User manual

V1000+



1. Purpose

This document introduces the V1000+ in terms of installation, electrical connections, operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting.

2. General description

The V1000+ provides a simple and cost-effective solution to achieve the following goals:

2.1 A data logger for monitoring the inverters only(Datalogger)

The V1000+ is a data logger for monitoring the inverters via both RS485-1 and RS485-2 ports, for each port supporting a maximum 20 inverters. An external sensor can be installed to the system for irradiance and cell temperature monitoring. The RS485-2 port should be configured to "inverter" mode. Refer to chapter 5.12 for more detail.

2.2 A data logger and a power limiter for a plant(Powerlimiter)

An extra energy meter is required for this use. The V1000+ monitors and controls the inverters via RS485-1 port and monitors the energy meter via RS485-2 port. Also the external sensor can be installed into the system. The RS485-2 port should be configured to "Meter" mode, refer to chapter 5. 12.

The V1000+ supports for the following meters:

No.	Vendor	Meter type	Protocol	Connection
1	Lovato	DMG210, three phase meter		
2	Gavazzi	ET340, three phase meter	MODBUS-RTU	RS485
3	Gavazzi	ET112, single phase meter		
4	CHINT	DTSU666, three phase meter		

3. Device characteristics



3.2 Port description

Appearance	Port	Description
	G	GND
	A1	Irradiance sensor input(range 0-10V)
	G	GND
	A2	Solar panel temperature sensor input(range 0-10V)
	G	GND
	A3	Temperature sensor input(range 0-10V)
	USB	Use for FW upgrade or data export.
	0	When this pin connects to Gen, the inverter will be shutdown
0 5 6 7 G _{en}	5	When this pin connects to the Gen, the output power of inverter will be limited to 0%
	6	When this pin connects to the Gen, the output power of inverter will be limited to 50%
	7	When this pin connects to the Gen, the output power of inverter will be limited to 75%
	Gen	GND
	Input signal	Reserved
	Output signal	Reserved
	RJ45	A standard RJ45 connector
RS485-2 T/R+ T/R-	T/R+	RS485-2 port signal+
	T/R-	RS485-2 port signal1-
RS485-1 T/R+ T/R-	T/R+	RS485-1 port signal+
	T/R-	RS485-1 port signal1-

Both port RS485-1 and RS485-2 are using Modbus-RTU, with 8 data bit, 1 stop bit, no parity and 9600 baud rate. Please make sure that the devices connect to the V1000+ have the same configuration. RS485-2 port is a multi-functional port that can be configured as chapter 5.12 showed.

The V1000+ is powered by an external power supply 5V 1A. An AC adaptor is included in the package.

4. Installation

4.1 Box contents

The package contains the following:

- 1x V1000+ control and monitoring unit
- 1x bag of accessories (screws and terminals)
- 1x AC adapter 5V 1A

An energy meter should be prepared by the user in case for powerlimiter.

4.2 Connections

4.2.1 Datalogger

- Connect the V1000+ to the inverter using the port RS485-1, maximum 20 inverters
- Connect the V1000+ to the inverter using the port RS485-2 if needed, maximum 20 inverters. RS485-2 has to be configured to "Inverter" mode, refer to chapter 5.12.
- Configure the communication address for each inverter, default address for port RS485-1 is 1 to 20, and default address for port RS485-2 is 21 to 40. The address for inverter can be configured using APP.
- 4. Connect the LAN cable
- 5. Power on the V1000+



4.2.2 Powerlimiter

- Install the Energy Meter. Refer to the Energy Meter manual for additional information regarding its connections. Just make sure that the protocol for the meter is set to Modbus-RTU, and the data format is: 8 data bit, 1 stop bit, no parity bit, baudrate is 9600bps.
- Connect the V1000+ to the energy meter using the port RS485-2. Refer to the Energy Meter manual for additional information regarding its RS485 connections, RS485-2 has to be configured to "Meter" mode, refer to chapter 5.12
- 3. Connect the V1000+ to the inverter using the port RS485-1
- 4. Configure the communication address for each inverter, default address for port RS485-1 is 1 to 20
- 5. Connect the LAN cable
- 6. Power on the V1000+



The connection for the external sensor, supporting Si-V-10TC-T, shows below:



5. Changing default settings of V1000+

	V1000+ default	PC
IP	192.168.0.100	192.168.0.101
Netmask	255.255.255.0	255.255.255.0
Gateway	192.168.0.254	192.168.0.254

5.1 Connecting to the V1000+ using web browser

First time connects to V1000+:

- 1. Change the IP for PC based on the info above
- 2. Connect the PC and V1000+ via RJ45 directly
- 3. Key in 192.168.0.100 on browser

After changing the IP for V1000+ and V1000+ connects to a router, the IP address that the router of the LAN assigned to the device can be found on router with the device named "V1000Plus". Below is the setting page of V1000+:

		V1000+ Plus	ſ	Settings Logs	List Main	
				1		
_		Logger Info.	V1000+ Plus.	Date & Time	2020-7-27 17:22:14	
Now	13.36 kW	IP Address	192.168.30.187	Language	English	
Today	0 kWh	Server Address	www.cloudinverter.net	Administration	admin	
kwh/kwp	SENSORS	0 Irra	Irradiance	0w/m²	RS485-1 Search Starting Address	1
		Solar cell Temperature	30.5°C	RS485-2 Search Starting Address	21	
SENSO		Irradiance Meter Address	31	Temperature Meter Address	32	
Irradiance Thermometer	29w/m ⁻ 27.3°C	RS485-2 Configuration	Device	Power Limit	Disable	
		Grid Configuration	Edit	Reactive Power control	Edit	
		Active Power Control	Edit	Digital Meter	Measurement Value	

The name and password for setting are both admin:



5.2 Logger info

The "logger info" page shows the basic info for the logger. The name for the logger can be changed, and the KWP here means the capacity of the plant in kw.



5.3 Date & Time

"Date & Time" page can set the time zone and enable/disable NTP function, and change the NTP server:



5.4 IP Address

Set the IP mode to DHCP or Fixed IP mode. When setting to fixed IP mode, make sure that the IP is set base on the local router, default is a Fixed IP mode. The IP Address must be configured so that the V1000+ can communicate with the portal.



5.5 Language

"Language" page can change the language between English and Chinese.



5.6 Administration

"Administration" page can change the name and password:



5.7 Irradiance

"Irradiance" shows the irradiance measure by the external sensor and inside this page a calibration value can be write to calibrate the irradiance, with unit w/m2.



5.8 Solar Cell Temperature

"Solar Cell Temperature" shows the cell temperature measure by the external sensor and inside this page a calibration value can be write to calibrate the cell temperature, with unit 0.1 $^{\circ}$ C.



5.9 RS485-1 Search Starting Address

For RS485-1 port, it can connect to a maximum 20 inverters, which default address is from 1 to 20. The start address can be set to 1-216.





5.10 RS485-2 Search Starting Address

For RS485-2 port, it also can connect to a maximum 20 inverters, default address is from 21 to 40. The start address can be set to 1-228.



5.11 Irradiance Meter address and Temperature Meter Address

The V1000+ also supports for connecting with JD auspice meter, like JDA-W with LP PYRA 03(Pyranometer) and JDA-T with PT-100(Thermal), this two meter will connects to the RS485-1 port, with the following address. The address here is based on the start address of RS485-1 port (chapter), with a fixed index of 31 and 32.

	Irradiance Meter Address	31	Temperature Meter Address	32
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5.12 RS485-2 Configuration

The RS485-2 port is a multi-function port, which can be configured as:



"Device" means that the RS485-2 port of V1000+ is a device, a host connects to the RS485-2 port can get the information of V1000+, this is used by factory only.

"Inverter" means that the RS485-2 port is a host, it tries to communicate with the inverter connects to the port(set when RS485-2 is for monitoring inverters).

"Digital Meter" means that the RS485-2 port is a host, it tries to communication with the digital meter set by chapter (set to meter as the V1000+ is a powerlimiter).

5.13 Power limit

In the use of power limitation, the V1000+ should change the following settings:

- Enable the power limit function
- Set the digital meter address to what the meter address is (check the meter address base on the user manual of specify meter)
- Set the meter type
- Set the meter power direction, the power from grid to load is positive
- Set the meter position base on the meter installed on load or on grid
- Set maximum feed-in grid power if needed

Function	Parameter
Power limit function	Disable
Digital meter modbus address	1
Digital meter type	Unknown V
Digital meter power direction	Positive V
Digital meter position	Meter on Gird V
Maximun feed-in grid power(w)	0

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• IPower control methods base on "Maximum feed-in grid power"



5.14 Grid Configuration

The V1000+ provides an easy way to configure the online inverters, using the web. The "Grid Configuration" mainly configures the grid parameters for inverter, like over voltage, under voltage, etc. In order to proceed the configuration, one has to select the specify inverter via the drop-down list, and then set the values wanted.

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Function	Parameter	Function		Parameter
First start delay time(s)	60	Reconnect delay time(s)		60
Grid Frequency High Level 1 Limit(0.01Hz)	5150	Grid Frequency Low Level 1 Lir	mit(0.01Hz)	4750
Grid Voltage High Level 1 Limit(0.1V)	4750	Grid Voltage Low Level 1 Limit(0.1V)	3040
Grid Frequency High Level 1 Trip Time(ms)	100	Grid Frequency Low Level 1 Tri	ip Time(ms)	100
Grid Voltage High Level 1 Trip Time(ms)	100	Grid Voltage Low Level 1 Trip T	ïme(ms)	3000
Grid Frequency High Level 2 Limit(0.01Hz)	9990	Grid Frequency Low Level 2 Lir	mit(0.01Hz)	0
Grid Voltage High Level 2 Limit(0.1V)	9990	Grid Voltage Low Level 2 Limit(0.1V)	1710
Grid Frequency High Level 2 Trip Time(ms)	9999	Grid Frequency Low Level 2 Tri	ip Time(ms)	9999
Grid Voltage High Level 2 Trip Time(ms)	9999	Grid Voltage Low Level 2 Trip T	ïme(ms)	300
Grid Frequency High Level 1 back(0.01Hz)	5005	Grid Frequency Low Level 1 ba	ack(0.01Hz)	4755
Derating Grid Frequency High back(0.01Hz)	5020	Derating Grid Frequency Low b	ack(0.01Hz)	0
Grid Voltage High Moving Average Limit(0.1V)	4180	Soft output power percent(%)		8

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5.15 Reactive Power Control

In some cases, the inverter has to provide reactive power, to achieve the reactive power compensation. The reactive power can be controlled using different methods: fixed PF, fixed reactive power percent, $Cos\phi(P)$ curve and Q(U) curve.

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Function	Parameter	Function	Parameter
Q mode	0	P.F (Cosφ)(0.001)	990
Reactive power percent(%)	0	Q(U) control response time(s)	10
Cos	0	Cosφ(P) curve node1 value(0.00	1) 1000
Cos	20	Cosφ(P) curve node2 value(0.00	1) 1000
Cos	50	Cosφ(P) curve node3 value(0.00	1) 1000
Cos	100	Cosp(P) curve node4 value(0.00	-910
Q(U) curve node1 percent(%)	93	Q(U) curve node1 value(0.1%)	330
Q(U) curve node2 percent(%)	97	Q(U) curve node2 value(0.1%)	0
Q(U) curve node3 percent(%)	103	Q(U) curve node3 value(0.1%)	0
Q(U) curve node4 percent(%)	107	Q(U) curve node4 value(0.1%)	-330

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The Q mode here defines the 4 methods with:

- 0: no reactive power output
- 1: fixed PF
- 2: fixed reactive power percent
- 4: Q(U) curve

When Q mode is set to 0, all other settings for reactive power control will take no effect. When Q mode sets to 1, only the values set to "P.F $(\cos\phi)(0.001)$ " affects. When Q mode sets to 2, only the values set to "Reactive power percent(%)" affects. When Q mode sets to 3, it relates to the following parameters:

Cos	0	Cosφ(P) curve node1 value(0.001)	1000
Cos	20	Cosφ(P) curve node2 value(0.001)	1000
Cos	50	Cosφ(P) curve node3 value(0.001)	1000
Cos	100	Cosq(P) curve node4 value(0.001)	-910

When Q mode sets to 4, it relates to the following parameters:

Q(U) curve node1 percent(%)	93	Q(U) curve node1 value(0.001)	330
Q(U) curve node2 percent(%)	97	Q(U) curve node2 value(0.001)	0
Q(U) curve node3 percent(%)	103	Q(U) curve node3 value(0.001)	0
Q(U) curve node4 percent(%)	107	Q(U) curve node4 value(0.001)	-330

5.16 Active Power Control

Active power control only supports for over frequency derating now. Setting "Frequency Derating Function" to 1 enables this function and the active power control will based on the start frequency with 100% and end frequency with 0% linear linearly.

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Function	Parameter	Function	Parameter
Frequency Derating Function	0	Over frequency derating start(0.01Hz)	5020
Over frequency derating end(0.01Hz)	5270		

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5.17 Digital Meter

This page shows the digital meter value read from the meter. When the system is configured to support the meter, the one can check the values here to confirm if the meter works well.

Function	Value	Function	Value
L1 phase voltage(V)	0.0	L1-L2 phase voltage(V)	0.0
L2 phase voltage(V)	0.0	L2-L3 phase voltage(V)	0.0
L3 phase voltage(V)	0.0	L3-L1 phase voltage(V)	0.0
L1 phase current(A)	0.00	L1 phase watt(W)	0
L2 phase current(A)	0.00	L2 phase watt(W)	0
L3 phase current(A)	0.00	L3 phase watt(W)	0
L1 phase watt(VA)	0	L1 phase watt(VAR)	0
L2 phase watt(VA)	0	L2 phase watt(VAR)	0
L3 phase watt(VA)	0	L3 phase watt(VAR)	0
L1 phase power factor	0.000	System watt(VA)	0
L2 phase power factor	0.000	System VA(VA)	0
L3 phase power factor	0.000	System VAR(VAR)	0
System power factor	0.000		

6. Registering the system on the portal

Manual for operation the portal is available at http://www.solaxcloud-project.com

7. Troubleshooting

The following table summarizes the status of the indicators depending on the condition of the system.

Description	LED on V1000+	Web interface on V1000+	Warning on portal
Inverter fault	Red led on	Specify fault message	Specify fault message
Lost communication with meter	Yellow led on	"Energy Meter Offline"	"Energy Meter Offline"
Lost communication with server	Yellow led blinking	"LAN Unavailable"	N/A
Lost communication with inverter	Green led blinking	"Inverter Offline"	Inverter Offline Status
Communication with inverter well	Green led on	N/A	N/A