

DataSheet





The Tinytag Energy Logger can be used to monitor single and three phase energy supplies. It combines the level of performance required by experts with the level of simplicity required by those that are new to energy management.

The unit is ideal for monitoring building energy supply, sections within a building or individual pieces of equipment.

Data from the Tinytag Energy Logger can be used to identify power hungry or inefficient equipment and peak load times, and can highlight equipment that is left powered up or idling unnecessarily.

The Tinytag Energy Logger provides visibility of energy usage so that effective measures can be taken to reduce electricity bills, lower carbon footprint and improve environmental performance.







Tinytag Energy Logger





Benefits

- **Portable** supplied in its own carry case, the unit is small and lightweight making it ideal for use in on-site visits.
- Easy to use select the required wiring configuration and the logger will display step-by-step instructions for the coil and cable connections.
- Quick and easy coil fitting current is measured using non-invasive flexible coils that can easily be clipped around conductors (where larger rigid clamps may not fit) and the voltage reading is taken from a standard mains cable.
- Self-configuring once connected the unit will selfconfigure and current, voltage, power and power factor readings will be displayed.
- No complicated set up procedures current coils do not have to be connected in the direction of the current flow and coils do not have to be matched to specific sockets. The coils supplied can loop around conductors up to 85mm in diameter.

- Spot checks or long-term monitoring the unit can be used for spot checks or for longer term monitoring to build up energy usage profiles.
- Onsite PC not necessary logging is started at the press of a button; no computer is required to start the data logger. Recording can be started and stopped multiple times to allow different pieces of equipment to be monitored in one visit. Separate files are created for each logging run, ready for viewing in Tinytag Explorer.
- Simple download, display and management of data data is viewed and managed using the intuitive Tinytag Explorer software and data can be easily exported to spreadsheet programmes such as Excel. For profiling buildings, data can be combined with temperature and relative humidity data from other loggers in the Tinytag range.
- Hanging option there is a magnet fitted to the back of the logger so it can be attached to metal panels whilst in use.







What does it record?

| Property | Logger Display | Tinytag Explorer Software |
|-------------------------------|----------------|---------------------------|
| RMS Current (A) | | |
| Instantaneous | Per phase | |
| Peak over logging interval | | Per phase |
| Average over logging interval | | Per phase |
| RMS Voltage (V) | | |
| Instantaneous | Single | Single |
| Power (kW) | | |
| Instantaneous | Overall | |
| Peak over logging interval | | Overall & per phase |
| Average over logging interval | | Overall & per phase |
| Power Factor | Per phase | Per phase |
| Energy (kWh) | | Overall & per phase |

- Display the unit's display shows instantaneous rms current (A) from all three phases, the instantaneous rms voltage (V) and an instantaneous overall power figure (kW).
- Automatic software calculations when data is downloaded in the Tinytag Explorer software, the following information is calculated and displayed:
 - peak and average current
 - peak and average power
 - overall peak and average power
 - energy usage information (kWh)
 - a power factor for each phase
- Automatic waveform detection the voltage reference records the waveform of one of the phases and this is used as a reference for the other two.

- High Accuracy the logger samples a 5kHz burst of data every few seconds, building up an accurate profile of the waveform. This makes the unit very good at accurately reading inductive and complex loads where the waveform may not be a true sine wave.
- Logging when logging three phase current and voltage, the unit will record six weeks of data at the default five minute logging interval (this can be changed to anything from 30 seconds to once every 10 days, using the Tinytag Explorer software).
- Battery power option when monitoring with the voltage connected, the unit will power itself from the mains. When logging current without the voltage connected, the unit can record for two months using four user replaceable AA batteries.







TGE-0001 Tinytag Energy Logger Specification

Measurement Specification

Current 2000A AC RMS (Peak Surge Current 4000A)

Voltage 200-253V AC nominal Frequency Nominal 50/60Hz

Display Resolution

Current 0.1A Voltage 0.1V

Power 0.1 or 0.01kW depending on the size

of the load being measured.

Accuracy

Current (RMS)* 1% of reading ±0.5A (above 10A)

Voltage (RMS) 0.5% of reading Power (kW) 2% of reading

Power Factor <0.02 error (above 1kW)

*Temperature Stability of Current Accuracy 0.1%/°C (from

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Sampling Frequency 5kHz burst of samples every

2 seconds (every 5 seconds when logging on battery

power)

Coils

Absolute Maximum Current 5kA AC RMS

Physical Specification

Operational Temperature Range 0 to +50°C 95% (non-condensing)

 Length
 195mm

 Width
 102mm

 Depth
 50mm

 Weight*
 600g

Coil inner Diameter 85mm (typical)

*Including batteries

PC Connection

USB

Battery Type

4 x 1.5V AA Alkaline Batteries (supplied)

In the Box

1 x Tinytag Energy Logger

3 x Clip on coils 1 x UK mains lead 1 x EU mains lead

1 x Tinytag Explorer software CD

1 x USB cable 1 x User Manual

Approvals

Gemini Data Loggers (UK) Ltd. operates Quality and Environmental Management Systems which conform to ISO 9001 and ISO 14001. The scope of these systems covers the manufacture, design and supply of data loggers and their associated software, accessories and services.







