

# Cat® C18

## Diesel Generator Sets



### Standby & Prime: 60 Hz



Image shown might not reflect actual configuration.

Engine Model	Cat® C18 In-line 6, 4-cycle Diesel
Bore x Stroke	145 mm x 183 mm (5.7 in x 7.2 in)
Displacement	18.1 L (1106 in³)
Compression Ratio	14.5:1
Aspiration	Turbocharged Air-to-Air Aftercooled
Fuel Injection System	MEUI
Governor	Electronic ADEM™ A4 – G3 Class* capable

Model	Standby	Prime	Emission Strategy
C18	550 ekW, 688 kVA	500 ekW, 625 kVA	TIER II Non-Road

### PACKAGE PERFORMANCE

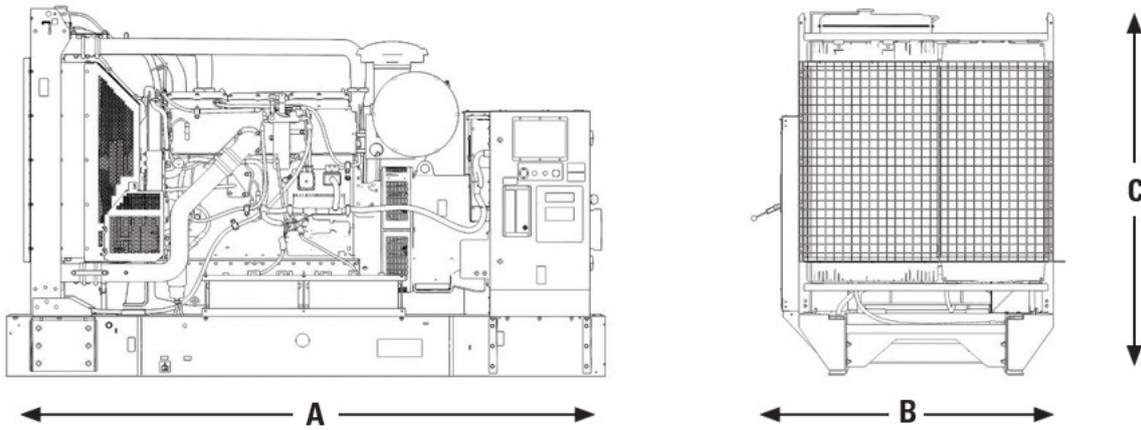
Performance	Standby	Prime
Frequency	60 Hz	
Genset Power Rating	688 kVA	625 kVA
Genset power rating with fan @ 0.8 power factor	550 ekW	500 ekW
Emissions	TIER II Non-Road	
Performance Number	DM8517	DM8521
<b>Fuel Consumption</b>		
100% load with fan, L/hr (gal/hr)	147.0 (38.8)	135.0 (35.6)
75% load with fan, L/hr (gal/hr)	114.9 (30.3)	109.3 (28.8)
50% load with fan, L/hr (gal/hr)	83.7 (22.1)	79.6 (21.0)
25% load with fan, L/hr (gal/hr)	43.0 (11.3)	42.5 (11.2)
<b>Cooling System<sup>1</sup></b>		
Radiator air flow restriction (system), kPa (in. water)	0.12 (0.48)	0.12 (0.48)
Radiator air flow, m³/min (CFM)	803 (28357)	803 (28357)
Engine coolant capacity, L (gal)	20.8 (5.5)	20.8 (5.5)
Radiator coolant capacity, L (gal)	61 (16)	61 (16)
Total coolant capacity, L (gal)	82 (22)	82 (22)
<b>Inlet Air</b>		
Combustion air inlet flow rate, m³/min (CFM)	46.3 (1634.9)	44.8 (1581.9)
Max. Allowable Combustion Air Inlet Temp, °C (°F)	50 (121)	49 (120)
<b>Exhaust System</b>		
Exhaust stack gas temperature, °C (°F)	520.6 (969.1)	501.5 (934.7)
Exhaust gas flow rate, m³/min (CFM)	128.9 (4551.5)	121.5 (4290.4)
Exhaust system backpressure (maximum allowable), kPa (in. water)	10.0 (40.0)	10.0 (40.0)
<b>Heat Rejection</b>		
Heat rejection to jacket water, kW (BTU/min)	180 (10236)	166 (9441)
Heat rejection to exhaust (total), kW (BTU/min)	595 (33837)	549 (31223)
Heat rejection to aftercooler, kW (BTU/min)	141 (8019)	129 (7336)
Heat rejection to atmosphere from engine, kW (BTU/min)	77 (4379)	69 (3941)
Heat rejection from alternator, kW (BTU/min)	37.6 (2138)	32.5 (1844)

<b>Emissions (Nominal)<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>Standby</b>	<b>Prime</b>
NO <sub>x</sub> , mg/Nm <sup>3</sup> (g/hp-hr)	2703.5 (5.5)	2454.0 (5.1)
CO, mg/Nm <sup>3</sup> (g/hp-hr)	161.0 (0.3)	108.8 (0.2)
HC, mg/Nm <sup>3</sup> (g/hp-hr)	4.6 (0.01)	4.6 (0.01)
PM, mg/Nm <sup>3</sup> (g/hp-hr)	13.2 (0.03)	11.9 (0.03)

<b>Alternator<sup>3</sup></b>													
Duty Cycle		Standby						Prime					
Phase		3-Phase						3-Phase					
Voltages*, V		208	220	240	380	480	600	208	220	240	380	480	600
Current, Amps		1908	1804	1654	1045	827	662	1735	1640	1504	949	752	601
Frame: LC6124G Excitation: AREP	Temperature Rise @ 40°C	150	150	130		130	130	125	125	105		105	105
	Motor Starting Capability @ 30% Voltage Dip, skVA	1335	1479	1729		1729	1731	1335	1479	1729		1729	1731
Frame: LC7024H Excitation: AREP	Temperature Rise @ 40°C						105						105
	Motor Starting Capability @ 30% Voltage Dip, skVA						2023						2023
Frame: LC7024J Excitation: AREP	Temperature Rise @ 40°C	105	105	105	130	105		80	80	80	105	80	
	Motor Starting Capability @ 30% Voltage Dip, skVA	1524	1694	1993	1283	1993		1524	1694	1993	1283	1993	
Frame: LC7024F Excitation: AREP	Temperature Rise @ 40°C					130						105	
	Motor Starting Capability @ 30% Voltage Dip, skVA					1633						1633	
Frame: LC6114G Excitation: SE	Temperature Rise @ 40°C	150	130	130		130		125	105	105		105	
	Motor Starting Capability @ 30% Voltage Dip, skVA		1236	1445		1445		1116	1236	1445		1445	

\*Note: 220V and 380V are additional offerings for the Latin America Market.

**WEIGHTS & DIMENSIONS**



Dim "A" mm (in)	Dim "B" mm (in)	Dim "C" mm (in)	Dry Weight kg (lb)
3477 (137)	1628 (64)	2102 (83)	4431 (9769)

**Note:** General configuration not to be used for installation. See general dimension drawings for detail.

**APPLICABLE CODES AND STANDARDS:**

CSA C22.2 No 100-04, UL489, UL869, UL2200, IBC, IEC60034-1, ISO 3046, ISO 8528, NEMA MG 1-22, NEMA MG 1-33 and facilitates the compliance to NFPA 37, NFPA70, NFPA 99, NFPA110.

**Note:** Codes may not be available for all model configurations. Site level review needed for NFPA 70. Please consult your Cat Dealer 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 kW 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 ISO 3046 standard conditions.

**FUEL RATES:** 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.

**DEFINITIONS AND CONDITIONS**

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

<sup>2</sup> 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.

<sup>3</sup> 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.

\*Governing Class capability as per ISO 8528-5. Consult your local Cat dealer for configuration and site specific transient performance classification.