

## **EL.CO. ELETTRONICA Srl**

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#### **Specification**

Model: 460AA900LET

Type: Rechargeable Nickel Metal Hydride Cylindrical Cell

Nominal Dimension : d= 14.5+0-0.7mm, h=48.5+0.5-1.0mm (with sleeve)

Nominal Capacity: 900mAh (20 ℃,0.2C discharge to 1.0V/cell)

Nominal Voltage 1.2V

Internal Resistance :  $\leq 40 \text{m}\Omega$  (at 1 kHz, fully charged,  $20 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$ , average)

Applications: Recommended discharge current 0.05C to 3.0C

Standard Charge : 0.1C for 16hrs at 20 °C

Service Life : >500 cycles (20 °C , IEC Standard)

Average Weight 22g

Typical Capacity (20 ℃)

900mAh (0.2 C to 1.0V) 850mAh (0.5C to 0.95V)

Max. Discharge Current : 3.0C (continuous)

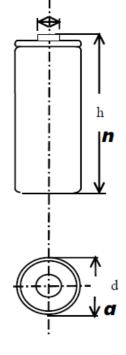
Fast charge: 0.2C to 0.5C, Charge termination control recommended

 $(20\,^{\circ}\text{C}\ ,\ -\Delta V = 5 \sim 10 \text{mV}\ ,\ \text{Timer} = 120\%\ \text{nominal input})$  Continuous overcharge : 0.1C(less than 100hrs)

Permanent charge : 45mA to 70mA

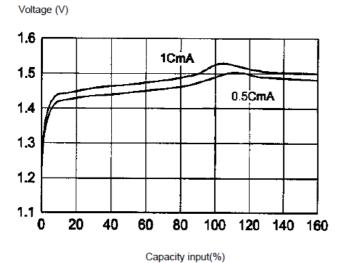
(for recommended) +10 °C to +45 °C (fast charge)

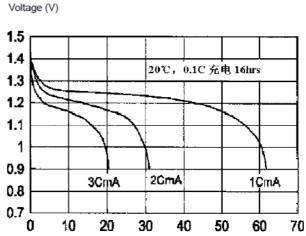
-20 °C to +60 °C (discharge) -20 °C to +35 °C (storage)





### High Rate Discharge





Discharge time(min)

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#### **Performance and Quality Assurance**

#### 1. Scope

This Spe. Governs the performance of Nickel Metal Hydride Cylindrical cell and its stacked-up batteries. The nominal voltage of this type unit cell is 1.2V, and the voltage of the stacked-up batteries shall be equal to the value of the unit cell multiplied by the number of cells in the batteries, and the capacity shall be the capacity of the unit cell:

For example: 460AA900LET, Batteries of 1 cell

Nominal voltage of unit cell: 1.2V

Voltage of the batteries: 1.2\*1=1.2V, Capacity of the battery: 900mAh

#### 2. Ratings

The following is the basic item to rating a cell. May test the cell under demand.

Description	Uit	Specification	Conditions
Nominal Voltage	V/cell	1.2	Unit cell
Nominal	mAh	900	Standard charge and discharge
Capacity			
Standard	mA	90(0.1C)	Ambient temperature 0~45°C
Charge	hrs	16	
Fast Charge	mA	450(0.5C)	-ΔV=5~10mV,ambient temperature 0~45℃
	hrs	2.4	Timer =120% nominal input
			TCO: 45~50°C
			-dT/dt=0.8~1.0°C/min
Internal	mΩ/cell	≤40	at 1 kHz, fully charged, 20°C
Resistance			
Cut-off Voltage	V/cell	1.0	Discharge current <=1.0C
Max. Discharge	Α	3C	Ambient temperature –20 ~60 °C
Current			
Storage	°C	-20~35	Charges 80% nominal input
Temperature			
Average weight	g/cell	22	

#### 3. Performance

Except for special notice, the test should be carried out with a month after delivery under the following conditions:

The ambient temperature is: 20±5°C The ambient humidity is: 65±20%

The testing instrument must meet the following:

Voltmeter : IEC 485 prescribed 0.5 grade or more, resistance must be more than  $10K\Omega/V$ 

Galvanometer: IEC 51/IEC 485 prescribed 0.5 grade or more, total resistance must be less than 0.01Ω

Ri ohmmeter: AC sine 1KHz, 4 terminal



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Test	Unit	Specification	Conditions	Remarks	
OCV	V/cell	≥1.25	With in 1hrs after standard charge	1/cilidiks	
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Capacity	mAh	≥100%	Standard charge and discharge	Allow 3 cycles	
Internal	mΩ/cel	≤40	Fully charged, Ambient		
Impedance	1		temperature 20°C		
High Rate Discharge	min	≥108	Standard charge, rest 1hrs	Allow 3 cycles	
			0.5Cdischarge to 1.0V/cell		
Discharge at	mAh	≥60%	Standard charge at 20 ℃		
Low		Nominal	0.5C discharge to 1.0V/cell at 0°C		
Temperature		Capacity			
Charge at	mAh	≥80%	0.5C charge at 40°C, -ΔV=10mV		
High		Nominal	/cell,		
Temperature		Capacity	Standard discharge at 20℃		
Self-	mAh	≥60%	Standard charge, storage 28 day		
discharge		Nominal	at 20℃, Standard discharge		
		Capacity			
Humidity		Deformation	1C fully charged, 33±3℃ ,		
			80±5%R.H., storage 14 day		
The Resistance to		The change	Charge: 16hrs at 0.1C		
Vibration		of voltage:	Rest: 24hrs		
		≤0.02V/cell	Inspect the cell before and after		
		The change	vibration conditions:		
		of Ri:	Amplitude: 1.5mm		
		≤5 mΩ/cell	Frequency: 3000CPM		
			at random orientation for 60 min		
The Resistance to		The change	Charge: 16hrs at 0.1C		
Shock		of voltage:	Rest: 24hrs		
		≤0.02V/cell	Inspect the cell before and after		
		The change	shock condition:		
		of Ri:	Drop 3 times onto solid wood		
		≤5 mΩ/cell	(10mm thickness) from 1.5m		
			height at random orientation.		
Over Charge		No rupture	1C for 5hrs		
Over Discharge		No rupture	Standard charge		
			Short circuit: 1h		
			Conductor: 0.75mm <sup>2</sup> ×20mm (Cu line)		
IEC Cycles Life	cycle	≥500	IEC61951-2 (2001) 4.4.1 See note 1		
Accelerated Cycles	cycle	≥300	0.5C charged, rest 30min, 0.5C Cycling cha		
Life			discharge to 1.0V/cell,	/cutoff condition	
			capacity ≥60% Nominal Capacity	-ΔV=10mV/cell	
				cutoff =110%	

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#### 4. Appearance

Cell should be without any cracking, rupture, dirt, shading, leakage and deformation.

#### 5. Standard of quality assurance (AQL)

All tests should be done according the following methods (ref.MIL-STD-105E)

Number	Item of test	Sampling criteria	Standard	of	quality
			assurance		
1.	Cosmetic	I grade	1.5		
2.	Dimension	I grade	0.65		
3.	Performance	I grade	0.4		

Including: capacity, performance of charge and discharge at 1C, open current voltage. Internal resistance.

#### 6. Warranty

One year's guarantee is valid for the defects caused by processing and materials.

#### 7. Caution

- 7.1 Do not dispose of cell into a fire or dismantled under any condition
- 7.2 Do not mix different cell types and capacities in the same battery assembly
- 7.3 Charge and discharge under specified current recommend to the specification
- 7.4 Short circuit leading to cell venting must be avoided
- 7.5 Never solder onto cell directly
- 7.6 Cell reversal should be avoided
- 7.7 Use batteries in extreme condition may affect the service life, such as: extreme temperature \( \) deep cycle \( \) extreme overcharge and over discharge
- 7.8 Batteries should be stored in a cool, dry place, Please discharge before mass storage or transportation
- 7.9 Once problems be found, stop using, send batteries to local agent
- 7.10 Because the limit of the electrochemical system, charged the cell of 80%~100% nominal input under long storage is recommended
- 7.11 To maintain the performance of the cell stored for about 6 months, cycling(charging and discharging) the cell for several times is recommended

**Note**: IEC61951-2 ( 2001 ) 4.4 .1 Cycle Life Test:

Cycle No.	Charge	Rest	Discharge	
1	0.1C×16hrs	0	0.25C×2hrs 20min	
2~48	0.25C×3hrs 10min	0	0.25C×2hrs 20min	
49	0.25C×3hrs 10min	0	0.25C to 1.0V/cell	
50	0.1C×16hrs	1~4hrs	0.20C to 1.0V/cell	
Repeat 1 to 50 cycles, until the discharge time of a 50 <sup>th</sup> cycle is less than 3hrs				