

POWERDRIVE BATTERY CHARGER OWNER'S MANUAL



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SAFETY DETAILS

A WARNING

• This owner's manual should be read completely before attempting to use or service the charger. Failure to follow the instructions in this manual could result in property damage, severe personal injury, or death.

It is important to note that throughout this manual there are statements labeled DANGER, WARNING, or CAUTION. These special statements relate to specific safety issues, and must be read, understood, and heeded before proceeding with procedures.

If any of the information printed on the cover of the charger becomes damaged, has been removed, or cannot be easily read, replace the cover immediately to avoid possible property damage, personal injury, or death. Contact your Club Car distributor/dealer for replacement information.

A DANGER

• A DANGER indicates an immediate hazard that will result in severe personal injury or death.

A WARNING

 A WARNING indicates an immediate hazard that could result in severe personal injury or death.

▲ CAUTION

• A CAUTION with the safety alert symbol indicates a hazard or unsafe practice that could result in minor personal injury or product or property damage.

CAUTION

• A CAUTION without the safety alert symbol indicates a situation that potentially could result in property damage.

The safety precautions listed must be followed whenever the charger is being operated, repaired, or serviced. Specific warnings appear throughout this manual and on the charger.

GENERAL INFORMATION

PowerDrive battery chargers are available in several different configurations for use domestically (United States) and internationally (Figures 1 through 7). Some PowerDrive chargers are equipped with a multi-position switch (located on the rear panel) for AC input voltage selection (Figure 8).

The PowerDrive battery charger is automatic and has no external controls. When the charger is connected, there is a 2 to 15 second delay before charging begins.

NOTE: PowerDrive and PowerDrive Plus Vehicles: Shortly after charging begins, the charger will shut off in order to run a self-diagnostic program (ammeter will drop to zero). Charging will resume in a few moments (ammeter returns to previous rate of charge). This will be repeated at one hour and at two hours into the charge cycle.

IQ System Vehicles: At one hour and at two hours into the charge cycle, the charger will shut off in order to run a self-diagnostic program (ammeter will drop to zero). Charging will resume in a few moments (ammeter returns to previous rate of charge).

The onboard computer, having recorded the amount of energy consumed as the vehicle was used, directs the charger to replace exactly the amount of energy needed to fully replenish the batteries. The charger then shuts off automatically, preventing the possibility of either undercharging or overcharging. The computer accomplishes this by detecting when the exact amount of energy necessary has been returned to the batteries.

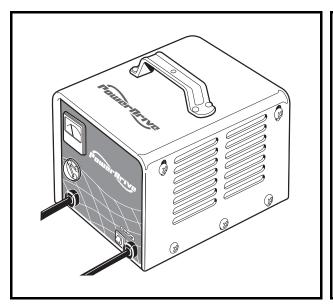


Figure 1 Domestic PowerDrive External Charger Models 17930-11, 17930-18, and 17930-19

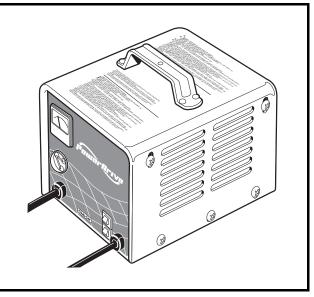


Figure 2 Export PowerDrive External Charger Models 18780-11, and 18780-18

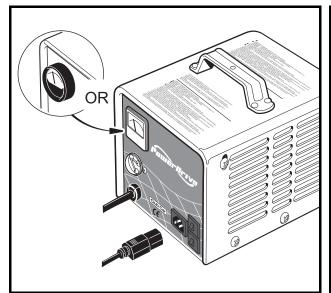


Figure 3 European PowerDrive External Charger Models 20310-11, and 20310-18

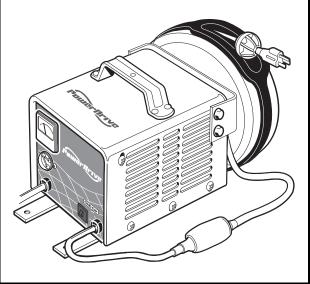


Figure 4 Domestic PowerDrive Onboard Charger Models 17935-10, 17935-20, 17935-30, and 17935-40

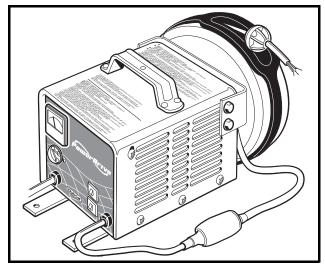


Figure 5 Export PowerDrive Onboard Charger Models 17790-10, 17790-20, 17790-30, and 17790-40

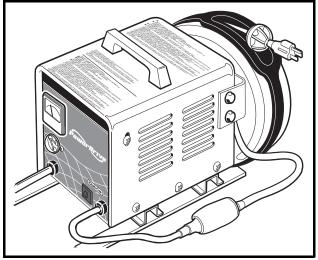


Figure 6 Domestic PowerDrive Onboard Charger Model 19770-98

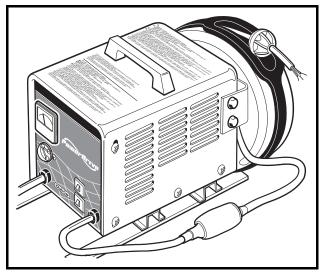


Figure 7 Export PowerDrive Onboard Charger Model 19710

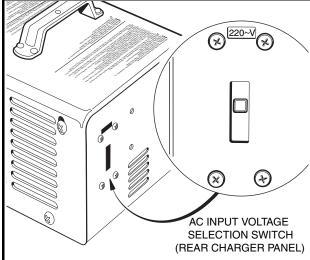


Figure 8 AC Input Voltage Selection Switch

POWERDRIVE EXTERNAL CHARGER FEATURES

Charge Interlock

PowerDrive battery charger DC plugs have three pins rather than two blades common on most standard charger plugs. Two of these pins are the positive and negative leads as on standard chargers; the third pin is a sensing lead that is the communication link between the charger and the onboard computer. When the charger plug is plugged into the vehicle receptacle, the onboard computer locks out the vehicle drive system. This prevents the possibility of driving the vehicle while the charger is plugged in and potentially damaging the vehicle and charger.

Long-Term Storage Charge

IQ System, PowerDrive, and PowerDrive Plus vehicles with PowerDrive chargers are designed to be left connected with AC power to the charger, during off-season or long-term storage. The onboard computer will automatically activate the charger every 15 days. To return the vehicle to service, unplug the

charger DC cord, wait 15 seconds for the computer to reset, and plug the charger back in. **See following WARNING.** This will ensure the batteries are at their optimum charge prior to returning the vehicle to service.

A WARNING

 The charger plug must be pulled slowly from the receptacle. Jerking or pulling the DC cord out quickly could cause arcing and burning that could damage the plug and receptacle and could cause batteries to explode.

CAUTION

• Be sure to check the batteries and charger monthly to maintain correct battery water level and ensure the charger is operating correctly during storage.

POWERDRIVE ONBOARD CHARGER FEATURES

Charge Interlock

When the AC power cord is inserted into a wall receptacle, the onboard computer locks out the vehicle drive system. This prevents the possibility of driving the vehicle while the charger is plugged in and potentially damaging the vehicle and charger.

Long-Term Storage Charge

PowerDrive chargers are designed to be left connected with AC power to the charger, during off-season or long-term storage. The onboard computer will automatically activate the charger every 15 days. To return the vehicle to service, disconnect the AC cord from the wall outlet, wait 15 seconds and then plug the AC cord back in. The charger will activate. Allow the vehicle to complete one full charge cycle before putting it into service.

BATTERY WARNING LIGHT

IQ System, PowerDrive, and PowerDrive Plus vehicles feature a dash mounted battery warning light (above the steering column) that, when the vehicle is in operation, indicates low battery voltage or, when the vehicle is being charged, indicates a charging problem. The battery warning light is controlled by the onboard computer. **See following NOTE.**

NOTE: Beginning with the 1998 model year, the onboard computer LED became part of the battery warning light rather than being mounted in the computer itself, and the warning light lens color changed from red to amber. This simplifies using a Communication Display Module (CCI P/N 101831801) to obtain data from the onboard computer.

When the batteries receive an incomplete charge because 1) the DC power cord is disconnected, 2) AC power to charger is interrupted, 3) automatic charger shut-off occurs after 16 hours of operation, or 4) charger malfunctions, the warning light will indicate as follows:

- The battery warning light will not illuminate if the charge is 90% or more complete. The onboard computer will retain in memory the amount of charge needed to replenish the batteries and will complete the charge during the next charge cycle.
- When the charger DC cord is unplugged during a charge cycle, the battery warning light will illuminate
 and remain illuminated for 10 seconds (25 seconds for Precedent vehicles) if the charge is less than
 90% complete but the vehicle has enough power for 60 minutes of operation. This will alert the fleet
 operator that the vehicle may be used, but that it must be charged to completion as soon as possible.
- The battery warning light will repeatedly illuminate for 10 seconds, at 4 second intervals (25 seconds, at 10 second intervals for Precedent vehicles), if the charger times out at 16 hours and the batteries are not sufficiently charged. This indicates an abnormal charge cycle. The charger and batteries should be

checked by your Club Car distributor/dealer.

• External chargers only: The battery warning light will repeatedly illuminate for 10 seconds, at 4 second intervals (25 seconds, at 10 second intervals for Precedent vehicles), during a charge cycle (with the DC plug still connected) if AC power to the charger is interrupted. The light will go out when AC power is restored.

UL AND CSA LISTING

When operated on a 120-volt / 60 Hz electrical system, the following PowerDrive battery chargers have been listed by Underwriters Laboratories and by the Canadian Underwriters (thereby meeting the criteria of the Canadian Standards Association).

PowerDrive external battery charger models: 17930-11, 17930-18, and 17930-19.

PowerDrive onboard battery charger models: 17935-10, 17935-20, 17935-30, 17935-40, and 19770-98.

EU COMPLIANCE

The following PowerDrive battery chargers are compliant with the EU Low-Voltage Directive.

PowerDrive external battery charger models: 20310-11, and 20310-18.

EXTERNAL CHARGER INSTALLATION AND OPERATION

A DANGER

- The charging area must be ventilated. Hydrogen level in the air must never exceed 2%. The total volume of air in the charging area must be changed five times per hour. Exhaust fans should be located at the highest point of the roof. Contact a local HVAC engineer.
- Do not charge the vehicle batteries with the vehicle covered or enclosed. Any enclosure or cover should be removed or unzipped and pulled back when batteries are being charged. An accumulation of hydrogen gas could result in an explosion.

A WARNING

- Only trained technicians should repair or service the charger. Contact your nearest Club Car distributor/dealer.
- Each charger should have its own dedicated 15 or 20 ampere separately protected (circuit breaker or fuse) single phase branch circuit, in accordance with all applicable electrical codes for the location.
- Connect the charger AC supply cord to a properly grounded, three-wire outlet of the proper voltage and frequency as shown on the charger.
- Do not use an adapter to plug the charger with a three-prong plug into a two-prong outlet.
 Improper connection of the equipment-grounding conductor can result in a fire or an electrical shock.
- An extension cord or electrical outlet must accept a three-prong plug. Extension cord should be a three-wire no. 12 AWG (American Wire Gauge) or no. 14 (British Standard Wire), and be as short as possible (no more than 12 feet (3.7 m). The use of improper extension cord could result in fire or an electrical shock.
- Do not use near fuels, grain dust, solvents, thinners, or other flammables. Chargers can ignite flammable materials and vapors.
- Do not expose to rain or any liquid. Keep the charger dry.
- · Prior to servicing the charger, disconnect the AC power supply cord from the wall outlet and

the DC plug from the vehicle charger receptacle.

- When the charger is on, the charger DC cord may be disconnected from the vehicle receptacle slowly. Jerking or pulling the DC cord out quickly could cause arcing and burning that could damage the plug and receptacle and could cause batteries to explode.
- Never push objects of any kind into the charger through cabinet slots. They may touch dangerous voltage points or cause an electrical short circuit that could result in fire or electrical shock.
- Do not connect the charger to battery packs that are not compatible with the DC output voltage specified on the charger. Overheating and transformer burnout will result.
- Do not connect a stationary charger to the receptacle if the charger cord, plug, or the vehicle receptacle is broken, damaged, or does not make a good electrical connection. Fire or personal injury can result. Have a qualified technician replace the parts.
- Do not use a battery charger if the cord, plug, or receptacle is damaged in any way. Replace
 worn or damaged parts immediately. Failure to heed this warning could result in a fire,
 property damage, severe personal injury, or death.
- Do not operate the charger if it has received a sharp blow, was dropped, or otherwise damaged in any way.
- · Have worn, cut, or damaged power cords or wires replaced immediately.
- Do not block or cover the charger ventilation slots. The slots provide ventilation and prevent the charger from overheating.
- Do not allow clothing, blankets, or other material to cover the charger.
- Do not allow the charger to operate for more than 30 minutes at 19 or more amperes.
- Install surge arrestors on incoming AC power lines. Surge arrestors will help protect electrical components in the charger and on the vehicle from all but direct or close lightening strikes.

NOTE: Charger operation instructions in the language of the user should be printed on or permanently affixed to the top of the charger. If these instructions are not found on the charger, contact your Club Car representative.

EXTERNAL CHARGER AC POWER CONNECTION

The AC line to which the charger is to be connected must be of the proper AC input voltage for the charger and must be capable of supplying sufficient current. **See Battery Charger Specifications on page 19.** If the battery charger is equipped with a multi-position switch for variable AC input voltage, the switch must be set for the correct voltage before the AC cord is connected **(Figure 8)**. **See following CAUTION.**

A CAUTION

• Failure to set the AC input voltage selector switch to the correct voltage could result in damage to the battery charger or batteries.

NOTE: Make sure that the AC cord provided with your charger has the proper AC plug for your location. If it does not, contact your Club Car representative to obtain the proper cord or plug.

With charger DC output cord disconnected, connect the power supply cord to an AC supply. **See Battery Charger Specifications on page 19.**

To reduce the risk of electric shock, the battery charger must be grounded. The charger is equipped with an AC electric cord with an equipment-grounding conductor and a grounding type plug. The AC plug must be connected to an appropriate receptacle that is properly installed and grounded in accordance with the National Electric Code and all local codes and ordinances.

The use of an extension cord with the charger should be avoided. If an extension cord must be used, use a three-conductor no. 12 AWG (American Wire Gauge) or no. 14 SWG (British Standard Wire Gauge), heavyduty cord with ground, properly wired and in good electrical condition. Keep it as short as possible (no more than 12 feet (3.7 m)). Place all cords so they will not be stepped on, tripped over, or otherwise subject to damage or stress.

Ensure that the charger ventilation slots are unobstructed and that there is adequate ventilation.

CHARGING BATTERIES

A WARNING

- Do not bypass the sense lead fuse (not applicable to Precedent vehicles; not applicable to TransPorter and Carryall 6 vehicles that do not have a charger receptacle).
- Be sure the fuse link is clean and tight (not applicable to Precedent vehicles; not applicable to TransPorter and Carryall 6 vehicles that do not have a charger receptacle).
- Be sure all wire connections at the receptacle are clean and tight.
- Do not rock or bend the plug. To connect the charger plug to the vehicle receptacle, grasp the plug handle and push the plug straight into the receptacle (Figure 9).
- Do not pull on the DC cord (Figure 10). Do not twist, rock or bend the plug. To disconnect the charger plug from the vehicle receptacle, grasp the plug by the handle and pull the plug straight out of the receptacle.
- Do not connect a charger to the receptacle if the charger cord, plug, or the vehicle receptacle
 is broken, damaged in any manner, or does not make a good electrical connection. Fire or
 personal injury can result. Have it replaced by a qualified service person immediately. Failure
 to follow these instructions could result in damage to the charger cord, the plug, and (or) the
 vehicle receptacle.
- Do not use a charger if any of the following conditions exist:
 - The plug is too loose or does not make a good connection.
 - The plug and receptacle feel hotter than normal during charge.
 - The plug pin or receptacle contacts are bent or corroded.
 - The plug, receptacle, or cords are cut, worn, have any exposed wires or are damaged in any way.
- Using the charger with any of the above symptoms could result in a fire, property damage, personal injury, or death.
- 1. With the charger DC cord disconnected from the vehicle charger receptacle, connect the AC power supply cord to an AC outlet designed to provide the proper AC voltage for the charger.
- Connect the charger DC plug to the vehicle charger receptacle located on the seat support panel (Figure 9). The charger will activate automatically within 2 to 15 seconds after the DC plug is connected. See following WARNING.

A WARNING

- Do not rock or bend the plug. To connect the charger plug to the vehicle receptacle, grasp the plug handle and push the plug straight into the receptacle (Figure 9).
- 3. **PowerDrive and PowerDrive Plus vehicles:** 10 to 20 seconds after the charger activates, it will shut off again to run a self-diagnostic program (the ammeter will drop to 0). Charging will resume in a few moments (ammeter will return to previous rate of charge).

- 4. Monitor the ammeter for the correct charge rate. The initial charge rate will vary from 15 to 19 amps, depending upon the condition and depth of discharge of the batteries. Slight variations in the initial charge rate may also result from AC line input voltages which are higher or lower than the nominal input voltage. Higher AC line voltages increase the initial charge rate while lower AC line voltages reduce the initial charge rate.
- 5. **PowerDrive and PowerDrive Plus vehicles:** Monitor the ammeter for about 30 seconds. Under normal operating conditions (when the charger is on and the batteries are discharged), the ammeter will drop to zero for 2 to 3 seconds at the beginning of each charge cycle in order to perform a self-diagnostic test. This test will be repeated at one hour and two hours into the charge cycle. **See following NOTE.**
- 6. **IQ System vehicles:** At one hour and at two hours into the charge cycle, the charger will shut off in order to run a self-diagnostic program (ammeter will drop to zero). Charging will resume in a few moments (ammeter returns to previous rate of charge).

NOTE: PowerDrive and PowerDrive Plus vehicles: If the batteries are in a fully charged state and the vehicle has not been driven, the onboard computer will not perform the self-diagnostic test.

All vehicles: Batteries should be put on charge at the end of each day even if the vehicle has been used for only a short amount of time (even if for only 10 minutes).

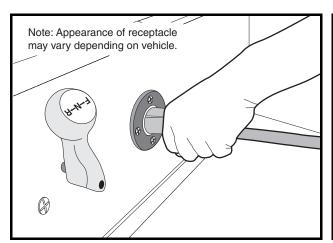
When air temperatures fall below 65°F (18.3°C), batteries charged in unheated areas should be placed on charge as soon as possible after use. Cold batteries require more time to fully charge.

New batteries will not deliver their full range until the vehicle has been driven and recharged from 20 to 50 times.

Vehicles should be restricted to 40 to 50 energy units of discharge (or 36 holes of golf) between charges until the batteries have been properly seasoned (20 to 50 charge cycles). For maximum battery life, Club Car recommends that electric vehicles always be recharged after 40 to 50 energy units of discharge or each night in order to avoid deep discharging the batteries. Charging between rounds will also extend battery life; use the CDM (Communication Display Module) (CCI P/N 101831801).

See Com-

munication Display Module in the appropriate maintenance and service supplement.





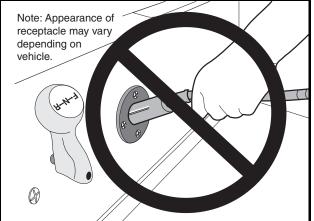


Figure 10 Incorrect Charger Cord Removal

EXTERNAL CHARGER PLUG AND RECEPTACLE

When inserting the DC plug into the vehicle receptacle, align the raised guide on the plug with the guide slot in the receptacle and slowly push the plug straight in (Figure 9). To disconnect the plug from the vehicle, firmly grasp the plug, not the cord (Figure 10), and slowly pull plug straight out. See following WARNING and CAUTION.

A WARNING

- Do not rock or bend the plug. To connect the charger plug to the vehicle receptacle, grasp the plug handle and push the plug straight into the receptacle (Figure 9).
- The battery charger DC plug must be pulled slowly from the receptacle. Jerking or pulling the DC cord out quickly could cause arcing that could damage the plug and receptacle and could cause batteries to explode.
- Do not use a battery charger if the cord, plug, or receptacle is damaged in any way. Replace worn or damaged parts immediately. Failure to heed this warning could result in a fire, property damage, severe personal injury, or death.

▲ CAUTION

 Do not connect an external charger to the receptacle of a vehicle equipped with an onboard charger while the onboard charger is activated. Charging overload will damage the onboard computer and may cause battery damage.

The charger cord, plug, and receptacle are wear items and should be inspected daily. Visually inspect them for cracks, loose connections, and frayed wiring; they must be replaced when worn or damaged. If charger plug or receptacle show signs of corrosion or the plug is difficult to insert or remove, the receptacle contacts and plug terminals should be cleaned with a good electrical contact cleaner. The plug should then be inserted and removed several times to ensure ease of insertion, ease of removal, and good electrical contact. **See following NOTE.**

NOTE: If the warning tag has been damaged or removed from the DC cord, have it replaced immediately.

CHECKING BATTERY CONDITION WITH AN EXTERNAL CHARGER

Read DANGER, WARNING, and CAUTIONS beginning on page 10.

It is common practice for technicians to check the condition of a set of batteries after they have been charged to ensure they have received a complete charge before the vehicle is used. With IQ System, PowerDrive, and PowerDrive Plus vehicles, this is not necessary; the onboard computer controls and monitors the charge cycle. If any problem occurs during a charge cycle, the battery warning light, located above the steering column in the center dash panel, will illuminate intermittently.

If the battery warning light is illuminated after a charge cycle, refer to the troubleshooting chart in the maintenance and service manual appropriate for your battery charger. If you do not have this publication, contact your Club Car representative. If the specified test procedures identify no problems, plug the DC cord into the vehicle and let it charge until the charger shuts off automatically. If a problem is found, correct it and then charge the vehicle. Normal voltage near the end of a charge cycle should be approximately 59 to 63 volts DC.

START CHARGE CYCLE

- 1. Disconnect the DC plug from the vehicle charger receptacle.
- 2. Wait 20 seconds, then reconnect the DC cord to the vehicle receptacle. See following NOTE.

NOTE: The charger will not operate unless a delay of approximately 20 seconds is observed.

3. Monitor the ammeter for the charge rate. PowerDrive and PowerDrive Plus vehicles: If the vehicle has not been driven since the last charge cycle and the batteries are fully charged, the onboard computer will not perform a self-diagnostic test. The charge cycle will begin and the ammeter will not drop to zero. If the vehicle has been driven, even if only a few feet, the onboard computer will perform the self-diagnostic test; the ammeter will drop to zero for 2 to 3 seconds before the charge cycle continues. All vehicles: If the batteries are close to being fully charged, the charge cycle will begin and the charge current will begin to taper within a few minutes.

ONBOARD CHARGER OPERATION

▲ DANGER

- The charging area must be ventilated. Hydrogen level in the air must never exceed 2%. The
 total volume of air in the charging area must be changed five times per hour. Exhaust fans
 should be located at the highest point of the roof. Contact a local HVAC engineer.
- Do not charge the vehicle batteries with the vehicle covered or enclosed. Any enclosure or cover should be removed or unzipped and pulled back when batteries are being charged. An accumulation of hydrogen gas could result in an explosion.

WARNING

- Only trained technicians should repair or service the charger. Contact your nearest Club Car distributor/dealer.
- Each charger should have its own dedicated 15 or 20 ampere separately protected (circuit breaker or fuse) single phase branch circuit, in accordance with all applicable electrical codes for the location.
- Connect the charger AC supply cord to a properly grounded, three-wire outlet of the proper voltage and frequency as shown on the charger.
- Do not use an adapter to plug the charger with a three-prong plug into a two-prong outlet.
 Improper connection of the equipment-grounding conductor can result in a fire or an electrical shock.
- Do not use an extension cord.
- Do not use near fuels, grain dust, solvents, thinners, or other flammables. Chargers can ignite flammable materials and vapors.
- Do not expose to rain or any liquid. Keep the charger dry.
- Prior to servicing the charger, disconnect the AC power supply cord from the wall outlet remove the battery charger from the vehicle. See Onboard Charger Removal in the appropriate maintenance and service manual.
- Never push objects of any kind into the charger through cabinet slots. They may touch dangerous voltage points or cause an electrical short circuit that could result in fire or electrical shock.
- Do not use a battery charger if the cord or plug is damaged in any way. Replace worn or damaged parts immediately. Failure to heed this warning could result in a fire, property damage, severe personal injury, or death.
- Do not operate the charger if it has received a sharp blow, was dropped, or otherwise damaged in any way.
- · Have worn, cut, or damaged power cords or wires replaced immediately.

- Do not block or cover the charger ventilation slots. The slots provide ventilation and prevent the charger from overheating.
- Do not allow clothing, blankets, or other material to cover the charger.
- Do not allow the charger to operate for more than 30 minutes at 19 or more amperes.
- Install surge arrestors on incoming AC power lines. Surge arrestors will help protect electrical components in the charger and on the vehicle from all but direct or close lightening strikes.

ONBOARD CHARGER AC POWER CONNECTION

The AC line to which the charger is to be connected must be of the proper AC input voltage for the charger and must be capable of supplying sufficient current. **See Battery Charger Specifications on page 19.** If the battery charger is equipped with a multi-position switch for variable AC input voltage, the switch must be set for the correct voltage before the AC cord is connected **(Figure 8)**. **See following CAUTION.**

A CAUTION

• Failure to set the AC input voltage selector switch to the correct voltage could result in damage to the battery charger or batteries.

NOTE: Make sure that the AC cord provided with your charger has the proper AC plug for your location. If it does not, contact your Club Car representative to obtain the proper cord or plug.

Connect the power supply cord to an AC supply. See Battery Charger Specifications on page 19.

To reduce the risk of electric shock, the battery charger must be grounded. The charger is equipped with an AC electric cord with an equipment-grounding conductor and a grounding type plug. The AC plug must be connected to an appropriate receptacle that is properly installed and grounded in accordance with the National Electric Code and all local codes and ordinances.

Place the charger AC cord so it will not be stepped on, tripped over, or otherwise subject to damage or stress. The use of an extension cord with the onboard charger must be avoided.

Do not place items in the compartment where the battery charger is installed. Ensure that the charger ventilation slots are unobstructed.

CHARGING BATTERIES

- 1. Connect the AC power supply cord to an AC outlet designed to provide the proper AC voltage for the charger. The charger will activate automatically within 2 to 15 seconds.
- 2. Monitor the ammeter for the correct charge rate. The initial charge rate will vary from 15 to 19 amps, depending upon the condition and depth of discharge of the batteries. Slight variations in the initial charge rate may also result from AC line input voltages which are higher or lower than the nominal input voltage. Higher AC line voltages increase the initial charge rate while lower AC line voltages reduce the initial charge rate.
- 3. PowerDrive and PowerDrive Plus vehicles: Monitor the ammeter for about 30 seconds. Under normal operating conditions (when the charger is on and the batteries are discharged), the ammeter will drop to zero for 2 to 3 seconds at the beginning of each charge cycle in order to perform a self-diagnostic test. This test will be repeated at one hour and two hours into the charge cycle. See following CAUTION and NOTE.
- 4. **IQ System vehicles:** At one hour and at two hours into the charge cycle, the charger will shut off in order to run a self-diagnostic program (ammeter will drop to zero). Charging will resume in a few moments (ammeter returns to previous rate of charge). **See following CAUTION and NOTE.**

A CAUTION

 Do not connect an external charger to the receptacle of a vehicle equipped with an onboard charger while the onboard charger is activated. Charging overload will damage the onboard computer and may cause battery damage.

NOTE: PowerDrive and PowerDrive Plus vehicles: If the batteries are in a fully charged state and the vehicle has not been driven, the onboard computer will not perform the self-diagnostic test.

All vehicles: Batteries should be put on charge at the end of each day even if the vehicle has been used for only a short amount of time (even if for only 10 minutes).

When air temperatures fall below 65 °F (18.3 °C), batteries charged in unheated areas should be placed on charge as soon as possible after use. Cold batteries require more time to fully charge.

New batteries will not deliver their full range until the vehicle has been driven and recharged from 20 to 50 times.

Vehicles should be restricted to 40 to 50 energy units of discharge (or 36 holes of golf) between charges until the batteries have been properly seasoned (20 to 50 charge cycles). For maximum battery life, Club Car recommends that electric vehicles always be recharged after 40 to 50 energy units of discharge or each night in order to avoid deep discharging the batteries. Charging between rounds will also extend battery life; use the CDM (Communication Display Module) (CCI P/N 101831801). See Communication Display Module in the appropriate maintenance and service supplement.

CHECKING BATTERY CONDITION WITH AN ONBOARD CHARGER

Read DANGER, WARNING, and CAUTIONS beginning on page 10.

It is common practice for technicians to check the condition of a set of batteries after they have been charged to ensure they have received a complete charge before the vehicle is used. With IQ System, PowerDrive, and PowerDrive Plus vehicles, this is not necessary; the onboard computer controls and monitors the charge cycle. If any problem occurs during a charge cycle, the battery warning light, located above the steering column in the center dash panel, will illuminate intermittently.

If the battery warning light is illuminated after a charge cycle, refer to the troubleshooting chart in the maintenance and service manual appropriate for your battery charger. If you do not have this publication, contact your Club Car representative. If the specified test procedures identify no problems, plug the AC cord into the wall outlet and let it charge until the charger shuts off automatically. If a problem is found, correct it and then charge the vehicle. Normal voltage near the end of a charge cycle should be approximately 59 to 63 volts DC.

START CHARGE CYCLE

- 1. Disconnect the AC plug from the wall outlet.
- 2. Wait 20 seconds, then reconnect the AC cord to the wall outlet. See following NOTE.

NOTE: The charger will not operate unless a delay of approximately 20 seconds is observed.

- 3. PowerDrive and PowerDrive Plus vehicles: Monitor the ammeter for the charge rate. If the vehicle has not been driven since the last charge cycle and the batteries are fully charged, the onboard computer will not perform a self-diagnostic test. The charge cycle will begin and the ammeter will not drop to zero. If the vehicle has been driven, even if only a few feet, the onboard computer will perform the self-diagnostic test; the ammeter will drop to zero for 2 to 3 seconds before the charge cycle continues. If the batteries are close to being fully charged, the charge cycle will begin and the charge current will begin to taper within a few minutes.
- 4. **IQ System vehicles: IQ System vehicles:** At one hour and at two hours into the charge cycle, the charger will shut off in order to run a self-diagnostic program (ammeter will drop to zero). Charging will resume in a few moments (ammeter returns to previous rate of charge).

NOTE: PowerDrive and PowerDrive Plus vehicles: If the batteries are in a fully charged state and the vehicle has not been driven, the onboard computer will not perform the self-diagnostic test.

BATTERY CHARGER SPECIFICATIONS

DOMESTIC POWERDRIVE CHARGER SPECIFICATIONS	Domestic PowerDrive External Battery Charger							
Model number (CCI P/N)	17930-11 (101802201)	17930-18 (101802202)	17930-19 (101802203)					
AC INPUT								
AC voltage: 105-128 VAC (acceptable range)	•	•	•					
Frequency: 60 Hz.	•	•	•					
POWER CONSUMPTION								
Max. AC current (amps)	10.71	10.71	10.71					
DC OUTPUT								
DC voltage (VDC) (start of charge cycle)	48	48	48					
DC current (amps) (start of charge cycle)	17	17	17					
DC voltage (VDC) (end of charge cycle)	60	60	60					
DC current (amps) (end of charge cycle)	3.5	3.5	3.5					
DIMENSIONS/WEIGHT								
Case – overall length	10.25 in. (26 cm)	10.25 in. (26 cm)	10.25 in. (26 cm)					
Case – overall width	8.687 in. (22.1 cm)	8.687 in. (22.1 cm)	8.687 in. (22.1 cm)					
Case – overall height	9.0 in. (22.9 cm)	9.0 in. (22.9 cm)	9.0 in. (22.9 cm)					
AC cord length	74 in. (188 cm)	108 in. (274.3 cm)	108 in. (274.3 cm)					
DC cord length	103 in. (261.6 cm)	144 in. (365.8 cm)	240 in. (609.6 cm)					
Weight	31.0 lb (14.1 kg)	31.6 lb (14.3 kg)	33.0 lb (15.0 kg)					
MOUNTING CONFIGURATION								
Mounting: Set on shelf, wall mount with keyhole, or hang securely from ceiling.	•	•	•					
Mounting: Onboard (secured to the vehicle)								

DOMESTIC POWERDRIVE CHARGER SPECIFICATIONS	Domestic PowerDrive Onboard Battery Charger						
Model number (CCI P/N)	17935-10 (101814301)	17935-20 (101814303)	17935-30 (101814304)	17935-40 (102546901)	19770-98 (101964301)		
AC INPUT	AC INPUT						
AC voltage: 105-128 VAC (acceptable range)	•	•	•	•	•		
Frequency: 60 Hz.	•	•	•	•	•		
POWER CONSUMPTION							
Max. AC current (amps)	10.71	10.71	10.71	10.71	10.71		
DC OUTPUT							
DC voltage (VDC) (start of charge cycle)	48	48	48	48	48		
DC current (amps) (start of charge cycle)	17	17	17	17	17		
DC voltage (VDC) (end of charge cycle)	60	60	60	60	60		
DC current (amps) (end of charge cycle)	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5		
DIMENSIONS/WEIGHT							
Case – overall length	10.25 in. (26 cm)	10.25 in. (26 cm)	10.25 in. (26 cm)	10.25 in. (26 cm)	10.25 in. (26 cm)		
Case – overall width	8.687 in. (22.1 cm)	8.687 in. (22.1 cm)	8.687 in. (22.1 cm)	8.687 in. (22.1 cm)	7.25 in. (18.4 cm)		
Case – overall height	9.437 in. (24 cm)	9.437 in. (24 cm)	9.437 in. (24 cm)	9.437 in. (24 cm)	9.5 in. (24.1 cm)		
AC cord length	17 ft. (5.2 m) (retractable)	17 ft. (5.2 m) (retractable)	17 ft. (5.2 m) (retractable)	17 ft. (5.2 m) (retractable)	17 ft. (5.2 m) (retractable)		
DC cord length	80.5 in. (204.5 cm)	129.5 in. 328.9 cm)	162.5 in. (412.8 cm)	9.5 in. (24 cm)	21.5 in. 54.6 cm)		
Weight	37.0 lb (16.8 kg)	37.7 lb (17.1 kg)	38.2 lb (17.3 kg)	38.2 lb (17.3 kg)	37.7 lb (17.1 kg)		
MOUNTING CONFIGURATION							
Mounting: Set on shelf, wall mount with keyhole, or hang securely from ceiling.							
Mounting: Onboard (secured to the vehicle)	•	•	•	•	•		

EXPORT POWERDRIVE EXTERNAL CHARGER SPECIFICATIONS	PowerDriv	opean ve External Charger	Export PowerDrive External Battery Charger		
Model number (CCI P/N)	20310-11 (101956201)	20310-18 (101956202)	18780-11 (101831503)	18780-18 (101831504)	
AC INPUT			<u> </u>		
AC voltage: 100, 200, 220, or 240 VAC (selectable)	•	•	•	•	
AC voltage (acceptable range): at 100 VAC setting	95-105	95-105	95-105	95-105	
AC voltage (acceptable range): at 200 VAC setting	190-210	190-210	190-210	190-210	
AC voltage (acceptable range): at 220 VAC setting	209-231	209-231	209-231	209-231	
AC voltage (acceptable range): at 240 VAC setting	228-252	228-252	228-252	228-252	
Frequency: 50 Hz. / 60 Hz.	•	•	•	•	
POWER CONSUMPTION					
Max. AC current (amps) at 100 VAC / 50 Hz.	13.6	13.6	13.6	13.6	
Max. AC current (amps) at 100 VAC / 60 Hz.	12.4	12.4	12.4	12.4	
Max. AC current (amps) at 200 VAC / 50 Hz.	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	
Max. AC current (amps) at 200 VAC / 60 Hz.	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	
Max. AC current (amps) at 220 VAC / 50 Hz.	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	
Max. AC current (amps) at 220 VAC / 60 Hz.	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	
Max. AC current (amps) at 240 VAC / 50 Hz.	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	
Max. AC current (amps) at 240 VAC / 60 Hz.	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	
DC OUTPUT					
DC voltage (VDC) (start of charge cycle)	48	48	48	48	
DC current (amps) (start of charge cycle)	17	17	17	17	
DC voltage (VDC) (end of charge cycle)	60	60	60	60	
DC current (amps) (end of charge cycle)	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	
DIMENSIONS/WEIGHT			,		
Case – overall length	10.25 in. (26 cm)	10.25 in. (26 cm)	10.25 in. (26 cm)	10.25 in. (26 cm)	
Case – overall width	8.687 in. (22.1 cm)	8.687 in. (22.1 cm)	8.687 in. (22.1 cm)	8.687 in. (22.1 cm)	
Case – overall height	9.0 in. (22.9 cm)	9.0 in. (22.9 cm)	9.0 in. (22.9 cm)	9.0 in. (22.9 cm)	
AC cord length	N/A	N/A	72 in. (182.9 cm)	108 in. (274.3 cm)	
DC cord length	103 in. (261.6 cm)	144 in. (365.8 cm)	103 in. (261.6 cm)	144 in. (365.8 cm)	
Weight	34.8 lb (15.8 kg)	35.3 lb (16.0 kg)	35 lb (15.9 kg)	35.8 lb (16.2 kg)	
MOUNTING CONFIGURATION					
Mounting: Set on shelf, wall mount with keyhole, or hang securely from ceiling.	•	•	•	•	

EXPORT POWERDRIVE ONBOARD CHARGER SPECIFICATIONS	Export PowerDrive Onboard Battery Charger					
Model number (CCI P/N)	19710 (101964302)	17790-10 (101814302)	17790-20 (101814305)	17790-30 (101814306)	17790-40 (102546902)	
AC INPUT						
AC voltage: 100, 200, 220, or 240 VAC (selectable)	•	•	•	•	•	
AC voltage (acceptable range): at 100 VAC setting	95-105	95-105	95-105	95-105	95-105	
AC voltage (acceptable range): at 200 VAC setting	190-210	190-210	190-210	190-210	190-210	
AC voltage (acceptable range): at 220 VAC setting	209-231	209-231	209-231	209-231	209-231	
AC voltage (acceptable range): at 240 VAC setting	228-252	228-252	228-252	228-252	228-252	
Frequency: 50 Hz. / 60 Hz.	•	•	•	•	•	
POWER CONSUMPTION			•			
Max. AC current (amps) at 100 VAC / 50 Hz.	13.6	13.6	13.6	13.6	13.6	
Max. AC current (amps) at 100 VAC / 60 Hz.	12.4	12.4	12.4	12.4	12.4	
Max. AC current (amps) at 200 VAC / 50 Hz.	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	
Max. AC current (amps) at 200 VAC / 60 Hz.	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	
Max. AC current (amps) at 220 VAC / 50 Hz.	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	
Max. AC current (amps) at 220 VAC / 60 Hz.	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	
Max. AC current (amps) at 240 VAC / 50 Hz.	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	
Max. AC current (amps) at 240 VAC / 60 Hz.	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	
DC OUTPUT						
DC voltage (VDC) (start of charge cycle)	48	48	48	48	48	
DC current (amps) (start of charge cycle)	17	17	17	17	17	
DC voltage (VDC) (end of charge cycle)	60	60	60	60	60	
DC current (amps) (end of charge cycle)	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	
DIMENSIONS/WEIGHT						
Case – overall length	11.75 in. (29.9 cm)	10.25 in. (26 cm)	10.25 in. (26 cm)	10.25 in. (26 cm)	10.25 in. (26 cm)	
Case – overall width	7.25 in. (18.4 cm)	8.687 in. (22.1 cm)	8.687 in. (22.1 cm)	8.687 in. (22.1 cm)	8.687 in. (22.1 cm)	
Case – overall height	9.5 in. (24.1 cm)	9.0 in. (22.9 cm)	9.0 in. (22.9 cm)	9.0 in. (22.9 cm)	9.0 in. (22.9 cm)	
AC cord length	17 ft. (5.2 m) (retractable)	17 ft. (5.2 m) (retractable)	17 ft. (5.2 m) (retractable)	17 ft. (5.2 m) (retractable)	17 ft. (5.2 m) (retractable)	
DC cord length	21.5 in. (54.6 cm)	80.5 in. (204.5 cm)	129.5 in. (328.9 cm)	162.5 in. (412.8 cm)	9.5 in. (24 cm)	
Weight	37.0 lb (16.8 kg)	37.0 lb (16.8 kg)	40.5 lb (18.4 kg)	40.6 lb (18.4 kg)	40.6 lb (18.4 kg)	
MOUNTING CONFIGURATION						
Mounting: Onboard (secured to the vehicle)	•	•	•	•	•	

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