



CERTIFICATE NUMBER 21-2094227-PDA-DUP  
EFFECTIVE DATE 22-Sep-2021  
EXPIRY DATE 21-Sep-2026  
ABS TECHNICAL OFFICE Houston ESD - Piping

## CERTIFICATE OF Product Design Assessment

This is to certify that a representative of this Bureau did, at the request of

### **BASLER ELECTRIC COMPANY**

located at

**204 HIGHLAND DR ., TAYLOR, TX, United States, 76574**

assess design plans and data for the below listed product. This assessment is a representation by the Bureau as to the degree of compliance the design exhibits with applicable sections of the Rules. This assessment does not waive unit certification or classification procedures required by ABS Rules for products to be installed in ABS classed vessels or facilities. This certificate, by itself, does not reflect that the product is Type Approved. The scope and limitations of this assessment are detailed on the pages attached to this certificate.

**Product:** **Controller, Digital Universal Controller**

**Model:** **DGC-2020HD**  
**AEM-2020**  
**CEM-2020**  
**VRM-2020**

**Endorsements:**

**Tier:** **2 - PDA Issued**

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NOTE: This certificate evidences compliance with one or more of the Rules, Guides, standards or other criteria of ABS or a statutory, industrial or manufacturer's standards. It is issued solely for the use of ABS, its committees, its clients or other authorized entities. Any significant changes to the aforementioned product without approval from ABS will result in this certificate becoming null and void. This certificate is governed by ABS Rules 1-1-A3/5.9 Terms and Conditions of the Request for Product Type Approval and Agreement (2010)

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### **Endorsements:**

#### **Intended Service:**

Marine and Offshore Applications: Digital Control Systems for control of Diesel Engines and Generators on Ships and Offshore facilities.

#### **Description:**

DGC-2020HD: Microprocessor-based controller with integrated programmable logic and load sharing capabilities, designed for genset control, protection and metering for mains fail, paralleled units and systems with multiple buses. There are optional variations DGC-2020HD DIN Rail and DGC-2020HD Panel Mount.

AEM-2020: Analog Expansion Module fitted with 8 analog inputs, 8 resistance temperature device (RTD) inputs, 2 type k thermocouple inputs, 4 analog outputs configurable for 4 to 20 mA and 0 to 10 Vdc ranges, Controller Area Network (CAN) communication protocol, compatible with DGC-2020, DGC-202HD, DECS-250, DECS-250N and IEM-2020.

CEM-2020: Contact Expansion Module fitted with 10 dry contact inputs, 24 contact outputs, programmable, CAN communication protocol, compatible with DGC-2020ES, DGC-202, DGC-202HD, DECS-250, DECS-250N and IEM-2020

VRM-2020: Voltage Regulation Module - a remote module which communicates with the DGC-2020HD to provides excitation to the field of a brushless exciter for automatic voltage regulation.

#### **Rating:**

DGC-2020HD:

Voltage: Nominal - 12 VDC or 24 VDC, Range: 6 VDC to 32 VDC;

Power Consumption: Normal Operation - 18.1 W, Maximum - 25 W, Sleep - 12.7 W;

Enclosure Rating: IP 56 (Front Panel);

Environmental: Operating Temperature: -40 °C to 70 °C (-40 °F to 158 °F), The color touch screen maintains operation from -20°C to 70°C (-4 °F to 158 °F); (-4°F to 158°F).

VRM-2020:

Operating Power: Configuration: Single-phase, PMG only, Voltage Range:150 to 300 Vac, Frequency Range: 50 to 300 Hz

Control Power: Nominal: 12 or 24 Vdc, Range 6 to 32 Vdc

Field Output: Continuous Rating: 63 Vdc, 3.5 Adc, Forcing Rating: Up to 120 Vdc at 7.5 Adc for 10 seconds

Voltage Regulation Accuracy: ±0.25% from no load to full load

Environmental: Operating Temperature: -40°C to 70°C (-40°F to 158°F), Storage: -40°C to 85°C (-40°F to 185°F)

Shock: 15 G in 3 perpendicular planes; Vibration: 3 to 25 Hz: 1.6 mm peak amplitude, 25 to 2000 Hz: 5 G.

AEM 2020:

Power Supply: Normal 12 to 24Vdc, Range: 8 to 32Vdc, 5.1 W.

Analog Inputs: 8; Voltage: 0 to 10Vdc, Burden: 9.65 k minimum; Current: 4 to 20 mAdc, Burden: 470 maximum

RTD Inputs: 8, Rating: 100 platinum or 10 copper, Setting Range: -50°C to 250°C / (-58°F to 482°F)

Thermocouple Inputs: 2, Rating: Type K, Setting Range: 0 to 1378°C / (0 to 2507°F)

Analog Outputs: Voltage: 0 to 10Vdc, Current: 4 to 20 mAdc

CAN Bus: Differential Bus Voltage: 1.5 to 3 Vdc, Max. Voltage: -32 to +32Vdc, Communication Rate: 250 kB/s

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Environmental: Operating Temperature: -40°C to 70°C (-40°F to 158°F), Storage: -40°C to 85°C (-40°F to 185°F)  
Shock: 15 G in 3 perpendicular planes; Vibration: 5 to 29 Hz: 1.5 G peak for 5 min., 29 to 52 Hz: 0.036 in. double amplitude for 2.5 minutes, 52 to 500 Hz: 5 G peak for 7.5 min.

CEM 2020:

Power Supply: Normal 12 to 24Vdc, Range: 8 to 32Vdc, 14 W.

Contact Inputs: 10 dry contacts, programmable

Contact Outputs: No. 1 through 12: 1 Adc, 30 Vdc Form C, gold contacts; No. 13 through 24: 4 Adc, 30 Vdc, Form C

CAN Bus: Differential Bus Voltage: 1.5 to 3 Vdc, Max. Voltage: -32 to +32Vdc, Communication Rate: 250 kB/s

Environmental: Operating Temperature: -40°C to 70°C (-40°F to 158°F), Storage: -40°C to 85°C (-40°F to 185°F)

Shock: 15 G in 3 perpendicular planes; Vibration: 5 to 29 Hz: 1.5 G peak for 5 min., 29 to 52 Hz: 0.036 in. double amplitude for 2.5 minutes, 52 to 500 Hz: 5 G peak for 7.5 min.

#### **Service Restriction:**

- 1) Unit Certification is not required for this product. If the manufacturer or purchaser request an ABS Certificate for compliance with a specification or standard, the specification or standard, including inspection standards and tolerances, must be clearly defined.
- 2) Where the system is installed in classified area, all components in hazardous area must be certified and installed according to approved procedures

#### **Comments:**

- 1) The Manufacturer has provided a declaration about the control of, or the lack of Asbestos in this product.
- 2) Prototype testing performed as per ABS Marine Vessel Rules 4-9-9/Table 1 except test # 2, 10, 16. Tests for hardware only. Each configuration and external connection arrangement is to be specifically approved. When incorporated in a system of Category I, II or III in accordance with 4-9-3/7.1 and 4-9-3/Table 1 of the ABS Marine Vessel Rules the documentation detailed in 4-9-3/Table 2 is to be submitted to ABS or to be available for review by ABS as applicable.
- 3) The specific functional and operational arrangements are to be specifically approved in connection with the design approval of particular generator type/arrangement.
- 4) The equipment (voltage regulator) in the system for each installation is to be tested for verification of meeting the functional requirements defined in 4-8-3/3.13.2 of the Marine Vessel Rules.
- 5) Arrangements for electric propulsion generators are to be such that propulsion can be maintained in case of failure of an excitation system or failure of a power supply for an excitation system according to 4-8-5/5.5.1(d) of the ABS Marine Vessel Rules.
- 6) When excitation control systems are used in propulsion systems are to be inspected when finished and dielectric strength tests and insulation resistance measurements made on the various circuits in the presence of the Surveyor, preferably at the plant of manufacturer.
- 7) When the DGC-2020HD and associated accessories are installed in the generators, the unit is to be tested in generators' factory as per 4-8-3/Table 3, for generators  $\geq 100$  KW.
- 8) For equipment used for essential and emergency services on vessels not receiving notations ACC, ACCU, or ABCU, facilities without AMCC or AMCCU, all installations are to be functionally tested in accordance with 4-9-9/Table 2 of ABS Marine Vessel Rules to the satisfaction of the surveyor on board and during sea trials.

#### **Notes/Drawing/Documentation:**

Drawing No. 9469300785, IACS E10 Radiated Immunity Test Report, Pages: 29, Dated: 11 August 2021

Drawing No. 9469300786, IACS E10 Radiated Emissions Report, Pages: 48, Dated: 10 August 2021

Drawing No. 9503800782\_DLS EMC, 9503800782\_DLS EMC, Pages: 44, Dated: 08 July 2016

Drawing No. 9503800783\_DLS EMC, 9503800783\_DLS EMC, Pages: 32, Dated: 08 July 2016

Drawing No. 9503800784\_DLS EMC, 9503800784\_DLS EMC, Pages: 21, Dated: 08 July 2016

Drawing No. ABS WitnessTestsCert (Report Number:CH3149084), Page: 1, Dated: 16 June 2016

Drawing No. Dielectric Voltage Withstand and IACS High Voltage Test Signed, Pages: 15, Dated: 13 July 2016

Drawing No. IACS Cold\_VRM-2020, IACS Cold\_VRM-2020, Pages: 11, Dated: 08 August 2016

Drawing No. IACS Damp Heat\_VRM-2020, IACS Damp Heat\_VRM-2020, Pages: 12, Dated: 08 August 2016

Drawing No. IACS Dry Heat\_VRM-2020, IACS Dry Heat\_VRM-2020, Pages: 12, Dated: 08 August 2016

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### **STANDARDS**

#### **ABS Rules:**

The Rules for Conditions of Classification, 2021 Marine Vessel Rules 1-1-4/7.7, 1-1-A3,1-1-A4, which covers the following:2021 Rules for Building and Classing Marine Vessel Rules: 4-8-3/1.7, 1.11.1, 1.17.1, 4-8-3/3.13.2, 4-8-3/Table3, 4-8-4/27.1, 4-8-5/5.5.1, 4-9-3/7.1, 4-9-3/Table 2, 4-9-8/13.1, 4-9-9/Table 1, 4-9-9/Table2.

The Rules for Conditions of Classification, Offshore Units and Structures, 2021 Mobile Offshore Units 1-1-4/9.7, 1-1-A2, 1-1-A3, which covers the following:2021 Rules for Building and Classing Mobile Offshore Units: 4-3-1/11, 15, 17.1, 4-3-3/9.1.2.

#### **National:**

NA

#### **International:**

IEC 60068-2-1: 2007: Environmental Testing Part 2-1: Tests – Test A: Cold  
IEC 60068-2-2: 2007: Environmental Testing Part 2-2: Tests – Test B: Dry Heat  
IEC 60068-2-6:2007: Environmental Testing Part 2-6: Tests – Test Fc: Vibration (sinusoidal)  
IEC 60068-2-30:2005: Environmental Testing Part 1-30 Tests – Test Db; Damp Heat, cyclic (12 h + 12 h cycle)  
IEC 61000-6-2: 2016: Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC): Generic Standards-Immunity for Industrial Environments

#### **Government:**

NA

#### **EUMED:**

NA

#### **OTHERS:**

NA