# DC Linear Power Supply, 7.5/8 Amp

Adjustable, Regulated Power for Electronics



## Crystal-clear performance, high efficiency

Power DC electronics including portable televisions, stereos, LED lighting, and alarm systems directly from a 12V or 24V battery bank/ solar panel with crystal-clear performance! Gone forever are the scan lines in TV reception so characteristic of inverters, and the "shot noise", squeal, and short life of low cost, single stage converters.

You can even use this Power Supply to recharge batteries at the exact voltage listed on the battery case by the manufacturer for maximum charging performance. Or power LED devices at exact voltage minimizing the need for wasteful dropping resistors.

A powerful 7.5/8 amps continuous current capacity is available to energize power-hungry appliances, while a nominal 88 percent conversion efficiency minimizes battery drain.

Voltage is not only reduced to a preset, adjustable level, but held steady regardless of shifting parameters such as low or charging battery and load variations. Meanwhile, potentially damaging spikes and power surges are heavily dampened by the patented, twostage design. Ground loops, which



result in hum in audio and false triggering in alarms, are essentially eliminated.

Efficiency remains high even under low current demands. A noload current draw of about 14mA, the same as an LED, makes this converter ideal for standby use. If overloaded, this unit automatically reduces power to a safe level, and restored power once the overload is removed.

Resetting the output voltage to emulate a newer battery chemistry, for example 7.2V, is easy using only a voltmeter and a small screwdriver. 12V units can even be even be set for 12V and 24V units for 24V to condition output and prevent damaging overvoltage such as might be caused by a multistage or "equalizing" battery charger or nicad.

Packaging options include wall plate with optional lighter-type receptacles for easy attachment of appliances via a standard, fused adapter cord (such as Radio Shack part# 270-1528). An on/off switch can also be included, as can a Voltage Doubler module to adjust a 12V battery input anywhere between a 5V and 24V regulated output. The unit can also be packaged in a standard outdoortype outlet box. See table, reverse side for complete packaging options.

## Features

- Reduces battery voltage to a preset, adjustable level
- Holds delivered voltage steady
- Removes annoying interference
- 12V and 24V battery versions

## Applications

- LED Lighting: Power at exact voltage reducing the need for wasteful dropping resistors
- Portable televisions, stereos, alarm systems
- Off-mode operation when using an inverter
- Battery charging

Linear Power Supply 24V System Performance				
Delivered	Continuous	Efficiency		
VOLTAGE	CURRENT			
24V	7.5A	95%		
20V	7.5A	88%		
18V	7.5A	86%		
15V	7.5A	83%		
12V	7.5A	80%		
9V	7A	77%		
7.4V	6A	73%		
6V	5A	68%		
5V	5A	62%		
Operation				
below 5V				
not recommended				

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# **Technical Specifications**

#### Mode of Operation

Two stage (PWM and linear) with optical interstage coupler. Non-isolated, point-of-use design (output leads must remain isolated from battery voltages). For extra efficiency, switching stage locks on full as source voltage reaches about 2 volts of delivered voltage

#### Supply Voltage and Adjustment Range

12V Version: 10 to 20 vdc battery working range. Absolute max is 32 vdc (point where transient suppressor activates). Adjusts from 1.2 vdc to supply voltage minus about 0.5 vdc.

24V Version: 20 to 28 vdc battery working range. Absolute max is 40 vdc (point where transient suppressor activates). Output voltage adjusts from 1.2 vdc to supply voltage minus about 0.5 vdc. Do not adjust for over 25 vdc. Battery or filtered dc only. Fuse or breaker in electrical box

#### **Output Current (general)**

System can deliver 7.5A/8A continuous at most settings and ambient temperatures. Output current is automatically reduced to a safe level in the event of a thermal or other overload, and restored once the overload is removed. Includes "foldback" current limiting for continuous short circuit protection

#### **Ambient Temperature Range**

Rated current between - 40 F (- 40 C) and 90 F (32 C) ambient; 75% of rated up to 115 F (46 C)

#### Load Types

Resistive and capacitive. Use with motors is application-specific, and therefore not recommended

#### **Reverse Polarity Protection**

Standard blade-type 30A fuse blows if input leads are reverse connected to the battery

#### Line Regulation

Nil as long as supply voltage remains within specified range

#### Load Regulation

Nil from zero load to maximum rated load at any output setting

#### No-Load Current Draw About 14mA

#### **Output Ripple Voltage**

12V Version: About 50 mV peak-to-peak at full load rated load 24V Version: About 100 mV peak-to-peak at full rated load

#### **Transient Protection**

Delivered voltage is decoupled from spikes in supply voltage via heavy capacitors and transient suppressors on both input and output side. An additional external transient suppressor (such as Radio Shack part# 43-10) is recommended when powering telephone equipment in lightning prone areas

#### Accessories Included

Detailed installation instructions. Color coordinated switch plate mounting screws for plate version, mounting hardware for box version

#### Warranty and Disclaimer:

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Part #	UPC Number	Input Voltage	Max Curren
ALN-75L-12V On 1-gang plate	12400	12V	7.5A
ALN-75L-24V On 1-gang plate	12500	24V	7.5A
ALN-75L-SK-12V Dual sockets, 2-gang plate	12404	12V	7.5A
ALN-75L-SK-24V Dual sockets, 2-gang plate	12504	24V	7.5A
ALN-75L-SW-12V Switch, 2-gang plate	12405	12V	7.5A
ALN-75L-SW-24V Switch, 2-gang plate	12505	24V	7.5A
ALN-75L-BX-12V Installed in outdoor-type wall box with cover plate	12401	12V	8A
ALN-75L-BX-24V Installed in outdoor-type wall box with cover plate	12501	24V	8A
ALN-75L-VDSW-24V Voltage Doubler, switch on 2-gang plate. Adjustable up to 24V out from 12V input	12597	12V	7.5A

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