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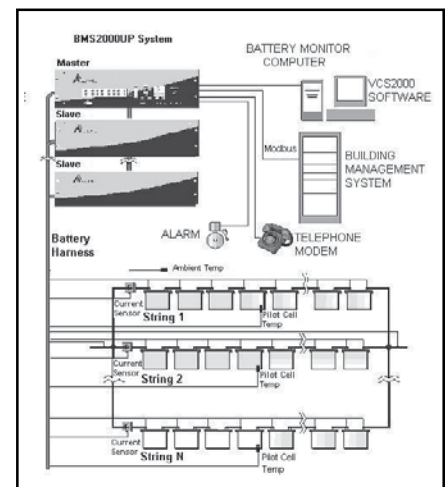
New Battery Management System from Solidstate Controls Features State-of-the-Art Monitoring and Communications Capability



Solidstate Controls, Inc., of Columbus, Ohio, USA has announced an enhancement to upgrade its Battery Management product line. The **BMS2000V** product line, like its predecessor, the BMS2000, is designed for use in process control applications in the power generation, petrochemical, pulp and paper, steel making, pharmaceutical, glass and textile industries.

While the basic functionality of the units is the same, they do employ slightly different techniques. Both models monitor individual cell (jar) voltage, connection resistance and internal ohmic measurements. (The BMS2000V measures impedance rather than resistance.) The BMS2000V has a wider range of cell configurations available – it can accommodate battery systems from 12 volts to 480 volts.

Other improvements are in the software and communications capabilities. The BMS2000V software offers a wider range of monitoring and control, and includes enhanced communications features, including up to 3 RS232 ports, TCP/IP, RS485, and MODBUS protocol. The software also includes a “Battery Time Remaining” feature that enables the user to monitor the relative battery run time remaining during a discharge. The BMS2000V also provides the “springboard” to SCI’s soon to be implemented Total System Monitoring concept, which will enable our clients to monitor not only their battery, but also their SCI UPS system(s). More details on that will be coming in the next few months.



Solidstate Controls, Inc.’s manufacturing facilities are located at 875 Dearborn Drive, Columbus, Ohio 43085. All products are marketed through an independent network of manufacturer’s representatives and distributors in the United States and in 27 foreign countries. Commitment to the customer continues long after the sale with a worldwide network of skilled, experienced field service technicians available for UPS installation, start-up, on-site service, and training.

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