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Specification for 7/5 A 4200 mAh

Type: Rechargeable Nickel Metal Hydride

Nominal Dimension: $\Phi = 18.3^{+0}_{-0.7}$ mm, h=67.0⁺⁰_{-2.0}mm (with sleeve)

Nominal Capacity: 4200 mAh (20°C, 0.2C discharge to 1.0V/cell)

Internal Resistance: $\leq 15 \text{ m}\Omega$ (at 1kHz, fully charged, 20°C, average)

Applications: Recommended discharge current 0.05C to 3.0C

Standard charge: 0.1C for 16 hrs at 20°C

Service Life: > 500 cycles (20°C, IEC Standard)

Average Weight: 58 g

Typical capacity: (20°C) 4200 mAh (0.2C to 1.0 V)

3980 mAh (0.5C to 0.95 V)

Max. Discharge Curr.: 3.0C (continuous)

Fast Charge: 0.3C to 0.5C

Charge termination control recommended

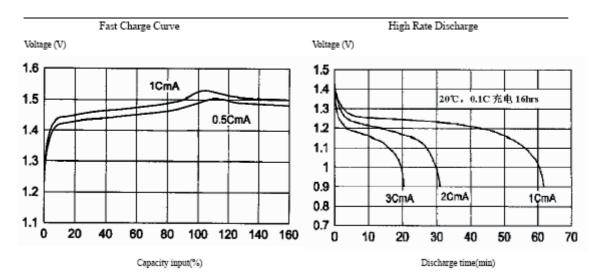
(20°C, $-\Delta V = 5 \sim 7$ mV, Timer = 120% nominal input)

Continuous Overch.: 0.1 C (less than 100 hrs)

Permanent Charge: 130 mA to 210 mA

Operation Temperature: 0°C to 45°C (standard charge)

+10°C to +45°C (fast charge) -20°C to +60°C (discharge) -20°C to +35°C (storage)



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Performance and Quality Assurance

1. Scope

This specification governs the performance of Nickel Metal Hydride Cylindrical cell and its stacked-up batteries.

The nominal voltage of this type unit cell is 1.2V, and the voltage of the stacked-up batteries shall be equal to the value of the unit cell multiplied by the number of cells, and the capacity shall be the capacity of the unit cell.

2. Ratings

The following is the basic item to rating a cell. May Test the cell under demand.

Description	Unit	Specification	Conditions	
Nominal Voltage	V/cell	1.2	Unit cell	
Nominal Capacity	mAh	4200	Standard charge and discharge	
Standard Charge	mA	420 (0.1C)	Ambient temperature 0~45 °C	
	hrs	16		
Fast Charge	mA	1680 (0.4C)	- Δ V=5~10mV, ambient temperature 0~45°C	
	hrs	3.0	Timer = 120% nominal input	
			TCO: 45~50°C	
			-dT/dt=0.8~1.0 °C/min	
Internal Resistance	mΩ/cell	≤ 15	At 1 kHz, fully charged, 20°C	
Cut-off Voltage	V/cell	1.0	Discharge current ≤ 1.0 C	
Max Discharge Current	А	12.6 (3C)	Ambient temperature -20 +60°C	
Storage Tempe.	°C	-20 + 35	Charges 80% nominal input	
Average weight	g/cell	58		

3. Performance

The test should be carried out within a month after delivery under the following conditions :

The ambient temperature is 20 ± 5 °C The ambient humidity is : 65 ± 20 %

The testing instrument must meet the following:

Voltmeter : IEC 485 prescribed 0.5 grade or more, resistance must be more than $10K\Omega/V$

Galvanometer : IEC 51/IEC 485 prescribed 0.5 grade or more, total resistance must be less than 0.01Ω

Ri ohmmeter: AC sine 1kHz, 4 terminal.

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Test	Unit	Specification	Conditions	Remarks	
OCV	V/cell	≥ 1.25	Within 1 hrs after standard charge		
Capacity	mAh	≥ 90%	Standard charge and discharge	Allow 3 cycles	
Internal Impedance	mΩ	≤ 15	Fully charged, Ambient temperature 20°C		
High Rate Discharge	min	≥108	Standard charge, rest 1 hrs 0.5C discharge to 1.0V	Allow 3 cycles	
Discharge at low temperature	mAh	≥ 60% Nominal Capacity	Standard charge at 20°C 0.5C discharge to 1.0 V/cell at 0°C		
Charge at High Temperature	mAh	≥ 80% Nominal capacity	0.5C charge at 40°C, -Δ V=10mV/cell, Standard discharge at 20°C		
Self discharge	mAh	≥ 60% Nominal Capacity	Standard charge, storage 28 day at 20°C, Standard discharge		
Humidity		Deformation	1C fully charged, 33±3 °C, 80±5% R.H., storage 14 days		
The Resistance to Vibration		The change of voltage: ≤0.02V/cell The change of Ri: ≤5 mΩ/cell	Charge: 16 hrs at 0.1C Rest: 24 hrs Inspect the cell before and after vibration Vibration conditions: Amplitude: 1.5mm Frequency: 3000 CPM at random orientation for 60 min		
The Resistance to Shock		The change of voltage : ≤0.02V/cell The change of Ri: ≤5 mΩ/cell	Charge: 16 hrs at 0.1C Rest: 24 hrs Inspect the cell before and after shock Shock condition: Drop 3 times onto solid wood (10mm thickness) from 1.5m height at random orientation		
Over Charge		No rupture	1C for 5 hrs		
Over Discharge		No rupture	Standard charge Short circuit : 1h Conductor : 0.75mm² x 20mm (Cu line)		
IEC Cycles Life	cycle	≥500	IEC61951-2 (2001) 4.4.1	See note 1	
Accelerated Cycles Life	cycle	≥300	0.4C charged, rest 30min, 0.4C discharge to 1.0V, capacity ≥60% Nominal Capacity	Cycling charge/cutof f condition: -Δ V = 5mV/cell Timer cutoff =110% of input capacity	

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4.Appearance

Cell should be without any cracking, rupture, dirt, shading, leakage and deformation.

5. Standard of quality assurance (AQL)

All tests should be done according the following methods (ref. MIL-STD-105E)

Number	Item of test	Sampling criteria	Standard of quality assurance
1.	Cosmetic	I grade	1.5
2.	Dimension	I grade	0.65
3.	Performance	I grade	0.4

Including: capacity, performance of charge and discharge at 1C, open current voltage, Internal resistance.

6. Warranty

One year's guarantee is valid for the defects caused by processing and materials.

7. Caution

- 7.1 Do not dispose of cell into fire or dismantled under any condition
- 7.2 Do not mix different cell types and capacities in the same battery assembly
- 7.3 Charge and discharge under specified current recommend to the specification
- 7.4 Short circuit leading to cell venting must be avoided
- 7.5 Never solder onto cell directly
- 7.6 Cell reversal should e avoided
- 7.7 Use batteries in extreme condition may affect the service life, such as : extreme temperature, deep cycle, extreme overcharge and over discharge
- 7.8 Batteries should be stored in cool, dry place. Please discharge before mass storage or transportation
- 7.9 Once problems be found, stop using, contact your local agent
- 7.10 Because the limit of the electrochemical system, charged the cell of 80%~100% nominal input under long storage is recommended
- 7.11 To maintain the performance of the cell stored for about 6 months, cycling (charging and discharging) the cell for several times is recommended)

Note: IEC61951-2 (2001) 4.4.1 Cycle Life Test:

Cycle No.	Charge	Rest	Discharge		
1	0.1C x 16 hrs	0	0.25C 2 hrs 20 min		
2 ~ 48	0.25C x 3 hrs 10 min	0	0.25C 2 hrs 20 min		
49	0.25C x 3 hrs 10 min	0	0.25C to 1.0V/cell		
50	0.1C x 16 hrs	1 ~ 4 hrs	0.20C to 1.0V/cell		
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Repeat 1 to 50 cycles, until the discharge time of a 50" cycle is less than 3 hrs