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PREFACE

Congratulations!

With your purchase of the ML-PB-DC-AA NiMH Charger (Power Board family), for use with the type ML-xxxx dataloggers with GPRS Capabilities.

This manual describes the operation and (hardware) installation of the ML-PB-DC-AA NiMH Charger Power Board.

We recommend you to read this manual carefully before installation of your system.

1 ML-PB-DC-AA

The YDOC ML-PB-DC-AA NiMH Charger-PowerBoard is an accessory for the type ML-xxxx low power datalogger. It is designed to power the ML-xxxx datalogger from an auxiliary power source. It must be used together with three 1.2 Volts AA rechargeable batteries, an auxiliary DC power supply or a solar panel.

Features:

- Input voltage range 8 – 36 Volts DC
- Solar system
- Power output Booster
- NiMH Charger
- RoHs Compliant
- CE Compliant

1.1 Contents of the package

- ML-PB-DC-AA NiMH Charger Power Board



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Warranty

All YDOC instruments are warranted against defective materials and workmanship. Any questions with respect to the warranty mentioned above should be taken up with your [YDOC Distributor](#).

1.2 General

The ML-PB-DC-AA NiMH Charger is a multifunctional ,high efficiency, low noise, power supply and charger for AA type Rechargeable Batteries. It consists of a single PCB, to be mounted in a ML-xxxx-type datalogger

1.2.1 Charger

The charger is used to charge the rechargeable AA type batteries, and outputs the battery voltage. It is converting the input power into the batteries. The Charger is developed to operate with various power sources, especially solar panels. It is very versatile, and adapts automatically to the power source used. When there is very little power available, it will automatically reduce the charging current. It can be used with 8 .. 36 Volts solar panels or DC sources.

1.2.2 Protection

The charger has different protection features to enable a high reliable, user-friendly and safe operation. The features are implemented in both soft- and hardware to increase reliability.

Battery undervolts protection

It has a Battery low detection which is triggered when the battery voltage gets below 2.9 Volts. When this happens, the batteries will be disconnected from the output (from the datalogger), so, the batteries won't be damaged due to total discharge. There is a hysteresis which prevents the system from "flipping"on and of all the time.

The batteries are re-connected to the power output when the battery-voltage gets above the threshold + hysteresis. So, the datalogger will work again.

Overtemp protection

The temperature of the batteries is measured and if too high, the charging process is terminated.

Overvoltage protection

Both input and output are protected against too high voltage. The output protections ensures that the voltage of the output never exceeds 5.5 Volts, to guard your datalogger. The input voltage is monitored, and in case of overvoltage, the charging-process is terminated. When the input voltage is above 43 Volts, the fuse will blow.

Battery out dectection

This mechanism detects whether batteries are installed or not. If not, the charging process is terminated. This feature prevents the output voltage to rise above spec.

1.2.3 LED indicators



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Overtemp (RED)

When the temperature of the batteries reaches 45 degrees celsius, this (red) LED will be flashing. The charging process is terminated, until the temperature is normal again. This can happen when the enclosure is subjected to direct sunlight.

Overvoltage Input (RED/Flashing)

When the input voltage is higher than the spec of the device (>36 Volts) this (red) LED will lit (solid). The fuse will be blown when the input voltage reaches 43 Volts. The frequency of flashing is twice per second.

Battery Out (Orange)

The device detects if batteries are installed or not, and in case of no batteries present it lit the (orange) battery out LED, and terminates the charging process. This prevents the output voltage to rise to a out-of-spec value.

Charging (green)

A green LED indicates the correct charging of the batteries. It shows different stages:

- Solid : Normal charging (200 mA)
- Flash: High speed charging (800 mA)
- Off: No charging (<200 mA or no charge)

When the LED is off, it shows that the batteries are NOT or WEAK charging. This can indicate:

- Batteries are fully charged
- There is no input power available to charge with.
- The input power is not sufficient to charge @ normal speed

Indication LEDs	
LED	Color
Battery Out	Orange
Overvoltage/ Overtemp	Red/flash
Charge	Green/Flash

1.2.4 Overview Power Board

Underneath, a picture is shown of a ML-PB-DC-AA Power Board.

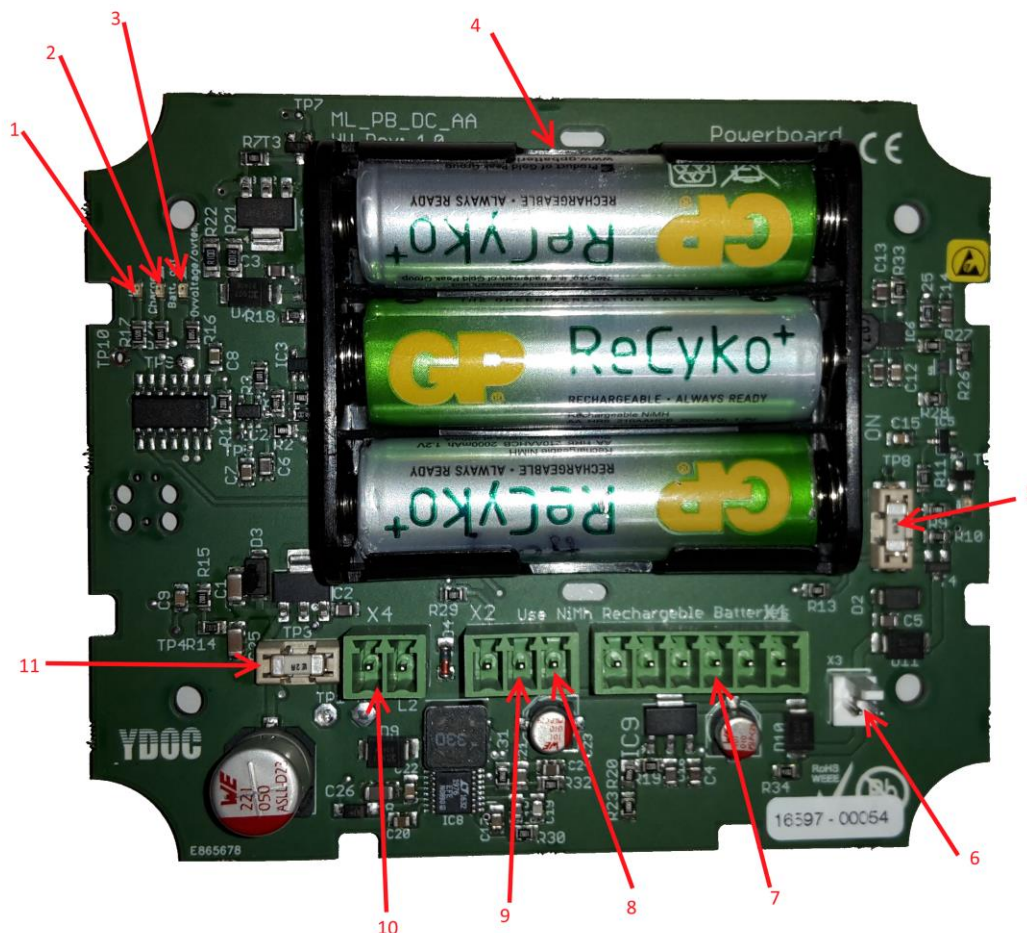


Figure 1: Board Overview

- 1) Charge indicator LED
- 2) Battery out detection LED
- 3) Overvoltage / Overtemp indicator LED
- 4) Battery holder, Use good Quality NiMH batteries only
- 5) Battery protection fuse
- 6) Output connector to datalogger
- 7) Power Booster Connector
- 8) Aux power available status pin
- 9) Power Booster trigger pin
- 10) Input Power connector (8 .. 36 Volts DC)
- 11) main fuse

1.2.5 Power Booster

This is used to “boost” the power switch signal from the datalogger. It is used for powering very high power demanding sensors. It also provides in two , user selectable, output voltages. The system can boost the normal 12 Volts /100mA power switch signal from the datalogger into a high power 12 Volts/200 mA or 24 Volts / 90 mA. The user can select his output voltage by using a solderjumper. Default your Powerboard is factory set to 12 volts. The booster is triggered by its sensor power input, an input voltage of 3..12 volts. Connect the sensor power signal from your datalogger to this input. If continuous operation of the booster is required, you may use jumper JP1. This option is , of course, NOT low power.

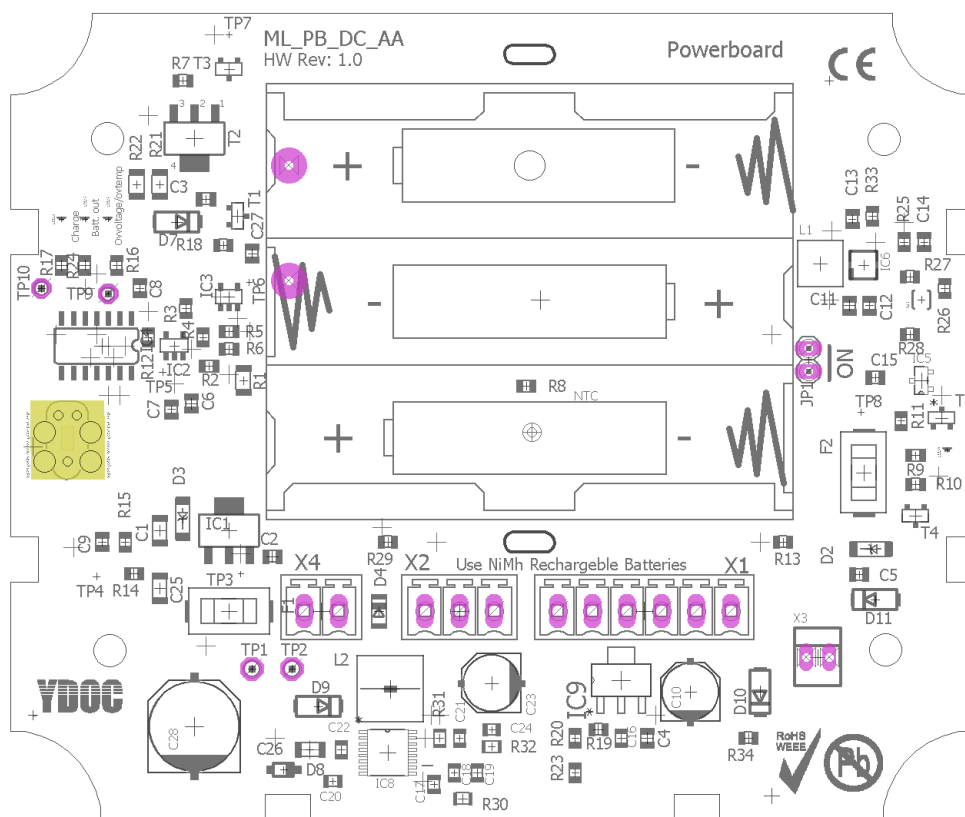
Output Voltage Configuration	
SJ1	Voltage
Open	12 V
Closed	24 V



- 1) Solderjumper SJ1
- 2) Jumper JP1 for continuous power boost operation

Connector Pin Configuration

Connector	Pin	Function	Description	Value	Comments
X1	1	GND	Sensor Power signal to power 12 Volts or 24 Volts sensors, multiple terminals for connecting multiple wires	0V	
X1	2	GND		0V	
X1	3	GND		0V	
X1	4	Power_Out		12V / 24V	
X1	5	Power_Out		12V / 24V	
X1	6	Power_Out		12V / 24V	
X2	1	Sensor Power Input	Sensor Power input , must be connected to Sensor	12 V Switched	
X2	2	GND		0V	
X2	3	Aux power Present	Power output of datalogger	5.0 V / 500 mA	
X3	1	Power Supply +	Power output for powering MLxxxx series datalogger	3.6 V	Molex connector
X3	2	Power Supply -		0V	
X4	1	Power Input +	Auxiliary power input	8 .. 30 V	
X4	2	Power Input -		0V	



Specifications ML-PB-DC-AA

Power Supply			
Protection	Internal fuse 4A		
Input Range	8 ~ 30 Vdc Solar optional use of 3 NimH batteries		
Type of Power	External DC NiMH battery/Solar Panel		
Power	Output Voltage	Output Current	Output power
	3.6 V	1000 mA	3.6 W
Power Switch Output			
Protection			
Output Voltage	12 Volts / 24 Volts selectable by solderjumper		
Output Current	200 mA / 90 mA		
Charger Circuit			
Discharge protection	yes, @ 2.9 Volts		
Bypass Diode	yes		
General Enviroment			
Temperature	Operating: -30 ~ + 65 °C; Storage -40 ~ +75 °C		
Humidity	5 ~ 100 % RH		
Electrical			
SMPS	yes		
Switch Frequency	200 kHz		
Quiesent Current	100 uA		
Peak Current	1.8 A		
Max. Input Voltage	30 V		
Min. Input Voltage	5 V		
Connector	Molex 22-27-2021		
Galvanic Isolation	No		
Ripple & Noise	1% pk-pk, 20 MHz bandwidth		
Overload Protection	Yes, by means of fuse		
CE Compliant	Yes		
Rohs Compliant	Yes		
Dimensions			
W X D x H	107 mm X 109 mm X 35 mm		
Weight			
Netto Weight	110 Grams		

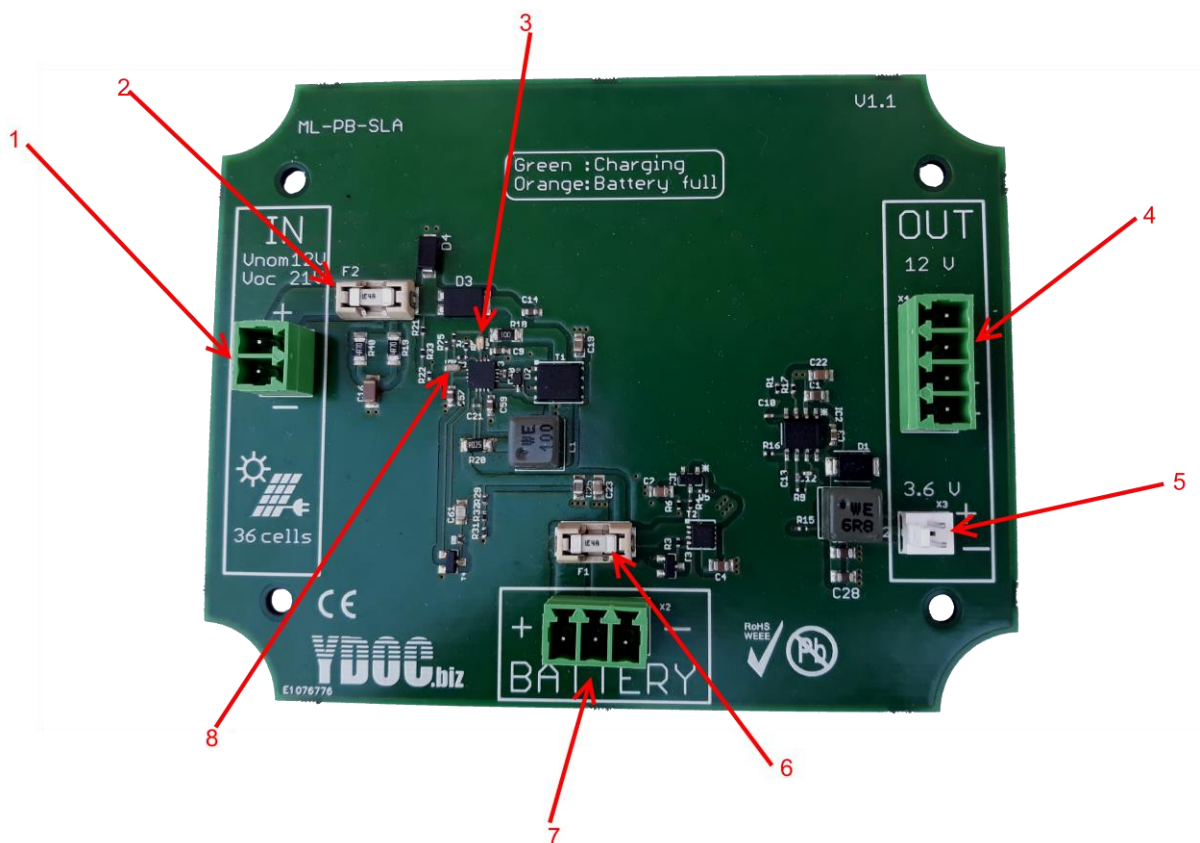
2 ML-PB-SLA

The YDOC ML-PB-SLA SLA Charger-PowerBoard is an accessory for the type ML-xxxx low power datalogger. It is designed to power the ML-xxxx datalogger from an auxiliary solar power source. It must be used together with a 12 V Sealed Lead Acid Battery (SLA) or en LiFe-PO4 battery and a solar panel or DC power supply Features:

- Solar system 36 Cells (12 Volts nom.)
- Power output 12 V
- Power output 3.6 V (for datalogger
- SLA Charger
- RoHs Compliant
- CE Compliant

2.1.1 Overview Power Board

Underneath, a picture is shown of a ML-PB-SLA Power Board.



- 1) Solar power in. Use 36 cells solar panel
- 2) main fuse (2A fast acting)
- 3) Charge indicator LED (Green)
- 4) 12 V Output connector (unregulated battery voltage)
- 5) 3.6 Volts output connector for datalogger (Regulated)
- 6) Battery Fuse (4 A fast acting)
- 7) Battery connector
- 8) Battery full indicator LED (Orange)

2.2 General

The ML-PB-SLA Sealed Lead Acid Battery Charger is a, high efficiency, low noise, power supply and charger for 12 Volts type SLA Batteries (or LiFe-PO4). It consists of a single PCB, to be mounted in a ML-xxxx-type Casing

2.2.1 Charger

The charger is optimized for solar power (36 cells , Vnom 12V Voc 21V). It automatically searches for the maximum power point of the solar panel, for high efficiency. The charge current is limited to 1.6 Amp, for small battery-support.

2.2.2 Protection

The charger has different protection features to enable a high reliable, user-friendly and safe operation.

Battery undervolts protection (SLA)

It has a Battery low detection which is triggered when the battery voltage gets below 10.8 Volts. When this happens, the batteries will be disconnected from the output (from the datalogger), so, the batteries won't be damaged due to total discharge. There is a hysteresis which prevents the system from "flipping" on and of all the time. (see technical specification)

The batteries are re-connected to the power output when the battery-voltage gets above the threshold + hysteresis. So, the datalogger will work again. Because of the chemistry of a battery, the hysteresis is relatively high. The battery is switched off @ 10.8 V and switched back on @ 12.0 V.



Due to this hysteresis, the system will not start, when connecting a battery with a voltage <12 V. Normally, a unloaded charged battery will have a voltage of > 12 V. An unloaded battery with a voltage < 12 V is pretty empty. After the solar panel has charged the battery above 12V it will work.

Overtemp protection

The system is protected against Too high temperature (>145 degrees Celsius), it will shut down. This temperature is measured inside the charge controller, which is connected to the gnd plane of the PCB. Because the batteries are charged externally, the batterytemp is NOT measured

Overvoltage protection

The input is protected against too high voltage. When the input voltage is above 34 Volts, the (main) fuse will blow. The battery is protected against overvoltage (overcharge) by the management chip.

Wrong polarity protection

The input is protected against wrong polarity. Nothing will happen if the polarity is wrong, but the system won't work.

The battery in/output is protected by means of a fuse. If connected wrong, the fuse will blow. Although the electronics are not damaged by this, it is NOT favorable for do.

2.3 operation

The ML-PB-SLA is used to charge SLA & LiFe-PO4 batteries. You can build a system with just this Power board , a solar panel and a battery. The Powerboard also has a power output for the datalogger. This way, the user won't have to buy a separate solar charger, and 3.6 volts power supply.

The ML-PB-SLA is optimized for solar power. It is not practical to use it as a power adapter for 12 ->3.6 Volts conversion. Use other products, like ML-PC-DC instead.

The ML-PB-SLA powerboard manages the energy system stand alone. There are no jumers, no settings are needed. It just works straight from the box. There are 2 indicators that are useful for the user.

2.3.1 Charge indicator

This is the green LED.

When this LED is lid, the battery is charged. The charge current is defined by the internal management system and may vary upon, state of charge of the battery and the available power from the solar panel.

2.3.2 Battery Full indicator

This is the orange LED. When this LED is lid, the charge process is terminated and the battery is fully charged. To prevent the device form "flipping" the system has a hysteresis. The battery will be charged again when the battery voltage drops below this hysteresis.

2.4 Maximum Power Point (MPP)

The device searches for the maximum power point of the solar panel. This fixed point lies at 18 Volts. (The mpp is related to the Voc of the panel, and that is a fixed property) When the charger needs more current than the solar panel can provide, it limits the current at this point.

Of course, when a very big solar panel is connected, the maximum power point can't be reached because of the overcurrent limit of 1 A. So, the maximum power point tracking only works when the solar panel is properly dimensioned to the charger. (i.e. a 12 V 15 Watt Panel). A bigger panel is supported also, only the MPP won't be reached. (the user will not notice, because it will operate perfectly)

Connector Pin Configuration

Connector	Pin	Function	Description	Value	Comments
X1	1	+ Solar		12 V nom	Solar Panel
X1	2	- Solar (GND)		0V	Solar Panel
X2	3	+ Battery		12V nom	Battery
X2	4	Not connected			
X2	5	- Battery (GND)		0V	Battery
X3	1	Datalogger Power +		3.6V	Datalogger
X3	2	Datalogger Power -		0V	Datalogger
X4	1	+12 V		12V nom	Datalogger
X4	2	+12 V		12V nom	Datalogger
X4	3	GND		0 V	
X4	4	GND	Power output for powering Auxilary equipment	0 V	Aux equipment



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Specifications ML-PB-SLA

Power Supply

Protection	Internal fuse
Input Power	Solar Panel
Type of Power	Solar Panel 36 Cells (Voc 21 Volts, Vnom 12 Volts)
Power	

Auxiliary Output

Protection	Yes, by fuse
Output Voltage	12 Volts unregulated (battery voltage)
Output Current	4 A max.

Charger Circuit

Discharge protection	yes, @ 10.8 Volts
Charging Current	1 A max
Battery Full Level	14.4 V
Battery Full Hysteresis	1.8 V (back on @ 12.6 V)
Battery Low Level	10.8 V
Battery Low hysteresis	1.2 V (back on 12.0 V)

General Enviroment

Temperature	Operating: -30 ~ + 85 °C; Storage -40 ~ +85 °C
Humidity	5 ~ 100 % RH

Electrical

Type of charger	Solar optimized charger with mpp tracking
Switch Frequency	1 Mhz typical
Quiescent Current	1 mA (3.6 Volts power supply active)
Quiescent Current	500 uA (SLA Battery low) (3.6 volts power supply not active)

3.6 V output

Output current	2A rms
Connector	Molex 22-27-2021
Galvanic Isolation	No
Ripple & Noise	5% pk-pk, 20 MHz bandwidth
Overload Protection	Yes, by means of fuse
CE Compliant	Yes
Rohs Compliant	Yes

Dimensions

W X D x H	106 mm X 82 mm X 15 mm
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Weight

Netto Weight	110 Grams
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3 ML-PB-DC-NIMH

The ML-PB-DC-NIMH NiMH Charger is a multifunctional ,high efficiency, low noise, power supply and charger for AA type Rechargeable Batteries. It consists of a single PCB, to be mounted in a ML-xxxx-type datalogger

3.1.1 Charger

The charger is used to charge the rechargeable AA type batteries, and outputs the battery voltage. It is converting the input power into the batteries. The Charger is developed to operate with various power sources, especially solar panels. It is very versatile, and adapts automatically to the power source used. When there is very little power available, it will automatically reduce the charging current. It can be used with 8 .. 30 Volts solar panels or DC sources.

3.1.2 Protection

The charger has different protection features to enable a high reliable, user-friendly and safe operation. The features are implemented in both soft- and hardware to increase reliability.

Battery undervolts protection

It has a Battery low detection which is triggered when the battery voltage gets below 2.9 Volts. When this happens, the batteries will be disconnected from the output (from the datalogger), so, the batteries won't be damaged due to total discharge. There is a hysteresis which prevents the system from "flipping" on and off all the time.

The batteries are re-connected to the power output when the battery-voltage gets above the threshold + hysteresis. So, the datalogger will work again.

Overtemp protection

The temperature of the batteries is measured and if too high, the charging process is terminated.

Overvoltage protection

Both input and output are protected against too high voltage. The output protections ensures that the voltage of the output never exceeds 5.5 Volts, to guard your datalogger. The input voltage is monitored, and in case of overvoltage, the charging-process is terminated. When the input voltage is above 43 Volts, the fuse will blow.

Battery out dectection

This mechanism detects whether batteries are installed or not. If not, the charging process is terminated. This feature prevents the output voltage to rise above spec.

3.1.3 LED indicators

Overtemp (RED)

When the temperature of the batteries reaches 45 degrees celsius, this (red) LED will be flashing. The charging process is terminated, until the temperature is normal again. This can happen when the enclosure is subjected to direct sunlight.

Overvoltage Input (RED/Flashing)

When the input voltage is higher than the spec of the device (>36 Volts) this (red) LED will lit (solid). The fuse will be blown when the input voltage reaches 30 Volts. The frequency of flashing is twice per second.

Battery Out (Orange)

The device detects if batteries are installed or not, and in case of no batteries present it lit the (orange) battery out LED, and terminates the charging process. This prevents the output voltage to rise to a out-of-spec value.

Charging (green)

A green LED indicates the correct charging of the batteries. It shows different stages:

- Solid : Normal charging (200 mA)
- Flash: High speed charging (800 mA)
- Off: No charging (<200 mA or no charge)

When the LED is off, it shows that the batteries are NOT or WEAK charging. This can indicate:

- Batteries are fully charged
- There is no input power available to charge with.
- The input power is not sufficient to charge @ normal speed

Indication LEDs	
LED	Color
Battery Out	Orange
Overvoltage/ Overtemp	Red/flash
Charge	Green/Flash

3.1.4 Overview Power Board

Underneath, a picture is shown of a ML-PB-DC-NIMH Power Board.

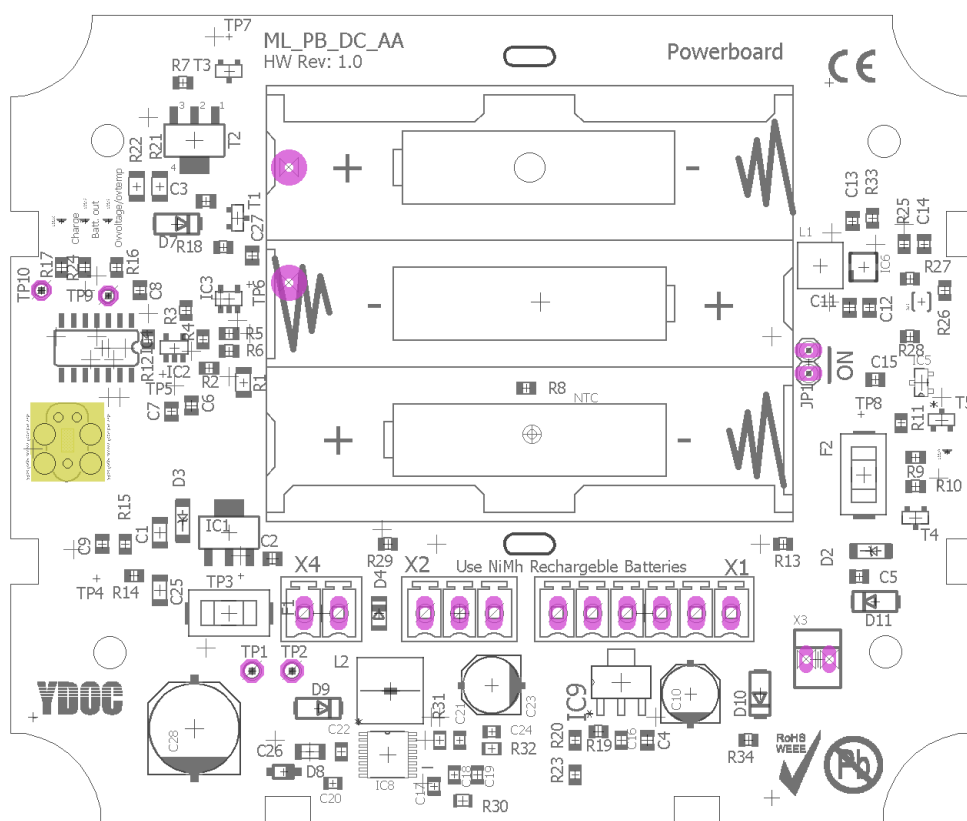


Figure 2: Board Overview

- 1) Charge indicator LED
- 2) Battery out detection LED
- 3) Overvoltage / Overtemp indicator LED
- 4) Battery holder, Use good Quality NiMH batteries only
- 5) Battery protection fuse
- 6) Output connector to datalogger
- 7) Input Power connector (8 .. 30 Volts DC)
- 8) main fuse

Connector Pin Configuration

Connector	Pin	Function	Description	Value	Comments
X3	1	Power Supply +	Power output for powering MLxxxx series datalogger	3.6 V	Molex connector
X3	2	Power Supply -		0V	
X1	1	Power Input +	Auxiliary power input	8 .. 30 V	
X1	2	Power Input -		0V	





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Specifications ML-PB-DC-NIMH

Power Supply

Protection	Internal fuse
Input Power	Solar Panel
Type of Power	Solar Panel 36 Cells (Voc 21 Volts, Vnom 12 Volts)
Power	

Auxiliary Output

Protection	Yes, by fuse
Output Voltage	12 Volts unregulated (battery voltage)
Output Current	4 A max.

Charger Circuit

Discharge protection	yes, @ 10.8 Volts
Charging Current	1 A max
Battery Full Level	14.4 V
Battery Full Hysteresis	1.8 V (back on @ 12.6 V)
Battery Low Level	10.8 V
Battery Low hysteresis	1.2 V (back on 12.0 V)

General Enviroment

Temperature	Operating: -30 ~ + 85 °C; Storage -40 ~ +85 °C
Humidity	5 ~ 100 % RH

Electrical

Type of charger	Solar optimized charger with mpp tracking
Switch Frequency	1 Mhz typical
Quiescent Current	1 mA (3.6 Volts power supply active)
Quiescent Current	500 uA (SLA Battery low) (3.6 volts power supply not active)

3.6 V output

Output current	2A rms
Connector	Molex 22-27-2021
Galvanic Isolation	No
Ripple & Noise	5% pk-pk, 20 MHz bandwidth
Overload Protection	Yes, by means of fuse
CE Compliant	Yes
Rohs Compliant	Yes

Dimensions

W X D x H	106 mm X 82 mm X 15 mm
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Weight

Netto Weight	110 Grams
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4 ML-PB-DC-LI

The ML-PB-DC-LI -Power_Board is a multifunctional ,high efficiency, low noise, power supply. It consists of a single PCB, to be mounted in YDOC ML-type datalogger (it comes with a cover

Properties:

- 1) 8 ..28 Volts DC auxiliary input power option
- 2) Lithium Battery option

4.1.1 8..28 Volts DC auxiliary input power (Lithium Power Backup)

The power supply is converting the input source to a, stable and clean, output voltage.

A special super-low-loss diode is mounted, for isolation of the batteries. I.E. that no current is drawn, accidentally, from the batteries, into the attached power supply. The output voltage of the power supply is slightly higher than the unloaded voltage of the lithium battery, so no current is taken from the battery, when the board has input power.

A green LED indicates the presence of the input power.

So:

- 1) When both, (lithium)battery and auxiliary power are connected, the power will be taken from the auxiliary power only, and thus saving the battery.
- 2) When the power board is connected, but NOT powered, the ML- datalogger will still continue to work, and draw it's current from the Lithium battery. No extra current is wasted into the power supply, by means of the diode.

So to increase the availability of your system it is advised to use both battery and Auxiliary power.

Protection

The power board input circuit is equipped with a tranzorp of 30 Volts, and a fuse of 4A. This protects the connected datalogger from high input voltages.

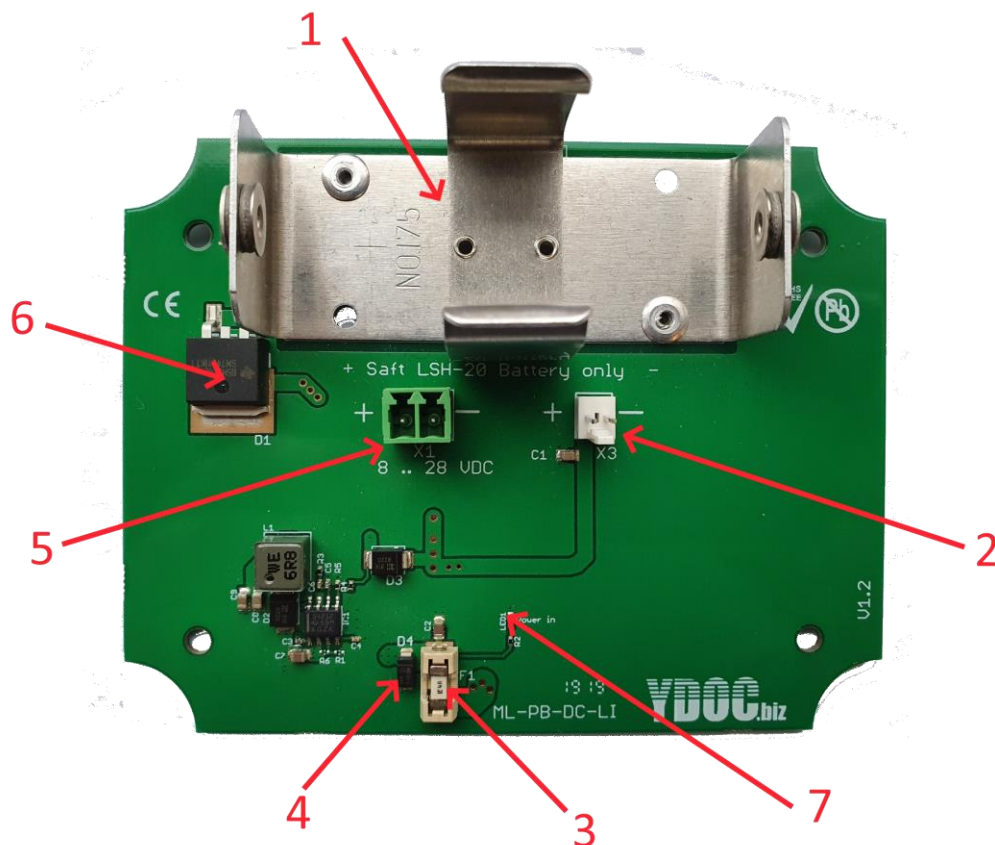


Beware of exposing power board to high voltages, as it will damage the fuse. Also, when the polarity of the input-source is wrong, the fuse will blow. But, your connected datalogger is protected in both cases.

Normally the fuse will never blow, during the lifetime of the instrument.

4.1.2 Overview Power PCB option Lithium Auxiliary Power

Underneath, a picture is shown of a ML-PB-DC-AA Power Board with Lithium Battery and auxiliary DC power option.



- 1) Battery holder for Lithium Battery (Saft LSH-20)
- 2) Power output for powering datalogger
- 3) Main fuse
- 4) Transorp for protection
- 5) 8..28 VDC auxiliary power input connector
- 6) Super low loss diode
- 7) Input power LED

Specifications ML-PB-DC-LI

Power Supply

Protection	Fuse 4A
Input Power	8 .. 28 VDC
Power	1 A (rms)

General Enviroment

Temperature	Operating: -30 ~ + 85 °C; Storage -40 ~ +85 °C
Humidity	5 ~ 100 % RH

Electrical

Switch Frequency	1 Mhz typical
Quiesent Current	<1 mA @12V (3.6 Volts power supply active)

3.6 V output

Output current	2A rms
Connector	Molex 22-27-2021
Galvanic Isolation	No
Ripple & Noise	5% pk-pk, 20 MHz bandwidth
Overload Protection	Yes, by means of fuse
CE Compliant	Yes
Rohs Compliant	Yes

Dimensions

W X D x H	106 mm X 82 mm X 15 mm
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Weight

Netto Weight	110 Grams
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5 ML-PB-PV-AA

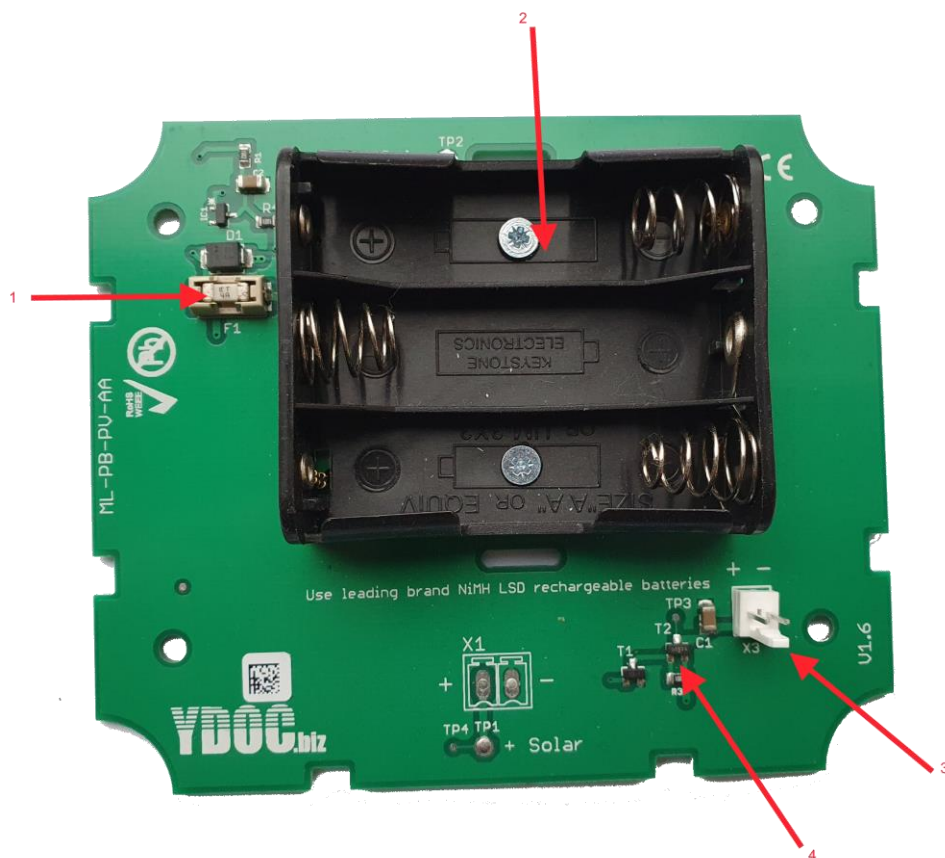
The ML-PB-PV-AA Power Board is a power board for solar charging of 3 NiMh -AA cells . It is to be mounted ia a special solar cover from ydoc.



It features overload protection-by dimensioning and battery discharge protection.

5.1 Solar charging of NiMh batteries (AA -type)

The design is very straightforward: a 1 Wp solar panel, that is mounted in the special cover, is directly charging the batteries. The output is switched off, when the batteries are depleted (@2.9 Volts). A diode prevents the batteries to drawn via the solar panel at night.
A 4A fuse protects the batteries/device in case of a shortcircuit.



- 1) 4A Battery fuse
- 2) Battery holder for 3 AA type NINH LSD cells (low self discharge)
- 3) Output connector (to datalogger)
- 4) Undervolts protection

Specifications ML-PB-PV-AA

Power Supply	
Protection	Fuse
Input Power	Solar Panel
Type of Power	YDOC Solar Panel (10 cells 1 Watt)
Charger Circuit	
Discharge protection	yes, @ 2.9 Volts
Charging Current	200 mA max
Battery Empty Level	2.9 V
Battery EmptyHysteresis	0.45 V (back on @ 3.35 V)
General Enviroment	
Temperature	Operating: -30 ~ + 85 °C; Storage -40 ~ +85 °C
Humidity	5 ~ 100 % RH
Electrical	
Type of charger	Solar
Switch Frequency	DC
Quiescent Current	Not applicable
Galvanic Isolation	No
Overload Protection	Yes, by means of fuse
CE Compliant	Yes
Rohs Compliant	Yes
Dimensions	
W X D x H	106 mm X 82 mm X 15 mm
Weight	
Netto Weight	110 Grams

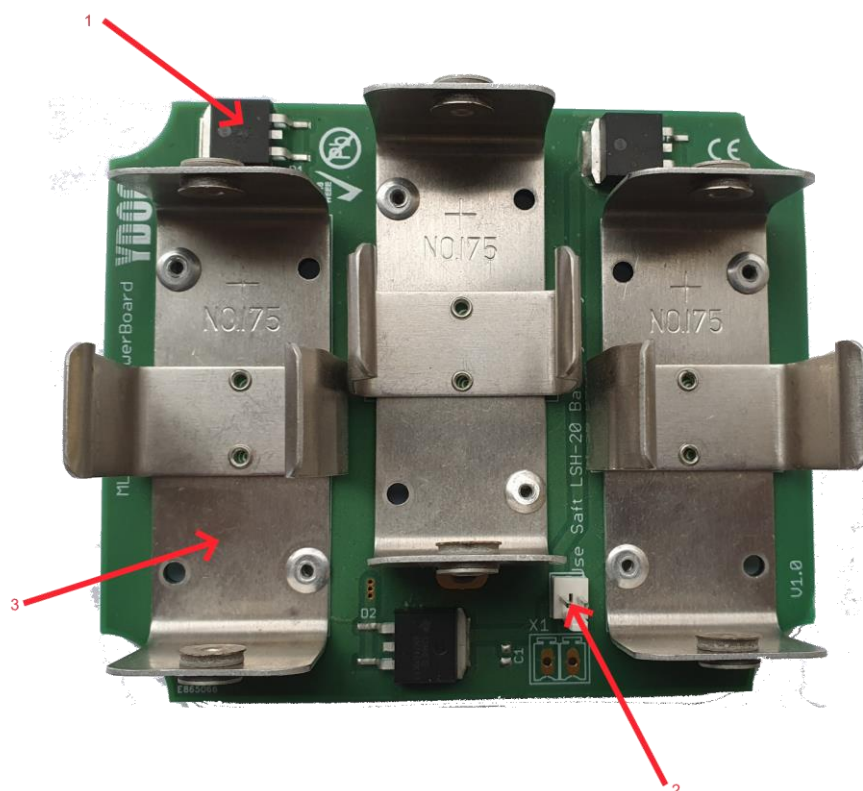
6 ML-PB-3LI

The ML-PB-3LI Power Board is a board to facilitate the housing of 3 D-cell Li batteries (Saft LSH-20)
Combined the board holds 39 Ah @ 3.6 Volts.

6.1 Triple Lithium battery holder

The board has 3 good quality battery holders to hold the LSH-20 cells. The circuit is very straightforward:
In series with each battery is a super low loss diode, which prevents the cells against revers current (which could be an issue when cells of different state of depletion are installed, or even minor differences in production)

There is NO fuse on the board, because the battery has an internal fuse already.



- 1) Super – low loss diode (Smart diode)
- 2) Output connector (to datalogger)
- 3) Battery holder

Specifications ML-PB-3LI

Power Supply	
Protection	None / Fuse inside battery
Input Power	none
General Enviroment	
Temperature	Operating: -30 ~ + 85 °C; Storage -40 ~ +85 °C
Humidity	5 ~ 100 % RH
Electrical	
Galvanic Isolation	No
Overload Protection	Yes, by means of fuse in battery
CE Compliant	Yes
Rohs Compliant	Yes
Dimensions	
W X D x H	106 mm X 82 mm X 15 mm
Weight	
Netto Weight	110 Grams