# 120/240 Watt AC-DC Front End with PFC

Rugged 35 mm DIN-rail snap-fit design 3000 V AC input to output electric strength test Single and double outputs for 24 or 48 V DC loads

- Universal AC-input with single stage conversion AC to DC with PFC
- Power factor >0.9, harmonics <IEC/EN 61000-3-2
- Immunity to IEC/EN 61000-4-2, -3, -4, -5, -6, -11
- Emissions below CISPR 20/EN 55022, level B
- Very high efficiency up to 88%
- · Short-term output peak power capability
- · Independently regulated outputs
- · Outputs; no load, overload and short-circuit proof
- Ambient operating temperature -25...60°C
- · Extremely small case size
- Very high reliability, MTBF >400'000 h (G<sub>B</sub>, 40°C)

Safety in accordance to IEC/EN 60950, UL 1950, EN 50178 and VDE 0508



**A** Approvals in progress



# **W** Series Convert Select 120 Convert Select 240



# Summary

The "Convert Select" front end line represents a series of DIN-rail mountable AC-DC converters with power factor correction and has been designed according to the latest industry requirements and standards. The converters are ideal for use in demanding applications to power building controls, factory automation, industrial controls, PLCs, instrumentation, electromagnetic drives, fans and other DC loads

The units are available with single and electrically isolated. independently regulated double outputs allowing configuration of output voltages of 24 V, 48 V,  $\pm$ 24 V and 2  $\times$  24 V DC.

Key features of the "Convert Select" line include: power factor correction with low harmonic distortion, negligibly low inrush current, high immunity to transients and surges and very low electromagnetic emissions. Internal protection circuits such as input over- and undervoltage lock-out as well as output overvoltage protection by a second control loop ensure safe operation of the final system.

The outputs deliver an electrically isolated Safety Extra Low Voltage (SELV) with low output noise and are no load, overload and short-circuit proof. Electronically controlled short-term peak power capability of up to 150% of the rated output power enables the front end units to deliver additional power to start-up motors or to safely operate subsequent circuit breakers. Built-in large sized output capacitors absorb possible reverse energy which may be caused by quick decelarations of electromagnetic drives connected directly to the output.

A green LED at the front displays the status of the output(s). The "Convert Select" line is designed and built according to the international safety standards IEC/EN 60950, UL 1950, CAN/CSA C22.2 no. 950-95, EN 50178 and VDE 0508. LGA, UL and cUL approvals are in progress. Adequate clearance and creepage distances allow operation in pollu-

The thermal concept allows operation at full load up to an ambient temperature of 60°C in free air without forced cool-

tion degree 3 environments.

A unique feature of the "Convert Select" line is the extremely small and compact design of the metallic case. A rugged DIN snap-fit device allows easy and reliable fixing onto the various 35 mm DIN rail types.

The units are fitted with cage clamp terminals easily accessible from the front. System connectors with screw terminals for use with preassembled harnesses and an input for external adjustment of the output voltage are available as options.

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# Type Survey and Key Data

Table 1: Type survey

Outp	ut 1	Outp	ut 2	Output Power	Input Voltage	Efficiency 5	Type designation	Options <sup>6</sup>
U <sub>o1 nom</sub> <sup>1</sup> [V DC]	<i>I</i> <sub>o1 nom</sub> [Α]	U <sub>o2 nom</sub> 1 [V DC]	<i>I</i> <sub>o2 nom</sub> [Α]	P <sub>o nom</sub> ² [W]	U <sub>i min</sub> U <sub>i max</sub> <sup>3, 4</sup> [V AC]	$\eta_{typ}$ [%]		
24.0	5.0	-	-	120	85264	88	LWR 1601-6	R
24.0	10.0	-	-	240		88	LWN 1601-6	K
24.0	5.0	24.0	5.0	240		88	LWN 2660-6	'
48.0	5.0	-	-	240		88	LWN 1801-6	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Output voltage adjusted to typ. 24.7 V or 49.4 V at P<sub>o</sub> = ½ P<sub>o nom</sub>; Output voltage tolerance: 24 V or 48 V −0...+10%.

### Type Key and Product Marking

Type Key		LWN	266	6- 0	RKI
Input voltage range <i>U</i> <sub>i</sub> : 85264 V, 4763 Hz	L ———				
Series	W ———				
Nominal output power					
120 W	R				
240 W	N				
Number of outputs	12 ———		_   _		
Nominal voltage output 1, <i>U</i> <sub>o1 nom</sub>					
24 V	6				
48 V	8 ———				
other voltages	7, 9				
Nominal voltage output 2, <i>U</i> <sub>o2 nom</sub>					
24 V	60 ———			J	
Operational ambient temperature range $T_A$ :					
–2560°C	6				
customer specific	05				
Auxiliary functions and options:					
R input	R ———				_
System connector	K ———				
Built-in second fuse	F ———				

Example: LWN 2660-6: Power factor corrected AC-DC converter, input voltage range 85...264 V AC, 2 electrically isolated and individually regulated outputs, each providing 24 V, 5 A.

#### **Product Marking**

Product line designation, Melcher company logo, operating input voltage, input and output terminal allocation.

Specific type designation, operating input voltage range and input current, nominal output voltages and current(s). Applicable safety approval and recognition marks, CE mark and degree of protection. Batch no., serial no. and data code including production site, modification status and date of production. Confirmation of successfully passed final test.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Short term peak power capability typically  $1.5 \times P_{\text{o nom}}$ , 24 V or 48 V  $\leq$ 1s.

<sup>3</sup> In single phase connection full output power available down to AC input 115/135V. For derating factors please contact Melcher.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> For low mains voltages (e.g.120/208 V, 60 Hz systems) a phase to phase connection will provide full output power from the front end units. Safe connection to the mains can be achieved by an external fuse in the line to the N∼ terminal, or by a built-in second fuse in the neutral path, available as an option.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Measured at U<sub>i nom</sub> (230 V AC), I<sub>o nom</sub>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> System connectors with screw terminals.

### **Mechanical Data**

Dimensions in mm. Tolerances  $\pm 0.3$  mm unless otherwise indicated.



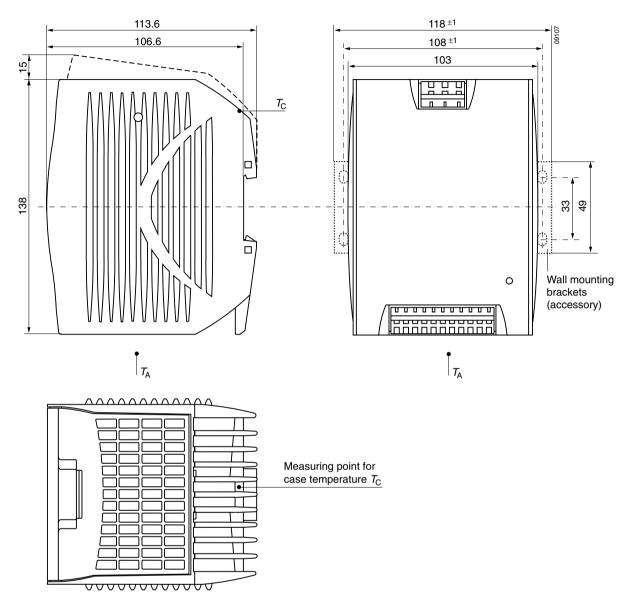


Fig. 1 Case W01 weight: approx. 1400 g Case desined by ATP, Munich.



# Safety and Installation Instructions

#### **Terminal Allocation**

The terminal allocation tables define the electrical potentials of the AC-DC converters.



Fig. 2 View of the input terminals



Fig. 3
View of the output terminals

Table 2: Terminal allocation input side

Pin no.	Pin designation	Electrical determination
1	<b>⊕</b>	Protective earth
2	N∼	Input neutral
3	P~	Input phase

Table 3: Terminal allocation output side

Pin no.	Pin des.	Single output	Double output
1	÷	Earth to load	Earth to load
2	+	Output positive	Output 1 positive
3	+	Output positive	Output 1 positive
4	_	Output negative	Output 1 negative
5	_	Output negative	Output 1 negative
6	+	Output positive	Output 2 positive
7	+	Output positive	Output 2 positive
8	_	Output negative	Output 2 negative
9	_	Output negative	Output 2 negative
10		Options <sup>1</sup>	Options <sup>1</sup>
11	÷	Earth to load	Earth to load

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> E.g. option R.

#### Installation Instruction

The converters of the "Convert Select" series are components, intended exclusively for inclusion within other equipment by an industrial assembly operation or by professional installers. Installation must strictly follow the national safety regulations in compliance with the enclosure, mounting, creepage, clearance, casualty, markings and segregation requirements of the end-use application. See also: *Technical Information: Installation and Application*.

Mechanical fixing shall be made via the built-in snap-fit devices for DIN-rail mounting or via mounting brackets for wall mounting according to the following figures. Mounting brackets are available from Melcher under the designation: *Mounting Bracket UMB-W*, order no. HZZ00618.

The minimum space to the next device should be: top/bottom: 30 mm, left/right: 10 mm.

Install the converters vertically and make sure that there is sufficient air flow available for convection cooling.

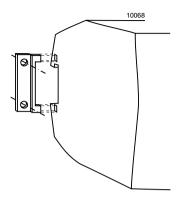


Fig. 4
Wall mounting with mounting bracket (accessory).

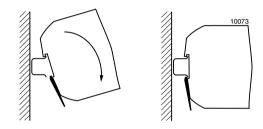


Fig. 5
Snap-fit mounting to DIN-rail.

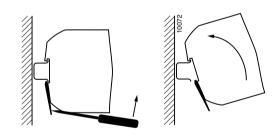


Fig. 6
Dismounting from DIN-rail. Use proper tool (min. 3 mm screwdriver) and adequate force.

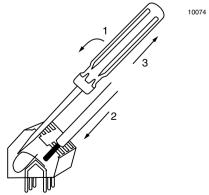


Fig. 7
Cage clamp terminal (standard). Use 0.08 to 2.5 mm<sup>2</sup>
(AWG 28 to 12) solid wires or stranded wires, depending on local requirements.







Fig. 8
System connector with screw terminals (option K).
Use 1.5 mm² solid wires or 1.0 mm² stranded wires with crimp termination.

Input terminal 1 ( $\oplus$ ) and output terminals 1 and 11 ( $\pm$ ) of the AC-DC converters are reliably connected to the case. For safety reasons it is essential to connect input terminal 1 ( $\oplus$ ) to the protective earth of the supply system. Output terminals 1 and 11 can be used to connect the output voltage(s) or other equipment to earth.

The phase input ( $P\sim$ ) is internally fused by a 6.3 A slow-blow type. It is not customer-accessible. This fuse is designed to protect the unit in case of overcurrent. External fuses in the wiring to one or both input pins ( $P\sim$  and/or  $N\sim$ ) may therefore be necessary to ensure compliance with local requirements. A built-in second fuse in the neutral path is available as an option (F).

A second fuse in the wiring to the neutral terminal  $N_{\sim}$  or option F is needed if:

- Local requirements demand an individual fuse in each source line
- · Neutral and earth impedance is high or undefined
- Phase and neutral of the mains are not defined or cannot be assigned to the corresponding terminals (P~ to phase and N~ to neutral).

#### Caution:

- Improper installation and maintenance may result in failure, severe personal injury or substantial damage to property.
- Check for hazardous voltages before altering any connections.
- Hazardous voltages are present at the input and within the units if connected to the mains.
- Energy hazards by internal capacitors are present at the output terminals even if the unit has been disconnected from the mains. Wait a minimum of 3 minutes after disconnection before causing any short-circuit across the output terminals.

- Make sure that there is sufficient air flow available for convection cooling. This should be verified by measuring the case temperature when the unit is installed and operated in the end-use application. The maximum specified case temperature T<sub>C</sub> max, measured at the: Measuring point of case Temperature T<sub>C</sub> according to: Mechanical data shall not be exceeded.
- The installer must ensure that under all operating conditions T<sub>C</sub> remains within the limits stated in the table: Temperature specifications.
- Do not open the modules.

Ensure that a unit failure (e.g. by an internal short-circuit) does not result in a hazardous condition. See also: *Safety of operator accessible output circuit.* 

#### Standards and Approvals

All converters of the "Convert Select" series correspond to class I equipment.

They are UL recognized according to UL 1950, UL recognized for Canada to CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 950-95 and LGA approved to IEC/EN 60950 and EN 50178 standards and have been designed in accordance with these standards for:

- · Building in
- Basic insulation between input and case, based on 250 V AC
- Double or reinforced insulation between input and output, based on 250 V AC
- · Operational insulation between output(s) and case
- · Operational insulation between the outputs
- The use in a pollution degree 3 environment.
- Connecting the input to a primary circuit with a maximum transient rating of 2500 V (overvoltage class III based on a 110 V primary circuit, overvoltage class II based on a 230 V primary circuit).

The AC-DC converters are subject to manufacturing surveillance in accordance with the above mentioned UL, CSA, EN and with ISO 9001 standards.

#### **Protection Degree**

The protection degree of the AC-DC converters is IP 20. In the vicinity of the terminals the protection degree depends on the installation. Protective covers are in preparartion.

#### **Cleaning Agents**

In order to avoid possible damage, any penetration of cleaning fluids is to be prevented, since the power supplies are not hermetically sealed.

Table 4: Temperature specifications, valid for air pressure of 800...1200 hPa (800...1200 mbar)

Tempe	erature		Stand		
Charac	cteristics	Conditions	min	max	Unit
T <sub>A</sub>	Ambient temperature	Operational	-25	60	°C
T <sub>C</sub>	Case temperature		-25	90	
Ts	Storage temperature	Non operational	-40	100	





#### Isolation

The electric strength test is performed as factory test in accordance with IEC/EN 60950 and UL 1950. Neither this test nor the insulation resistance measurement should be repeated in the field. Melcher will not honour any guarantee claims resulting from field tests with high voltages.

Table 5: Isolation

**Important:** Testing by applying AC voltages will result in high and dangerous leakage currents flowing through the Y-capacitors.

For creepage distances and clearances refer to: *Technical Information: Safety.* 

Characteristic		Input to case	Input to output	Output to case	Output to output	Unit
Electric	Required according to	1.0	3.0 <sup>1</sup>	0.5	_	$kV_{rms}$
strength test	h   IEC/EN 60950	1.4	4.2 <sup>1</sup>	0.7	_	kV DC
voltage	Actual factory test 1 s	2.8	4.2 <sup>1</sup>	1.4	0.3	
	AC test voltage equivalent to actual factory test	2.0	3.0 1	1.0	0.2	$kV_{rms}$
Insulation resistance at 500 V DC		>300	>300	>300	>100 2	MQ

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In accordance with IEC/EN 60950 only subassemblies are tested in the factory with this voltage.

#### **Leakage Currents in AC-DC operation**

Leakage currents flow due to internal leakage capacitance and RFI suppression Y-capacitors. The current values are proportional to the mains voltage and nearly proportional to the mains frequency. They are specified at maximum operating input voltage where phase, neutral and protective earth are correctly connected as required for class I equipment.

Table 6: Leakage currents

Characteristic		LW	Unit	
Earth leakage	Permissible according to IEC/EN 60950	3.5	mA	
current	Specified value at 255 V, 50 Hz (LW)	1.7 1		
	Specified value at 127 V, 60 Hz (LW)	0.9		
Output leakage current	Permissible according to IEC/EN 60950	0.25		
	Specified value at 255 V, 50 Hz (LW)	<0.1		
	Specified value at 127 V, 60 Hz (LW)	<0.1		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In phase to phase configuration, leakage current is lower (200 V/60 Hz).

### Safety of operator accessible output circuit

If the output circuit of an AC-DC converter is operator accessible, it shall be an SELV circuit according to IEC/EN 60950 related safety standards

The "Convert" series AC-DC converter are designed with SELV output circuits up to an output voltage of 57 V. However if the isolated outputs are connected to another volt-

age source or connected in series with a total of >57 V the output is hazardous.

However, it is the sole responsibility of the installer to assure the compliance with the relevant and applicable safety regulations. More information is given in: *Technical Information: Safety*.

### **Description of Options**

#### **K System Connectors**

For installation into systems using preassembled harnesses the units are available with connectors fitted with screw terminals. The system connectors are UL-listed and approved for a temperatue range –40...100°C and currents up to 10 A. Wire cross sections: Solid wires 1.5 mm<sup>2</sup>; stranded wires 1 mm<sup>2</sup>.

#### F Built-in Second Fuse

A built-in second fuse in the neutral path provides safe phase to phase connection at low mains voltages (e.g. USA 120 V/208 V/60 Hz systems). The built-in second fuse furthermore enables safe connection to the mains where phase and neutral are not defined or cannot be identified, as e.g. in the case of plug and socket connection to the mains via Schuko-plugs, see also: *Safety and Installation Instructions*.

#### R Uo Adjustment

Adjustment of the output voltage in the range of approximately 5...110% of  $U_{\text{o nom}}$  by an external voltage source (in the range of 0.125...2.75 V) connected between the R terminal and Vo–, or by an external resistor connected either between the R terminal and Vo– (5...100% of  $U_{\text{o nom}}$ ) or the R terminal and Vo+ (100...110% of  $U_{\text{o nom}}$ ).

With units with double outputs only the output connected to terminals 6, 7, 8 and 9 can be adjusted in the range of 5...110% of its nominal output voltage, see single output units. This allows a symmetric output voltage configurations. If the two outputs of double output units are connected in series the R-input affects only its related output and the adjustment range is limited to approx. 52 to 105% of the sum of the two nominal output voltages.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Tested at 100 V DC.