

What Is UL 2200 Listing & Why Is It Important?



Underwriters Laboratories Inc. (UL) is the leading independent product safety certification organization in the United States. Founded in 1894, UL is an impartial and not-for-profit organization devoted to safety testing of a wide assortment of products. The UL Listing mark is widely recognized as a standard for various electrical and building codes and is often called for as a specification.

The UL 2200 Listing is a comprehensive safety standard encompassing the design, construction and performance of stationary generators. This benchmark will be increasingly important to manufacturers, specifying engineers and end users alike, since national and municipal electrical codes will mandate UL 2200 Listing for all standby installations in coming years.

When manufacturers bring their products to UL, they are subjecting them to extremely rigorous safety testing. Manufacturers not only enhance the value of their products, they are also strengthening their own brands among consumers who perceive a manufacturer's commitment to safety. Because of the many rigorous tests, a manufacturer must follow stringent UL guidelines in creating, building and testing its products in-house to UL's uncompromising standards. The Listing process involves numerous steps: creation of product, construction descriptions, process reviews, design modifications as needed and product testing. It is a comprehensive procedure focused upon manufacturing standards and product safety. With the addition of UL 2200 Listed product, Blue Star Power Systems has positioned itself as a leader in providing state-of-the-art electrical power generation and energy solutions.

Blue Star offers Diesel and Gaseous models ranging from 25 kWe to 500 kWe that are UL 2200 listed.