Cat® C15 DIESEL GENERATOR SETS



Standby & Prime: 50Hz; 380, 400V & 415V



Engine Model	Cat® C15 ACERT In-line 6, 4-cycle diesel
Bore x Stroke	137mm x 171mm (5.4in x 6.8in)
Displacement	15.2 L (928 in³)
Compression Ratio	16.1:1
Aspiration	Turbocharged Air-to-Air Aftercooled
Fuel Injection System	MEUI
Governor	Electronic ADEM™ A4

Model	Standby	Prime	Emission Strategy		
DE500E0	E00 LVA 400 -LVA	450 LVA 200 -LVA	Non-Certified		
	500 kVA, 400 ekW	450 kVA, 360 ekW	Emissions		

PACKAGE PERFORMANCE

Performance	Standby	Prime			
Frequency	50 Hz	50 Hz			
Genset Power Rating	500 kVA	450 kVA			
Gen set power rating with fan @ 0.8 power factor	400 ekW	360 ekW			
Fuelling strategy	Non-Certified Emissions	Non-Certified Emissions			
Performance Number	DM8491	DM8490			
Fuel Consumption					
100% load with fan	103.7 L/hr 27.4 gal/hr	94.5 L/hr 25.0 gal/hr			
75% load with fan	77.9 L/hr 20.6 gal/hr	71.8 L/hr 19.0 gal/hr			
50% load with fan	55.3 L/hr 14.6 gal/hr	51.5 L/hr 13.6 gal/hr			
25% load with fan	33.4 L/hr 8.8 gal/hr	31.6 L/hr 8.3 gal/hr			
Cooling System ¹					
Radiator air flow restriction (system)	0.12 kPa, 0.48 in. Water	0.12 kPa, 0.48 in. Water			
Radiator air flow	476 m3/min, 16809 cfm	476 m3/min, 16809 cfm			
Engine coolant capacity	20.8 L, 5.5 gal	20.8 L, 5.5 gal			
Radiator coolant capacity	37 L, 9.7 gal	37 L, 9.7 gal			
Total coolant capacity	57.8 L, 15.2 gal	57.8 L, 15.2 gal			
Inlet Air					
Combustion air inlet flow rate	29.3 m³/min 1036.4 cfm	27.3 m³/min 965.0 cfm			
Max. Allowable Combustion Air Inlet Temp	48 ° C 118 ° F	46 ° C 114 ° F			
Exhaust System					
Exhaust stack gas temperature	523.6 ° C 974.4 ° F	515.3 ° C 959.5 ° F			
Exhaust gas flow rate	79.4 m³/min 2802.2 cfm	73.1 m³/min 2580.2 cfm			
Exhaust system backpressure (maximum allowable)	10.0 kPa, 40.0 in. water	10.0 kPa, 40.0 in. water			
Heat Rejection					
Heat rejection to jacket water	151 kW 8583 Btu/min	139 kW 7923 Btu/min			
Heat rejection to exhaust (total)	377 kW 21425 Btu/min	344 kW 19561 Btu/min			
Heat rejection to aftercooler	71 kW 4053 Btu/min	61 kW 3450 Btu/min			
Heat rejection to atmosphere from engine	44 kW 2477 Btu/min	42 kW 2396 Btu/min			
Heat Rejection to Atmosphere from Generator	28 kW 1592 Btu/min	22 kW 1251 Btu/min			

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Emissions (Nominal) ²								
NOx	3	458.8 mg/Nm ³ 6.8	g/hp-hr	33	3357.6 mg/Nm ³ 6.6 g/hp-hr			
CO	1	71.2 mg/Nm ³ 0.3	g/hp-hr	15	159.3 mg/Nm ³ 0.3 g/hp-hr			
HC		5.2 mg/Nm ³ 0.0 g	/hp-hr	6	6.6 mg/Nm³ 0.0 g/hp-hr			
PM		7.8 mg/Nm ³ 0.0 g	/hp-hr	}	8.8 mg/Nm ³ 0.0 g/hp-hr			
Alternator ³								
Voltages	4	115V	400V		380V			
Motor Starting Capability @ 30% Voltage Dip	143	39 skVA	1066 skVA		1207 skVA			
Current	Standby: 695A Prime: 626A		Standby: 722A Prime: 650A		Standby: 747A Prime: 650A			
Frame Size	A2975L4		A2975L4		A2975L4			
Excitation	SE		SE		SE			
Temperature Rise	SB:163°C, 325°F	PP: 125°C, 257°F	SB:163°C, 325°F	PP: 125°C, 257°F	SB:163°C, 325°F	PP: 125°C, 257°F		

SB: Standby PP: Prime Power

DEFINITIONS AND CONDITIONS

APPLICABLE CODES AND STANDARDS:

AS1359, CSA C22.2 No100-04, UL142, UL489, UL869, UL2200, NFPA37, NFPA70, NFPA99, NFPA110, IBC, IEC60034-1, ISO3046, ISO8528, NEMA MG1-22, NEMA MG1-33, 2006/95/EC, 2006/42/EC, 2004/108/EC.

Note: Codes may not be available in all model configurations. Please consult your local Cat Dealer representative for availability.

STANDBY: Output available with varying load for the duration of the interruption of the normal source power. Average power output is 70% of the standby power rating. Typical operation is 200 hours per year, with maximum expected usage of 500 hours per year.

PRIME: Output available with varying load for an unlimited time. Average power output is 70% of the prime power rating. Typical peak demand is 100% of prime rated ekW with 10% overload capability for emergency use for a maximum of 1 hour in 12. Overload operation cannot exceed 25 hours per year

RATINGS: Ratings are based on SAE J1349 standard conditions. These ratings also apply at ISO3046 standard conditions.

Fuel Rates are based on fuel oil of 35° API [16° C (60° F)] gravity having an LHV of 42 780 kJ/kg (18,390 Btu/lb) when used at 29° C (85° F) and weighing 838.9 g/litre (7.001 lbs/U.S. gal.). Additional ratings may be available for specific customer requirements, contact your Caterpillar representative for details. For information regarding Low Sulfur fuel and Biodiesel capability, please consult your Cat dealer.

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¹ For ambient and altitude capabilities consult your Cat dealer. Air flow restriction (system) is added to existing restriction from factory.

² Emissions data measurement procedures are consistent with those described in EPA CFR 40 Part 89, Subpart D & E and ISO8178-1 for measuring HC, CO, PM, NOx. Data shown is based on steady state operating conditions of 77° F, 28.42 in HG and number 2 diesel fuel with 35° API and LHV of 18,390 BTU/lb. The nominal emissions data shown is subject to instrumentation, measurement, facility and engine to engine variations. Emissions data is based on 100% load and thus cannot be used to compare to EPA regulations which use values based on a weighted cycle.

³ UL 2200 Listed packages may have oversized generators with a different temperature rise and motor starting characteristics. Generator temperature rise is based on a 40° C ambient per NEMA MG1-32.





Image shown may not reflect actual configuration

C15 Sound Attenuated Enclosures

50 Hz / 60 Hz

These sound attenuated, factory installed enclosures incorporate internally mounted super critical level silencers, designed for safety and aesthetic value on integral fuel tank base or optional dual wall integral fuel tank base for total fluid containment. These enclosures are of extremely rugged construction to withstand exposure to the elements and provide weather protection.

Features

Robust / Highly Corrosion Resistant Construction

- Factory installed on integral fuel tank base
- Environmentally friendly, polyester powder baked paint
- 1.6 mm (0.063 in) galvanized steel
- All round overhanging base to protect enclosure
- High-grade engineering thermoplastic corner posts for protection
- Integral lifting frame
- · Compression door latches giving solid door seal
- Zinc plated or black coated stainless steel fasteners
- Internally mounted super critical exhaust silencing system

Excellent Access

- · Large cable entry area for installation ease
- Accommodates rear mounted breaker and control panel
- · Double doors on both sides
- Vertically hinged doors with solid bar door stays to hold doors open at 135° rotation
- Lube oil and coolant drains pipes to exterior of enclosure and terminated drain valves
- · Radiator fill cover

Security and Safety

- · Lockable access doors which give full access to control panel and breaker
- · Cooling fan and battery charging alternator fully guarded
- Fuel fill, oil fill and battery can only be reached via lockable access
- Externally mounted emergency stop button
- Designed for spreader-bar lifting to ensure safety
- Control panel viewing window
- Stub-up area is rodent proof

Options

- Caterpillar yellow or white paint
- Integral dual wall fuel tank base for total fluid containment (fuel, oil and coolant)

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Enclosure Package Operating Characteristics

					Sound Pressure Levels dBA						Ambient Capability at	
					1m (3.3 ft)		7m (23 ft)		Air Flow Rate		100% Load*	
Model	kVA	ekW	SB/PP	LWA	75% Load	100% Load	75% Load	100% Load	m³/s	cfm	°C	°F
50 Hz												
DEFOOE	455	364	PP	98	79	79	69	70	5.7	12078	44	111
DE500E0	500	400	SB	98	79	80	69	70	5.7	12078	45	113
DEFFOE	500	400	PP	98	79	80	69	70	5.7	12078	40	104
DE550E0	550	440	SB	98	79	80	70	71	5.7	12078	41	106
DE550E3	500	400	PP	_	82	83	73	74	6.1	12925	54	129
DE550E3	550	440	SB	_	83	84	73	75	6.1	12925	52	126
60 Hz												
DE4500E0	513	410	PP	_	81	82	71	72	6.3	13349	47	117
DE450SE0	563	450	SB	_	82	83	71	73	6.3	13349	49	120
DE500SE0	569	455	PP	_	82	83	71	73	6.3	13349	43	109
DESOUSEO	625	500	SB	_	82	83	72	73	6.3	13349	45	113

^{*}Ambient capability measured with the Cat extended life coolant at sea level.



Approximate weight of enclosure package: 5071 kg (11180 lb), **5300 kg (11685 lb) DE550E3. Exact weight is dependent on options. Enclosure weight includes: sound attenuated enclosure, exhaust system, base and generator set.

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