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Serial Number 315S1011001600

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115V 230V

Scheme: ETA-EMI PSU 

115V 230V



Scheme: LAMBDA PSU



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General Information

Test Equipment

Electronic Loads	Chroma 63601-5 x2 Chroma 63600-2 Chroma 63640-80-80 x10 Chroma 63610-80-20
AC Sources	Chroma 6530, APM SP300VAC4000W-P, GW Instek ASR-3500
Power Analyzers	Rohde & Schwarz HMC8015 & NPA701
Oscilloscopes	Picoscope 4444, Siglent SDS2104X PLUS
Sound Analyzer	Bruel & Kjaer 2270 G4
Microphone	Bruel & Kjaer Type 4955-A
Temperature Logger	Picoscope TC-08
Tachometer	UNI-T UT372
Multimeters	Keysight 34465A
EMI Analyzer	TekBox TBMR-110M-EU
Isolation Transformer	4kVA
UPS	FSP Champ Tower 3kVA, CyberPower OLS3000E 3kVA
Testing Methodology	Cybenetics PSU Test Protocol

DUT Information(Non-accredited measurements)

Product Identification Details	
Brand	be quiet!
Model	Dark Power 12 850W
OEM/ODM	FSP
Serial Number	315S1011001600
Product Specifications	
Manufacturer-Provided Information	
Rated Voltage (Vrms)	100-240
Rated Current (Arms)	10-5
Rated Frequency (Hz)	50-60

Rated Power (W)	850
Operating Temperature (Continuous Full Load) (°C)	
Type	ATX12V
Cable Design	Fully Modular
Warranty	-
Cybenetics Measurements	
Dimensions (W x H x D)	
Weight	
Cooling	135mm Fluid Dynamic Bearing Fan (BQ SIW3-13525-HF)
Semi-Passive Operation	✗
Cybenetics Testing Information	
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Date of receipt	Mar 16, 2021
Testing Date	Mar 30, 2021
Report Issued Date	Mar 30, 2021
Engineer Name	-
Authorized By the Laboratory Technical Manager	Aristeidis Bitziopoulos
Signature	

Cables and Connectors(Non-accredited measurements)

Modular Cables				
Description	Cable Count	Connector Count (Total)	Gauge	In Cable Capacitors
ATX connector 20+4 pin (600mm)	1	1	18-22AWG	No
8 pin EPS12V (700mm)	1	1	16AWG	No
4+4 pin EPS12V (700mm)	1	1	16AWG	No
2x (6+2) pin PCIe (600mm)	3	6	16-18AWG	No
SATA (600mm+150mm+150mm+150mm)	1	4	18AWG	No
SATA (600mm+150mm+150mm)	2	6	18AWG	No
SATA (600mm+150mm) / 4-pin Molex (+150mm+150mm) / FDD (+150mm)	1	2 / 2 / 1	18-20AWG	No
4-pin Molex (600mm+150mm+150mm)	1	3	18AWG	No

Overclocking jumper (620mm)	1	1	24AWG	No
AC Power Cord (1370mm) - C13 coupler	1	1	18AWG	-

Power Specifications

Rail		3.3V	5V	12V(1)	12V(2)	12V(3)	12V(4)	5VSB	-12V
Max. Power	Amps	24	24	30	30	35	35	3	0.5
	Watts	120		840				15	6
Total Max. Power (W)		850							

Parts Description

General Data	-
Manufacturer (OEM)	FSP
PCB Type	Double Sided
Primary Side	-
Transient Filter	4x Y caps, 3x X caps, 2x CM chokes, 1x MOV
Inrush Protection	NTC Thermistor SCK-056 (5Ohm) & Relay
Rectifier(s) (Standby Mode)	4x Diodes Incorporated S3M (1000V, 3A @ 75°C)
Rectifier(s)	4x Infineon IPB60R060P7 (600V, 30A @ 100°C, Rds(on): 0.06Ohm)
APFC MOSFETs	2x Infineon IPA60R120P7 (600V, 16A @ 100°C, Rds(on): 0.12Ohm)
APFC Boost Diode	2x Cree C3D06060 (600V, 6A @ 154°C)
Bulk Cap(s)	1x Nippon Chemi-Con (420V, 470uF, 2,000h @ 105°C, KMZ) & 1x Nippon Chemi-Con (420V, 330uF, 2,000h @ 105°C, KMR)
Main Switchers	4x Alpha & Omega AOTF190A60CL (600V, 12A @ 100°C, Rds(on): 0.19Ohm)
IC Driver	2x Silicon Labs Si8233BD
APFC Controller	Infineon ICE2PCS02
Resonant Controller	Champion CM6901T2X
Topology	Primary side: Bridgeless APFC, Full-Bridge & LLC converter Secondary side: Synchronous Rectification & DC-DC converters
Secondary Side	-
+12V MOSFETs	4x Toshiba TPHR8504PL (40V, 150A, Rds(on): 0.85mOhm)
5V & 3.3V	DC-DC Converters: 6x Infineon BSC0901NS (30V, 94A @ 100°C, Rds(on): 1.9mOhm) PWM Controller(s): ANPEC APW7159C

Filtering Capacitors	Electrolytic: 6x Nippon Chemi-Con (1-5,000h @ 105°C, KZE), 1x Rubycon (4-10,000h @ 105°C, YXF), 2x Rubycon (6-10,000h @ 105°C, ZLH), 1x Rubycon (1-5,000h @ 105°C, ZL), 1x Nippon Chemi-Con (6-10,000h @ 105°C, KZN) Polymer: 18x United Chemi-Con, 13x FPCAP, 4x no info
Supervisor IC	Weltrend WT7527RA (OCP, OVP, UVP, SCP, PG)
Fan Controller	APW9010
Fan Model	be quiet! Silent Wings BQSIW3-13525-HF (135mm, 12V, 0.56A, 1800rpm, Fluid Dynamic Bearing Fan)
5VSB Circuit	-
Rectifier	1x Nexperia PSMN2R0-30YL (30V, 100A @ 100°C, Rds(on): 3.3mOhm) FET, 1x CET CEB04N7G (700V, 4A, Rds(on): 3.3Ohm) FET & 1x P15L50 SBR
Standby PWM Controller	Grenery GR8837C

Test Results

Temperature & Compliance Info

Temperature Range (°C /°F)	28-32 / 82.4-89.6
ErP Lot 3/6 Ready	✓
(EU) No 617/2013 Compliance	✓
ALPM (Alternative Low Power Mode) compatible	✓

Performance Summary 115V

Accredited	
Average Efficiency (>1450 load combinations)	91.724%
Average Noise Output (>1450 Load Combinations)	18.49dBA
Average PF (>1450 Load Combinations)	0.981
Efficiency With 10W (≤500W) or 2% (>500W) Load	72.475%
Standby Power Consumption	0.0806W
Non-Accredited	
12V Ripple (Full Load)	19.39mV
5V Ripple (Full Load)	21.67mV
3.3V Ripple (Full Load)	26.04mV
5VSB Ripple (Full Load)	7.88mV
12V Load Regulation	0.59%

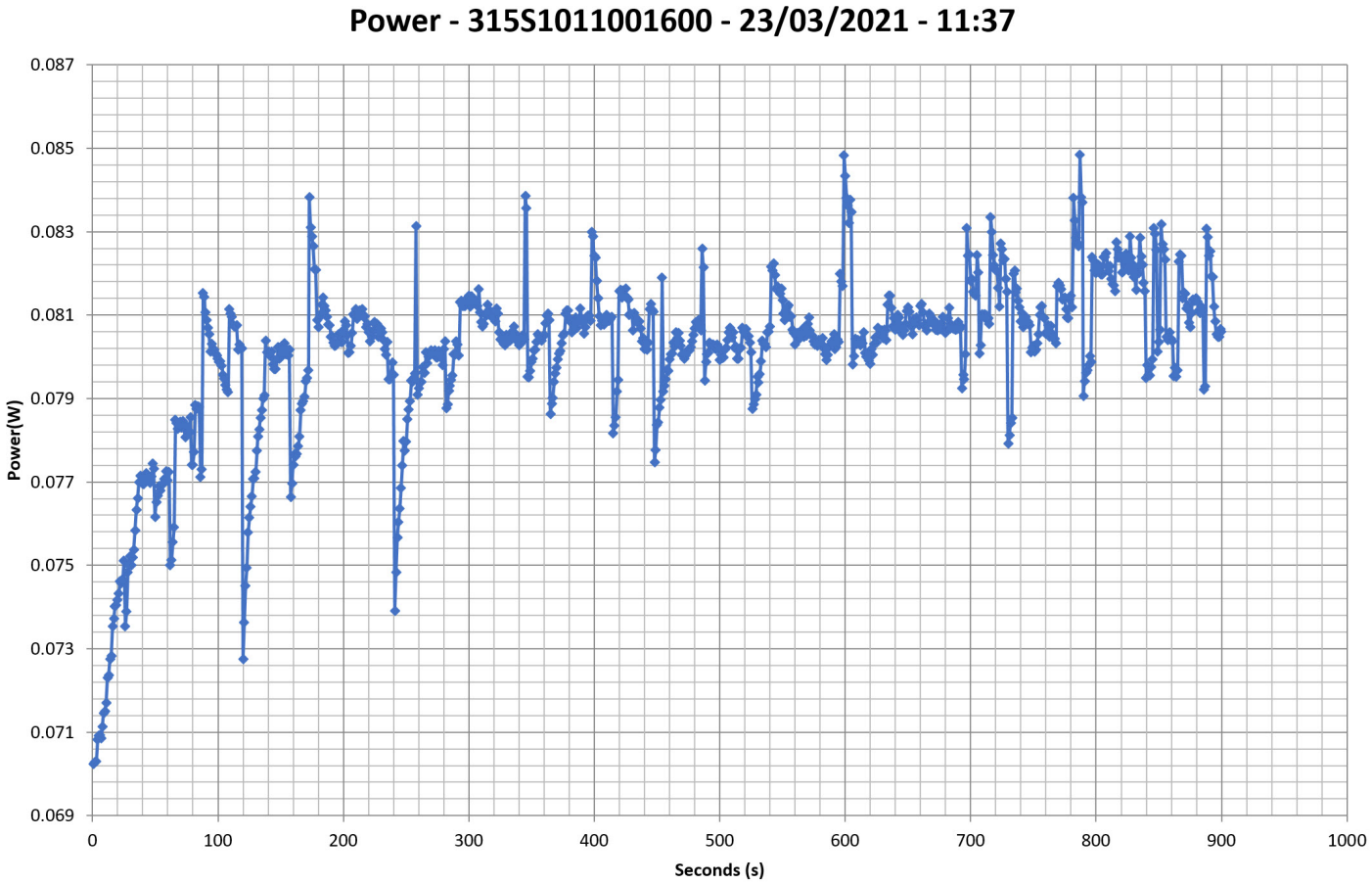
5V Load Regulation	0.71%
3.3V Load Regulation	1.25%
5VSB Load Regulation	3.50%
Inrush Current	34.880A

Hold-Up Time & PWR_OK Signal

Hold-Up Time (ms)	18.4
AC Loss to PWR_OK Hold Up Time (ms)	17.6
PWR_OK Inactive to DC Loss Delay (ms)	0.8

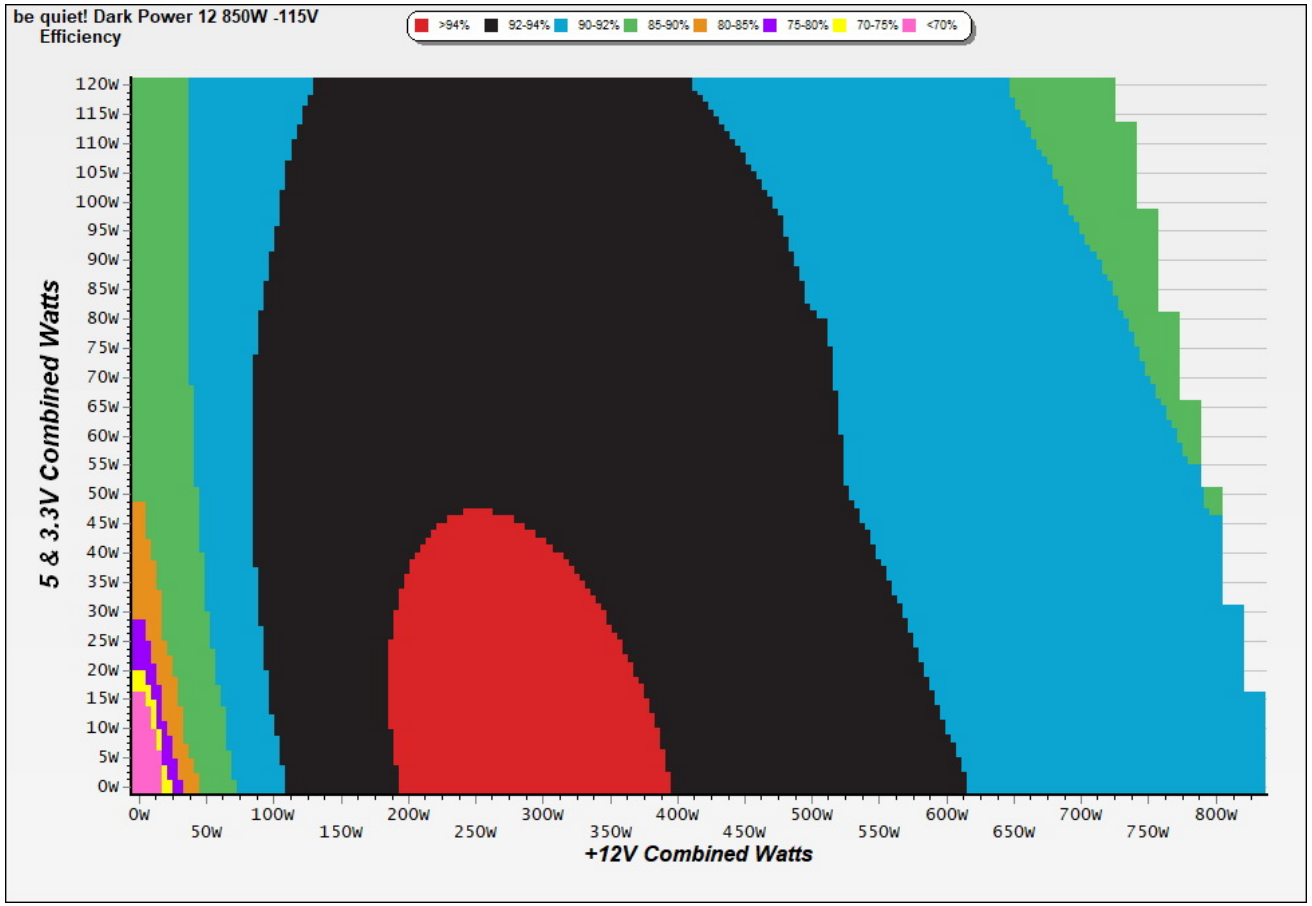
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Graphs 115V



Efficiency Graph

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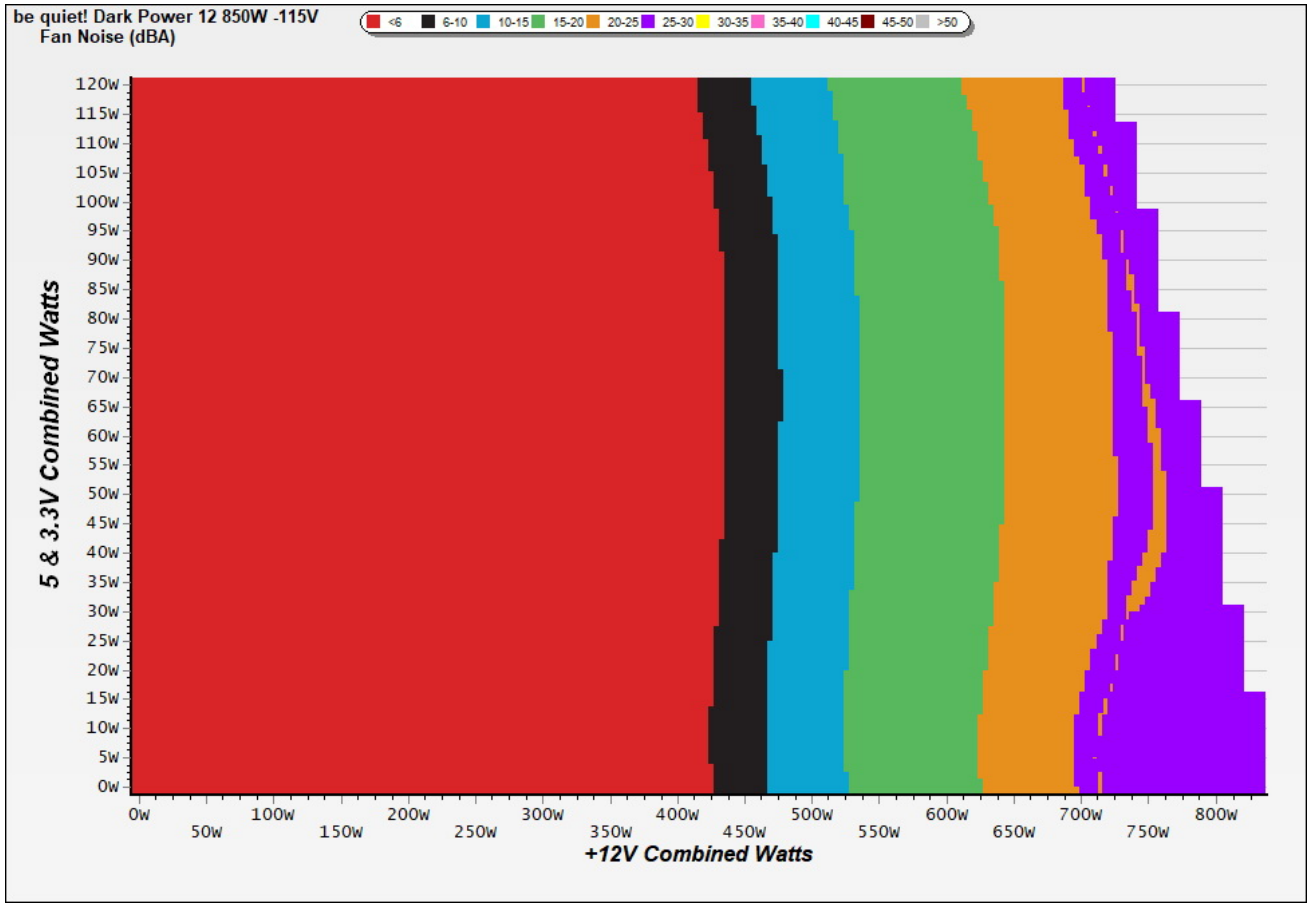


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This graph depicts the PSU`s efficiency throughout its entire operational range. For the generation of the efficiency and noise graphs we set our loaders to auto mode through our custom-made software before trying thousands of possible load combinations

Noise Graph

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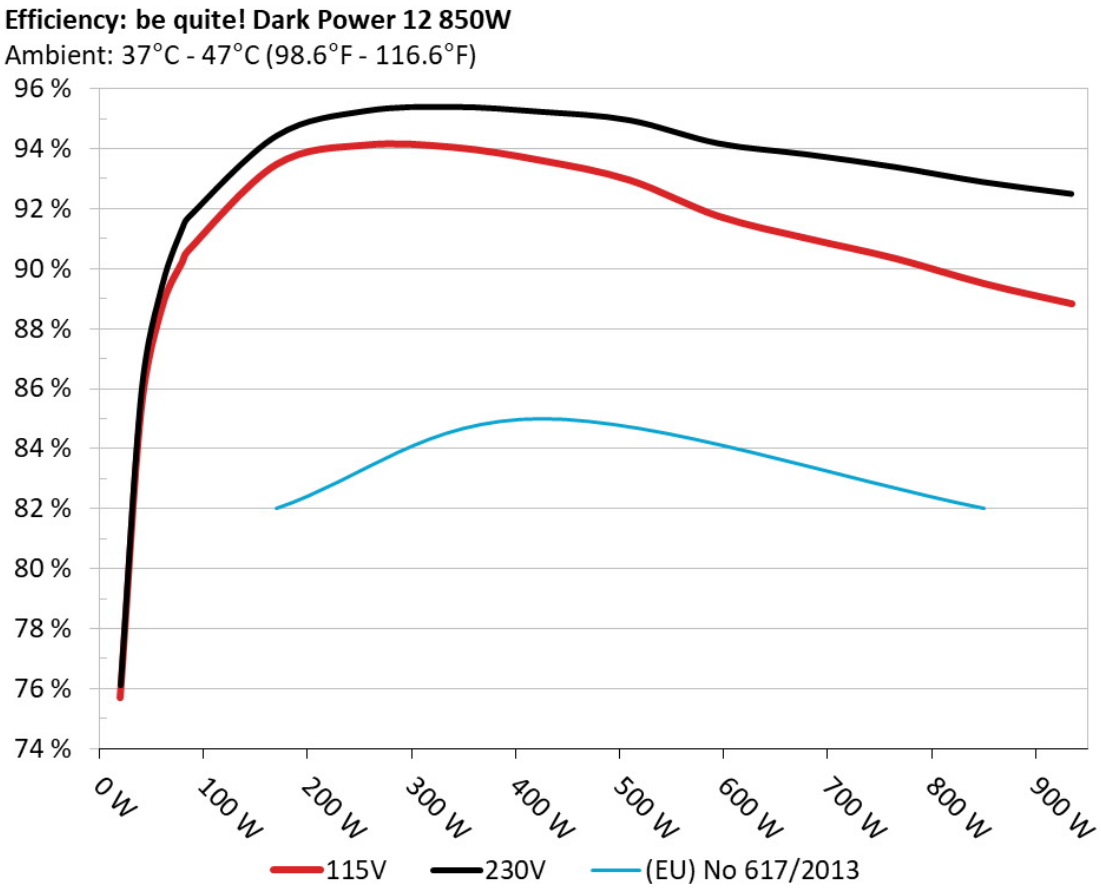


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The PSU`s noise in its entire operational range and under 30-32 °C ambient is depicted in this graph. The X axis represents the load on the +12V rail(s) while the Y axis is the load on the minor rails

Indicative Performance

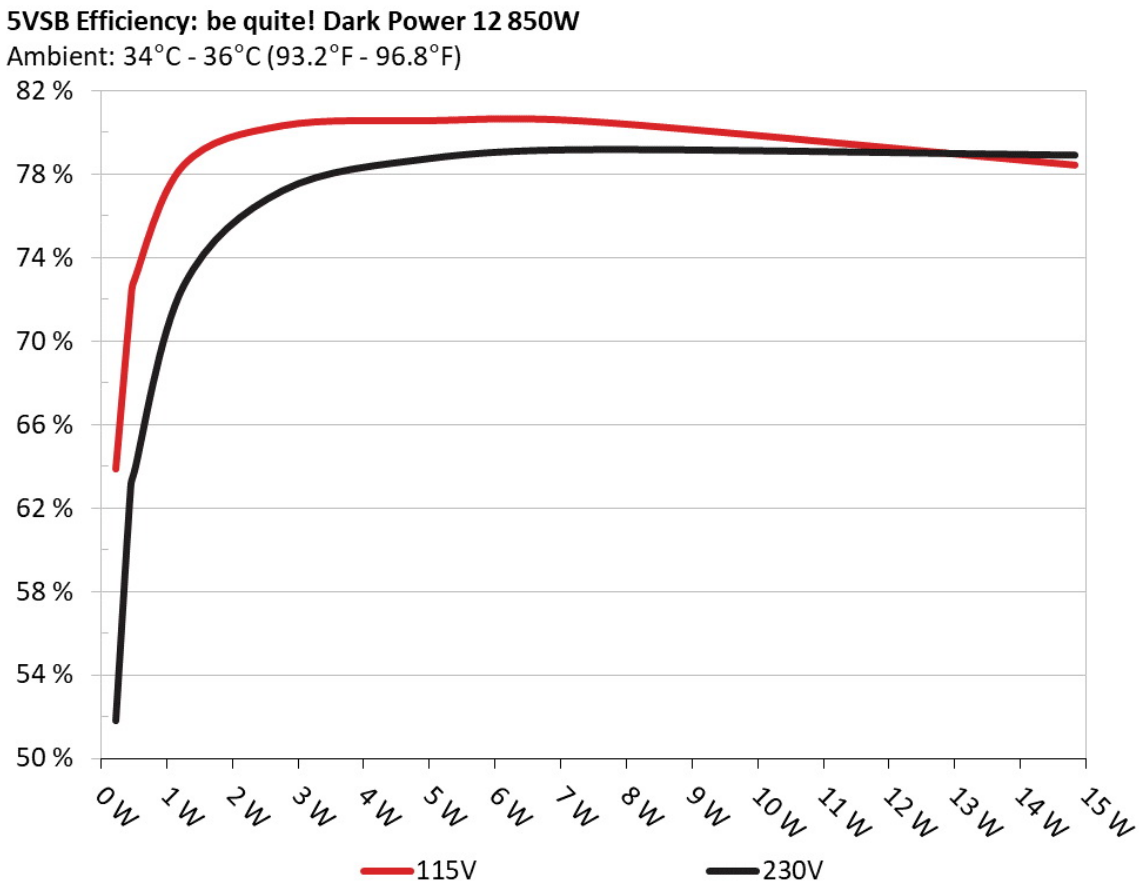
Efficiency under high ambient temperature



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The PSU`s efficiency under high ambient temperatures with 115V and 230V input. For this graph the results of the 10-110% load regulation table are used

5VSB Efficiency



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This graph depicts the efficiency levels of the 5VSB rail with 115V and 230V input

5VSB Efficiency (ERP LOT 3/6 & CEC) 115V

Test #	5VSB	DC/AC (Watts)	Efficiency	PF/AC Volts
1	0.045A	0.228	63.866%	0.031
	5.056V	0.357		115.12V

2	0.090A	0.455	71.880%	0.055
	5.055V	0.633		115.12V
3	0.550A	2.769	80.307%	0.242
	5.035V	3.448		115.12V
4	1.000A	5.019	80.549%	0.342
	5.019V	6.231		115.11V
5	1.500A	7.503	80.496%	0.402
	5.002V	9.321		115.11V
6	3.000A	14.831	78.421%	0.474
	4.943V	18.912		115.12V

Supplementary Tests (For Reference)

Typical Load Tests 115V

Test #	12V	5V	3.3V	5VSB	DC/AC (Watts)	Efficiency	Fan Speed (RPM)	PSU Noise (dB[A])	Temps (In/Out)	PF/AC Volts
1	5.254A	1.963A	1.959A	0.991A	84.954	90.586%	360	<6.0	40.01°C	0.920
	12.058V	5.095V	3.369V	5.045V	93.783				42.71°C	115.09V
2	11.544A	2.944A	2.942A	1.192A	170.004	93.466%	363	<6.0	40.84°C	0.971
	12.051V	5.091V	3.365V	5.033V	181.889				44.01°C	115.09V
3	18.181A	3.438A	3.436A	1.395A	255.014	94.113%	369	<6.0	41.01°C	0.984
	12.044V	5.088V	3.361V	5.019V	270.965				44.76°C	115.09V
4	24.826A	3.933A	3.931A	1.598A	340.025	94.042%	420	<6.0	42.01°C	0.989
	12.037V	5.085V	3.357V	5.005V	361.569				46.26°C	115.09V
5	31.122A	4.921A	4.920A	1.803A	424.901	93.599%	522	10.2	42.58°C	0.991
	12.030V	5.081V	3.353V	4.993V	453.957				47.86°C	115.08V
6	37.404A	5.910A	5.915A	2.000A	509.440	92.948%	657	15.8	42.65°C	0.992
	12.022V	5.077V	3.348V	4.980V	548.093				48.92°C	115.08V
7	43.757A	6.900A	6.910A	2.215A	594.807	91.747%	767	20.8	43.11°C	0.993
	12.014V	5.073V	3.344V	4.966V	648.310				50.26°C	115.08V
8	50.121A	7.895A	7.905A	2.423A	680.111	91.006%	1002	28.0	43.52°C	0.993
	12.005V	5.068V	3.339V	4.953V	747.326				51.54°C	115.08V

9	56.883A	8.393A	8.395A	2.425A	764.997	90.338%	1405	36.6	44.86°C	0.993
	11.998V	5.065V	3.335V	4.951V	846.814				53.85°C	115.08V
10	63.398A	8.897A	8.916A	3.055A	849.869	89.505%	1770	42.6	45.79°C	0.992
	11.990V	5.061V	3.331V	4.910V	949.516				55.24°C	115.08V
11	70.513A	8.899A	8.926A	3.057A	934.604	88.830%	1827	43.3	46.77°C	0.992
	11.982V	5.058V	3.328V	4.907V	1052.122				56.64°C	115.08V
CL1	0.117A	14.002A	13.999A	0.000A	119.422	87.945%	700	19.4	42.77°C	0.948
	12.049V	5.078V	3.351V	5.131V	135.791				47.91°C	115.11V
CL2	70.006A	1.000A	1.001A	1.000A	853.228	90.011%	1720	42.1	46.05°C	0.992
	11.996V	5.075V	3.343V	5.015V	947.916				54.98°C	115.09V

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Light Load Tests 115V

Test #	12V	5V	3.3V	5VSB	DC/AC (Watts)	Efficiency	Fan Speed (RPM)	PSU Noise (dB[A])	PF/AC Volts
1	1.229A	0.491A	0.490A	0.197A	19.983	75.716%	352	<6.0	0.749
	12.062V	5.098V	3.374V	5.088V	26.392				115.08V
2	2.460A	0.981A	0.978A	0.394A	39.971	85.273%	355	<6.0	0.841
	12.061V	5.097V	3.373V	5.078V	46.874				115.09V
3	3.694A	1.473A	1.468A	0.592A	60.001	88.693%	357	<6.0	0.889
	12.059V	5.096V	3.371V	5.068V	67.650				115.09V
4	4.922A	1.963A	1.959A	0.791A	79.952	90.244%	359	<6.0	0.913
	12.058V	5.095V	3.370V	5.057V	88.595				115.09V

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Ripple Measurements 115V

Test	12V	5V	3.3V	5VSB	Pass/Fail
10% Load	8.90mV	10.90mV	14.50mV	4.70mV	Pass
20% Load	10.30mV	11.10mV	14.30mV	5.00mV	Pass
30% Load	11.50mV	11.70mV	15.10mV	4.90mV	Pass
40% Load	12.50mV	12.40mV	16.50mV	5.30mV	Pass

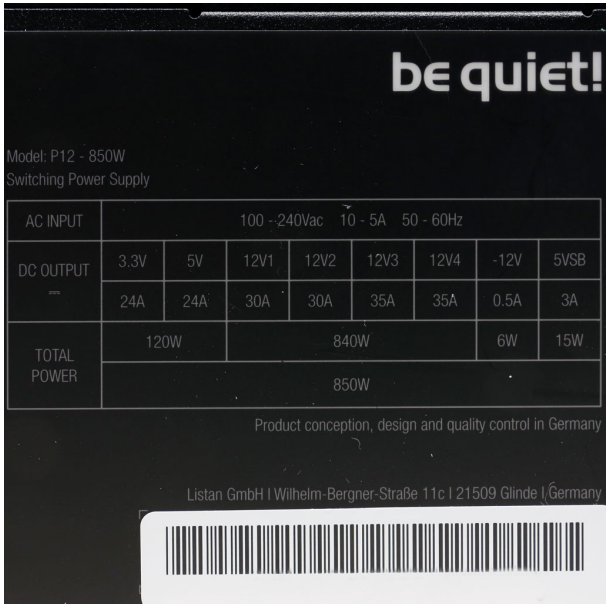
Test	12V	5V	3.3V	5VSB	Pass/Fail
50% Load	14.20mV	13.20mV	17.70mV	5.60mV	Pass
60% Load	16.90mV	14.50mV	19.20mV	6.70mV	Pass
70% Load	13.40mV	16.40mV	19.70mV	6.60mV	Pass
80% Load	13.60mV	16.90mV	21.60mV	6.70mV	Pass
90% Load	14.20mV	18.10mV	22.80mV	7.20mV	Pass
100% Load	19.40mV	21.70mV	26.00mV	7.90mV	Pass
110% Load	21.20mV	22.80mV	28.60mV	8.30mV	Pass
Crossload1	14.60mV	14.80mV	15.90mV	5.60mV	Pass
Crossload2	19.10mV	19.40mV	25.80mV	7.20mV	Pass

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