

# MPG-2xx

A SERIES OF BATTERY TESTERS



A series of test stations dedicated to battery testing

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# OVERVIEW



The **MPG-2xx series** is a series of 5 battery testers designed for battery cycling. Four new units come to extend the original MPG2 family.

Introduced in 2010, the first **MPG-2** system offers 16 independent potentiostats/galvanostats in one chassis.

To complete the range, more powerful systems have been developed: the **MPG-2xx series** is now proposed as a range of 5 units (in fixed configurations):

- **MPG-2:** 16 channels/100 mA each,
- **MPG-205:** 8 channels/5 A each,
- **MPG-210:** 4 channels/10 A each,
- **MPG-220:** 2 channels/20 A each,
- **MPG-240:** 1 channel/40 A.

The **MPG-2xx series** can be provided in a rack capable of supporting 5 units. Only one computer is necessary to control all the units thanks to the Ethernet connection. With this connection, the MPG-2xx units can be installed on a Local Area Network to allow multiple users to access the instruments and follow the battery cycling from anywhere. The **MPG-2xx series** offers a temperature measurement and three optional connection modes to the battery (battery holder, short or long cables). Each channel has two analog inputs and one analog output to allow interfacing with external instruments.

The **MPG-2xx series** is supplied with **EC-Lab®** software, developed for battery and supercapacitor applications. Most of the techniques are designed specifically for batteries. Specific analysis tools are also available.



## GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

- Current ranging from 10  $\mu$ A up to max current with a resolution 0.004% of the range
- 0-9 V reference voltage
- Resolution of 300  $\mu$ V programmable down to 5  $\mu$ V by adjusting the dynamic range (200  $\mu$ V resolution on 10 V range)
- Acquisition time: 200  $\mu$ s
- No limit in time and data recording

## OPTIONS

- Battery Holder BH-2 for MPG-205, MPG-210
- Rack (5 units)
- Short (25 cm) or long cables (2,5 m)
- Temperature probe



## EC-LAB<sup>®</sup> A MONITORING SOFTWARE DEDICATED TO BATTERY TESTING

A new modular technique has been added to **EC-Lab<sup>®</sup>** software.  
This “ModuloBat” technique comes to complete the battery applications section.

In **EC-Lab<sup>®</sup>**, the user can define all the parameters related to the battery material such as capacity in a special “Battery Cell Characteristics” menu. For each technique many parameters can be defined as experiment limits (x value, charge/discharge capacity value, potential...). Some of these limits can be used as security parameters to stop the experiment and to avoid damaging the cell. They can also be used as conditional limits to switch to the next step (temperature, Q).

Each technique can be composed of several sequences (up to 100) and it is possible to link up to 20 different techniques. With this capability the user can create unique and flexible experiments.

The new **ModuloBat** technique can be composed of 100 sequences. For each of them, the control mode can be chosen by the user among 10 modes. In every sequence up to three limits can be selected with different action taken when reached, for example “go to the next sequence”. Several recording conditions can be defined for an optimized amount of data points. Settings can also be defined as a function of the capacity rate.

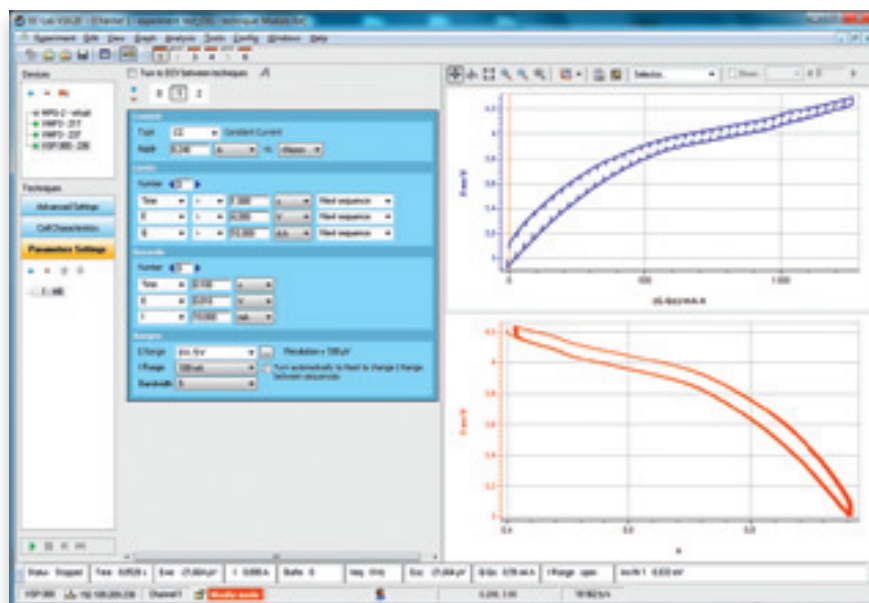
The graphic package provided with the **EC-Lab<sup>®</sup>** software includes advanced analysis and advanced fitting tools. Some process functions, such as “Process data”, “Capacity & Energy per cycle” or “Constant Power Protocol Summary” help the user calculating additional variables during successive cycles, such as:

- energy,
- charge/discharge capacity,
- efficiency,
- dynamic resistance.

The processed file is automatically stored on the computer.

### MODULOBAT

- **10 control modes:**
  - Constant Current/Voltage/Power/Resistance
  - Scan Voltage/Current
  - Current Interrupt
  - Trigger/Rest
- **Up to 100 sequences**
- **3 limits per sequence**



### TECHNIQUES

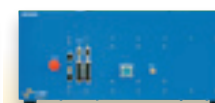
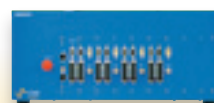
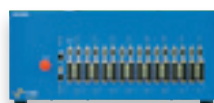
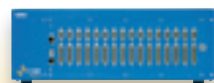
- Batteries Testing**  
GITT, PITT, CLD, CPW, APGC, ModuloBat, profile import
- Voltammetric Techniques**  
OCV, CV, CVA, CA, CP
- Technique Builder**  
Modular Potentio/Galvano (MP/MG), SMP, SMG, Loop, Trigger In/Out, Wait
- IR Determination**  
by Current Interrupt

### GRAPH TOOLS

- Calculation/analysis**  
Process Data  
Capacity & Energy per cycle  
Summary per protocol & Cycle
- Graphic tools**  
Integral  
Min/Max determination  
Peak Analysis  
Linear fit...
- Graph representations**  
Q charge/Q discharge  
Time of charge/discharge

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General functions	MPG-2	MPG-205 (8 x 5 A)	MPG-210 (4 x 10 A)	MPG-220 (2 x 20 A)	MPG-240 (1 x 40 A)
Channel number	16	8	4	2	1
Potentiostat			yes		
Galvanostat			yes		
IR compensation			yes		
External input/outputs			yes		
Cell connection	2, 3, 4 or 5 terminal leads		2 or 4 terminal leads		

## Cell Control

Compliance	±10 V @ 100 mA	-2 V; 9 V @ 5 A	-2 V; 9 V @ 10 A	-2 V; 9 V @ 20 A	-2 V; 9 V @ 40 A
Maximum current	±100 mA continuous	±5 A continuous	±10 A continuous	±20 A continuous	±40 A continuous
Maximum potential	10 V @ 100 mA	9 V @ 5 A	9 V @ 10 A	9 V @ 20 A	9 V @ 40 A
Potential resolution			200 µV down to 5 µV		
Current resolution			0,004% of FSR*		
Current accuracy			±0.1% of control ±0.01% of FSR*		
Bandwidth/stability factor			62 kHz, 21 kHz, 3.2 kHz, 318 Hz, 32 Hz		

## Voltage measurement

Ranges	±10 V, ±5 V, ±2.5 V		0-5 V, 0-10 V		
Accuracy (DC)			±0,1% of control ±0.01% of FSR*		
Resolution			0.0033% of FSR*		
Acquisition speed			200 µs		
Noise (peak to peak 0-100 kHz)			600 µV		

## Current measurement

Ranges	±100 mA, ±10 mA, ±1 mA, ±100 µA, ±10 µA, autorange	±5 A, ±1 A, ±100 mA, ±10 mA, ±1 mA, ±100 µA, ±10 µA, autorange	±10 A, ±1 A, ±100 mA, ±10 mA, ±1 mA, ±100 µA, ±10 µA, autorange	±20 A, ±1 A, ±100 mA, ±10 mA, ±1 mA, ±100 µA, ±10 µA, autorange	±40 A, ±1 A, ±100 mA, ±10 mA, ±1 mA, ±100 µA, ±10 µA, autorange
Accuracy (DC)			±0.1% of control ±0.01% of FSR*		
Resolution			0.0033% of FSR*		
Noise (peak to peak 0-100 kHz)			0.02% of FSR*		

## Electrometer

Input impedance <sup>(1)</sup>	100 GΩ    25 pF typical	100 GΩ    100 pF typical	100 GΩ    100 pF typical	100 GΩ    100 pF typical	100 GΩ    100 pF typical
Input bias current			< 10 pA		
Bandwidth (-3 dB)	8 MHz		3 MHz		
Common mode rejection rate			> 85 dB		

## Auxiliary inputs/outputs

2 analog inputs <sup>(2)</sup>		automatic ±2.5 V, ±5 V, ±10 V ranges - 16 bits resolution			
1 analog output <sup>(2)</sup>		±10 V range 16 bits resolution			
2 digital inputs		TTL level trigger input			
1 digital output		TTL level trigger output			
2 monitor outputs		E and I monitor			
Safety		1 digital security input (open in)			
Emergency stop button	No	yes (global power off)			

## General

Dimensions (H x W x D)	260 x 495 x 465 mm		254 x 494 x 454 mm		
Weight	17 kg	25 kg	24 kg	24 kg	24 kg
Power	350 W, 85-264 V, 47-440 Hz		860 W, 85-264 Vac, 47-440 Hz		
Rack			5 units		
Rack dimension (H x W x D)			1 850 x 600 x 710 mm		
IP (protection level)			20		
Temperature range			10 - 40°C		

\* FSR: Full Scale Range

(1): without cable.

(2): the "PT-100" temperature probe uses one analog input and the analog output.

Specifications are subject to change

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