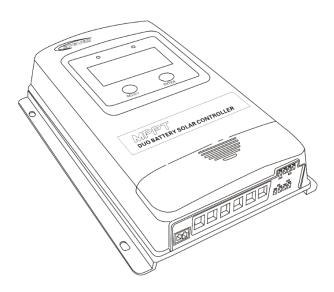


# **User Manual**

# **DUO Racer Series – MPPT Charge Controller**





Modelle: DR1206N DR2210N DR3210N

# **Important Safety Instructions**

#### Please reserve this manual for future review.

This manual contains all the instructions of safety, installation, and operation for DuoRacer series MPPT Dual Battery Solar Charge Controller (referred to as the controller in this manual).

- > Read all the instructions and warnings carefully before installation.
- No user serviceable component inside the controller. Do NOT disassemble or attempt to repair the controller.
- Avoid direct sunlight, high temperature, and do NOT install the controller at locations where water can get in.
- Install the controller at well-ventilated places, the controller's heat sink may become very hot during the system operation.
- Appropriated external fuses or breaker are suggested.
- Please cut off all connections of the PV array, fuses or breakers which close to the battery before the controller installation and adjustment.
- Power connections must remain tight to avoid excessive overheating from the loose connection.

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# 1. Overview

# 1.1 Information & Features

DuoRacer MPPT charge controller is made for charging two batteries (shown as main battery (BATT1) and starter battery (BATT2) below) at the same time in a solar system. This controller supports multiple main battery (BATT1) types, including Sealed, Gel, Flooded, LiFePO4, and Li-NiCoMn, which is suitable for RV, Camper, Boat, and so on. The device recognizes the starter battery (BATT2) system voltage automatically, and trickle charges the battery when the conditions are satisfied.

The controller adopts the advanced MPPT control algorithm, which will minimize the maximum power point loss rate and loss time, also fast track the maximum power point (MPP) of the PV array, and obtain the maximum energy from solar array under any conditions. The energy utilization in the MPPT solar system is increased by 20-30% compared with PWM charging method.

When there is no manual operation for a long time, and the charging conditions cannot be reached, the controller will turn to low-power mode, which reduces the loss and battery power waste to enhance the products life. The system parameters are shown and set by LED/LCD or the MT11 remote meter (Accessory).

The AES control signal of the car refrigerator is built in the controller, which will supply the surplus solar power to the refrigerator to avoid energy waste. The controller comes with IP33 protection level, which is waterproof and dustproof. Multiple protection features, including battery overcharge protection, over discharge protection, and reverse connection protection of the PV and battery, which effectively ensure the solar system safety, stability, and lifetime.

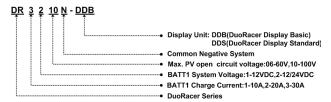
#### Features:

- Maximum Power Point Tracking technology with ultra-fast tracking speed and the tracking efficiency is no less than 99.5% guaranteed
- Advanced MPPT control algorithm to minimize the MPPlost rate and lost time
- The wider range of the MPP operation voltage to improve the PV module utilization
- Auto control function of charging power & charging current limitation (BATT1)
- High quality and low failure rate components of ST,TI and Infineon to ensure the product life
- Digital circuit control of adaptive three-stage charging mode to enhance BATT1 life.
- BATT1 type can be set via LED/LCD.
- Product runs into the low-power mode when there is no manual operation for a long time, and charging conditions are not satisfied (PV<5V).</li>
- 100% charging and discharging in operationenvironmental temperature range.

- LED and LCD display units selectable.
- AES control signal for car refrigerator to avoid energy waste.
- Standard Modbus protocol, and RS485 (5V/200mA) communication port for the customer to expand the application area.
- ① Main battery (BATT1) is the energy storage battery for powering the household loads in the off-grid system, which supports Sealed, Gel, Flooded, LiFePO4, and Li-NiCoMn batteries (the controller can NOT recognize the system voltage automatically).
- ②Starter battery (BATT2) is the energy storage battery which usually built in the vehicle for powering the system such as RV and Boat, and only supports lead-acid battery (the controller will recognize the system voltage automatically). NOTE:

the BATT1 and BATT2 must be at the same voltage level.

# 1.2 Name definition



# 1.3 Structure



1	Mounting hole sizeΦ5mm	6	BATT1 terminals
2	LCD(Refer to chapter 3)	0	BATT2 terminals
8	Grounding Terminal	8	RS485 Communication port <sup>(2)</sup>
4	Remote temperature sensor <sup>(1)</sup> port	9	AES (signal) output port <sup>(2)</sup>
6	PV terminals	10	Terminal protection cover

(1)The controller is charging the BATT1 as default (25°C) without temperature compensation function when it's not connected to the remote temperature sensor, or the temperature sensor is damaged. The temperature compensation is ONLY designed for the lead-acid battery, for lithium battery, there is no temperature compensation.

(2)AES port which output is 12V/200mA and RS485 Port which output is 5V/200mA are independent of DR1106/2106/3106N models, the AES port output voltage is the battery voltage. The above two ports of DR1206/2206/3206/2210/3210N models share the power of 5VDC/Max. 200mA

Also the AES signal port is designed for AES supporting car refrigerator, It is required for internal power switching device.

# 1.4 Starter battery BATT2 Instruction

# 1) Working principle of starter battery

The controller trickle charges the BATT2 at 1A constant current. When the voltage reaches the "Full voltage" during the BATT2 charging process, the controller will stop charging and exit from constant voltage charging mode.

# 2) Voltage control parameters of starter battery

Item	Default	Modify range
Full voltage	13.8V/12V; 27.6V/24V	9∼17V(24V×2)
Charge return voltage	13V/12V; 26V/24V	9~17V(24V×2)

CAUTION: Please follow the logic of Full Voltage > Return Voltage when modifying the voltage point.

# 3) Start Charging Conditions

CAUTION: BATT2 ONLY supports lead-acid battery type, before starting the BATT2 charging, please connect the BATT1 first.

**Condition1:** BATT2 start charging when BATT1 reach the float charging stage and the BATT2 voltage is lower than the "Charging Return Voltage.

**Condition 2:** BATT2 start charging when the batteries total charging current is higher than 3A and the BATT2 voltage is lower than the "Charging Return Voltage.

# 4) Stop Charging Conditions

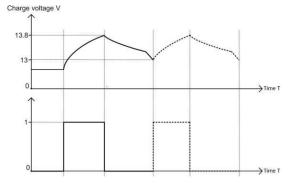
Condition 1: BATT2 stops charging when the PV voltage is no 2V higher than BATT1.

**Condition 2:** BATT2 stops charging when BATT1 is not in float charging stage and the total charging current for the battery is less than 2.5A.

Condition 3: BATT2 stops charging when BATT2 reaches the "Full Voltage".

CAUTION: After the BATT2 charging is turned off, it will be recharged only when the start charging conditions are satisfied again.

# 5) Starter Battery (BATT2) Charging indication



# 1.5 AES Signal Output Port Instruction

# 1)AES port of DR1106/2106/3106N-DDB/DDS

The AES port and the RS485 port are indenpent, the AES port output 12V/200mA and the voltage is the battery voltage. Connect the refrigerator, refer to the below picture.



# 2)AES signal port of DR1206/2206/3206/2210/3210N-DDB/DDS

The AES signal port and RS485 port share the power of SVDC/Max.200mA., connect the accessories when connect the refrigerator, refer to the below picture.



NOTE: The AES signal port and RS485 port share the power of 5VDC/Max.200mA. The MT11 power consumption is 13mA when it is ON, and 4mA when it's off.

## 3) AES port working principle

- The AES signal turns on after the BATT1 voltage reaches the boost charging voltage or equalize charging voltage for 5 mins.
- The controller will check if the BATT1 is in a state of charging (the boost, equalize or float stage) every 5 mins (This value is the judgement delay time for turning off the AES signal which can be set via PC software, default as 5 mins, ranging form 0 to 999 mins), the AES signal control will be turned off if it meets the conditions for 5 times.

#### 1.6 Accessories

#### Accessories(included):





The 2P cable is recommended for connecting the AES signal port of the car refrigerator.

#### Accessories(optional):

# 1) Remote Meter (Model: MT11, Art-Nr. 2000011)



MT11 can display various operating data and fault information of the system. The information can be displayed on a backlit LCD screen, the buttons are easy-to-operate, and the numeric display is readable. Standard version is for surface mounting, and optional version is for wall mounting. (Standard version includes the communication cable)

# 2) Remote temperature sensor (Model:RTS300R47K3.81A, Art-Nr. 2000300)



Acquisition of battery temperature for undertaking temperature compensation of control parameters, the standard length of the cable is 3m (Length can be customized). The RTS300R47K3.81A connects to the port(4) on the controller.

## 3)USB to RS485 converter cable (Model:CC-USB-RS485-150U-3.81, Art-Nr. 2000485)



It used to monitor each controller on the network via PC software. The length of cable is 1.5m. One end connects the ③ port of controller, the other end connects the PC.

# 4)WIFI Serial Adapter (Model:eBox-WIFI-01, Art-Nr. 2000010)



After the controller is connected with the eBox-WIFI-01 through the optional communication cable of 1.5m(model:CC-RJ45-3.81-150U), the operating status and related parameters of the controller can be monitored by the mobile APP through WIFI signals.

# 5) RS485 to bluetooth adapter (Model:eBox-BLE-01, Art-Nr. 2000020))



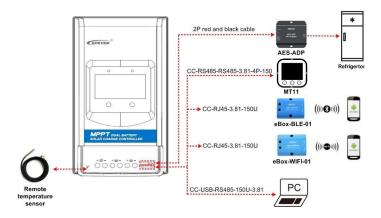
After the controller is connected with the eBox-BLE-01 through the optional communication cable of 1.5m(model:CC-RJ45-3.81-150U), the operating status and related parameters of the controller can be monitored by the mobile APP through Bluetooth signals.

# 6) AES adapter (Model: AES-ADP)



The adapter convers 5V of controller into 12V of the refrigerator, it will supply the surplus solar power to the refrigerator to avoid energy waste.

NOTE: The module is suitable for DR1206/2206/3206/2210/3210N-DDB/DDS



# 2. Installation

# 2.1 Warning

- Be very careful when installing the batteries, especially flooded lead-acid battery. Please
  wear eye protection and have fresh water available to rinse if any contact with battery
  acid.
- Keep the battery away from any metal objects, which may cause short circuit of the battery.
- Explosive battery gases may come out from the battery during charging, so make sure ventilation condition is good.
- For outdoor installation, keep out of the direct sunshine and rain infiltration.
- Loose connections and corroded wires may result in high heat that can melt wire
  insulation, burn surrounding materials, or even cause fire. Ensure tight connections and
  use cable clamps to secure cables and prevent them from swaying in mobile application.
- The controller can work with lead-acid battery and lithium battery within its control scope.
- Battery connection may be wired to one battery or a bank of batteries. The following
  instructions refer to a singular battery, but it is implied that the battery connection can
  be made to either one battery or a group of battery bank.
- Select the system connection cables according to the current density no greater than 5A/mm<sup>2</sup>.

# 2.2 PV Array Requirements

## (1) Serial connection (string) of PV modules

As the core component of solar system, controller could be suitable for various types of PV modules and maximize converting solar energy into electrical energy. According to the open circuit voltage (Voc) and the maximum power point voltage (Vmpp) of the MPPT controller, the series number of different types PV modules can be calculated.

The below table is for reference only.

## DR1106/2106/3106/1206/2206/3206N-DDB/DDS:

System voltage	36cell Voc≤23V		48cell Voc<31V		54cell Voc≤34V		60cell Voc<38V	
	Max.	Best	Max.	Best	Max.	Best	Max.	Best
12V	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1

ı	24V	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-

System	72cell Voc<46V		96cell V	Thin-Film	
voltage	Max.	Best	Max.	Best	module Voc>80V
12V	1	1	-	-	-
24V	1	1	-	-	-

NOTE: The above parameter values are calculated under standard test conditions (STC Standard Test Condition): Irradiance 1000W/m², Module Temperature 25 °C, Air Mass 1.5.)

#### DR2210/3210N-DDB/DDS:

System		cell <23V	48cell Voc≤31V		54cell Voc<34V		60cell Voc<38V	
voltage	Max.	Best	Max.	Best	Max.	Best	Max.	Best
12V	4	2	2	1	2	1	2	1
24V	4	3	2	2	2	2	2	2

System	72cell Vo	72cell Voc<46V 96cell Voc<62V		oc<62V	Thin-Film
voltage	Max.	Best	Max.	Best	module Voc>80V
12V	2	1	1	1	1
24V	2	1	1	1	1

NOTE: The above parameter values are calculated under standard test conditions (STC): Irradiance 1000W/m², Module Temperature 25 °C, Air Mass 1.5.)

#### (2) Maximum PV array power

The MPPT controller has the function of charging current/power-limiting, that is, during the charging process, when the charging current or power exceeds the rated charging current or power, the controller will automatically limit the charging current or power to the rated value, which can effectively protect the charging parts of the controller, and prevent damages to the controller due to the connection of over-specification PV modules. The actual operation of PV array is as follows:

## Condition1

Actual charging power of PV array ≤ Rated charging power of controller

## Condition2

Actual charging current of PV array ≤ Rated charging power of controller

When the controller operates under "Condition1" or "Condition2", it will carry out the charging as per the actual current or power; at this time, the controller can work at the maximum power point of PV array.

WARNING: When the power of PV is not greater than the rated charging power, but the maximum open-circuit voltage of PV array is more than 60V(DR\*\*06N-DDB/DDS)/100V(DR\*\*10N-DDB/DDS)(at the lowest environmental temperature), the

controller may be damaged.

#### Condition3

Actual charging power of PV array > Rated charging power of controller

#### Condition4

Actual charging current of PV array > Rate charging current of controller

When the controller operates under "Condition 3" or "Condition 4", it will carry out the charging as per the rated current or power.

WARNING: When the power of PV is not greater than the rated charging power, but the maximum open-circuit voltage of PV array is more than 60V(DR\*\*06N-DDB/DDS)/100V(DR\*\*10N-DDB/DDS) (at the lowest environmental temperature), the controller may be damaged.

According to "Peak Sun Hours diagram", if the power of PV array exceeds the rated charging power of controller, then the charging time as per the rated power will be prolonged, so that more energy can be obtained for charging the battery. However, in the practical application, the maximum power of PV array shall be not greater than 1.5 times the rated charging power of controller. If the maximum power of PV array exceeds the rated charging power of controller too much, it will not only cause the waste of PV modules, but also increase the open-circuit voltage of PV array due to the influence of environmental temperature, which may make the probability of damage to the controller rise. Therefore, it is very important to configure the system reasonably. For the recommended maximum power of PV array for this controller, please refer to the table below:

Model	Rated Charge Current	Rated Charge Power	Max. PV Array Power	Max. PV Open Circuit Voltage
DR1106N-DDB/DDS	10A	130W/12V	195W/12V	
DR2106N-DDB/DDS	20A	260W/12V	390W/12V	
DR3106N-DDB/DDS	30A	390W/12V	580W/12V	
DR1206N-DDB/DDS	10A	130W/12V 260W/24V	195W/12V 390W/24V	46V <sup>©</sup> 60V <sup>©</sup>
DR2206N-DDB/DDS	20A	260W/12V 520W/24V	390W/12V 780W/24V	
DR3206N-DDB/DDS	30A	390W/12V 780W/24V	580W/12V 1170W/24V	
DR2210N-DDB/DDS	20A	260W/12V 520W/24V	390W/12V 780W/24V	92V <sup>①</sup>
DR3210N-DDB/DDS	30A	390W/12V 780W/24V	580W/12V 1170W/24V	100V <sup>②</sup>

<sup>1)</sup>At 25°C environment temperature.

(2)At minimum operating environment temperature.

# 2.3 Wire Size

The wiring and installation methods must conform to all national and local electrical code requirements.

#### PV Wire Size

Since PV array output can vary due to the PV module size, connection method or sunlight angle, the minimum wire size can be calculated by the lsc  $\star$  of PV array. Please refer to the value of lsc in the PV module specification. When PV modules are connected in series, the lsc is equal to lsc of PV modules. When PV modules are connected in parallel, the lsc is equal to the sum of the PV modules' lsc. The lsc of the PV array must not exceed the controller's maximum PV input current. Please refer to the table as below:

NOTE: All PV modules in a given array are assumed to be identical.

\* Isc=Short circuit current(amps) Voc= Open circuit voltage

Model	Max. PV input current	Max. PV wire size
DR1106N-DDB/DDS DR1206N-DDB/DDS	10A	4mm²/12AWG
DR2106N-DDB/DDS DR2206N-DDB/DDS DR2210N-DDB/DDS	20A	6mm²/10AWG
DR3106N-DDB/DDS DR3206N-DDB/DDS DR3210N-DDB/DDS	30A	10mm²/8AWG

CAUTION: When the PV modules connect in series, the open circuit voltage of the PV array must not exceed 46V(DR\*\*06N-DDB/DDS),92V(DR\*\*10N-DDB/DDS).

## Battery and load wire size

The battery and load wire size must conform to the rated current, the reference size as below:

Model	Rated Charge Current	Battery wire size
DR1106N-DDB/DDS DR1206N-DDB/DDS	10A	4mm²/12AWG
DR2106N-DDB/DDS DR2206N-DDB/DDS DR2210N-DDB/DDS	20A	6mm²/10AWG
DR3106N-DDB/DDS DR3206N-DDB/DDS DR3210N-DDB/DDS	30A	10mm²/8AWG

CAUTION: The wire size is only for reference. If there is a long distance between the PV array and the controller or between the controller and the battery. Larger size wires can be used to reduce the voltage drop and improve performance.

CAUTION: The battery cable size recommendations assume that the charge controller is the only device connected to this cable (no inverter connected to the same cable etc).

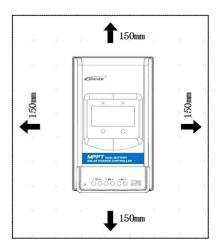
# 2.4 Mounting

WARNING: Risk of explosion. Never install the controller in a sealed enclose with flooded batteries. Do not install in a confined area where battery gas can accumulate.

WARNING: Risk of electric shock. When wiring the solar modules, the PV array can produce a high open circuit voltage, so turn off the breaker before wiring and be careful when wiring.

**CAUTION:** The controller requires at least 150mm of clearance above and below for proper air flow. Ventilation is highly recommended if mounted in an enclosure.

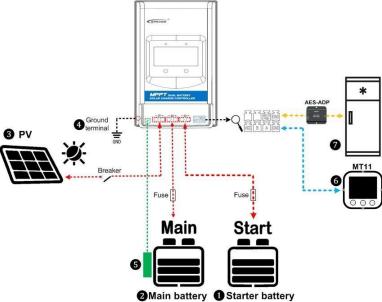
#### Installation steps



# Step1: Determine installation location and heat-dissipation space

Determination of installation location: The controller shall be installed in a place with sufficient air flow through the radiators of the controller and minimum clearance of 150mm from the upper and lower edges to ensure natural thermal convection.

CAUTION: Ensure that the controller is able to dissipate heat if it's installed in a closed area. If the controller is to be installed in an enclosed box, it is important to ensure reliable heat dissipation through the box.



Step2: Wiring 123

Connect the system in the order of **OStarter batteryBATT2** Amain batteryBATT1

 $\rightarrow$  **3** PV array in accordance with the above diagram and disconnect the system in the reverse order **3 2 1**.

CAUTION: The BATT1 and BATT2 must be set at same voltage level, and other situations are not supported for the moment.

**CAUTION:** Follow the above instruction for wiring, otherwise, it may cause the BATT2 system voltage identification error.

CAUTION: While wiring the controller do not turn on the breaker or fuse and makesure that the poles of "+" and "-" are connected correctly.

CAUTION: A fuse which current is 1.25 to 2 times the rated current of the controller must be installed on the battery side with a distance from the battery not greater than 150mm



**CAUTION:** If an inverter is to be connected to the system, connect the inverter directly to the battery.

# Step3: Grounding

DR N series is a common-negative controller, where all the negative terminals of PV array and battery can be grounded simultaneously or any one of the negative will be grounded. However, according to the practical application, all the negative terminals of PV array and battery needn't to be grounded, but the grounding terminal on controller's shell must be grounded, which may effectively shield the electromagnetic interference from the outside, and prevent some electric shock to the human body due to the electrification of the shell.

CAUTION: For common-negative systems, such as a motorhome, it is recommended to use a common-negative controller, but if in the common-negative system, some common-negative equipment is used, and the positive electrode is grounded, the controller may be damaged.

Step4: Connect the remote temperature sensor cable 5

#### Temperature sensor

(Model:RT-MF58R47K3.81A)





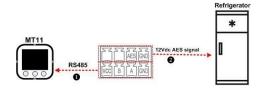
Remoter temperature sensor

(Model:RTS300R47K3.81A)

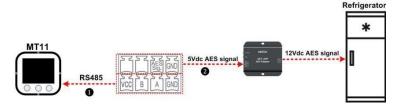
Connect the remote temperature sensor cable to the port **4** and place the other end close to the BATT1.

CAUTION: If the remote temperature sensor is not connected to the controller, the default temperature for battery charging or discharging is 25°C without temperature compensation.

Step5: Connect the remote meter MT11 and AES signal of the refrigerator PR1106/2106/3106N-DDB/DDS:



# DR1206/2206/3206/2210/3210N-DDB/DDS:



# 1 RS485 Communication cable

Models: CC-RS485-RS485-3.81-4P-150(Included) CC-RS485-RS485-3.81-4P-1000(Optional) CC-RS485-

#### RS485-3.81-4P-2000(Optional)

The operation of the remote meter refer to the user manual of MT11

The controller only provides one AES signal control, and the practical consideration is needed for the specific application (Check the "1.5 AES Signal output port instruction" for more information).

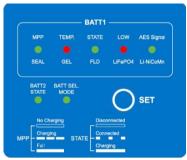
# Step6: Power on the controller

Firstly, turn on the BATT2 safety switch and check the BATT2 charging indicator status. then, turn on the BATT1 safety switch and check the BATT1 charging indicator status (Check the "3. Display Units" for more information). Lastly, turn on the PV array circuit breaker.

**CAUTION:** If the controller is not operating properly or the battery indicator on the controller shows abnormality, please refer to 5.2 "Troubleshooting".

# 3. Display units

# 3.1 DuoRacer Display Basic (DDB)



# (1) Status indicator

indicator	Color	Status	Instruction
	Green	OFF	No charging
MPP	Green	Slowly flashing (1Hz)	Charging, in Boost or Equalize charging stage
	Green	On solid	Full, in Float charging stage
ТЕМР.	Red	OFF	BATT1 Temperature normal
	D - 1	Fast flashing	BATT1 over temperature or
	Red	(4Hz)	BATT1 low temperature
	Green	On solid	Connect to BATT1 and in charging
STATE	Green	Slowly flashing (0.2Hz)	Connect to BATT1 and no charging
	Green	OFF	Not connect BATT1
LOW	Red	On solid	BATT1 over discharged/Low
		On solid	voltage
	Red	OFF	BATT1 low voltage reconnect
AES Signal	Green	On solid	AES signal is ON
	Green	OFF	AES signal is OFF
BATT2	Green	On solid	Connect to BATT2 and in charging
STATE	Green	Slowly flashing(1Hz)	Connect to BATT2 and no charging

	Green	OFF	Not connect BATT2	
BATT SEL.	Green	On solid	In the mode of setting battery type	
MODE	Green	OFF	Settings are saved and quit the setting	
mode		mode		
All indicator Fast flashing(4Hz)		łz)	System voltage error <sup>①</sup>	
All indicator Slowly flashing(1Hz)		1Hz)	Controller overheating	

①The controller don't recognize the system voltage when the battery type is lithium battery

Indicator "OFF".	Indicator "On solid".
Indicator "Slowly flashing (1Hz)	".

Indicator "Slowly flashing (0.2Hz)".

# (2)Battery type indicator

Indicator	Color	Status	Instruction
SEAL	Green	On solid	12V system
Sealed		Flashing	24V system
	Red	On solid	12V system
GEL Gel	1.00	Flashing	24V system
	Green	On solid	12V system
FLD Flooded		Flashing	24V system
	Red	On solid	12V system
LiFePO4 LiFePO <sub>4</sub>	1.00	Flashing	24V system
	Green	On solid	12V system
Li-NiCoMn Li-NiCoMn		Flashing	24V system

①CAUTION: The models of DR1106/2106/3106N-DDB/DDS don't support the battery of 24V system.

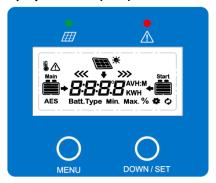
The step of setting battery type:

**Step1:** Press the button and hold on 3s, green on solid, enter the battery setting mode.

Step2: Press the button to select the battery type.

**Step3:** Wait for 5 seconds until the setting indicator turns off. Battery type is set successfully.

# 3.2 DuoRacer Display Standard (DDS)



# (1) Charging indicator

Indicator	Color	Status	Instruction
	Green	On solid	PV connection normal but the low voltage(low irradiance) from PV, no charging.
	Green	OFF	No PV voltage(night time) or PV connection problem
	Green	Slowly flashing(1Hz)	In charging
	Green	Fast flashing(4Hz)	PV overvoltage

# (2) Operation interface

Icon	Instruction	lcon	Instruction
Main	BATT1 battery capacity $^{\odot}$ 0 $^{\sim}$ 12%	Start	BATT2battery capacity $^{\odot}$ 0 $^{\sim}$ 12 $^{\circ}$
Main	BATT1battery capacity <sup>①</sup> 13%~35%	Start	BATT2battery capacity $^{\odot}$ 13% $^{\sim}$ 35%
Main	BATT1battery capacity <sup>①</sup> 36%~61%	Start	BATT2battery capacity <sup>©</sup> 36%~61%

Main	BATT1battery capacity <sup>①</sup> 62%~86%	Start	BATT2battery capacity $^{\oplus}$ 62% $^{\sim}$ 86%
Main	BATT1battery capacity $^{\odot}$ 87% $\sim$ 100%	Start	BATT2battery capacity $^{@}$ 87% $\sim$ 100%
	Day		PV array
	Night	<b>///</b>	BATT1 charging icon
•	Display the parameters of PV	>>>	BATT2charging icon
-	Display the parameters of BATT1		BATT1temperature parameters
+	Display the parameters of BATT2	AES	AES signal icon
*	Setting icon	Batt.Type	Battery type icon
¢	Auto global browsing icon	Min.	Minimum voltage icon
A	Fault Icon	Max.	Maximum voltage icon

① Battery capacity is calculated by the linear relationship between the LVD voltage and float charging voltage.

# **Fault indication**

Fault	Fault indicator	Charge indicator	LCD	Instruction
BATT1 overvoltage	Red Fast flashing		Main	Battery capacity shows full, battery frame blink, fault icon blink.
BATT1 over-discharged			Main 🔨	Battery capacity shows empty, battery frame blink, fault icon blink.
BATT1 over temperature	Red Fast flashing		Main	Battery frame blink, fault icon blink, the temperature icon blink, the temperature value blink, the temperature unit blink.

BATT1
system voltage error <sup>①</sup>

Red Fast flashing

Green Fast flashing



Battery capacity shows empty, battery frame blink.
Fault icon blinks and battery frame blink

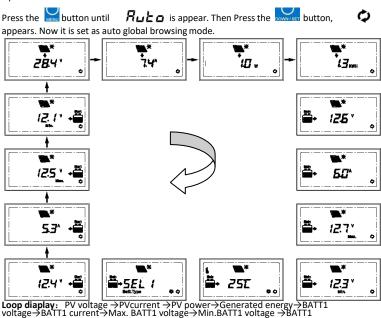
1)No alarm for system voltage error when BATT1 is lithium battery.

# (3) Buttons

MENU	Press the button	Parameters of PV array Parameters of BATT1 Parameters of BATT2 Auto global browsing mode( <b>月ロとの</b> )
	Press the button	Browse the parameters of PV array Browse the parameters of BATT1 Browse the parameters of BATT2
DOWN/SET	Press the button and hold on 5s	Select the temperature unit Select the battery type

# (1) Auto global browsing mode

# Operation:



temperature→BATT1 battery type→BATT2 voltage→BATT2 current→Max. BATT2 voltage→Min.BATT2 voltage→PVvoltage

# (2) Change Temperature units



# Operation:

Step3: Press the

**Step1:** Press the button under the battery temperature interface, until the symbol is flashing.

button to set successfully.

Step2: Press the button to select the temperature unit.

# (3) Clear the generated energy



Press the generated energy.

button at the same time and hold on for 5s to clear the

# (3) Change Battery type



#### 1) Operation:

**Step1:** Press the \_\_\_\_\_button and hold on for 5s under the battery type interface until the symbol is flashing.

**Step2:** Press the button to select the battery type.

**Step3:** Press the button to confirm the battery type.

## 2) Battery type

**5EL** I BATT112V Sealed **5EL** BATT124V Sealed <sup>(1)</sup>

GEL 1	BATT112V Gel	PET5	BATT124V Gel <sup>①</sup>
FLdi	BATT112V Flooded	FLd2	BATT124V Flooded <sup>①</sup>
LIFY	LiFePO <sub>4</sub> (4S)	LI FB	LiFePO <sub>4</sub> (8S)
LI [3	Li-NiCoMn (3S)	LI EB	Li-NiCoMn (6S) <sup>①</sup>
₽ŞE	User		

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# ①CAUTION: The models of DR1106/2106/3106N-DDB/DDS don't support the battery of 24V system.

CAUTION: The battery control voltage parameters are not changeable when battery is set as default battery types. If you want to change the control parameters, please set the battery type as "User".

CAUTION: The control parameters of user battery type can only be set via PC software or mobile APP.

### **Lead-acid Battery Control Voltage Parameters**

The parameters are in 12V system at 25 °C, please double the values in 24V system.

Battery type Voltage parameter	Sealed	Gel	Flooded	User
Over Voltage Disconnect Voltage	16.0V	16.0V	16.0V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Charging Limit Voltage	15.0V	15.0V	15.0V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Over Voltage Reconnect Voltage	15.0V	15.0V	15.0V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Equalize Charging Voltage	14.6V		14.8V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Boost Charging Voltage	14.4V	14.2V	14.6V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Float Charging Voltage	13.8V	13.8V	13.8V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Boost Reconnect Charging Voltage	13.2V	13.2V	13.2V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Low Voltage Reconnect Voltage	12.6V	12.6V	12.6V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Under Voltage Warning Reconnect Voltage	12.2V	12.2V	12.2V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Under Volt. Warning Volt.	12.0V	12.0V	12.0V	9~17V <sup>©</sup>
Low Volt. Disconnect Volt.	11.1V	11.1V	11.1V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Discharging Limit Voltage	10.6V	10.6V	10.6V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Equalize Duration (min.)	120		120	0~180
Boost Duration (min.)	120	120	120	10~180

<sup>(1)</sup> The voltage range of DR1106/2106/3106N-DDB/DDS is 9-16V.

The following rules must be observed when modifying the parameters value in user battery type (factory default value is the same as sealed type):

A. Over Voltage Disconnect Voltage > Charging Limit Voltage ≥ Equalize Charging Voltage ≥
 Boost Charging Voltage ≥ Float Charging Voltage > Boost Reconnect Charging Voltage.

- Over Voltage Disconnect Voltage > Over Voltage Reconnect Voltage
- C. Low Voltage Reconnect Voltage > Low Voltage Disconnect Voltage ≥ Discharging Limit Voltage.
- D. Under Voltage Warning Reconnect Voltage > Under Voltage Warning Voltage ≥ Discharging Limit Voltage.
- Boost Reconnect Charging voltage > Low Voltage Reconnect Voltage.

#### Lithium Battery Control Voltage Parameters

The parameters are in 12V system at 25 °C. please double the values in 24V system.

Battery type Voltage parameter	LiFePO <sub>4</sub> (4S)	Li-NiCoMn (3S)	User
Over Voltage Disconnect Voltage	15.6V	13.5V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Charging Limit Voltage	14.6V	12.6V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Over Voltage Reconnect Voltage	14.5V	12.5V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Equalize Charging Voltage	14.5V	12.5V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Boost Charging Voltage	14.5V	12.5V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Float Charging Voltage	13.8V	12.2V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Boost Reconnect Charging Voltage	13.2V	12.1V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Low Voltage Reconnect Voltage	12.4V	10.5V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Under Voltage Warning Reconnect Voltage	12.5V	11.0V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Under Volt. Warning Volt.	12.0V	10.5V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Low Volt. Disconnect Volt.	11.0V	9.3V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>
Discharging Limit Voltage	10.8V	9.3V	9~17V <sup>①</sup>

- (1) The voltage range of DR1106/2106/3106N-DDB/DDS is 9-16V.
- The following rules must be followed when modifying the value of lithium battery.
- A. Over Voltage Disconnect Voltage>Over charging protection voltage(Protection Circuit
- Modules(BMS))+0.2V<sup>\*\*</sup>; B. Over Voltage Disconnect Voltage>Over Voltage Reconnect Voltage = Charging Limit Voltage ≥ Equalize Charging Voltage = Boost Charging Voltage ≥ Float Charging Voltage>Boost Reconnect Charging Voltage;
- C. Low Voltage Reconnect Voltage>Low Voltage Disconnect Voltage ≥ Discharging Limit Voltage;
- D. Under Voltage Warning Reconnect Voltage>Under Voltage Warning Voltage≥ Discharging Limit Voltage;
- E. Boost Reconnect Charging voltage> Low Voltage Reconnect Voltage;
- F. Low Voltage Disconnect Voltage ≥ Over discharging protection voltage (BMS)+0.2V\*.

WARNING: The voltage parameters of lithium battery can be set, but you must refer to the voltage parameters of lithium battery BMS.

WARNING: The required accuracy of BMS shall be at least 0.2V. If the deviation is higher than 0.2V, the manufacturer will assume no liability for any system malfunction caused by this.

# 4. Protections, Troubleshooting & Maintenance

# **4.1 Protections**

PV Over Current/Power	When the charging current or power of the PV array exceeds the controller's rated current or power, it will change at the rated current or power.
PV Short Circuit	When not in the PV charging state, the controller will not be damaged in case of a short-circuiting in PV array.
PV Reverse Polarity	When the polarity of the PV array is reversed, the controller may not be damaged and can continue to operate normally after the polarity is corrected.  NOTE: If the PV array is reverse connected to the controller, 1.5 times rated controller power(watts)from the PV array, will damage the controller.
Night Reverse Charging	Prevents the battery from discharging to the PV module at night.
BATT1 and BATT2 Reverse Polarity	Fully protected against battery reverse polarity; no damage will occur to the battery. Correct the miswire to resume normal operation.  NOTE: Limited to the characteristic of lithium battery, when the PV connection is correct either BATT1 or BATT2 battery connection reversed, the controller will be damaged.
BATT1 Over Voltage	When the battery voltage reaches the over voltage disconnect voltage, it will automatically stop battery charging to prevent battery damagecaused by over-charging.
BATT1 Over Discharge	When the battery voltage reaches the low voltage disconnect voltage, it will automatically stop battery discharging to prevent battery damage caused by over-discharging. (Any controller connected loads will be disconnected. Loads directly connected to the battery will not be affected and may continue to discharge the battery.)
BATT1 Overheating	The controller can detect the battery temperature through an external temperature sensor. The controller stops working when its temperature exceeds 65 °C and restart to work when its temperature is below 55 °C.
BATT1Low Temperature (Lithium Battery)	When the temperature detected by the optional temperature sensor is lower than the Low Temperature Protection Threshold (LTPT), the controller will stop charging and discharging automatically. When the detected temperature is higher than the LTPT, the controller will be working automatically (The LTPT is 0 °C by default and can be set within the range of 10 $^\sim$ -40 °C).
Controller Overheating	The controller is able to detect the temperature inside the controller. The controller stops working when its temperature exceeds 85 °C and restart to work when its temperature is below 75 °C.
TVS High Voltage Transients	The internal circuitry of the controller is designed with Transient Voltage Suppressors (TVS) which can only protect against high-voltage surge pulses with less energy. If the controller is to be used in an area with frequent lightning strikes, it is recommended to install an external surge arrester.

# 4.2 Troubleshooting

Faults	Possible reasons	Troubleshooting
Charging LED indicator off during daytime when sunshine falls on PV modules properly	PV array disconnection	Confirm that PV wire connections are correct and tight.
Wire connection is correct but the controller is not working.	Battery voltage is lower than 8.5V	Please check the voltage of battery. At least 8.5V voltage to activate the controller.
Red fast flashing Battery level shows full battery frame blink fault icon blink	BATT1over voltage	Check if battery voltage is higher than OVD (over voltage disconnect voltage), and disconnect the PV.
red on solid  Battery level shows empty battery frame blink fault icon blink	BATT1over discharged	When the battery voltage is restored to or above LVR(low voltage reconnect voltage), the load will recover
Red fast flashing Battery level shows current capacity, battery frame blink, fault icon blink, the temperature icon blink, the temperature value blink, the temperature unit blink.	BATT1 Overheating	The controller will automatically turn the system off. When the temperature declines to be below 55 °C, the controller will resume.
Red Fast flashing Green Fast flashing	BATT1 System voltage error	①Check whether the battery voltage match with the controller working voltage. ② Please change to a suitable battery or reset the working voltage.
① System alarm system voltage error when using Lead-acid battery ② System alarm an over discharge fault when the ③ BATT1 is 12V but set as 24V System alarm an over-voltage fault when BATT1 is 24V but set as 12V	Incorrect wiring steps should not connect BATT1 first and then BATT2	①Disconnect the system, and reconnect the BATT2 first, then reconnect BATT1 ②BATT1 voltage level should be the same as BATT2

# 4.3 Maintenance

The following inspections and maintenance tasks are recommended at least two times per year for best controller performance.

- Make sure controller firmly installed in a clean and dryambient.
- Make sure no block on air-flow around the controller. Clear up any dirt and fragments on radiator.
- Check all the naked wires to make sure insulation is not damaged for serious solarization, frictional wear, dryness, insects or rats etc. Repair or replace some wires if necessary.
- Tighten all the terminals. Inspect for loose, broken, or burnt wire connections.
- Check and confirm that LED or LCD is consistent with required. Pay attention to any troubleshooting or error indication. Take necessary corrective action.
- Confirm that all the system components are ground connected tightly and correctly.
- Confirm that all the terminals have no corrosion, insulation damaged, high temperature or burnt/discolored sign, tighten terminal screws to the suggested torque.
- Check for dirt, nesting insects and corrosion. If so, clear up in time.
- Check and confirm that lightning arrester is in good condition. Replace a new one in time to avoid damaging of the controller and even other equipment.



#### WARNING: Risk of electric shock!

Make sure that all the power is turned off before above operations, and then follow the corresponding inspections and operati

# 4. Specifications

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LCD backlight time <sup>©</sup>	Com. baud rate®	RS485 com. port®	AES signal port®	BATT2 Charge return voltage	BATT2Full voltage	Grounding	Temperature compensate coefficient®	Self-consumption	Full load efficiency	Max. conversion efficiency	Rated Charge Power	MPP Voltage Range	Max. PV Open Circuit Voltage	Battery Input Voltage Range	Rated Charge Current	BATT2 rated voltage	BATT1 rated voltage	Item
		SVDC	12VDC					12mA/12V,6	97%	97.4%	130W/12V				104			DR1106N -DD8/DDS
		5VDC/Max.200m4(3.81-4P)	12VDC/Max.200m4/3.81-4P)	13V/12V	13.8V/12V			12mA/12V,6mA/12V (Low-power mode)	96%	97.5%	260W/12V			8.5~16V	20A	12VDC	12VDC	DR2106N -DDB/DDS
		4P)	-49)					ver mode)	96%	98%	390W/12V	(Battery Volt	4		304			DR3106N -DDB/DDS
605(	115200					Commo	- 3mV/°C	4mA/12V	97%	97.4%	130W/12V 260W/24V	(Battery Voltage+2V) ~ 36V	60V <sup>2)</sup> 46V <sup>2)</sup>		10A			DR1206N -DDB/DDS
60S(default)	115200(default)	Janac	W.Aura	13V/	13.8V/	Common negative	- 3mV/°C/2V(default)	12ma/12V;8ma/24V 4ma/12V;3ma/24 <u>V</u> [Low-power (Bode)	96%	97.5%	260W/12V 520W/24V				20A			DR2206N -DDB/DDS
		SADCUMBY SOUTHER (2007-46)	s t/sc/ymanoc ney	13V/12V; 26V/24V(default)	13.8V/12V; 27.6V/24V(default)			av wer (100c)	96%	98%	390W/12V 780W/24V			8.5~32V <sup>®</sup>	30A	12/24VDC Auto	12/24VDC	DR3206N -DDB/DDS
		1.447]]	1/01/	fault)	lefault)			26mA/12V;15mA/24V 19mA/12V;10mA/24V (Low-power mode)	96%	97.5%	260W/12V 520W/24V	(Battery Voltage+2¼) ~ 72V	10 92		20A			DR2210N -DDB/DDS
								15mA/24V 10mA/24V er mode)	96%	98%	390W/12V 780W/24V	ge+2 <u>V</u> ] ~ 72V	100V <sup>©</sup> 92V <sup>©</sup>		304			DR3210N -DD6/DDS

- Warpings When the lithium battery of 12V is used and the BMS is protected, the lithium battery voltage may increase up to 35V which may damage the load, so please consider the load's voltage.
- At 25°C environment temperature. At minimum operating environment temperature.
- (G) (G) (G) (G)
- The Temperature compensate coefficient is zero and not changeable when the main battery type is lithiumbattery.

  AES port which output is 12V/200mA and RS485 Port which output is V/200mA are independent of DR1106/2106/3106N models, the AES port output voltage is the battery voltage. The above two ports of DR1206/2206/2210/3210N models share the power of 5VDC/Max. 200mA
- (e) The communication band rate can only be set via PC software.
- 9 The LCD backing time can only be set via PC software, setting range is 0°999S and the 0s means the LCD is on all the time.

# Environmental Parameters

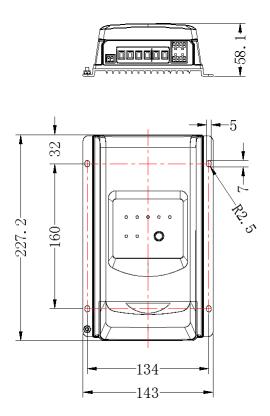
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d against solids objects over 2.5mm.	3-protection against solid objects: protected against solids objects over 2.5mm.	Enclosure
3	IP33	
N.C	s95%, N.C	Relative humidity
+8U-C	-30.6+~.3.05-	range
		Storage temperature
-30°C ~ +45°C(DDB)	-30°C ~ +50°C(DDB)	input and output)
-20°C ~ +45°C(DD5)	-20°C ~ +50°C(DDS)	Working environment
DR3106/3206/3210N-DDB/DDS	DR1106/2106/1206/2206/2210N-DDB/DDS	Item

# Mechanical Parameters

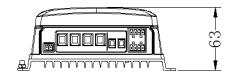
Item	DR1106/1206N-DDB/DDS	DR2106/2206/2210N-DDB/DDS	DR3106/3206/3210N-DD8/DDS
Dimension	227.2×143×58.1mm	243.7×158×63mm	247.2×165×68.5mm
Mounting dimension	160×134mm	180×149mm	180×156mm
Mounting hole size		ф5mm	
Terminal	12AWG/4mm*(BATT1) 12AWG/4mm*(BATT2)	6AWG/16mm*(BATT1) 12AWG/4mm*(BATT2)	6AWG/16mm*(BATT1) 12AWG/4mm*(BATT2)
Recommended cable size	12AWG/4mm*(BATT1) 12AWG/4mm*(BATT2)	10AWG/6mm²(BATT1) 12AWG/4mm²(BATT2)	8AWG/10mm*(BATT1) 12AWG/4mm*(BATT2)
Weight	0.8kg	1.1kg	1.4kg

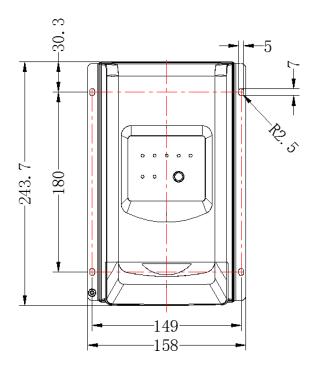
# **Annex I Mechanical Dimension Diagram**

DR1106/1206N-DDB/DDS (Unit: mm)

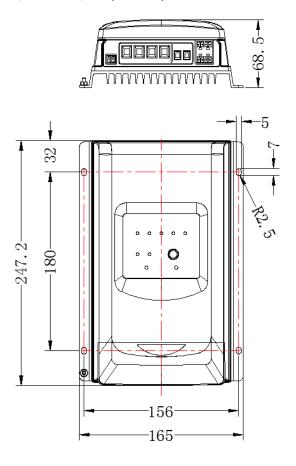


# DR2106/2206/2210N-DDB/DDS (Unit: mm)





# DR3106/3206/3210N-DDB/DDS (Unit: mm)







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