

# **USER MANUAL**

# EG4®-LL 48V 100AH Rack-Mounted Battery









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# 1 Abbreviations

- AWG American Wire Gauge
- A Amp(s)
- Ah Amp hours
- AC Alternating Current
- AHJ Authority Having Jurisdiction
- ANSI American National Standards Institute
- BMS Battery Management System
- DC Direct Current
- DIP Dual In-line Package
- EGC Equipment Grounding Conductor
- In. lbs. Inch Pounds
- kW Kilowatt
- kWh Kilowatt-hour
- LFP Lithium Iron Phosphate
- mm Millimeter(s)
- mV Millivolt(s)
- NEC National Electrical Code
- NFPA National Fire Prevention Association
- Nm Newton meters
- PC Personal Computer
- PCB Printed Circuit Board
- PPE Personal Protective Equipment
- PV Photovoltaic
- SOC State of Charge
- V Volt(s)



# 2 Safety

# 2.1 Safety Instruction

Before any work begins, carefully read all safety instructions, and always observe them when working on or with the battery. The installation must follow all applicable national or local standards and regulations. Consult with your AHJ to obtain the proper permits and permissions before installation.

#### **Incorrect installation may cause:**

- injury or death to the installer, operator or third party
- damage to the battery or other attached equipment

# 2.2 Important Safety Notifications

There are various safety concerns that must be carefully observed before, during, and after the installation, as well as during future operation and maintenance. The following are important safety notifications for the installer and any end users of this product under normal operating conditions.



## **Dangers of High Voltages and Large Current**

- 1. **Do not disassemble the battery.** Contact your distributor for any issues in need of repair for proper handling instructions. Incorrect servicing or re-assembly may result in a risk of electric shock or fire and voiding the warranty.
- 2. **Never short-circuit DC inputs.** Short-circuiting your battery may result in a risk of electric shock or fire and can lead to severe injury or death and/or permanent damage to the unit and/or any connected equipment.
- 3. Use caution when working with metal tools on or around batteries and systems. Risk of electrical arcs and/or short circuiting of equipment can lead to severe injury or death and equipment damage.
- 4. **Beware of high battery current.** Please ensure that the battery module breakers and/or on/off switches are in the "open" or "off" position before installing or working on the battery. Use a voltmeter to confirm there is no voltage present to avoid electric shock.
- 5. **Do not make any connections or disconnections to the system while the batteries are operating.** Damage to system components or risk of electrical shock may occur if working with energized batteries.
- 6. Make sure the battery and rack are properly grounded.
- 7. An installer should make sure to be well protected by reasonable and professional insulative equipment [e.g., personal protective equipment (PPE)].
- 8. Before installing, operating, or maintaining the system, it is important to inspect all existing wiring to ensure it meets the appropriate specifications and conditions for use.
- 9. Ensure that the battery and system component connections are secure and proper to prevent damage or injuries caused by improper installation.





# Warning

- 1. All work on this product must be carried out by qualified personnel. To reduce the risk of electric shock, do not perform any servicing other than that specified in the operating instructions unless you are qualified to do so.
- 2. Read all instructions before commencing installation. For electrical work, follow all local and national wiring standards, regulations, and these installation instructions. All wiring should be in accordance with the National Electrical Code (NEC), ANSI/NFPA 70.
- The battery and system can connect with the utility grid only if the utility provider permits.Consult with your local AHJ before installing this product for any additional regulations and requirements for your area.
- 4. All warning labels and nameplates on this battery should be clearly visible and must not be removed or covered.
- 5. The installer should consider the safety of future users when choosing the battery's correct position and location as specified in this manual.
- 6. Please keep children away from touching or misusing the battery and relevant systems.
- 7. Never charge a battery below the specified minimum charging temperature, or damage may occur. Please refer to this manual or spec sheet for charging parameters.

#### **DISCLAIMER**

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# 3 Brief Introduction

# 3.1 Product Description

The EG4® 48V-LL rack-mounted lithium batteries are ideal for low-voltage energy storage system applications. These batteries use lithium iron phosphate cells with the highest safety performance and a battery management system (BMS) that can monitor and collect voltage, current, and temperature of each cell within the module in real time. The BMS also contains a passive balance function and an advanced battery control method, both of which can help improve the performance of the battery pack. For enhanced security, the battery has two onboard fire-extinguishing modules.



# 4 Battery Overview

# 4.1 System Connections

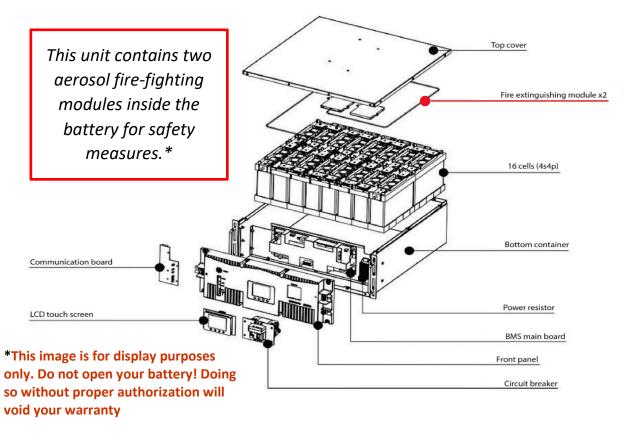
Below is an example system connection diagram with an EG4 charge controller and EG4 inverter:



**Note:** During single-battery operation, the battery terminals can directly connect to the equipment.

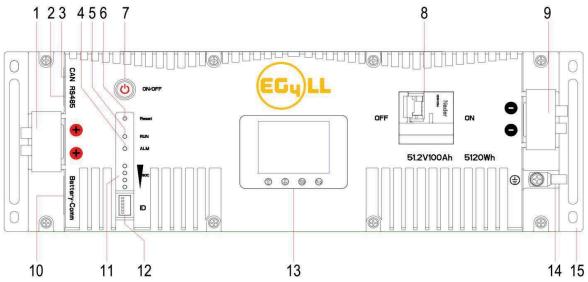
# 4.2 Overview of System Components

The battery module is made up of sixteen "AAA" grade cells, a BMS, a housing, a breaker, and wire. It can be installed in a standard 19-inch cabinet and communicates with external devices via CAN/RS485 as well as with other EG4® batteries via RS485. The modules can be connected in parallel to meet expansion requirements. Inter-battery communications support a maximum of 64 modules for the 6 DIP switch model or 16 modules for the 4 DIP switch model.





# 4.2.1 Battery Diagram



No.	Item	Description	Remarks
1	Positive terminal	M6 bolt (x2)	
2	RS485 port	RS485 communication interface	Pin 1 & Pin 8 – RS485_B Pin 2 & Pin 7 – RS485_A
3	CAN port	CAN communication interface	Pin 4 – CAN_H Pin 5 – CAN_L
4	ALM LED	Alarm status LED	
5	RUN LED	Operation status LED	Always on if system is running
6	Reset button	Emergency reset	
7	ON/OFF button	Turns BMS on/off	
8	Circuit breaker	Shuts down power supply	
9	Negative terminal	M6 bolt (x2)	
10	Battery-Comm ports	Parallel battery communication port	Pin 1 & Pin 8 – RS485_B Pin 2 & Pin 7 – RS485_A
11	SOC LED	State of charge LED	4 green lights = full charge
12	ID Board	DIP switch board for BMS	May be 4 DIP or 6 DIP
13	LCD Display	Shows battery information	
14	Ground screw	Provides safe route for grounding	
15	Handle	For carrying/handling battery	



## 5 Installation

# 5.1 Packaging List and Placement

#### **Packaging List**

When the product is unpacked, the contents should match those listed below:



(1) EG4-LL battery module



(1) Inter-battery communication cable



(1) ea. 6 AWG Positive and Negative colorcoded connection cables



(4) M6-1.0 Terminal Bolts



Battery to PC - USB Communication Cable

### 5.2 Location Selection and Installation

#### 5.2.1 Storage

There are a few steps you can take to ensure that batteries are stored safely and in a state that will ensure they are not damaged during storage. These are detailed below.

#### **Battery State**

The state of the battery when placed into storage will affect how long it can be stored as well as the battery's condition when it is brought out of storage. EG4 $^{\circ}$  recommends that each battery is brought to a 100% SOC (state of charge) before placing it in storage. Lithium iron phosphate batteries will lose a certain percentage of their total charge while in storage, depending on how long they are stored and the conditions they are stored in. We recommend recharging the batteries after 8-9 months in prolonged storage.

#### **Environmental Factors**

The environment you store your EG4® battery in can greatly affect the health of the battery. **For best results**, the temperature should remain moderate, between 41°F and 68°F (5°C and 20°C). Keep the battery away from locations where it may get wet or locations with high humidity (>55%). Store the batteries away from combustible materials.



# 5.2.2 Requirements for Installation



#### Warning

- **Do not put EG4® 48V-LL batteries in series.** The BMS and internal components are not designed to handle this setup, which could cause the modules to fail.
- Avoid exposing batteries to conductive materials, such as water, strong oxidizers, and strong acids.
- Avoid putting batteries in direct sunlight or on extremely hot surfaces.
- Keep all flammable materials out of the working area.
- Use caution when handling batteries and/or battery-powered devices to avoid damaging the battery casing or connections.
- Before using batteries, inspect them for signs of damage. Never use damaged or puffy batteries. Please contact the distributor if a battery is received in this state or experiences this issue.



#### **Important**

#### Never position the battery upside down or face down!





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#### 5.2.3 General Installation

Cable size	Min. Insulator Voltage	Torque Value	Max Recommended Distance
2 AWG	600V	60 in. lbs. (7 Nm)	15 ft.

**Note:** This chart applies for a 100A continuous output (one battery). Where ambient temperature is above 86°F (30°C), cable size must be increased according to NEC 310. The 6 AWG cable included in the package is intended only for the connection from the module to an EG4® battery rack busbar.

#### **Danger**

When adding or removing a battery from any rack, cabinet, or busbar, turn off ALL batteries, and use a voltmeter to confirm there is no voltage present. This will prevent users from encountering live (powered) busbars by accident. **Failure to do so can result in severe injury and/or death.** 



#### Tools needed for installation

The tools required may vary depending on how you choose to mount your battery. Typically, the following items are needed to install the battery into an EG4® battery rack solution or general racking.

- 1. 10mm socket and ratchet
- 2. Phillips head screwdriver
- 3. Torque wrench
- 4. M6-1.0 terminal bolts (included in package)

#### Connecting cables to the battery terminals and busbars

EG4® recommends you only use a properly sized (amp rated) busbar to parallel batteries together.

Paralleling via the battery terminals may cause inconsistent charging and discharging issues in the bank.

- 1. Identify the positive and negative terminals of your battery. These are labeled and color coded (red for positive, black for negative).
- 2. Verify you have all hardware to attach the cable properly. Check to ensure the bolt threads fully into the terminal and can be tightened to the proper torque.
- 3. Connect the cables to your battery terminals by removing the M8 terminal bolts, inserting them through the eyelet of the proper cable, and reseating the bolt into the terminal block to the correct torque.
- 4. Connect the positive battery cables to your positive busbar by removing the bus bolts, inserting them through the eyelets of the proper cable, and reseating the bolt into the busbar to the proper torque value. Repeat with all negative cables.
- 5. **DO NOT** finger tighten the battery terminal bolts. They require a specific torque to ensure they do not loosen during operation. Failure to properly tighten the terminal bolts can result in serious damage and will void your warranty.



# 5.2.4 Installation in EG4® Battery Rack

1. Insert the battery into the rack slot, beginning with the top slot and progressing downward. Slide in until the battery is firmly seated in the rack.

2. Use the included 6 AWG power cable to connect each battery to the busbar.

- 3. **DO NOT** finger tighten the battery or busbar terminal bolts. Both require a specific torque [60 in. lbs. (7 Nm)] to ensure they do not loosen during operation. Failure to properly tighten the terminal bolts can result in serious damage and will void the warranty.
- 4. Clearly identify the location of the system's positive and negative terminals—red to the positive terminal and black to the negative terminal—to ensure no connection errors. Then connect to the equipment or switch terminals.

#### Grounding

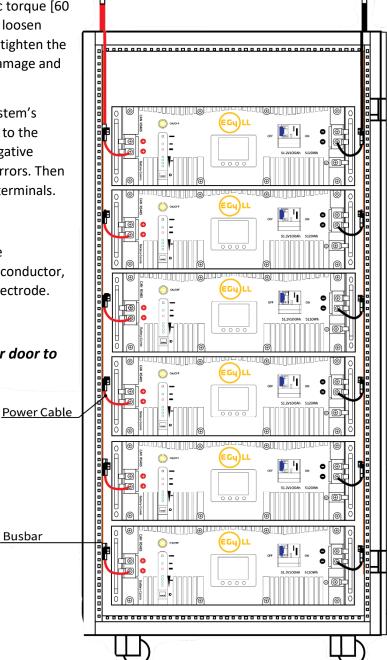
You can attach a grounding wire from the rack/cabinet to an equipment grounding conductor, then terminate the EGC at a grounding electrode.

#### Warning

Do not ground rack/cabinet or door to negative or positive bus bars!

In this image, there are 6 EG4®-LL 48V 100Ah batteries wired in parallel. This battery bank still maintains the appropriate 48V needed for a system. However, the Amp hour rating of this bank has increased to 600Ah. In addition, the potential output amperage of the rack increases.

Size main battery cables appropriately! Refer to an NEC approved ampacity chart for specifications.



Busbar



## 5.3 Battery Communications

Each EG4® battery is designed with you in mind, displaying as much information as possible in the simplest manner. EG4® Electronics includes the option of connecting the battery to PC software to monitor the module status. This allows you to see and understand exactly what the battery is doing as well as troubleshoot if problems arise.

When a single battery is used, it will communicate directly with the system via the RS485 or CAN port. The battery will connect via a properly pinned battery communications cable (not included).

The communication cable from battery to battery is a standard Cat5 cable. If you need a longer cable to reach from your system to your master battery and would like to create your own, please refer to the Communication Cable Pinout Table in Section 5.3.2

#### 5.3.1 Connecting multiple batteries in parallel

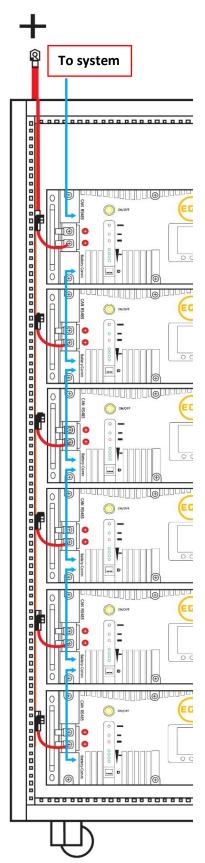
- 1. Ensure all battery breakers and BMS are OFF.
- Set the address code of each battery according to the DIP Switch ID Table (see <u>Section 5.3.2: DIP Switch ID Table</u>), making sure there are no duplicate addresses.
- 3. Establish communication between the batteries via the "Battery-Comm" ports starting with the right port on the last battery address and terminating on the left port of the host.
- 4. The battery with DIP Switch ID 1 (referred to as the host) connects to the system via communication cable using the RS485 or CAN port. (See image to the right)
- 5. Power on each battery breaker and BMS ON/OFF switch one at a time beginning with the host battery.

# 5.3.2 Communication Cable Pinout and DIP Switch ID Tables

EG4®-LL batteries interface with an inverter by designating a "Host" battery (DIP switch ID No. 1). The ID code range is 1–64 (1 –16 for the 4 DIP model), and the communication mode can support up to 64 modules in parallel (16 with the 4 DIP model).

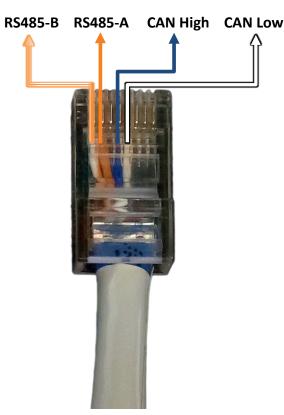
#### Remember

If you have multiple batteries, all DIP switch settings **must** be different from each other. This allows all equipment to see each battery in the bank separately.



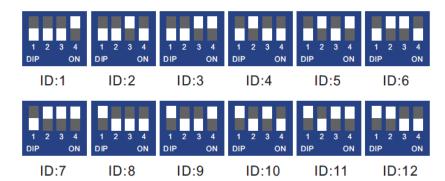


# **Communication Cable Pinout & Table\***

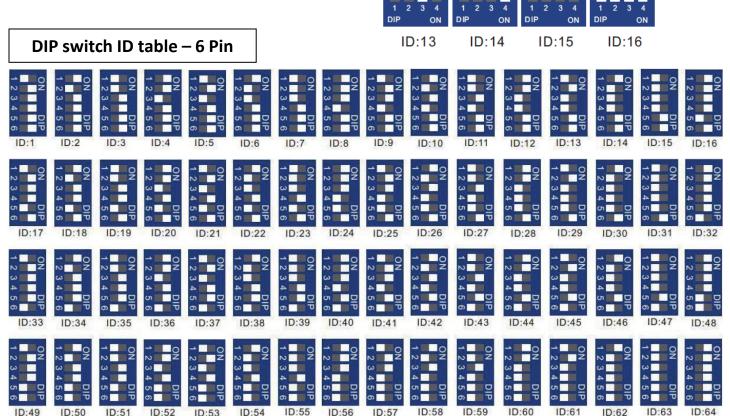


Pin	Description	
1	RS485-B	
2	RS485-A	
3	CAN Ground (optional)	
4	CAN High	
5	CAN Low	

#### DIP switch ID table - 4 Pin



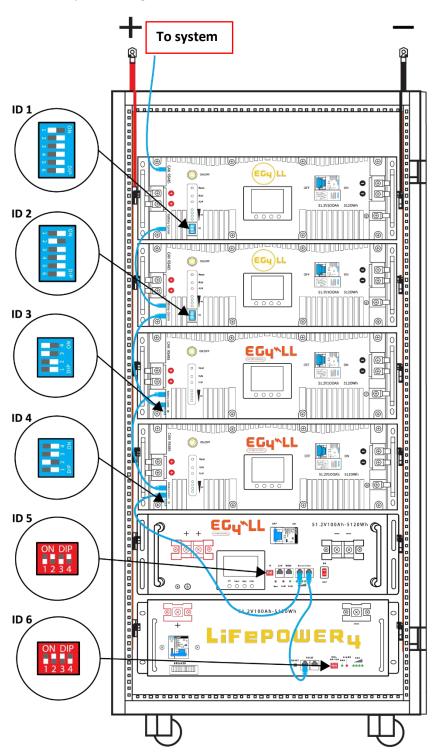
<sup>\*</sup>Pinouts are for battery side, please refer to your system manual for pinout configuration on system end.





# 5.4 Installing with Different EG4 ® Battery Models

EG4® LL-V2 batteries can communicate with **all** EG4® 48V server rack modules. However, you will need to apply the proper firmware to any LL-V1 and/or Lifepower4 modules before installation. *Please visit* <a href="http://www.eq4electronics.com/downloads">http://www.eq4electronics.com/downloads</a> for the latest firmware.



- Always use the newest model of LL at the top of your rack as this will need to be the battery that communicates with the system. This battery is also known as the master and will need to have ID number 1.
- 2. When installing the batteries, ensure that the same models are grouped together in the bank. This allows for communication to flow between the batteries consistently.
- After installing the batteries into the rack, refer to the DIP Switch ID table to assign the address code of the bank in numerical order, beginning with the master and progressing among the different models.

The image on the left shows a bank with the following EG4® modules:

- 1. LL- V2 (6 DIP) [ID-1]
- 2. LL- V2 (6 DIP) [ID-2]
- 3. LL- V2 (4 DIP) [ID-3]
- 4. LL- V2 (4 DIP) [ID-4]
- 5. LL- V1 [ID-5]
- 6. Lifepower4 [ID-6]



# 6 Battery Operation

#### 6.1 LCD Screen

Each module has a built-in HD LCD touch screen used to display important information about the cells including voltage, current, temperature, SOC, and others.

# 6.1.1 Button description

There are 4 function buttons below the display with detailed descriptions, as shown in the table below.

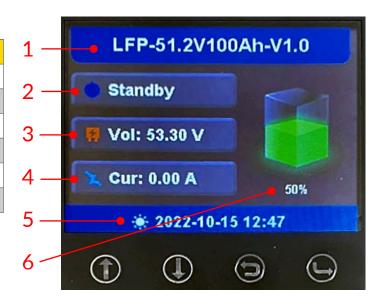


# 6.1.2 Waking up the LCD screen

Press any key to wake up the screen when the power is on, and the information will be shown on the display.

#### **Main Page Information**

No.	<b>Module Description</b>
1	Battery Name
2	Status
3	Voltage
4	Current
5	System Date & Time
6	SOC





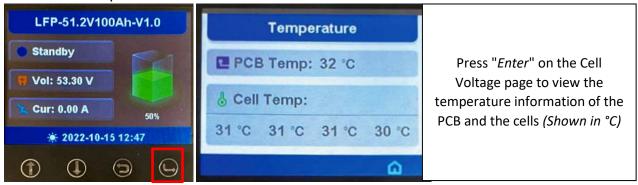
#### 6.1.3 Cell Information

Check individual cell voltage by pressing the "Enter" button on the main page of the LCD screen (shown in mV). There are 2 pages. Pressing "Up" and "Down" changes the page.



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## 6.1.4 Temperature Information



#### 6.2 Communication Protocol Selection

# Remember

Only the host battery (Address 1) needs to be set to the inverter protocol; all other batteries must have unique addresses starting at address 2 and ascending in chronological order. You must connect the CAN/RS485 port of the host battery to your inverter's (or communication device's) BMS communication port.

# 6.2.1 Protocol Change/Selection Procedure

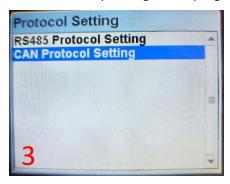
- Power off all battery DC breakers and BMS power buttons. Ensure that the voltage between
  positive and negative busbars is 0V.
- 2. The inverter protocol can only be changed with the host battery temporarily set to address 64 (all dials right) or address 16 for the 4 DIP switch model (all dials down). After the dial is changed, restart the battery (with only the BMS power button) for the settings to take effect. (See image on right.)



3. On the host battery, press and hold the "Return" key for 5 seconds to enter the "Protocol Setting."



4. Select the corresponding RS485 program or CAN program, and press Enter.



CAN Protocol	Inverter	
P01-GRW	Growatt	
P02-SLK	Sol-Ark	
P03-DY	Deye	
P04-MGR	Megarevo	
P05-VCT	Victron	
P06-LUX	Luxpower	

P01-GRW		A
P02-SLK		
P03-DY		
P04-MGR		
P05-VCT		
P06-LUX		
P07-SMA		
P08-SCH		

RS485 Protocol	Inverter	
P01-EG4	EG4	
P02-GRW	Growatt	
P03-LUX	Luxpower	
P04-SCH	Schneider	





- 5. Press the "Return" key to return to the main interface.
- 6. Change the host DIP switch address back to address 1. (See image on right.)
- 7. Power cycle the host battery, and the BMS will correspond to the protocol selected.

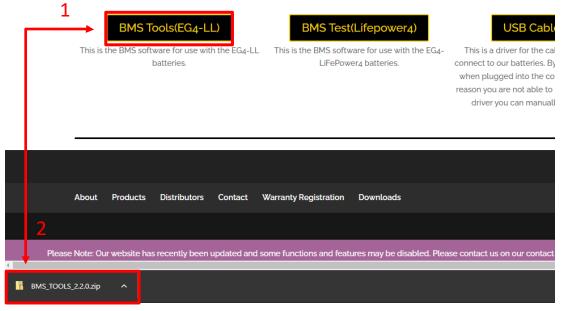
# 6.3 BMS Tools Installation and Interfacing

The PC software "BMS Tools" provides real-time battery analysis and diagnostics. The battery cannot communicate with BMS Tools and a closed loop inverter at the same time.

## 6.3.1 Downloading and Installing BMS Tools

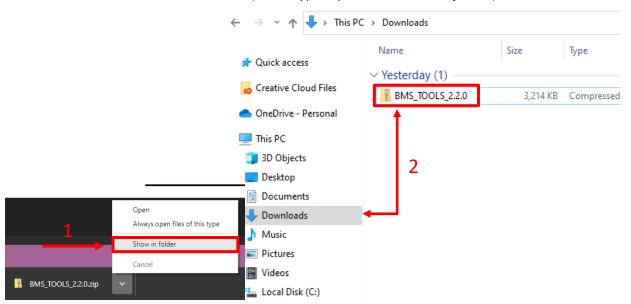
1. Visit <u>eq4electronics.com/downloads</u> to get the latest version of the software for free. It can be found in the "Software and Drivers" section.

# SOFTWARE AND DRIVERS

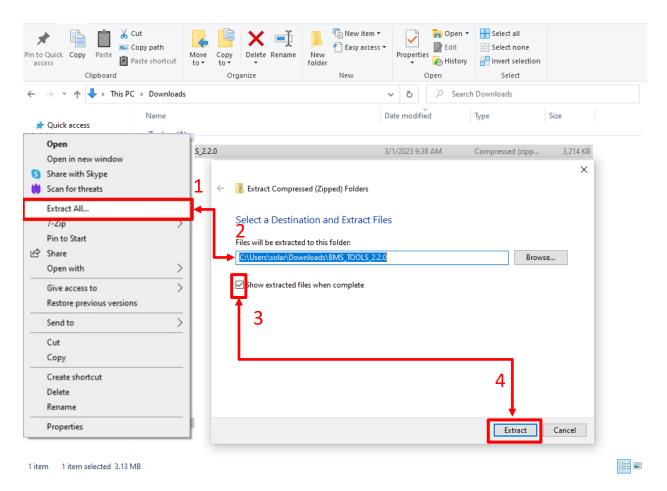




2. Once downloaded, locate the file. (This is typically in the Downloads folder.)

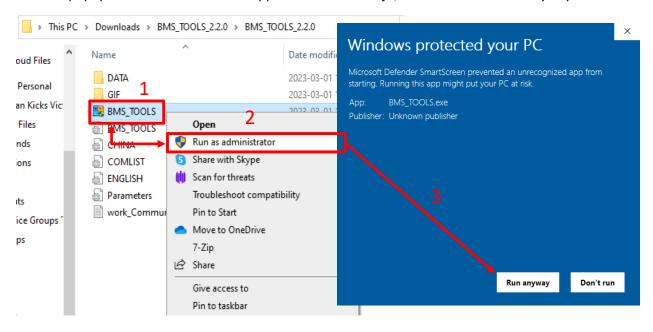


3. Right click on the folder and click "Extract All." Verify the location the file will be extracted to for future reference. Check the box "Show extracted files when complete" and click on "Extract."

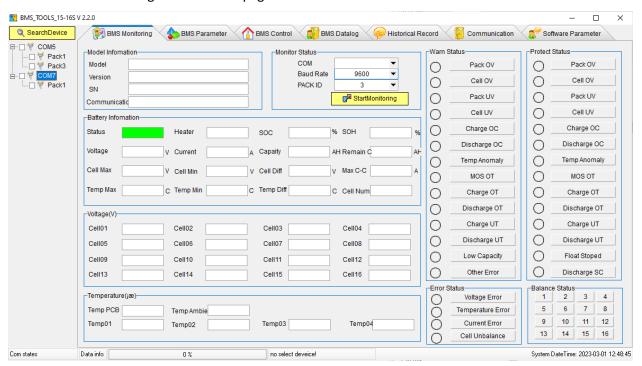




4. Open the folder to access BMS\_TOOLS. Right click and click "Run as administrator." You may see a popup for Microsoft Defender appear. Click "More info," and then click "Run anyway."



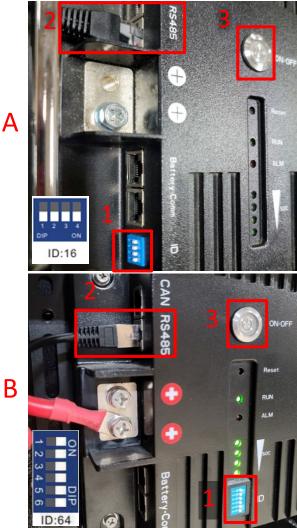
5. You will be brought to the main page of BMS Tools.

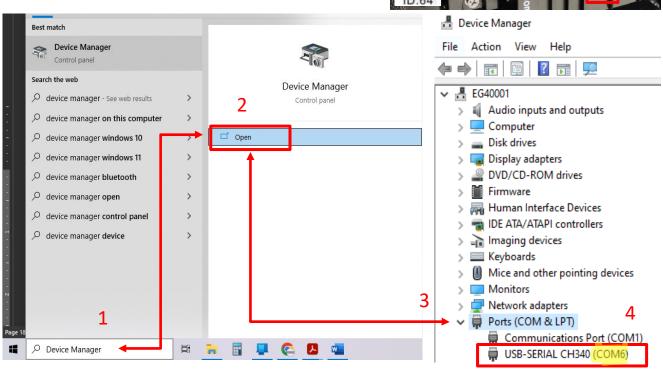




#### 6.3.2 Interfacing with BMS Tools

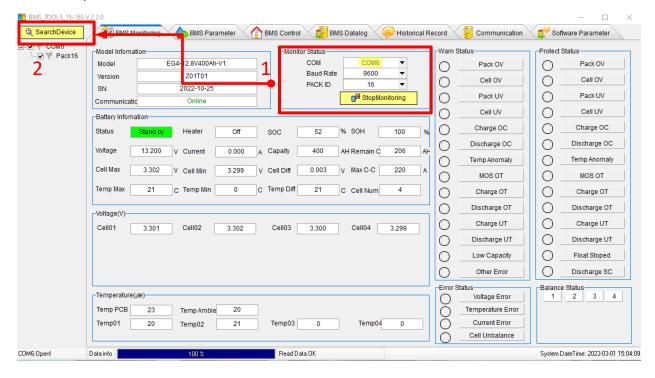
- 1. Press the ON/OFF button on the battery to power off the BMS.
- 2. Set the DIP switch ID address of the battery to Address 64 (6-pin DIP, see image A) or Address 16 (4-pin DIP, see image B).
- Connect the included battery-to-PC USB cable to your PC and to the RS485 port on the battery. (If BMS Tools is running on your PC, close the program before continuing.)
- 4. Press the ON/OFF button to power on the battery.
- 5. In the search bar at the bottom of the PC screen, type "Device Manager."
- 6. Open "Device Manager", and double click on "Ports" to look for the COM port the battery is in. (See image below.)







7. Open BMS Tools. Under "Monitor Status," verify "COM" matches the battery COM from the previous "Ports" list. Verify "Baud Rate" is set to 9600, and "PACK ID" is set to 16, then click "SearchDevice." After about 30 seconds, BMS Tools will begin the monitoring process and pull real-time data from the BMS.



8. To review these steps, please watch our step-by-step guide at <a href="https://youtu.be/Axhc8\_22Go0">https://youtu.be/Axhc8\_22Go0</a>.

#### 6.3.3 Interface menu definition



#### Warning

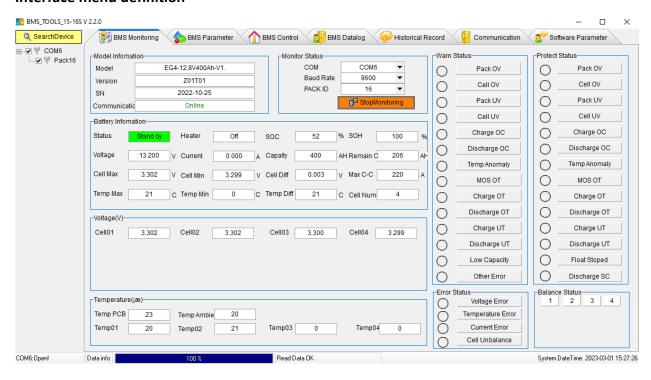
Although there are multiple tabs in the BMS Tools software, the following tabs should not be tampered with as any unauthorized changes *will void the warranty* of this product and risk damaging and/or rendering the product permanently inoperable.

- BMS Parameter
- BMS Control
- Software Parameter

If you are experiencing any issues with the battery module or the BMS, please contact your distributor for assistance or troubleshooting steps.



#### Interface menu definition



Item	Definition	
BMS Monitoring	Real-time data and status monitoring of the BMS (see <u>Section 7.2.1:</u> <u>Warning and protect status definitions table</u> )	
BMS Parameter	BMS parameter setting management (restricted, unauthorized changes will void warranty)	
BMS Control	Control state management of BMS (restricted, unauthorized changes will void warranty)	
BMS Datalog	BMS operation data logging to PC (for manufacturer use)	
Historical Record	Real-time BMS operation data records (exportable)	
Communication	Record of sending and receiving of battery pack data (exportable)	
Software Parameter	Software configuration, settings, and language selection (restricted, unauthorized changes will void warranty)	

# 6.4 Battery Charging

# 6.4.1 Charge cycle

Ensure the proper settings are set on the charge controller and/or inverter being used to avoid overcharging or damaging the module. (*Refer to Section 9.1: Technical Specifications Table* for a full list of charging/discharging parameters.)



# Important (SOC Discrepancy)

It is normal for LFP batteries that have their own internal BMS and that are wired in parallel to demonstrate a wide variety of SOC readings during any given charge or discharge cycle. **Variations of up to 10% are common.** This is not cause for concern or indication that the module is providing less than the maximum capacity. This is caused by even slight variations in wiring resistance to each battery, internal resistance, temperature differences, and even variations in each cell. Even a slight variation causes one battery to take more of the load or charge for a short time. Over the duration of the discharge or charge cycle, this will balance out with the lagging battery then taking the load or charge at the other end of the cycle resulting in recovering the full listed KWH capacity of the pack. The voltage differences created as batteries diverge in SOC will eventually cause them to converge at some point in the cycle.

# 7 Troubleshooting, Maintenance & Disposal

#### 7.1 Introduction to the BMS

The BMS (Battery Management System) is intended to safeguard the battery and battery cells against a variety of situations that could damage or destroy system components. This protection also aids in keeping the battery and battery cells operational for a greater number of life cycles. Each EG4®-LL battery is specifically configured to ensure peak performance and operation with any system.

#### 7.1.1 BMS Protection

#### PCB temperature protection

The BMS will ensure that the Printed Circuit Board (PCB) does not overheat. This is the part that houses most of the "brains" of the battery. This feature will turn off the battery if it begins to overheat.

#### Cell balance protection

Cell balance ensures that each cell is within a specific voltage range of each other. Cell balance is crucial for ensuring that the battery is operating properly for its lifespan. This is always done automatically.

#### **Environmental temperature protection**

It may be dangerous to attempt using the battery in extreme heat or cold. Continued operation in these conditions may result in permanent damage to the battery module and its components. To prevent this, the BMS is designed to measure the temperature while charging/discharging and will shut down the battery to prevent damage.

#### Voltage protection

The BMS is designed to continuously monitor the voltage of each individual cell and ensure that they are not over/undercharged.



#### **Current protection**

The BMS is designed to constantly monitor the charge/discharge amperage and has built-in safeguards against exceeding specific parameters. These include built-in timers that shut off quickly in the event of short circuits, extremely high amperage and delayed shut down for amperage that is only slightly above the maximum capacity.

# 7.2 Troubleshooting

## 7.2.1 Alarm Description and Troubleshooting

When the ALM light on the battery control panel is on, it means that the battery has given an alarm or has been protected from potential damage. Please check the cause of the failure through the app or BMS Tools and take appropriate measures or go directly to the battery site to troubleshoot.

BMS Tools alarms are shown in the table below:

#### Warning and protect status definitions table

Status	Name	Definition	Action
	Pack OV	Pack over-voltage	Module needs to be discharged to lower its voltage.
	Cell OV	Cell over-voltage	Check individual cell voltage in BMS Tools.
	Pack UV	Pack under-voltage	Module needs to be charged.
	Cell UV	Cell under-voltage	Check individual cell voltage in BMS Tools.
	Charge OC	Charge over-current	Incoming current needs to be reduced.
Warning/	Discharge OC	Discharge over-current	Discharge current is too high; lower loads.
Protect	Temp Anomaly	Ily Temperature anomaly Check ambient and module temper	
	MOS OT	MOSFET over-temperature	BMS temperature is too high. Power off module and cool down location.
	Charge OT	Charge over-temperature	Power off module and cool down location.
	Discharge OT	Discharge over-temperature	Power off module and cool down location.
	Charge UT	Charge under-temperature	Power off module and warm up location.
	Discharge UT	Discharge under- temperature	Power off module and warm up location.
Warning	Low Capacity	Low battery capacity	Module needs to be charged.
Warning	Other Error	Error not listed	Contact the distributor
Protect	Float Stoped	Float Stopped	Contact the distributor
Protect	Discharge SC	Discharge short circuit	Discharge current is too high, turn BMS and breaker off and back on to reset. Lower loads

#### Helpful tip

The "Historical Record" tab can indicate what occurred with the module before entering a warning or protection state. It is recommended to export this data into a text (.txt) file to provide to the distributor for any additional troubleshooting assistance.



#### Other common faults and solutions

Fault	Analysis	Action
Inverter communication failure	Check communication port connection, and battery ID setting.	Input proper "host" battery DIP switch address, and power cycle the battery.
No DC output	Open breaker, or battery voltage is too low.	Check battery breaker or charge the battery.
Power supply unstable	Battery capacity is not at full power.	Check for proper battery cable connection.
Battery can't be charged fully	DC output voltage is below the minimum charge voltage.	Check the charging settings on the inverter to ensure they match battery requirements.
ALM LED always on	Short circuit	Disconnect the power cable and check all cables.
The battery output voltage is unstable.	Battery management system does not operate normally.	Press the reset button to reset the battery, then reboot the system.
ALM LED flashes 20 times with SOC1 LED on.	Unbalanced voltage within a cell	Deep discharge the battery bank (<20% SOC), then charge battery bank fully.
ALM LED flashes 20 times with SOC2 LED on.	Unbalanced temperature	Contact the distributor.
ALM LED flashes 20 times with SOC 3/4 LED on.	BMS damaged	Contact the distributor.
Different SOC value of batteries in parallel operation.	No issue	Deep discharge the battery bank (<20% SOC), then charge battery bank fully.
Low voltage protection with no LED on	BMS is in low voltage protection, and is in sleep mode	Contact the distributor.
Deeply discharged with "RUN" LED on	The battery voltage is too low to start BMS.	Contact the distributor.

**Note:** If any of the warnings or faults from both tables persist, please contact the distributor for additional troubleshooting steps.

# 7.3 Battery End of Life

The EG4®-LL 48V battery is designed to last for *more than 15 years* when used correctly. We have worked tirelessly to ensure that our batteries will maintain a charge after thousands of cycles. However, when it does come time to retire the battery, there are a few things to consider.

Lithium iron phosphate batteries are considered a hazardous material and should not be disposed of by simply placing them in the trash. There are several websites and organizations that will accept this battery to recycle at little to no cost to the user. At EG4®, we understand that we are working with customers across the United States and the world. Our recommendation is to go online and search the term "Lithium Battery Disposal Near Me." There will likely be an assortment of organizations that can



safely dispose of LFP batteries. We recommend calling ahead of time to ensure that the location is still open and accepting material.

If, however, users are unable to locate a disposal location safely, EG4® is here to help. Before dumping the battery or disposing of it incorrectly, please contact our customer service team for assistance.

# 8 EG4® Warranty

The warranty must be registered within the first year of purchase to remain valid. If users choose not to register the product, the warranty may be invalidated. This limited warranty is to the original purchaser of the product and is not transferable to any other person or entity. All BMS and cell exchanges are covered throughout the warranty period. If a full replacement warranty is needed the warranty is prorated 1/9th per year after the first year at the current retail pricing.

# 8.1 Warranty Exclusions

Under this limited warranty, EG4® Electronics has no obligation to the product if it is subject to the following conditions, including but not limited to:

- Damages incurred during installation or removal
- Damages caused during mishandling of product
- Inappropriate environmental exposure
- Damages caused by improper maintenance
- Unauthorized tampering, altering, and/or disassembly of product
- Using the product for purposes other than those intended by the manufacturer
- Lightning, Fire, Flood, or Acts of God
- Any product whose serial number has been altered, defaced, or removed

The equipment sold by EG4® Electronics is designed to be installed only by licensed, trained, and insured solar electrical installation professionals. We strongly advise customers to seek the assistance of such a professional to implement these products, and we make no warranty of the purchaser's safety, success of equipment implementation, or compliance with local codes and regulations.

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# 9 Technical Specifications

# 9.1 Technical Specifications Table

Module Operating Parameters									
Parameter	BMS		Recommended Setting on System						
Voltage	51.2V		/						
Capacity	100Ah		/						
Charging Voltage (Bulk/Absorb)	56.8V		56.2V (+/-0.2V)						
Float	/		54V (+/-0.2V)						
Low DC Cutoff	44.8V		47-45.6V (start high, lower as needed)						
Charging Current	100A (Max. continuous)		30-50A						
Discharging Current	100A (Max. continuous)		90A						
Environmental Parameters									
Charging Range	32° – 113°F (0°C to 45°C)								
Discharging Range	-4°F – 122°F (-20°C to 50°C)								
Storage Range	-4°F – 122°F (-20°C to 50°C)								
Charging/ Discharging Para	meters								
Charge	Spec	Delay		Recovery					
Cell Voltage Protection	3.8V	1 sec		3.45V					
Module Voltage Protection	60.0V	1 sec		55.2V					
Over Charging Current 1	>102A	20 sec		/					
Over Charging Current 2	<u>&gt;</u> 120A	3 s	ec	/					
Temperature Protection	<23°F or >158°F <-5°C or >70°C	1 sec		>32°F or <140°F >0°C or 60°C					
Discharge	Spec	Delay		Recovery					
Cell Voltage Protection	2.3V	1 s	ec	3.1V					
Module Voltage Protection	44.8V	1 sec		48V					
Over-Charging Current 1	>102A	30 sec		60 sec					
Over-Charging Current 2	>150A	3 sec		60 sec					
Short Circuit	>300A	<0.1 mS							
Temperature Protection	<-4°F or >167°F <-20°C or >75°C	1 sec		>14°F or <149°F >-10°C or <65°C					
PCB Temp Protection	>221°F (>105°C)	1 sec		@ <176°F (<80°C)					



General Specifications								
Parameter	S	pec	Condition					
Cell Balance	120mA	Passive Balance	Cell Voltage Difference >40mV					
Temperature Accuracy	3%	Cycle Measurement	Measuring Range -40°F – 212°F (-40°C – 100°C)					
Voltage Accuracy	0.5%	Cycle Measurement	For Cells & Module					
Current Accuracy	3%	Cycle Measurement	Measuring Range -200A - 200A					
SOC	5%	/	Integral Calculation					
Power Consumption	Sleep & Off Mode	<300uA	Storage/Transport/Standby					
Power Consumption	Operating Mode	<25mA	Charging/Discharging					
Communication Ports	RS48	B5/CAN	Can be customized					
Maximum Modules in Series	1							
Maximum Modules in Parallel	64							
Physical Specifications								
Dimensions (H×W×D)	6.1 in.×19 in.×17.4 in. (15.5 cm×48.2 cm×44.2 cm)							
Weight	99.6 lbs. (45.2 kg)							
Standards and Certifications								
Module	ETL Listed to UL Standard 9540A:2019							
Cell	UL:1973							

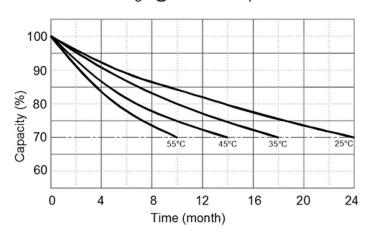




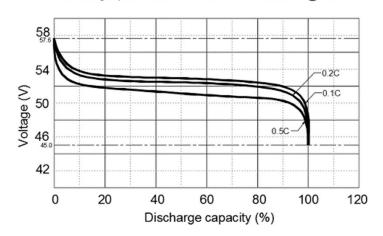


# 9.2 Battery Performance Curves

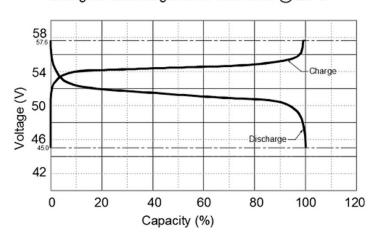
Self-discharge @ different temperature



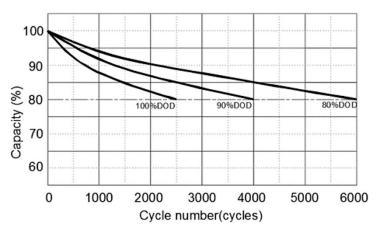
Discharge perfomance with different rate @ 25°C



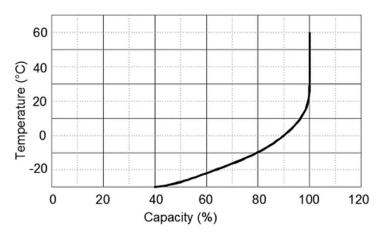
Charge & Discharge curve with 0.5C @ 25°C



Cycle life with DOD @ 0.5C, 25°C



Discharge capacity with different temperature @ 0.5C





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