

## Technical Specifications

# SL4800CHARGE - BATTERY-POWERED CONTROLLER WITH BUILT-IN CHARGE SYSTEM

### FEATURES

- Available in conventional wire OR two-wire configuration
- Charges when electricity is available (such as street or trail lights) and automatically switches to battery power when electricity is turned off.
- The SmartLine controller paired with the SLW weather station is SWAT tested and EPA Watersense certified
- Uses industry standard 24VAC valves, which outperform debris-prone latching solenoids required with battery operated systems
- Patented system diagnostics include Volt meter, Amp meter and Valve Locator
- LCD display indicates battery condition
- Dual deep cycle batteries provide up to 7 days of operation with no additional charge
- State of the art Charge Technology prolongs battery life and protects batteries from over charge and assures a full charge
- Heavy-duty 16-gauge stainless steel enclosure for secure installation
- Easy conversion from battery to standard full-time AC grid power allowing for early stage construction of landscape in new or phased-in projects
- Comes pre-wired and ready to install with:
  - SmartLine controller with all modules
  - Stainless steel enclosure
  - Industrial-grade marine power charger
  - Two deep cycle batteries
  - Four-digit digital meter
  - Circuit breakers
  - Wiring harnesses and cables



SmartLine Battery Powered Controller	
Model	Description
SL4800CHARGE	48 Zone Battery Powered Conventional Wire Controller
SL4800CHARGETW	48 Zone Battery Powered Two-Wire Controller



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### **SMARTLINE CONTROLLER**

Conventional wire OR two-wire configured controller

- Large backlit LCD display
- Nonvolatile memory and real time clock/calendar to retain programs and current date and time even if solar batteries lose their charge
- 2 run modes: Standard mode runs user input zone run times; Auto Adjust mode requires SLW Series On-Site Weather Station to calculate weather based run times
- 4 programs: A, B, C & D can operate concurrently or stacked.
- 8 start times per program
- Zone run times from 1 min. to 9 hrs. 55 min. with operation countdown displayed in hours, minutes, and seconds
- Watering day selections of custom days of the week, odd/even, or interval days (1 – 30 days)
- Omit settings: omit time of day window, omit day(s) of week, and omit up to 7 calendar dates
- Two-Wire Configuration - LED display and status lights for decoder programming, operation status, and troubleshooting with error codes

### **DIGITAL DISPLAY**

- Four-digit digital meter displays voltage, current, temperature, logged data, settings, alarms and error reporting.
- Additional displayed information includes battery level, amp hours, and battery operating state
- 3-button menu navigation with custom icons and back lighting
- Automatic circuit protection against faults and user mistakes such as short circuit, overload, high temperature and low voltage disconnect

### **SOLAR BATTERIES**

Two 12-volt GEL maintenance free deep cycle GEL batteries

- High purity lead calcium-tin alloy charging grid
- Non-spillable
- Combination reaction (recombinant battery) which prevents escape of hydrogen and oxygen gases.
- Electrical
  - Nominal Voltage: 12V
  - Amp Hour Capacity @ 20 hr rate: 97.6 a/h

### **POWER CHARGER**

Industrial-grade marine power charger/converter

- Digital microprocessor control with "System Check OK" and individual "Battery Bank Trouble" LED indicators. Eliminates time consuming troubleshooting by clearly indicating system and battery connections are OK or if a fault is present on a specific battery bank
- Advanced energy saving mode
- 100 percent waterproof and shockproof
- Dual in-line DC safety fuses
- Built-in over-voltage, overload, over-temperature, reverse polarity and ignition protection

### **STAINLESS STEEL ENCLOSURE**

- 16-gauge stainless steel construction with brushed finish
- 2-part cabinet and pedestal mount model
- Filtered louvers for ventilation
- Cam style keylock
- Weather-resistant
- NEMA TYPE 3R rated with SmartLine controller installed
- SLPED-ENC CABINET Dimensions – 19½" W x 19½" H x 9" D (49,53 cm x 49,53 cm x 22,86 cm)
- SLPED-ENC BASE Dimensions – 19 ¾" W x 24" H x 15" D (50,17 cm x 60,96 cm x 38,1 cm)



CONTROLLER(S) shall be model SL4800 as manufactured by Weathermatic Sprinkler Division of Telsco Industries. Controller(s) shall be a four (4) program controller with hot swappable 12-zone modules to allow expansion to 48 zones.

OPERATION: Controller shall be capable of standard timed watering or auto adjust watering times when equipped with an optional SLW weather monitor manufactured by Weathermatic. Auto Adjust watering shall be based on real time, on-site weather data and system audit data entered by the user. Auto adjust timing shall be based on the Hargreaves ET calculation formula. Controller shall provide reviewable watering deficits, scheduled run times by zone and a total run time recap for each zone which is resettable by the user. A more or less function shall be provided to allow run time adjustment by zone for shade/sunlight, system efficiency and other local factors. Auto adjust mode shall also include automatic calculation of run/soak times based on both soil type and zone elevation.

Each program shall have eight independent start times, calendar schedules, watering budgets by month and a soak/cycle for varying soil percolation rates.

Controller shall have a pump start/master valve position which shall be programmable to operate on demand from any selected zone. A programmable safety delay shall be included for zone to zone delay and master valve to zone delay for opening and closure.

Controller shall have input for rain and freeze sensor devices. Use of the optional SLW weather monitor shall incorporate the rain and freeze shutdown functions and shall incorporate a 48 hour delay after closure of the rain sense switch.

Controller shall have self-diagnostic capabilities to detect "short" or "open" zones and the ability to display lists of faults on an LCD display for the user. Diagnostics shall also include LCD display of volt/amp readings by zone and for transformer output as well as backup battery reading. A chatter function shall also be provided to assist in locating buried valves. The controller shall automatically prevent master valve opening or pump start when the valve locator diagnostic is used.

Display shall be backlit for clear viewing in all lighting conditions. Zone timing shall be settable from 1 minute to 9 hours and 55 minutes.

All programs shall have the ability to operate concurrently or in a stacked sequence with independent start time operation.

Program schedules shall include options for days of the week, odd date, even date or an interval of 1 to 30 days. A 'no water' window shall be available to inhibit daily operations of a program between two selected times on a given day; omission of up to 7 specified calendar dates or specific days of the week. Adjustments for leap year shall be automatic.

Manual operation shall be provided by program, by station, or on a programmable test program with durations from ten (10) seconds to ten (10) minutes. The programmable test program shall also check for short and open conditions on each zone each time it is run.

Non-volatile memory shall retain all programming and real-time clock shall be provided to maintain date and time.

CONSTRUCTION: Controller shall be enclosed in a U.L., CE and C-Mark Listed rainproof plastic enclosure with optional key lock. The enclosure shall be rated for outdoor or indoor use. Enclosure shall be a wall mount (pedestal mount) model with removable knockouts on the lower side and back of the housing for choice of wiring location.

The operating panel shall be a totally enclosed module that is removable from the housing for programming at a separate location. A test post for 24V a.c. operation shall be accessible with or without the operating panel. Zone modules (SLM12) shall be self-contained modules that can be installed without turning off power to the unit and programming of new zones shall not be required. Module wiring connections shall be of the type that allows insertion of solid wires without any tool. Each module shall contain its own surge protection.

ELECTRIC: Controller shall be completely electric in operation. Controller shall be installed and wired in accordance with manufacturer's published instructions. Controller shall be capable of operating from an independent power supply. Primary shall be 115V a.c. 60hz or 230V, 50hz.

SOLAR BATTERY ASSEMBLY shall be model SOLARBATT-48 as assembled by Weathermatic Sprinkler Division of Telsco Industries, or approved equal.

CONSTRUCTION: SOLARBATT-48 shall be an American made GEL maintenance free deep cycle battery. The GEL battery case shall be a shock absorbent thick wall polypropylene. The charging grid shall be a high purity lead calcium-tin alloy. The battery shall be non-spillable and be a recombination reaction (recombinant battery) which prevents escape of hydrogen and oxygen gases. The battery may be operated in virtually any position except upside-down.

ELECTRIC: SOLARBATT-48 shall have the following electrical specifications: Nominal Voltage: 12V; Amp Hour Capacity @ 20 hr rate: 97.6 a/h; Reserve Capacity @ 25 amp discharge rate: 190 mins; BCI Group Size: 30H; Terminal Type: dual terminal

SOLAR CHARGE CONTROL BOX ASSEMBLY shall be model SOLARCHG as assembled by Weathermatic Sprinkler Division of Telsco Industries, or approved equal. SOLARCHG shall consist of a digital meter, voltage inverter, and fuse box.



OPERATION: The SOLARCHG digital meter shall be a universal, four digit display with custom icons that is compatible with several Morningstar controllers and inverters. The digital meter shall display voltage, current, temperature, logged data, settings, alarms and error reporting. The digital meter shall display this data as present, cumulative and maximums/minimums measurements. The digital meter shall also display battery level and operating state. The digital meter's icons and units indicators shall be displayed to indicate whether the numerical information relates to solar, load, battery 1 or 2, options, errors or self-test. The digital meter shall have three soft buttons to allow for navigation of the meter menus. The unit shall also have custom icons and back lighting. The digital meter shall be designed for low self-consumption to avoid draining the system batteries. Self-consumption shall be 6 mA with backlight off and 15 mA with backlight on. The temperature may be displayed in either °C or °F, the backlight timer may be adjusted for desired running time and the amp-hours and minimum/maximum values may be reset.

The SOLARCHG voltage inverter shall be a pure sine wave inverter designed specifically for electrification requiring AC power using solar. The pure sine wave design shall provide an AC equivalent to grid power. The unit shall utilize a toroidal transformer design to generate a stable wave form throughout the range of input voltages. The voltage inverter shall handle a 200% surge during load start-up to a maximum of 600 watts. Self-consumption shall be 450mA while powering loads and automatically powers down to stand-by mode during no load conditions. The unit shall have electronic protections that will automatically protect against

faults and user mistakes such as short circuit, overload, high temperature and low voltage disconnect. Recovery from most faults shall be automatic.

POWER CHARGER shall be model ProMariner ProSport 6 as assembled by Weathermatic Sprinkler Division of Telsco Industries, or approved equal.

OPERATION: ProMariner ProSport 6 shall incorporate an all-digital microprocessor control. The Microprocessor shall incorporate software controlled pulse charging technology. The System OK and Battery Bank Trouble Status Indicators shall indicate system and battery connections or if a fault is present on a specific battery bank. Power charger shall incorporate an energy saving mode by monitoring and auto maintain batteries only when needed, maintaining a full state of charge. LED indicators shall display Charging, Conditioning and Auto Maintain modes in addition to AC power and selected battery type

CONSTRUCTION: ProMariner ProSport 6 shall incorporate a compact extruded aluminum design, dual in-line DC safety fuses, built-in over-voltage, overload, over-temperature, reverse polarity and ignition protection

STAINLESS STEEL PEDESTAL ENCLOSURE shall be model SLPED-ENC as manufactured by Weathermatic Sprinkler Division of Telsco Industries

CONSTRUCTION: Pedestal enclosure shall be fabricated from 16-gauge stainless steel with a brushed finish. The enclosure shall be NEMA type 3R rated weather-resistant with filtered side louvers for cross-ventilation. A removable stainless steel door shall be mounted to the front of the enclosure and include a cam style key-lock to restrict access to the enclosure. Enclosure shall measure 19 ¾" wide x 24" high x 15" deep.

The cabinet shall be fabricated from 16-gauge stainless steel with a brushed finish. The cabinet shall be NEMA type 3R rated weather-resistant. A removable stainless steel door shall be mounted to the front of the cabinet and include a cam style key-lock to restrict access to the cabinet. The cabinet shall measure 19 ½" wide x 19 ½" high x 9" deep.

WARRANTY:  
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