

# **PDR-PERF-219: Battery Performance in Extreme Cold Conditions**

## **Technical Performance Documentation Report**

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## **1. SCOPE AND PURPOSE**

1. This Technical Performance Documentation Report ("Report") sets forth the verified performance specifications and operational parameters for the PDR-219 Lithium Iron Phosphate (LiFePO<sub>4</sub>) battery system ("Battery System") developed by Polar Dynamics Robotics, Inc. ("Company") for use in its IceNav-enabled autonomous mobile robots operating in extreme cold conditions.
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## **2. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

### **1. Battery System Configuration**

- Model: PDR-219-XC
- Chemistry: LiFePO<sub>4</sub> with proprietary cold-resistant electrolyte
- Nominal Voltage: 48V
- Capacity: 200Ah
- Energy Density: 160Wh/kg
- Cycle Life: >3,000 cycles at 80% DOD

### **2. Operating Temperature Range**

- Standard Operating Range: -40 C to +45 C
- Extended Operation Capability: -50 C with thermal management system
- Storage Temperature Range: -45 C to +50 C
- Maximum Temperature Differential: 65 C

## **3. PERFORMANCE VALIDATION**

### **1. Cold Temperature Performance Testing**

The Battery System has been subjected to rigorous testing under the following protocols:

- ISO 16750-4:2010 (Environmental conditions and testing)
- IEC 62133-2:2017 (Safety requirements for portable batteries)
- Proprietary PDR Cold Chamber Protocol P-2023-07

## 2. Verified Performance Metrics

The following metrics have been validated through independent laboratory testing:

### a) Capacity Retention:

- 92% at -30 C
- 85% at -40 C
- 75% at -50 C (with thermal management active)

### b) Discharge Performance:

- Sustained 1C discharge rate at -40 C
- Peak discharge capability of 2C for 30 seconds at -30 C
- Voltage sag <5% under maximum load at -40 C

## 4. SAFETY AND COMPLIANCE

### 1. Safety Features

- Integrated Battery Management System (BMS)
- Multi-stage thermal runaway prevention
- Cell-level temperature monitoring
- Automatic cold-weather conditioning cycle
- Emergency shutdown capability

### 2. Certifications and Compliance

- UL 2580 certification
- UN 38.3 Transportation certification
- IP67 environmental protection rating
- CE marking for European markets
- RoHS compliant

## **5. OPERATIONAL PARAMETERS**

### **1. Charging Requirements**

- Maximum charging temperature: +45 C
- Minimum charging temperature: -30 C
- Standard charging current: 0.5C
- Fast charging capability: 1C (above -10 C only)

### **2. Thermal Management**

- Active heating elements: 200W maximum
- Passive insulation rating: R-12
- Temperature differential management: 2 C
- Thermal runaway prevention threshold: 55 C

## **6. WARRANTY AND LIMITATIONS**

### **1. The Battery System is warranted to maintain minimum 80% capacity for:**

- 3,000 cycles or 36 months, whichever occurs first
- Under specified operating conditions
- Subject to proper maintenance procedures

### **2. Warranty Exclusions**

- Operation outside specified temperature ranges
- Physical damage or unauthorized modifications
- Improper charging or maintenance
- Force majeure events

## **7. CONFIDENTIALITY AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY**

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### **2. Protected intellectual property includes:**

- Patent No. US 11,234,567 (Cold-resistant electrolyte composition)
- Patent No. US 11,345,678 (Thermal management system)

- Patent Pending: USPTO Application #17/123,456

## **8. CERTIFICATION**

The undersigned hereby certifies that the performance specifications contained in this Report have been independently verified and validated according to industry standards and Company testing protocols.

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