



# BC-1224-10 Charger Manual

#### 1. FEATURES

- □ Microcontroller based 4-Stage 3-Level adaptive charging
- □ Fully automatic without intervention
- □ DC input for charging 24V batteries
- ☐ Auto power on/off depended on input voltage
- □ Output short circuit protection
- □ Input low voltage and high voltage protections
- □ Informative panel LED indications

# 2. SPECIFICATIONS

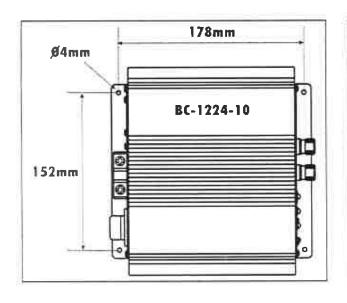
| Input Voltage         | 10 – 15V                   |                |  |  |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|----------------|--|--|
| Battery Voltage       | 24V                        |                |  |  |
| Charging Current      | 10A (Peak)                 |                |  |  |
| Auto Power On/Off     | Power On at 13.5V (+/-2%)  |                |  |  |
|                       | Power Off at 12.5V (+/-2%) |                |  |  |
| Input Fuse            | 40A                        |                |  |  |
| Protections           | Input Polarity             | Yes            |  |  |
|                       | Low Input Voltage          | < 9.5 V        |  |  |
|                       | High Input Voltage         | > 15.5 V       |  |  |
|                       | Over Temperature           | Internal 80 °C |  |  |
|                       | Output Short Circuit       | Yes            |  |  |
| Cooling               | Controlled DC Fan          |                |  |  |
| Operating Temperature | 0 – 55 °C                  |                |  |  |
| Dimensions(mm)        | 200 (W) x 205 (L) x 70 (H) |                |  |  |
| Weight                | 1.5Kg                      |                |  |  |

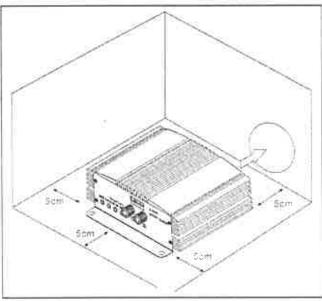


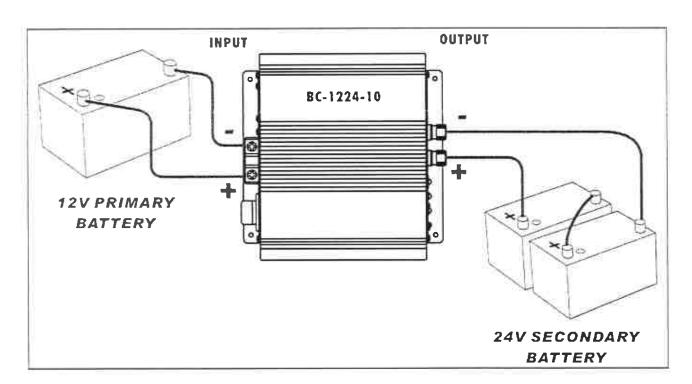




#### 3. INSTALLATION & MOUNTING





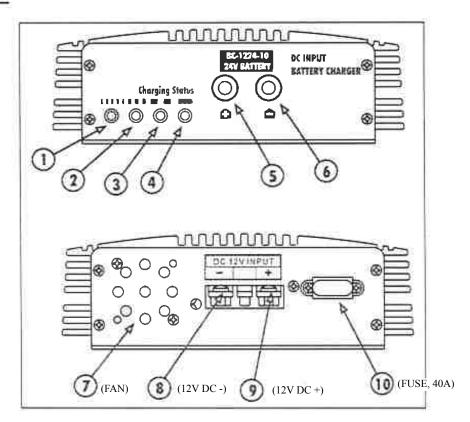


- ✓ Mount the charger such that there is no blocking of the ventilation holes at the rear panel
- ✓ Ensure the charger is mount securely
- ✓ Do not install the charger near any heat source or direct sunlight and water
- ✓ Use sufficient gauge size cables for both input and output
- ✓ Always fasten cables securely
- ✓ Ensure good ventilation





## 4. OPERATION



| • | Tickle Charge Red LED       | • | "-" Black Output Binding Post  |
|---|-----------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| • | Bulk Charge Red LED         | • | Ventilation Holes (Fan Behind) |
| • | Over Charge Yellow LED      | • | DC12V "-" Input Terminal       |
| • | Float Charge Green LED      | • | DC12V "+" Input Terminal       |
| • | "+" Red Output Binding Post | • | Blade Type Car Fuse Holder     |

- (1) Connect DC 12V to the terminal on the rear panel. (Cable size should be at least AWG#12 for full capacity operation)
- (2) Charger turns on when the input voltage is above 13.5V and it turns off when the input voltage is below 12.5V.
- (3) Panel LEDs flash in cyclic manner (standby state) after power on.
- (4) Connect the battery to the charger. The charger detects and charges the battery according to the charging condition of the battery automatically.
- (5) Buzzer sounds whenever there is a change in status or alar or alarm.
- (6) Charging is finished at float charge (green LED flashes).





## 5. <u>INDICATIONS</u>

|                      |            | Charging Status LEDs |          |        |       |
|----------------------|------------|----------------------|----------|--------|-------|
| Status               | Completion | Red                  | Red      | Yellow | Green |
| Standby              |            | Cyclic               |          |        |       |
| Trickle              | 30%        | Cyclic Off           |          | Off    |       |
| Bulk                 | 60%        | Off                  | Cyclic O |        | Off   |
| Over Charge          | 90%        | Off                  | Off      | Cyclic |       |
| Float                | 100%       | Off                  | Off      | Off    | Flash |
| Low Battery Voltage  |            | Flash                | Off      | Off    | Off   |
| High Battery Voltage |            | Off                  | Flash    | Off    | Off   |
| Low Input Voltage    | Alarms     | Flash                | Off      | On     | Off   |
| High Input Voltage   |            | Off                  | Flash    | On     | Off   |
| Over Temperature     |            | Off                  | Off      | Flash  | Off   |

<sup>\*</sup> All alarms and protections are auto resume

# 6. REMEDIES

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| Symptom   | Recommended Action   |  |  |
| No indicator is on or they are not in standby cyclic mode after power on  | <ul><li>(1) Check fuse.</li><li>(2) Check input power cable connection</li><li>(3) Need repairing.</li></ul>                 |  |  |
| Input low/high voltage alarm when power on  | Check the input voltage range.   |  |  |
| Charger is still in standby mode even the battery has been connected  | (1) Check the cables. (2) Faulty battery.  |  |  |
| Always low input voltage alarm when the charge at bulk charge mode  | (1) Check the stability of the DC input source during charging process. (2) Use large gauge size input cable.                |  |  |
| After battery is connected, Trickle & Bulk LEDs flash in cyclic mode for a while and low/high battery alarm rises                                   | Check the battery voltage  |  |  |
| After battery is connected, Trickle & Bulk LEDs flash in cyclic mode for a long time. Or It always jumps back to Trickle LED from O or F repeatedly | Aged battery with very large leakage current. Need to change the battery.  |  |  |
| The charger always jumps back from float charge to bulk charge after it stays at float charge for some time   | <ul><li>(1) The leakage current of the battery is large.</li><li>(2) Check if there is any loading on the battery.</li></ul> |  |  |
| The charger jumps to float charge after a discharged battery is connected   | Aged battery with large internal resistance. Need to change the battery.   |  |  |
| No flashing LED or only one LED is on   | There is always at least one LED flashing. Otherwise the charger needs repairing.  |  |  |