

# PROJECT-SPECIFIC CONTROLLER TUNING BLUE'LOG XC



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## DEFINED CONTROL BEHAVIOUR ALREADY IN THE PLANNING PHASE

### DESCRIPTION OF FUNCTIONS

The controller blue'Log XC is already pre-parameterized at the factory to guarantee manufacturer independent, robust control even with a high diversity of available PV inverters on the market.

Whether highly dynamic Zero Feed-In for PV self-consumption systems or reactive power control of solar power plants with improved response time requirements – through project-specific controller tuning, the controller blue'Log XC guarantees the required dynamics already in the planning phase.

The harmonization of all dead times in the system enables a precise adjustment of the control behaviour and makes time-consuming, manual controller tuning in the field (trial-and-error) no longer necessary.

### EXEMPLARY REQUIREMENT ON CONTROL DYNAMICS

	Initial delay $T_V$	Rise time $T_{rise\ 90\%}$	Settling time $T_{settling\ \Delta x}$
Active power decrease at overfrequency (LFSM-O)	$\leq 2\ s^1$	$\leq 2\ s^2$	$\leq 20\ s^2$
Active power controllability $P_{var}$	-	-	$0.33 \dots 0.66\ \%/s^3$
Voltage control Q (U droop)	-	$1 \dots 5\ s^4$	$5 \dots 60\ s^4$
Reactive power control $Q_{var}$	-	$1 \dots 5\ s^5$	$6 \dots 60\ s^6$
Power factor control $\cos\ \varphi_{var}$	-	$\leq 60\ s^5$	$\leq 60\ s^6$

Initial delay  $T_V$ :

Initial delay in activation of active power frequency response (LFSM-O).

Rise time  $T_{rise\ 90\%}$ :

Time between the setpoint step change and the point in time at which the controlled variable (e.g. reactive power Q) reaches 90 % of the setpoint change for the first time.

Settling time  $T_{settling\ \Delta x}$ :

Time between the erratic setpoint change and the point in time at which the transient process have decayed to such an extent that the controlled variable (e.g. reactive power Q) lies within the tolerance band around the steady-state value and remains there.

<sup>1)</sup> Requirement according to Network Code (NC) Requirements for Generators (RfG) / EU regulation 2016/631, Article 13(2)(e).

<sup>2)</sup> Requirement according to VDE-AR-N 4110:2018-11 (TCR medium voltage), chapter 10.2.4.3 (Power-generating system Type 2 / PV system).

<sup>3)</sup> Requirement according to VDE-AR-N 4110:2018-11 (TCR medium voltage), chapter 10.2.4.1 (No absolute settling time).

<sup>4)</sup> Requirement according to Network Code (NC) Requirements for Generators (RfG) / EU regulation 2016/631, Article 21(3)(d).

<sup>5)</sup> Requirement according to VDE-AR-N 4120:2018-11 (TCR high voltage), chapter 10.2.2.4.

<sup>6)</sup> Requirement according to VDE-AR-N 4110:2018-11 (TCR medium voltage), chapter 10.2.2.4.

### EXTENDED CONTROLLER PARAMETERIZATION, ACTIVE POWER

The behaviour of the active power control can be adjusted by parameterization depending on system-specific and regulatory requirements.

Following parameters are available for this purpose:

Parameter	Value range	Factory setting <sup>7)</sup>
Controller sample time $t_s$	200 ms   500 ms	500 ms
Proportional gain coefficient $K_p$	-1,000 ... 1,000	0.1180
Integral gain coefficient $K_i$	-1,000 ... 1,000	0.0672
Dead zone / $DZ_{lower\ limit}$	-10 ... 0 %	-0.5 %
Dead zone / $DZ_{upper\ limit}$	0 ... 10 %	0 %
Correction value limiting / $P_{y, lower\ limit}$	0 ... 125 %	0 %
Correction value limiting / $P_{y, upper\ limit}$	0 ... 125 %	125 %

### EXTENDED CONTROLLER PARAMETERIZATION, REACTIVE POWER

The behaviour of the reactive power control can be adjusted by parameterization depending on system-specific and regulatory requirements.

Following parameters are available for this purpose:

Parameter	Value range	Factory setting <sup>8)</sup>
Controller sample time $t_s$	200 ms   500 ms	500 ms
Proportional gain coefficient $K_p$	-1,000 ... 1,000	0.1110
Integral gain coefficient $K_i$	-1,000 ... 1,000	0.0493
Dead zone / $DZ_{lower\ limit}$	-10 ... 0 %	-0.5 %
Dead zone / $DZ_{upper\ limit}$	0 ... 10 %	0.5 %
Correction value limiting / $Q_{y, lower\ limit}$	0 ... 100 %	60 %
Correction value limiting / $Q_{y, upper\ limit}$	0 ... 100 %	60 %
Correction value limiting / $\cos \varphi_{y, lower\ limit}$	0 ... 1	0.8
Correction value limiting / $\cos \varphi_{y, upper\ limit}$	0 ... 1	0.8

### ADDITIONAL NOTES

Data collection:

Data collection sheet with project-specific data and control requirements needs to be provided by customer.

Simulation results:

The simulation results are provided with the 'Simulation Results Report'.

Control behaviour:

Deviations of the real control characteristics (rise time, settling time, steady-state error) from the simulation result cannot be completely avoided.

Controller Parameterization /  
Site Acceptance Tests (SAT):

Controller parameterization and execution of Grid Code Compliance (GCC) site acceptance tests (SAT) are not within scope of delivery.

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<sup>7)</sup> The controller tuning in the factory setting guarantees a PT1 transient response for the active power control with  $3 \tau = 60$  s (tolerance band  $\Delta P = 2$  %) for a dead time of the controlled system (Power-generating unit (PGU) settling time) of 3.0 s.

<sup>8)</sup> The controller tuning in the factory setting guarantees a PT1 transient response for the reactive power control with  $3 \tau = 60$  s according to VDE-AR-N 4110:2018-11 (TCR medium voltage) for a dead time of the controlled system (Power-generating unit (PGU) settling time) of 1.5 s.