**PS-1242** 12V 4.50 AH @ 20-hr. 12V 4.19 AH @ 10-hr.
Rechargeable Sealed Lead Acid Battery
PS – General Purpose Series

**TERMINALS:** (mm)

F1: Quick disconnect tabs, 0.187” x 0.032” – Mate with AMP INC. FASTON “187” series

**DIMENSIONS:** inch (mm)

**FEATURES**
- Absorbent Glass Mat (AGM) technology for superior performance
- Valve regulated, maintenance free spill proof construction
- Power/volume ratio yielding excellent energy density
- Rugged vibration and impact resistant ABS case and cover
- Gas recombination technology
- 5 year design life

**APPROVALS**
- U.L. recognized
- ISO9001:2015 – Quality management systems

**PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS**

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<th>12 volts (6 cells)</th>
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<td><strong>Nominal Capacity</strong></td>
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<td>20-hr.</td>
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<td><strong>Approximate Weight</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Internal Resistance (approx.)</strong></td>
<td>40.0 milliohms</td>
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<td><strong>Max Short-Duration Discharge Current (10 Sec.)</strong></td>
<td>45.0 amperes</td>
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<td><strong>Shelf Life</strong></td>
<td>% of nominal capacity at 68°F (20°C)</td>
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<td>1 Month</td>
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<td><strong>Operating Temperature Range</strong></td>
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<td>Charge</td>
<td>-5°F (-15°C) to 122°F (50°C)</td>
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<td>Discharge</td>
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<td><strong>Case</strong></td>
<td>ABS Plastic</td>
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**SHELF LIFE & STORAGE**

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Charging is not necessary unless 100% of capacity is required. Charging before use is necessary to help recover full capacity.

**LIFE CHARACTERISTICS IN STAND-BY USE**

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Ambient Temperature 20°C (68°F)

Float Charging Voltage 2.25 - 2.30 V/Cell

**CHARGING**

**Cycle Applications:** Apply constant voltage charge at 2.35v/c – 2.45v/c (14.1 – 14.7v for 12v Monobloc) at 20°C. Initial charging current should be set at less than 0.25C Amps. Switch to float charge to avoid overcharging.

**“Float” or “Stand-By” Service:** Apply constant voltage charge of 2.25v/c – 2.30v/c (13.5 to 13.8 volts for 12v Monobloc at 20°C. When held at this voltage, the battery will seek its own current level and maintain itself in a fully charged condition.

**Temperature Compensation:** Charging Voltage for both Cyclic and Standby applications should be regulated in relation to ambient temperature. As temperature rises charging voltage should be reduced to prevent overcharge and increased as temperature falls to avoid undercharge.

For further charging information including temperature compensation factors, see Power Sonic Technical Manual/Power Sonic Charger specifications.

**APPLICATIONS**

- General purpose
- Medical
- Fire and security

**CHARGERS**

Power Sonic offers a wide range of chargers suitable for batteries with a variety of capacities.

Please refer to our website for more information on our switch mode and transformer type chargers.

Please contact our technical department for advice if you have difficulty in locating a suitable charger.

**FURTHER INFORMATION**

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