

# DC RECTIFIER DIODE STACK

## **INTRODUCTION**

United Automation Ltd. manufacture a range of single and three phase rectifier stack assemblies. All the Diodes used are operated well within their performance envelope. All Stacks that are rated over 100 Amps are fan cooled and have thermal trips as an added safety feature. Photograph shows model DCR480-3-250A fitted with optional fuses

## **APPLICATIONS**

Many controlled or uncontrolled DC loads, such as Electroplating, Cathode Protection, Electro Phoretic Painting, Battery Charging and DC Motor Controls.

# FEATURES

- 15-300A Single and Three Phase
- Isolated modules used on standard range
- Fan Cooled over 100A
- Other current ratings available





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DCR480-3-250A shown without optional fuses

#### STACK SPECIFICATION

The Stacks detailed in this leaflet are typical UAL assemblies but other stacks with different specifications can easily be ordered using the required code.

Stack codes-DCR denotes the DC Rectifier stack family 1<sup>st</sup> number gives the AC rms Input Voltage. 2<sup>nd</sup> number gives the Phase (1 or 3). 3<sup>rd</sup> number gives the maximum Current Output.

E.g. DCR-240-1-280 is a single-phase 240 volts DC rectifier, supplying a maximum 280-amp output.

All diode used in the assemblies are very generously rated, giving a 50 to 100% safety margin. All current rating @  $45^{\circ}$ C ambient temperature.

Overall Stack Dimensions				
All dimensions in mm. (approx) shown without fuses				
ORDER CODE	Length	Width	Height	
DCR-240-1-50	240mm	150mm	100mm	
DCR-240-1-100	240mm	150mm	100mm	
DCR-240-1-150	240mm	150mm	100mm	
DCR-240-1-280	240mm	150mm	100mm	
DCR-240-1-400	240mm	150mm	100mm	
DCR-240-3-75	340mm	230mm	120mm	
DCR-240-3-150	240mm	173mm	180mm	
DCR-240-3-225	240mm	173mm	180mm	
DCR480-3-250A	240mm	173mm	180mm	
Note: 480v stacks have the same dimensions as				

RECTIFIER CIRCUIT DATA				
Circuit Data	POWER CIRCUIT 1	POWER CIRCUIT 3		
HO LOAD AC BIPUT VOLTAGE HO LOAD DC OUTPUT VOLTAGE	1.11	0.74		
RIPPLE FACTOR	2	6		
AVERAGE ARM CURRENT	0.5	0.333		
COUTPUT CURRENT	0.707	0.577		
NO LOAD DC OUTPUT VOLTAGE	1.57	1.05		
MAX. REVERSE VOLTAGE RMS VOLTAGE FROM TRANS'R	1.41	2.45		
Transformer Data				
	1.00	0.816		
IDEAL OUTPUT POWER	1.11	1.05		
SECONDARY OUTPUT POWER	1.11	1.05		
Power Factor	0.90	0.955		
Impedance Factor	200	200		
Conduction Angle	180	180		

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#### **FUSING**

It is recommended to use semiconductor (fast acting) type fuses or circuit breakers (Semiconductor - MCB) for unit protection and an appropriate safety fuse for unit supply (F1A). On initial 'switch on' some loads may need an increased factor of safety (F of S) for unit and/or device protection. (See SRA Datasheet for further information).

#### **CE MARKING**

This product family carries a "CE marking". These phase angle controllers need a suitable remote filter. For information see recommendation section and contact our sales desk. (See Declaration of Conformity).

<b>RECOMMENDATIONS</b> Other documents available on request, which may be appropriate for your application:-				
CODE	IDENTITY	DESCRIPTION		
X10229	RFI	Filtering recommendations - addressing EMC Directive		
X10213	ITA	Interaction, uses for phase angle and for burst fire control.		
X10255	SRA	Safety requirements - addressing the Low Voltage Directive		
		(LVD) including:- Thermal data/cooling ; "Live" parts warning & Earth		
		requirements; Fusing recommendations.		
AP02/4	COS	UAL Conditions of sale.		
<b>NOTE</b> It is recommended that installation and maintenance of this equipment should be done with reference to the current				
edition of the I.E.E. wiring regulations (BS7671) by suitably qualified/trained personnel. The regulations contain important				
requirements regarding safety of electrical equipment (For International Standards refer to I.E.C. directive IEC 950).				
ORDER CODE	State part number:	DCR + voltage + current		

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