

# BMS for 2S-16S LiPo & LiFe

Low power consumption High accuracy 2.8" TFT LCD display Programmable



**T**hanks for your purchasing the BMS16 for your vehicle.

**R**ead the ENTIRE instruction manual to become familiar with the features/functions of the device before operating.

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Chargery BMS16 is designed special for LiPo & LiFe battery pack applied to storage energy system and Electrical Vehicle including E-Motorcycle, E-Scooter and so on. The unit can measure or detect the battery voltage, cell voltage, charge & discharge current, battery temperature, and battery SOC (State of Charge), displayed with TFT color LCD.

# Safety Notes

Please read the entire manual completely before using, to make sure you can use this device better and more safely.

- 1. Ensure the BMS program and settings match the battery pack, otherwise the battery will be damaged and a dangerous situation may arise, especially for Lithium batteries, which may cause fire.
- 2. For storage energy system application and for Electrical vehicle application will have many differences, please adjust those key parameters carefully, or contact us for more details.
- 3. Do not allow water, moisture, metal wires or other conductive material into the device.
- 4. Never charge or discharge any battery having evidence of leaking, expansion/swelling, damaged outer cover or case, color-change or distortion.
- 5. Do not try to charge "non-rechargeable" dry cells.
- 6. Do not mix batteries of different types, different capacities or from different manufacturers.
- 7. Do not exceed the battery manufacturer's suggested maximum charge and discharge rates.
- 8. Carefully follow the battery pack manufacturer's recommendations and safety advice.

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### **BMS16 Special Features**

- The BMS16 uses advanced ADC measurement technology, high accuracy, high voltage and high current detection circuit. The maximum voltage measurements tolerance is within 5mV at up to 16S LiPo battery (69V)
- 2. Charge/discharge current up to 300A.
- 3. Support regenerative braking, during braking operation can charge the batter pack and the discharge power (Wh) will decrease to response to the braking power.
- 4. BMS16 calculate and display the charge and discharge power (Wh), generally the battery rated power is rated voltage multiply rated battery capacity.
- 5. TFT LCD screen that provides rich information including current, voltage, power, capacity, control status, SOC and temperature and so on.
- 6. BMS16 features a maximal safety protection, within the range parameters can be setup, BMS16 will alarm and cutoff charge or discharge according to users' setup, out of range of parameters, and trigged absolute maximum ratings BMS16 will force to cutoff charge or discharge to prevent



the battery from fire.

- 7. Minimize the power consumption by draw current from all cells or external power supply.
- 8. Dual power design, the unit can be powered by all cells or external power supply.
- 9. Detect cell count at any time, and compare with the count detected when switch on first time. If it is not uniformity, the device will alarm and cutoff charge or discharge according to users' setup, the feature can prevent any cell connection from loosing.
- 10. Sound alarm and LED alarm will be triggered when any warning events happened, and then wait several seconds cut off or NOT charge or discharge. The delay time can be programmed.
- 11. Charge relay and discharge relay are controlled independently.
- 12. Two temperature sensors monitor battery temperature on different location.
- 13. Supports upgrading the firmware program by USB port.
- 14. BMS16 provide users the maximal flexibility, key parameters can be programmed.
- 15. BMS16 display battery SOC or called battery gauge similar with car dashboard. Cell count, battery pack voltage and battery gauge (%) is displayed simultaneously.
- 16. In case that the battery pack need not be charged and discharged, Press STOP button enter into sleep mode to save energy consumption. Charge and Discharge is cut off, LCD back light is off. Press any key to resume normal work mode.
- 17. LCD back light ON time can be programmed to save energy, when it is OFF, press any key to resume "ON".

# **Protection functions**

- 1. Cell count error protection
- 2. Over charge protection
- 3. Under voltage protection
- 4. Over current protection when charge or discharge
- 5. Over temperature
- 6. Over differential cell voltage
- 7. Over differential battery temperature
- 8. Under SOC protection

#### **Interface of BMS16**





#### LiPo & LiFe Battery Management System

Power Selector	Alternate External or battery pack to power BMS16. If select all cells power the unit, the battery pack must be 8S to 16S LiFe or 8S to 14S LiPo. But if power by external power supply, BMS16 can do 2S-16S LiPo or LiFe battery pack. The main input supply Vin voltage range is 13.5V to 60V
External power port	External power input, the voltage should be 13.5V to 60V, 1A maximal, the current depends on the external load, the connector is 5.5*2.1 DC jack, <b>the external power supply and charger should not be common ground.</b>
Charge controller	Charge controller, turn on or turn off charge circuit, generally connect to relay or DC contactor. When any cell voltage is over setup, it will not power the coil of relay to turn off the charger, otherwise BMS16 will output Vin power the coil to close the relay. The relay must be form OPEN. Chargery Charger is recommended to save the relay cost and control the charge better.
Discharge controller	Discharge controller, turn on or turn off discharge circuit, generally connect to relay or DC contactor. When any cell voltage is under setup, it will not power the coil of relay to turn off the motor or other load, otherwise BMS16 will output Vin power the coil to close the relay. The relay must be form OPEN.
Temperature sensor	Two temperature sensor monitor the battery temperature, the sensor must tie to battery surface or gap of cells where the temperature should be the highest during charge or discharge. The temperature range is $0-150^{\circ}$ C
LED	Connect to high light LED, the LED will flash when any warning event happened
Beeper	Connect to beeper or others to alarm. It will output 12V 25mA max.
Current sense Connect to current measurement module that is designed special for BMS16. Cha and discharge current can be measured by one module.	
USB	Connect to PC update the firmware by Chargery UpdateTool.exe
Socket 1	Connect to 2S to 8S battery,
Socket 2	Connect to 9S to 16S battery. for over 8S battery, please connect 8S battery to socket 1 and then connect to socket 2, such as 8S + 2S for 10S and 8S +5S for 13S

# Absolute maximum or Minimum ratings

Maximal call voltage	LiPo	4.35V	Larger than the absolute maximum voltage, BMS16
Maximal cell voltage	LiFe	3.90V	will force to cut off charge
Minimum coll voltage	LiPo	2.50V	Less than the absolute minimum voltage, BMS16 will
Minimum cen voltage	LiFe	2.00V	force to cut off discharge
Pattery temperature	LiPo&	100%	Over the temperature, BMS16 will force to cutoff the
	LiFe	100 C	charge and discharge

# **Program Setup**

Over Charge P Voltage	A. HANNE
Over Charge R Voltage	4 107
Over Charge Current	504
Over Discharge P Voltage	3 000
Over Discharge R Voltage	3.200
Over Discharge Current	1004
SOCBattery Gauge	5%
Battery Temperature	50 °C
Diff of Battery Temp	10 °C
Diff of Cell Voltage	30mV
Temperature Unit	°C
Key Beeper	ON
LCD Back-Light Time	10Min

Over Charge R Voltage	4.100
Over Charge Current	50A
Over Discharge P Voltage	3,007
Over Discharge R Voltage	3.207
Over Discharge Current	1004
SOC-Battery Gauge	5%
Battery Temperature	50 °C
Diff of Battery Temp	10.0
Diff of Cell Voltage	30mV
Temperature Unit	°C
Key Beeper	ON
LCD Back-Light Time	1Min
Cut-Off Delay Time	



- 1. Press SET button for 3 seconds enter into Program Setup interface.
- Press UP or DOWN button select the item, press SET shortly make the value flash, and press UP or DOWN change the value. Press SET button shortly confirm the change. After finish all setup, press SET for 3 seconds quit the setup menu.
- 3. When quit setup mode, BMS16 Will remember all parameters till next change.

#### NOTE: Please keep the default setup unless for special purpose.

Parameters		Min.	Туре	Max.	Step	unit
Charge Protection						
Over Charge Protection (P) Veltage	LiPo	3.90	4.20	4.35	0.01	V
Over Charge Protection(P) voltage		3.40	3.65	3.90	0.01	V
Over Charge Polease(P) Veltage		3.80	4.10	4.25	0.01	V
	LiFe	3.30	3.55	3.80	0.01	V
Over Charge current		0	50	200	1	A
Discharge Protection						
Over Discharge Protection(P) Veltage	LiPo	2.75	3.00	4.00	0.01	V
Over Discharge Protection(P) voltage	LiFe	2.00	3.00	3.50	0.01	V
Over discharge Polease(P) Veltage	LiPo	2.75	3.20	4.00	0.01	V
Over discharge Release(R) voltage	LiFe	2.00	3.10	3.50	0.01	V
Over Discharge current		0	100	300	1	Α
SOC Battery gauge		5	20	90	1	%
Temperature Protection						
Battery Temperature		30	50	80	1	°C
Difference(Diff) of battery Temperature(Temp)		5	10	30	1	°C
Voltage balance Protection						
Difference(Diff) of cell voltage		5	30	300	1	mV
Others						
Temperature Unit			°C	°F		
Key Beeper			ON	OFF		
LCD Back-Light time <sup>(1)</sup>		1	10	999	1	min
Cut-Off Delay Time <sup>(2)</sup>		0	10	60	1	Second
Current Calibration <sup>(3)</sup>		0	0	255	5	Α

#### NOTES:

- 1. Always on means the LCD back-light will be ON forever.
- 2. **NO** means BMS16 will not cut off charge or discharge but alarm by LED flash and Beeper Sound.
- 3. **Current Calibration** is not recommended, voltage and current is calibrated before delivery.

## Warning

Cut-Off Delay Time is very important and difference for different battery capacity and application, please carefully test and make a correct decision, for EV, you can select **NO** to control the EV car **NOT** controlled by BMS16, but when cell voltage and temperature trigger the absolute maximum or minimum ratings, the BMS16 will force to cut off charge or discharge to make sure the battery safety, and prevent battery pack from explode or fire.



# **Operating guideline**

- 1. Connect Beeper, LED, and Current Sensor to BMS16, and then connect relay Controller and temperature sensor too.
- 2. Connect the battery to BMS16, keep the cell polarity correct. The detailed connection diagram is as the following typical connection drawings. move the power selector power on the device.
- 3. BMS16 will initialize the beeper and LED, beeper sounds once time, after display BMS16 and version, the battery type and cell count interface is displayed. Two battery type LiPo and LiFe can be selected. Cell count range is 2S to 16S, the cell count will be identified when the battery pack connect to the BMS16. Press DOWN or UP button choose the item and press SET blink, then press DOWN or UP button changed, finally press START button to run the BMS16. After started, battery type and cell count will not be changed unless power off BMS16.
- 4. SOC—battery gauge dashboard will be displayed first, as following. Press UP/DOWN button alter other interface.



#### Notes

#### 1) When charge or discharge current less than 0.5A, battery status will be STORAGE.

5. The following interface is cell voltage column, the highest and the lowest cell voltage is displayed in RED column.



STORAGE	16S LIP	0 7%	
58.13V	0. 0A	0.000Wh	
27.6°C	27.8°C	0.2°C	15m¥
01 3.623	05 3.632	09 3.636 1	3 3.635
02 3.633	06 3.634	10 3.635 1	4 3.632
03 3.635	07 3.634	11 3.633 1	5 3.630
04 3.633	08 3.632	12 3.638 10	5 3.632

6. The third interface display all information including all cell voltage. The highest and the lowest cell voltage is displayed in RED text. Difference of cell voltage and difference of battery temperature is displayed.

When any warning events triggered, BMS16 will go to the interface and display error information. Such as if the battery connection bread down, the cell count and ERROR will be displayed in turn. if the cell voltage over the setup value, the cell voltage and HIGH will be displayed in turn.

# **Specifications**

- 1. Battery range: 2S-16S LiPo & LiFe battery pack
- 2. Accurate scope of the cell voltage: -5mV/+5mV
- 3. Cell Voltage display range: 0.10~4.99V
- 4. The voltage of external power: 13.5-60V.
- 5. Temperature display range:  $0.0^{\circ}$ C ~  $150^{\circ}$ C,
  - Display 0.0 when under 0.0°C
- 6. SOC indicator:
  - RED area @ 0~15% of SOC
  - YELLOW area @ 16~35% of SOC
  - GREEN area @ 36~100% of SOC
- 7. Size:105\*80\*24 ( L\*W\*T, mm)
- 8. Weight: 190g
- 9. Warning LED: 11000mCd, @ 2.0V, 20mA
- 10. Warning beeper: 85dB @ 12V, 25mA
- 11. Package: AL alloy case

# **Current Sensor Specification**

- 12. Size:60\*45\*18.5 ( L\*W\*T, mm)
- 13. Wire Length:100mm, one 10AWG for 50A charge, and three 14AWG wire for 100A discharge
- 14. Weight:100g

### Firmware Upgrades via USB Port

1. Go to <u>http://www.chargery.com/uploadFiles/ChargeryupdateTool.zip</u> to download the

ChargeryupdateTool.zip, the zip file include Chargery USB driver, and Chargery Update Tool, extract to any disk on the PC.

- To install the USB driver, run the program X:\ChargeryupdateTool\ChargeryUSBdriver.exe (where X is the drive letter designator for your CD-ROM drive.)
- 3. In the same directory, double click to run the update tool and enter program interface.
- Connect BMS16 to the PC by the USB data cable.
  When the port number (such as com5) appears,

this shows the update tool identified the BMS16. Click OPEN button lock the port please.

5. Click Open file button open the firmware file. If there is no firmware file on the PC, you can download the file on http://www.chargery.com/uploadFiles/firmwareFiles/ to the PC.





6. Click the Update button, then the update progress bar will appear on the bottom, update complete will be displayed on PC after finish update. BMS16 display the progress bar simultaneously and enter into cell count setup interface after update is completed.

## **Current Calibration**

Press SET 3 buttons enter into Program Setup and find the Current Calibration, you can calibrate the

current to improve the measure accuracy.

- 1. Shortly press SET make the 0A blink
- 2. Turn off charge and discharge, and short press SET button.
- Press SET again and increase it to any current value (up to 255, it must be less than current shunt, it is better to make it is equal to your charge current, the key is the current must be accurate) and charge or discharge at the current.
- 4. Press SET save calibration data.
- 5. Press SET for 3 seconds quit Program Setup.





# **Typical Connection**

There are 2 sockets connecting to battery pack, socket 1 is for 2S-8S and socket 2 for 9S~16S battery.

1. 6S battery connect to the socket 1 directly, it is as following.



2. For over 8S battery pack, connect 8S to socket 1 and then socket 2 separately. Take 12S battery sample as following:





# Accessory

USB data cable	Battery connection XHR-9PIN, 600mm
Temperature sensor, 600mm	Relay controller wire 600mm
Warning LED, 300mm	Warning Beeper, 300mm
Current Measurement Module	Current sensor wire, 300mm
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# **Current Sensor and Relay Connection**



Heavy RED wires are positive of battery pack (B+/B16+), charger and load such as motor, and heavy black wire is negative of battery pack(B-/B1-), charger and load. one heavy wire is for 50A maximal charge current, and 3 wires for 100A continue to discharge.

#### WARNING

Before connect the relay to charge or discharge controller, please confirm the coil voltage, the controller will output Vin to power the coil, if the BMS16 will be powered by external power supply, Vin is external power supply output voltage, if powered by battery pack, Vin will be battery pack voltage, so need voltage regulator to power coil.



# **Related parts**

The following device is related with BMS16

MODEL	DESCRIPTION	COMMENTS
BMS16Pro	For 2S-16S, 1.2A balance current per cell	
BMS24	For 2S-24S, 1.2A balance current per cell	

# **Version History**

interface, need not



### **Warranty and Service**

Chargery Power Co., Ltd. as manufacture of power system warrants its BMS16 and current Sensor to be free of defects in material and workmanship. This warranty is effective for 12 months from date of purchase. If within the warranty period the customer is not satisfied with the products performance resulting from a manufacturing defect, the accessory will be replaced or repaired.

Your selling dealer is your first point of contact for warranty issues. Return postage costs are the responsibility of the user in all cases. Please submit copy of original receipt with the return.

Damage due to physical shock (dropping on the floor, etc.), inappropriate power supply (unstable output voltage and insufficient power, etc.), water, moisture, and humidity are specifically NOT covered by warranty.



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