humidity.

Standard programming interfaces (continued)

RS232

9 pin D-sub connector, female, on front panel
 Isolation to electronics and earth 125 Vrms
 Baud rate 38400 baud
 Resolution (programming and readback):
 U, I 0.025 % FS
 P, Ri 0.1 % FS

Ordering Information

Ordering code

TC.GSS.20.600.400.S(.Option)

Standard Scope of delivery

TopCon power supply unit ready to install, including:
Operating manual (English or German)
RS232 cable 1.8 m
Installation disc TopControl,
LabVIEW® and C/C++ API (DLL file)

Options

Front panel control unit HMI

Integrated control, programming and display unit with graphic LC-Display, select wheel, push buttons and interactive text menus
 Languages (switchable) English, German
 Display resolution:
 U 4 digits
 I 3 digits
 P Kilowatt + 1 decimal digit
 Ri 1 mΩ

Remote control unit RCU

Specifications same as HMI, available in 2 versions:
desk top and 19" rackmount
 max. cable length 40 m
 Desk top W x H x D 355 x 100 x 290 mm
 19" rackmount W x H x D 483 x 88 (2 U) x 290 mm

Further options

TFEAAPControl Function Generating Engine
 Time-based and parametric pr.
 SASControl SAS application program
 including TFEAAP
 AccuControl Battery application program
 RS232REAR¹²⁾ RS232 on front and rear panel
 USB¹³⁾ Interface USB on rear panel
 RS422¹²⁾ RS422 on rear panel
 TCEthernet¹⁴⁾ Ethernet to RS232 on rear panel
 IEEE¹³⁾ GPIB/ IEEE488.2/ SCPI on rear panel
 cannot be combined
 with CANOPEN nor with USB
 CANOPEN¹³⁾ CAN/ CANOPEN on rear panel
 PROFIBUS¹⁴⁾ Profibus DP 485 to RS232 converter
 external unit for low level programming
 CANCEABLE Connecting cable
 for Multi-Unit Operation or RCU: 2, 5, 10 m
 PACOB Protection against accidental contact
 IRXTS³⁾ Internal resistance range extension
 LCAL Integrated liquid cooling of the power
 stage, inlet / outlet on rear side, size G 1/2"
 AIRFILTER Front panel airfilter 6 U / 9 U
 ISR Integrated safety relay
 NSOV Non-Standard output voltage (if possible)

- 3) Optionally extendable to a maximum of 12000 mΩ
- 11) Customer-specificly programmable.
- 12) This option and RS232: time-shared mode required, if used together.
- 13) RS232 only on Rear Panel.
- 14) Please order option RS232REAR separately.

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