# AVR-051 User Manual





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#### 1. Description:

The AVR-051 stabilizes the output voltage by detecting the phase output and make necessary adjustments to the exciter accordingly. The AVR-051 is suitable for use on brushless generator model.

#### 2. Wiring:

The range of sensing the phase voltage (A, C) in the AVR-051 is AC 220 /380 /440 /480V. The input voltage for AVR-051 (B, C) is  $100 \sim 300$ V AC, 50/60Hz. Please follow the instructions and wiring diagram for the AVR-051 to prevent any malfunctions.

**2.1.** Input Terminals B · C are the power input for AVR-051. Terminals A · C are for Genset voltage sensing and it can be wired independently (See figure 2) or in parallel if the rated power output is AC 220V. (See figure 3 default setting)

\*Note: Independent connection can reduce the adjustments of voltage deficit

**2.2.** If the rated voltage output on the Genset is AC 380/440/480V, the voltage sensing terminals must be wired independently as show on figure 4 and 5.

\*Warning: The power input for AVR-051 must not exceed 300V AC.

- **2.3.** Connect output terminals(F+) \( (F-)\) to the exciter on the generator (J, K)
- **2.4.** External connector EXT.VR is for external potentiometer (1K  $\Omega$  1W VR) and must be shorted when not in use.

Warning: Please use AWG16 or 125mm 85°C 600 V wire for connectors A ⋅ B ⋅ C ⋅ F+ ⋅ F-. For use on external potentiometer, please use insolated wires.

#### 3. Adjustments:

#### 3.1 Frequency Setting:

Please switch PIN 1 on the frequency selector to "ON" position when rated frequency is 50Hz (Please refer to Figure 8).

#### 3.2 Voltage Setting:

Please switch pin 2 and pin 3 of the voltage selector to "ON" position when the rated output phase voltage is 220V AC. (please refer to figure 2, 3, and 8)

Switch pin 2 to "ON" and pin 3 to "off" position on the voltage selector when rated output phase voltage is 380V AC. (please refer to figure 4 and 8)

Switch pin2 and pin 3 to "OFF" position on the voltage selector when rated output phase voltage is 440/480V AC. (please refer to figure 5 and 8)

\*Warning: Please pay extra attentions when setting up the voltage and frequency

selectors; incorrect settings could damage the AVR or the generator.

\*Note: Make sure all the wires, connections, and settings are all correct and turn

the VOLT and STAB fully counterclockwise before starting the

generator.

#### **3.3 Genset Voltage Fine Tune(VOLT)**:

After Genset has successfully started and in rated speed, slowly turn VOLT clockwise to the rated voltage. (If EXT.VR is connected with a potentiometer, please adjust the potentiometer to the center position)

#### 3.4 Genset Stabilization Adjustment(STAB):

To adjust the feedback timing, slowly turn the STAB clockwise. We suggest using analog DCV meter to monitor (F+) and (F-) then fine tune the meter until the movement is at minimum. Over adjustment may cause unstable voltage output. Under adjustment may have significant changes on the output voltage under heavy loads.

#### **3.5** Genset Low Frequency Setting(U/F):

Please do not adjust this setting, the U/F setting has been adjusted at the factory. Its purpose is to activate the low frequency protection. When the output frequency of the generator is lower than this setting, the AVR ceases the output automatically.

#### 4. Excitation:

\* Warning: Incorrect wiring of Genset or operation of the AVR for the first time or the residual magnetism voltage is less than 5V or (F+) and (F-) is connected reversely; the generator will not be able to build up voltage.

If the Genset can not build up the voltage, please shut down the generator and than perform the following steps:

- 4.1. Please shut down the generator and check the wiring.
  - 4.1.1 Incorrect wiring: Please rewire and than start the generator again.
  - 4.1.2 If Genset still can not build up the voltage, please shut down the generator and proceed to step 4.2.
  - 4.1.3 If wiring is correct, please shut down the Genset and proceed to step 2.
- 4.2. Please shut down the generator before perform the following steps
  - 4.2.1 Reverse (F+) and (F-) connections, than start the Genset again.
  - 4.2.2 If Genset still can not build up the voltage, an external power source must be used to excite the magnetism. Please make sure the generator has been completely shut down before proceed to step 3.
- 4.3. Please shut down the generator before perform the following steps
  - 4.3.1 Disconnect AVR terminals (F+) and (F-), then use 3-12V DC (e.g. battery) as power source and connect the positive terminal to a current limiting resistor 5~50 Ω / 30W, then connect to the positive terminal of the Genset and negative to the negative terminal of the Genset. (Please refer to figure. 76) Power up for 3 seconds and then disconnect the power source. Remove the AVR power input and start the Genset. Wait until the rated idle speed, than measure the residual magnetic voltage.
  - 4.3.2 If the residual magnetic voltage is greater than 5V AC, please shut down the Genset and reconnect the AVR than start the Genset again.

- 4.3.3 If the residual magnetic voltage is less than 5V AC, please repeat step 3 again.
- 4.4. If the residual magnetic voltage is greater than 5V AC and the Genset still can not build up the voltage, please replace with another AVR.

\*Warning: Over excitation may damage the exciter or the AVR.

## 5. Specifications:

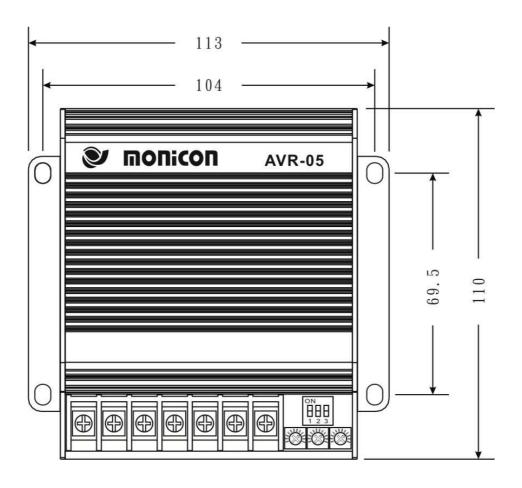
| <b>Voltage Detection Range(A · C)</b> | Voltage 220/380/440/480 VAC, single          |  |
|---------------------------------------|--|--|
|                                       | phase 2 wires, Frequency 50/60 Hz            |  |
|                                       | (Factory default setting: 220VAC, 60 Hz)     |  |
| Input Voltage Range(B \cdot C)        | Voltage: 100~300 VAC single phase 2 wires    |  |
|                                       | Frequency: 50/60 Hz                          |  |
| Voltage Adjustable Range              | When External VR is $1K\Omega$ and $\pm 7\%$ |  |
|                                       | Min. rated power is 1W                       |  |

| Voltage Adjustable Rate:  | < ±0.5 %                                      |  |
|---------------------------|---|--|
| Min. Excitation Voltage:  | Residual voltage > 5 VAC                      |  |
| Magnetic Field Output:    | Continuous current: 4.8A, intermittent: 5.2 A |  |
| Exciter Resistance:       | 15 Ω (Min)                                    |  |
|                           | 100 Ω (Max)                                   |  |
| Low Frequency Protection: | Genset 60 Hz: Lower than 55Hz, AVR ceases     |  |
|                           | output (Default setting)                      |  |
|                           | Genset 50 Hz: Lower than 45Hz, AVR ceases     |  |
|                           | output (Default setting)                      |  |
| EMI Protection:           | Build in EMI filter                           |  |
| Power Consumption:        | 8 Watt(Max) °                                 |  |
| Fuse                      | 6A / 250V / 20mm                              |  |
| Working Temperature:      | 0 °C ∼ 65 °C °                                |  |
| Storage Temperature:      | - 20 °C ∼ 85 °C °                             |  |
| Dimensions:               | W 93 * H 57 * D 110 mm °                      |  |
| Weight:                   | 450g ± 15g                                    |  |

# 6. Troubleshooting:

| Scenario              | Possible Cause                                | Solution                         |
|-----------------------|---|----------------------------------|
| No output<br>voltage  | • Bad connections on (B \cdot C)(F+ \cdot F-) | Please refer to figure 2 and 5.  |
|                       | Low residual voltage                          | Please see 4.3  figure6          |
|                       | Low engine speed                              | Please refer to Genset manual    |
|                       | Faulty generator                              | Please refer to Genset manual    |
|                       | Blown Fuse                                    | Replace fuse with same spec.     |
| High output           | Bad connections on (A · C) or                 | Please refer to figure 2~5 and 8 |
| voltage               | incorrect settings on voltage sensing         |                                  |
|                       | switch.                                       |                                  |
| Low output<br>voltage | • Incorrect wiring on (A \ C)(B \ C)          | Please refer to figure 2~5       |
|                       | • Incorrect settings on Voltage sensing       | Please refer to figure 7         |
|                       | switch  |                                  |
|                       | Bad connections on external                   | Please check the wiring and      |
|                       | potentiometer                                 | follow the diagram               |
|                       | Faulty or damaged potentiometer               | Test and replace potentiometer   |
|                       | Low engine speed                              | Please refer to Genset manual    |
|                       | Incorrect exciter installed                   | Please refer to Genset manual    |
|                       | Blown Fuse                                    | Replace fuse with same spec      |
| Unstable              | Misadjustment on STAB                         | Please see 3.4                   |
| output voltage        |   |                                  |
| Burned Fuse           | Too much current on exciter                   | Please refer to Genset manual    |
|                       |   | Replace fuse with same spec      |

## 7. Dimensions:



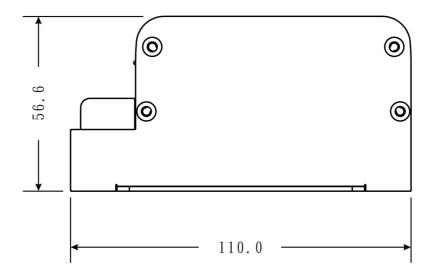


Figure 1

## 8. Wiring Diagram and Settings:

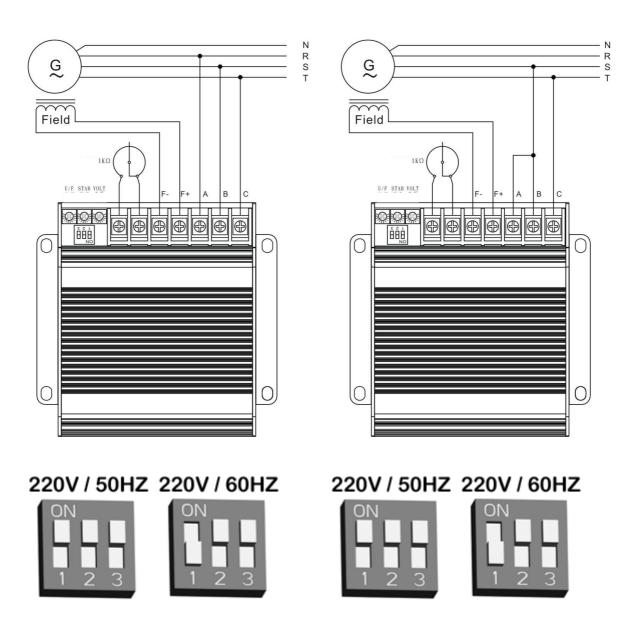


Figure 2: 220V Setting Figure 3: 220V Setting



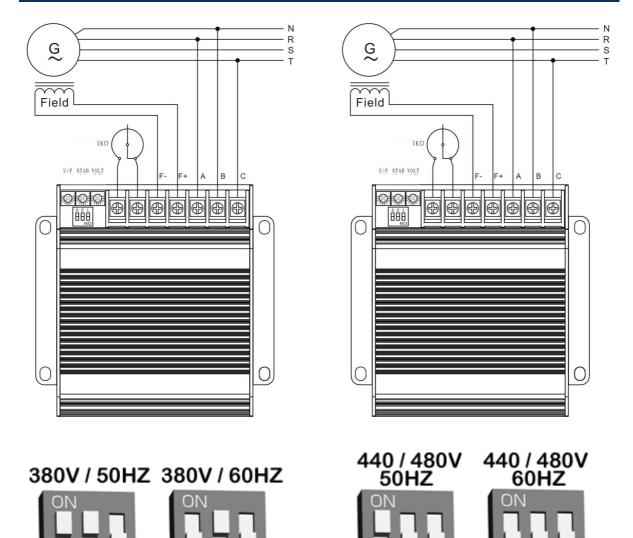


Figure 4: 380V Setting

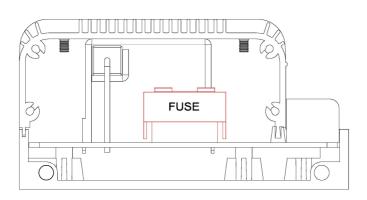


Figure 5: 440V/480V Setting

Figure 6: Fuse Location

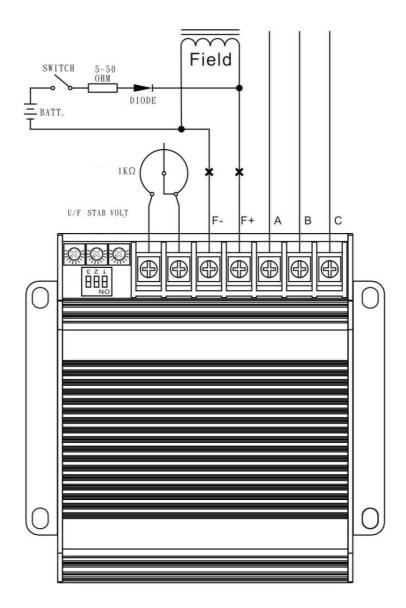


Figure 7: Excitation

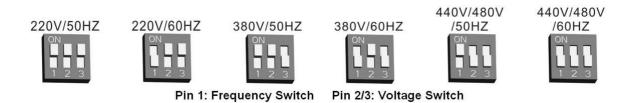


Figure 8: Voltage / Frequency Selection