

# TriStar Meter-2™, TriStar Meter-2-600V™ and TriStar Remote Meter-2™

## Digital Displays for TriStar Controllers

Morningstar's TriStar Meter-2 (TS-M-2), TriStar Meter-2-600V (TS-M-2-600V) and the TriStar Remote Meter-2 (TS-RM-2) are advanced digital meters that may be used with TriStar™ solar controllers. These three meters are nearly identical except that the TS-M-2 and TS-M-2-600V are mounted on the controller and the TS-RM-2 is flush mounted up to 30 meters (98.4 feet) away from the controller.

The TriStar meters are 2 x 16 character LCD's that display extensive system and controller information, logged data, bar graph metering as well as alarms and faults for easy troubleshooting. The information may be shown in English, French, German, Portuguese or Spanish languages.

In multi-controller systems the TS-M-2, TS-M-2-600V and TS-RM-2 are networkable using Morningstar's MeterHub to allow individual controller data and aggregate system data to be displayed together on a single meter.

## Technical Specifications

### ELECTRICAL

|                  |                                  |
|------------------|----------------------------------|
| Self-Consumption | 7.5 mA<br>42.5 mA (backlight on) |
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### MECHANICAL

|                                   |                                 |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| TS-RM-2 Mounting Plate Dimensions | 116 x 116 mm (4.56 x 4.56 inch) |
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|----------------|---------------------|
| Plate Material | powder coated steel |
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### Meter Weight

|        |                  |
|--------|------------------|
| TS-M-2 | 0.23 kg / 0.5 lb |
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| TS-M-2-600V | 0.18 kg / 0.4 lb |
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| TS-RM-2 | 0.18 kg / 0.4 lb |
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|                |               |
|----------------|---------------|
| Connector Type | RJ-11 (6-pin) |
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|              |                               |
|--------------|-------------------------------|
| TS-M-2 cable | 0.13 m / 5 inch - 6 conductor |
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|-------------------|--------------------------------|
| TS-M-2-600V cable | 0.35 m / 14 inch - 6 conductor |
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| TS-RM-2 cable | 30 m / 98.4 ft - 6 conductor |
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|-------------------|-------------|
| Cable Temperature | 60°C rating |
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### ENVIRONMENTAL

|                               |                  |
|-------------------------------|------------------|
| Ambient Operating Temperature | -40 °C to +60 °C |
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| LCD Temperature Rating | -20 °C to +70 °C |
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|---------------------------|------------------|
| Storage Temperature Range | -55 °C to +85 °C |
|---------------------------|------------------|

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|--------------------|----------------|
| Humidity Tolerance | 5 to 95 % (NC) |
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| Tropicalization | Conformal Coating on both sides of circuit board |
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## Key Features and Benefits

- Easy to install
  - Uses standard 6 conductor RJ-11 connectors
  - TS-RM-2 fits a "double gang" electrical box and includes 30 meters (98.4 feet) of cable
  - Both data and meterbus power flow over a single cable
  - Network supports up to 15 devices and, optionally, more than one meter per system
- Easy to use
  - Four directional pushbuttons for easy navigation of display screens
  - Backlighting to enhance readability
  - Meter may be added during initial controller installation, added as an upgrade anytime in the future or connected temporarily for troubleshooting with the ability to use this same meter at other sites
- Networking capability
  - Displays individual controller data from up to 15 TriStars with optional Morningstar MeterHub
  - Aggregates system data to show total charge, load and battery charge/discharge state
  - Auto detects any device found on the network

| COMPATIBILITY     | TS-M-2 | TS-M-2-600V | TS-RM-2 |
|-------------------|--------|-------------|---------|
| TriStar           | YES    | NO          | YES     |
| TriStar MPPT      | YES    | NO          | YES     |
| TriStar MPPT 600V | NO     | YES         | YES     |



# Displays for TriStar Meter-2, TriStar Meter-2-600V and TriStar Remote Meter-2

| OPERATING DATA          | TRISTAR      |              |           | TS MPPT*     |
|-------------------------|--------------|--------------|-----------|--------------|
|                         | Solar Charge | Load Control | Diversion | Solar Charge |
| Battery Voltage         | •            | •            | •         | •            |
| Solar Input Voltage     | •            |              |           | •            |
| Charging Current        | •            |              |           | •            |
| Load/Diversion Current  |              | •            | •         |              |
| Battery Sense Voltage   | •            | •            | •         | •            |
| Battery Temperature     | •            | •            | •         | •            |
| Battery Min/Max Voltage | •            | •            | •         | •            |
| Charging Watts          | •            |              |           | •            |
| Load/Diversion Watts    |              | •            | •         |              |
| Daily Charge Wh         |              |              |           | •            |
| Heatsink Temperature    | •            | •            | •         | •            |

  

| SETTINGS DATA                | TRISTAR |   |   | TS MPPT* |
|------------------------------|---------|---|---|----------|
| Nominal System Voltage       | •       | • | • | •        |
| Battery Type                 | •       |   | • | •        |
| Regulation Type              | •       |   | • | •        |
| Absorption Charge Voltage    | •       |   | • | •        |
| Float Charge Voltage         | •       |   | • | •        |
| Equalize Charge Voltage      | •       |   | • | •        |
| Low Voltage Disconnect Value |         | • |   |          |
| Low Voltage Reconnect Value  |         | • |   |          |
| Days Between Equalizations   | •       |   | • | •        |

  

| DIAGNOSTIC DATA                 | TRISTAR |   |   | TS MPPT* |
|---------------------------------|---------|---|---|----------|
| Ah Total/Since Last Reset       | •       | • | • | •        |
| kWh Total/Since Last Reset      | •       | • | • | •        |
| Charge State                    | •       |   | • | •        |
| Load State                      |         | • |   |          |
| Fault List                      | •       | • | • | •        |
| Alarm List                      | •       | • | • | •        |
| Days Since Last Equalization    | •       |   | • | •        |
| Days Since Last Battery Service | •       |   | • | •        |
| Cumulative Hours of Service     | •       | • | • | •        |
| Controller Version              | •       | • | • | •        |
| Meter Version                   | •       | • | • | •        |
| Mode of Operation               | •       | • | • | •        |

| COMMANDS                       | TRISTAR      |              |           | TS MPPT*     |
|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------|-----------|--------------|
|                                | Solar Charge | Load Control | Diversion | Solar Charge |
| Reset Ah/kWh Counters          | •            | •            | •         | •            |
| Reset Min/Max Battery V        | •            | •            | •         | •            |
| Equalize Start/Stop            | •            |              | •         | •            |
| Load On/Off                    |              | •            |           |              |
| Reset Battery Service Reminder | •            | •            | •         | •            |

  

| USER SETTINGS                 | TRISTAR |   |   | TS MPPT* |
|-------------------------------|---------|---|---|----------|
| Set MeterBus Address          |         |   |   | •        |
| Set Meter Display Language    | •       | • | • | •        |
| Set Temperature Units (°C/°F) | •       | • | • | •        |

  

| LOGGED DATA <sup>1</sup>    | TRISTAR |   |              | TS MPPT* |
|-----------------------------|---------|---|--------------|----------|
| Days of Daily Log Data      |         |   | Last 60 Days |          |
| Battery Voltage Min (Daily) | •       | • | •            | •        |
| Battery Voltage Max (Daily) | •       | • | •            | •        |
| Charge Ah (Daily)           | •       |   |              | •        |
| Load Ah (Daily)             |         | • | •            |          |
| Battery Wh (Daily)          |         |   |              | •        |
| Solar Vmax (Daily)          |         |   |              | •        |
| Battery Watts Max (Daily)   |         |   |              | •        |
| Time in Absorption (Daily)  |         |   |              | •        |
| Time in Float (Daily)       |         |   |              | •        |
| Time in Equalize (Daily)    |         |   |              | •        |
| Faults (Daily)              | •       | • | •            | •        |
| Alarms (Daily)              | •       | • | •            | •        |

  

| TOTAL SYSTEM DATA (MULTIPLE CONTROLLERS) | TRISTAR |   |   | TS MPPT* |
|--|---------|---|---|----------|
| Charge Current                           | •       |   |   | •        |
| Load Current                             |         | • |   |          |
| Diversion Current                        |         |   | • |          |
| Charging Watts                           | •       |   |   | •        |
| Charging Ah                              | •       |   |   | •        |
| Charging Wh                              | •       |   |   | •        |
| Load Ah                                  |         | • |   |          |
| Load Watts                               |         | • |   |          |
| Diversion Watts                          |         |   | • |          |
| Diversion Ah                             |         |   | • |          |

\* Includes TriStar MPPT and TriStar MPPT-600V.

<sup>1</sup> Logged data available on TriStars with software v13 or later.

| CERTIFICATIONS                                |
|---|
| CE, RoHS and REACH Compliant                  |
| ETL Recognized Component                      |
| ACMA-EMC Compliant                            |
| Manufactured in a Certified ISO 9001 Facility |

Five year warranty on all Tristar meters.

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