DC Load Dump

Water Heating Element [RGX-E15]

An off-grid wind or hydro turbine needs to be properly regulated to avoid overcharging of the lead-acid batteries. Voltage regulation is typically achieved by either stopping the wind turbine or by diverting *(dumping)* the power into a resistive load *(heater)*.

Our Water Heating Element [RGX-E15] used as a resistive load has the following characteristics:

Water Heating Element	Nominal System Voltage		
Values	12V	24V	48V
Typical Volts (Maximum)	13.6V (15V)	27V (30V)	NOT SUITABLE FOR 48V*
Single (1.5 Ω)	9A (10A)	18A (20A)	
2 Parallel (0.75 Ω)	18A (20A)	36A (40A)	
2 Series (3 Ω)	Do Not Use	9A (10A)	

*Use Heating Element [RGX-E16] for 48V systems.





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