# Battery Separator BS140 Universal Autodetect 12/24V

# Features:

The BS is a microprocessor controlled Battery Separator for use in systems with more than one battery for example in boats, caravans and campers. It safely charges the auxiliary battery and prevents starting problems. Also the BS can be used as a voltage dependent switch.

The BS is a microprocessor controlled high power mechanical switch. The BS waits until the battery connected to the active charging source reaches 13.2V (26,4V) for at least 7 seconds before paralleling and charging the auxiliary batteries. Normally the accessories are connected to the auxiliary battery. The system disconnects if the battery voltage reaches 12.8V (25,6V) for at least 60 seconds. This way the starter battery stays charged.

# Bipolar switching:

The BS has a second unique feature. If a charger is connected to the second battery, for example in boats and campers, and the battery reaches 13,2V (26,4V) for at least 7 seconds the switch will connect the starter battery so this will be charged also. This is an advantage if you lie/stand still for a longer time. This way the starter battery also stays in optimal condition. As the charger is removed and the voltage drops to 12,8V (25,6V), for at least 60 seconds, the switch will open again.

# Voltage dependent switch:

In some cases it is desirable to have a connector that is only powered when the vehicle is running. For this kind of application the BS is also useful. Connect the primary battery connection to the starter battery and the other connection to the equipment. If now the engine is started the starter battery will reach 13,2V (26,4V) and the Battery Separator will connect the equipment to the battery.

### Battery/ equipment / accessories protection:

All the types have a protection of the second battery and it's connected equipment of overvoltage due to a damaged voltage regulator of the alternator. If the voltage will become too high the Battery Separator switch will open immediately and connected equipment is saved.

#### Installation:

Use suitable cables. Use heavy duty copper cable connectors and use wires of sufficient diameter and quality so no excess heat is produced. When using bad material or insufficient diameter, the Battery Separator can be damaged.

ATTENTION!! Short-circuit of the plus and minus of the battery can damage your system! So make sure the connections are secure!

Primary battery 12V (24V)	Auxiliary battery 12V (24V)
13.2V relay on (26.4V)	13.2V relay on (26.4V)
12.8V relay out (25.6V)	12.8V relay out (25.6V)

Between the on/off switching is a delay to prevent the relay from switching in a short dip or rise of the battery Voltage. The relay switches off at an over Voltage of 16V (32V) to prevent damage of the battery and equipment.

# **Technical specifications:**

10-bits precise µProcessor

Power supply Autodetect 12/24V Connection batteries M6

other connections 6.3mm faston

Cable suggestion BS140 25mm<sup>2</sup>

Current consumption in OFF state 12V 1.5mA / 24V 1.5mA Current consumption in ON state 13.5V 360mA / 27V 160mA

Minimum Chargetime 60 sec

Fast OFF < 11.8V (12V) / <23.6V (24V) after 4 sec.

# Connections:

30 Primary/start Battery Plus connection.

85 Minus. (Attention! This should always be connected via a fuse of

3A.

86 Not connected.

87 Auxiliary Battery connection. If used as Voltage Dependent Switch

this is the equipment connection.

