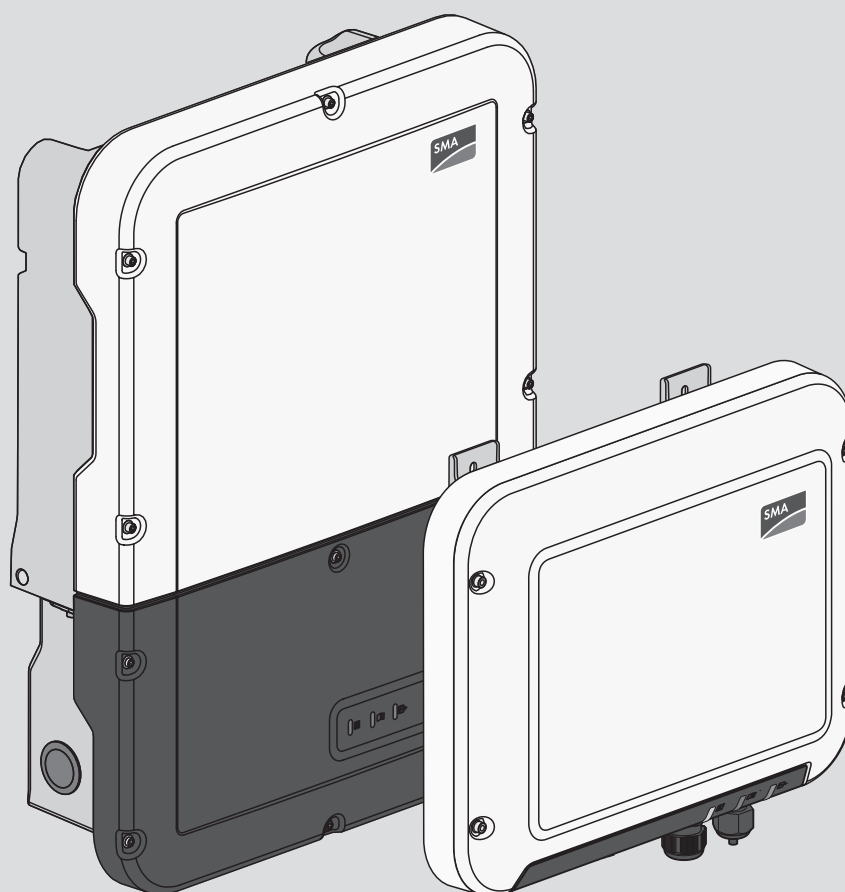


## SUNNY BOY STORAGE

Approved Batteries and Information on Battery Communication  
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# 1 Approved Batteries

## 1.1 SBS2.5-1VL-10 / SBS3.7-10 / SBS5.0-10 / SBS6.0-10

In the tables you will find the batteries which are approved for operation with the following battery inverters of SMA Solar Technology AG (status: 04/2021):

- SBS2.5-1VL-10 (Sunny Boy Storage 2.5)
- SBS3.7-10 (Sunny Boy Storage 3.7)
- SBS5.0-10 (Sunny Boy Storage 5.0)
- SBS6.0-10 (Sunny Boy Storage 6.0)

Battery type (Manufacturer)	Modules	Required battery Firmware version for: *		Required inverter Firmware version for: * *	
		SBS2.5-1VL-10	SBS3.7-10, SBS5.0-10, SBS6.0-10	SBS2.5-1VL-10	SBS3.7-10, SBS5.0-10, SBS6.0-10
RESU7H / EH111063P3S3 Type C (LG Energy Solutions)	Not modular	≥ 15.02.4.R	≥ 16.02.6 R	≥ 2.04.23.R	≥ 1.00.20.R
RESU10H / 15563P3SDLT Type C (LG Energy Solutions)	Not modular	≥ 13.13.0.R	≥ 16.13.6 R	≥ 2.04.14.R	≥ 1.00.20.R
RESU10M (LG Energy Solutions)	Not modular	Not released	≥ 1.01.1 R***	Not released	≥ 3.11.03.R
RESU16H Prime (LG Energy Solutions)	Not modular	Not released	≥ 23.12.0 R	Not released	≥ 3.12.03.R
Battery-Box H 5.1-10.2 (BYD Company Limited)	4-8	3.00.04.R to 3.00.15.R	3.00.04.R to 3.00.15.R	≥ 2.04.23.R	≥ 1.00.20.R
Battery-Box Premium HVS 5.1-10.2**** (BYD Company Limited)	2-4	BMU 3.13 / 3.14 / 3.15 BMS 3.19 to 3.22	BMU 3.13 to 3.16 BMS 3.19 to 3.22	≥ 3.11.06.R	≥ 3.11.10.R

Battery type (Manufacturer)	Modules	Required battery Firmware version for: *		Required inverter Firmware version for: **	
		SBS2.5-1VL-10	SBS3.7-10, SBS5.0-10, SBS6.0-10	SBS2.5-1VL-10	SBS3.7-10, SBS5.0-10, SBS6.0-10
Battery-Box Pre- mium HVM 8.3-22.1 (BYD Company Limited)	3-8	Not released	BMU 3.13 to 3.16 BMS 3.19 to 3.22	Not released	≥ 3.11.03.R
Hyperion 7.5-15 (BMZ GmbH)	3-6	Not released	≥ 0.03.07.R	Not released	≥ 3.11.10.R
era:powerbase 7.5-15 (IBC SOLAR AG)	3-6	Not released	≥ 0.03.07.R	Not released	≥ 3.11.10.R
AXIstorage Li SH 7.5-15 (AXITEC)	3-6	Not released	≥ 0.03.07.R	Not released	≥ 3.11.10.R

\* The firmware version of the battery can be accessed via the user interface of the inverter. The firmware version of the BYD batteries can also be accessed via the user interface of the battery (see manufacturer's manual). With the exception of the BYD Battery-Box (H, Premium HVS and HVM) and LG RESU16H Prime, the battery firmware is automatically updated via the inverter.

\*\* The firmware version of the inverter can also be accessed via the user interface of the inverter.

\*\*\* The RESU10M is approved for operation only with the Sunny Boy Storage 3.7.

\*\*\*\* When using the BYD Battery-Box Premium HVS with the Sunny Boy Storage 2.5, you must select the Sunny Boy Storage 2.5 inverter during configuration. Observe the information on the current Sunny Boy Storage 2.5 firmware package in the readme file in the download area at [www.SMA-Solar.com](http://www.SMA-Solar.com).

## Synchronizing the battery and battery inverter

All batteries mentioned supply a defined nominal current. Please pay attention to the battery manufacturer's recommendation regarding the suitable dimensioning of the battery in order to achieve the nominal and overload currents of the systems stated in the datasheet with a Sunny Boy Storage. Only if the dimensioning of the battery size is synchronized (battery capacity, battery currents, number of battery modules if necessary), the full functionality and power incl. overload can be guaranteed for the PV storage system with the respective battery inverter in use.

## Recommendations for the use in various systems for SBS2.5-1VL-10:

Battery type (Module configuration)	Use in systems for/with		
	Increased self-consumption	Secure power supply operation	Battery-backup operation
RESU7H type C	✓	✗	✗
RESU10H type C	✓	✗	✗
Battery-Box H (5.1 - 10.2)	✓	✗	✗
Battery-Box Premium HVS (5.1-10.2)	✓	✗	✗

✓ = Yes, ✗ = No

## Recommendations for the use in various systems for SBS3.7-10 / SBS5.0-10 / SBS6.0-10:

Battery type (Module configuration)	Increased self-consumption	Use in systems for/with			
		Secure power supply operation	Battery-backup operation	Multi-battery operation with batteries	
				of the same type	of the different type
RESU7H Type C	✓	✓	✓**	✓	✓ RESU10H, Battery-Box H
RESU10H Type C	✓	✓	✓**	✓	✓ RESU7H, Battery-Box H
RESU10M	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗
RESU 16H Prime	✓	✗ in planning	✗ in planning	✗ in planning	✗
Battery-Box H (5.1 - 10.2)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ RESU7H und 10H, HVS, HVM
Battery-Box Pre- mium HVS (5.1-10.2)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ HVM, Battery- Box H
Battery-Box Pre- mium HVM (8.3-22.1)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ HVS, Battery- Box H
Hyperion (7.5-15)	✓	✓	✓	✗ in planning	✗
era:powerbase (7.5-15)	✓	✓	✓	✗ in planning	✗
AXIstorage Li SH (7.5-15)	✓	✓	✓	✗ in planning	✗

\* Note that the displayed state of charge may jump when using multi-battery operation with batteries of different capacities. It is therefore recommended to select batteries of similar capacity.

\*\* Depending on the state of charge in terms of battery and PV generation, it can happen that the battery-backup grid is interrupted for a few seconds in battery-backup operation mode during load changes and then restarts again. To prevent this behavior, the parameters **Output power limitation of PV inverter**, **Permanently derated** and **Upper limit for the charging state for derating of the PV inverters** must be set to **0**. If this setting is enabled, the battery can no longer be charged by the PV system during battery-backup operation.

✓ = Yes, ✗ = No

**Recommendations for use for SBS3.7-10 / SBS5.0-10 / SBS6.0-10:**

Type	Module configuration		SBS3.7-10	SBS5.0-10	SBS6.0-10
	Capacity (kWh)	Modules			
RESU7H type C	Not modular		✓	✓	✓
RESU10H type C	Not modular		✓	✓	✓
RESU10M	Not modular		✓	✗	✗
RESU 16H Prime	Not modular		✓	✓	✓
Battery-Box H	5.1	4	✓	(✓)	(✓)
	6.4	5	✓	✓	(✓)
	7.7	6	✓	✓	✓
	9.0	7	✓	✓	✓
	10.2	8	✓	✓	✓
Battery-Box Premium HVS	5.1	2	✓	(✓)	(✓)
	7.7	3	✓	✓	✓
	10.2	4	✓	✓	✓
Battery-Box Premium HVM	8.3	3	✓	(✓)	(✓)
	11.0	4	✓	✓	(✓)
	13.8	5	✓	✓	✓
	16.6	6	✓	✓	✓
	19.3	7	✓	✓	✓
	22.1	8	✓	✓	✓
Hyperion era:powerbase AXIstorage Li SH	7.5	3	✓	(✓)	(✓)
	10	4	✓	✓	✓
	12.5	5	✓	✓	✓
	15	6	✓	✓	✓

✓ = Yes, (✓) = Limited approval, ✗ = No

Background information on the limited approval of some inverter/battery combinations

Example: In the worst-case scenario, the BYD Battery-Box Premium HVM 8.3 can only provide a maximum output power of 3700 W, depending on the SOC. For this application, the SBS3.7 is completely sufficient. Operation with the SBS5.0/6.0 is technically possible, but does not make economic sense due to oversizing.

**1.2 SBS3.8-US-10 / SBS5.0-US-10 / SBS6.0-US-10**

In the tables you will find the batteries which are approved for operation with the following battery inverters of SMA Solar Technology AG (status: 2020/07):

- SBS3.8-US-10 (Sunny Boy Storage 3.8-US)

- SBS5.0-US-10 (Sunny Boy Storage 5.0-US)
- SBS6.0-US-10 (Sunny Boy Storage 6.0-US)

Type (Manufacturer)	Required battery Firmware version for:*	Required inverter Firmware version for:**
RESU10H*** / R15563P3SDLT (LG Energy Solutions)	≥ 16.13.6 R****	≥ 1.00.20.R
Battery-Box H (5.0)*** (BYD Company Limited)	≥ 3.00.04R	≥ 1.00.20.R
Battery-Box H (7.5)*** (BYD Company Limited)	≥ 3.00.04R	≥ 1.00.20.R
Battery-Box H (10.0)*** (BYD Company Limited)	≥ 3.00.04R	≥ 1.00.20.R

\* The firmware version of the battery can be accessed via the user interface of the inverter. The firmware version of the BYD batteries can also be accessed via the user interface of the battery (see manufacturer's manual).

\*\* The firmware version of the inverter can be accessed via the user interface of the inverter.

\*\*\* This battery is certified for the operation with the Sunny Boy Storage in SMA Energy Storage systems according to UL 9540. The battery is listed within the SMA Energy Storage systems according to UL 9540.

\*\*\*\* The firmware version of the battery can be updated via the user interface of the inverter.

## Synchronizing the battery and battery inverter

All batteries mentioned supply a defined nominal current. Please pay attention to the battery manufacturer's recommendation regarding the suitable dimensioning of the battery in order to achieve the nominal and overload currents of the systems stated in the datasheet with a Sunny Boy Storage. Only if the dimensioning of the battery size is synchronized (battery capacity, battery currents, number of battery modules if necessary), the full functionality and power incl. overload can be guaranteed for the PV storage system with the respective battery inverter in use.

## Recommendations for the use in various systems for SBS3.8-US-10 / SBS5.0-US-10 / SBS6.0-US-10:

Type (module configuration)	Increased self-consumption	Secure power supply operation	Battery-backup operation	Use in systems for/with	
				Multi-battery operation with batteries of the same type	Multi-battery operation with batteries of the different type
RESU10H type C	✓	✓	✓**	✓	✓ Battery-Box H
Battery-Box H (5.0)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ RESU10H
Battery-Box H (7.5)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ RESU10H

Type (module configuration)	Increased self-consumption	Use in systems for/with			
		Secure power supply operation	Battery-backup operation	Multi-battery operation with batteries	
				of the same type	of the different type
Battery-Box H (10.0)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ RESU10H

\* Note that the displayed state of charge may jump when using multi-battery operation with batteries of different capacities. It is therefore recommended to select batteries of similar capacity.

\*\* The use in battery-backup systems is only possible to a limited extent. Information on this can be found in the "Technical Statement - LG Energy Solutions RESU10H when used in AC-Coupled Battery Backup Systems" document in the download area of our homepage under <http://www.SMA-Solar.com>

✓ = Yes, ✗ = No



## 2 Battery Communication Connection

### 2.1 Cable Requirements

#### 2.1.1 SBS2.5-1VL-10

- Twisted pair conductors
- Cable category: minimum CAT5e
- Shielding: yes
- Conductor cross-section: 0.25 mm<sup>2</sup> to 0.34 mm<sup>2</sup> (24 AWG to 16 AWG)
- Recommended number of conductor pairs: 4
- Maximum cable length: 10 m (33 ft)
- The cable has to be insulated for 600 V.
- UV-resistant for outdoor use. SMA Solar Technology AG recommends the cable "UC900 SS23 Cat.7 PE"
- Comply with the requirements of the battery manufacturer.

#### 2.1.2 SBS3.7-10 / SBS5.0-10 / SBS6.0-10

- Twisted pair conductors
- Cable category: minimum CAT5e
- Cable with shielding: Yes
- Conductor cross-section: 0.25 mm<sup>2</sup> to 0.34 mm<sup>2</sup> (24 AWG to 16 AWG)
- External diameter: 6 mm to 8.5 mm (0.24 in to 0.33 in)
- Recommended number of conductor pairs: 4
- Maximum cable length between battery and inverter and, in battery-backup systems, between automatic transfer switch and inverter: 10 m (33 ft)
- The cable has to be insulated for 600 V.
- UV-resistant for outdoor use.
- Comply with the requirements of the battery manufacturer.

#### 2.1.3 SBS3.8-US-10 / SBS5.0-US-10 / SBS6.0-US-10

- Twisted pair conductors
- Cable category: minimum CAT5e
- Cable with shielding: Yes
- Conductor cross-section: 0.25 mm<sup>2</sup> to 0.34 mm<sup>2</sup> (24 AWG to 16 AWG)
- External diameter: 6 mm to 8.5 mm (0.24 in to 0.33 in)
- Recommended number of conductor pairs: 4
- Maximum cable length between battery and inverter and, in battery-backup systems, between automatic transfer switch and inverter: 10 m (33 ft)
- If the cables are routed together with the DC conductors in a conduit, each cable has to be insulated for 600 V.
- UV-resistant for outdoor use.
- Comply with the requirements of the battery manufacturer.

## 2.2 Cabling Plan

### 2.2.1 SBS2.5-1VL-10

#### Sunny Boy Storage with LG Energy Solutions RESU7H / RESU10H



Figure 1: Cabling plan SBS2.5-1VL-10 with RESU7H / RESU10H

Clamping position	Assignment	Clamping position
A	Not used	-
B	Enable	3
C	GND and shielding	2
D	CAN L (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	5
E	CAN H (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	4
F	Not used	-

## Sunny Boy Storage with BYD Battery-Box H

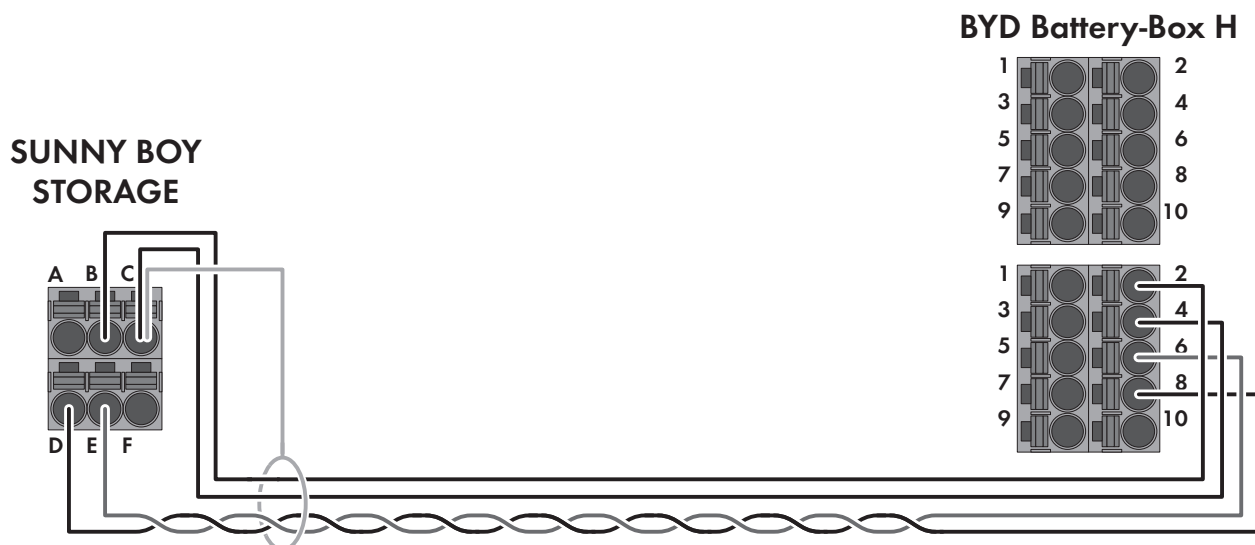


Figure 2: Cabling plan SBS2.5-1VL-10 with Battery-Box H

Clamping position	Assignment	Clamping position
A	Not used	-
B	Enable 11 V+	2
C	GND and shielding	4
D	CAN L (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	8
E	CAN H (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	6
F	Not used	-

## Sunny Boy Storage with BYD Battery-Box Premium HVS

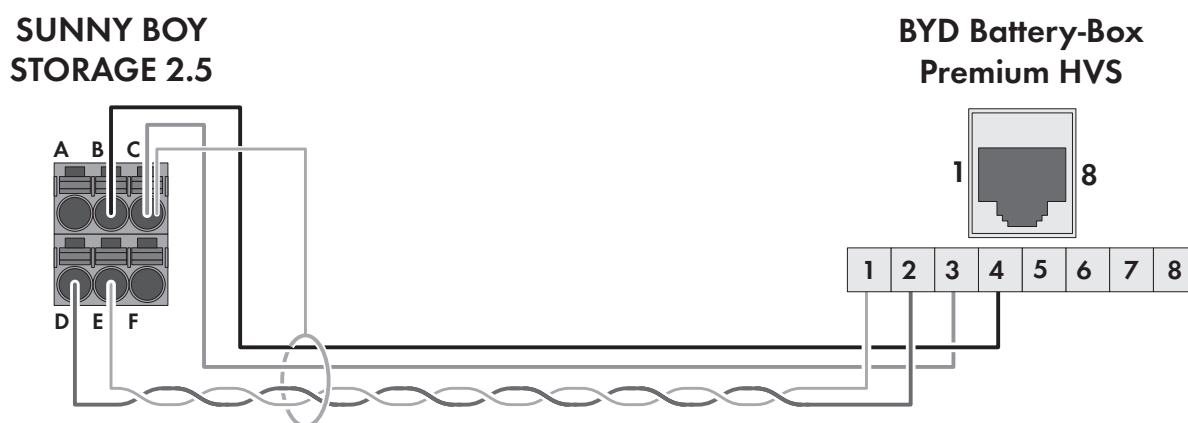


Figure 3: Cabling plan SBS2.5-1VL-10 with Battery-Box Premium HVS

Clamping position	Assignment	Pin
A	Not used	-
B	Enable	4

Clamping position	Assignment	Pin
C	GND and shielding	3
D	CAN L (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	2
E	CAN H (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	1
F	+12V supply for automatic transfer switching device	-

## 2.2.2 SBS3.7-10 / SBS5.0-10 / SBS6.0-10

### Sunny Boy Storage with LG Energy Solutions RESU7H / RESU10H

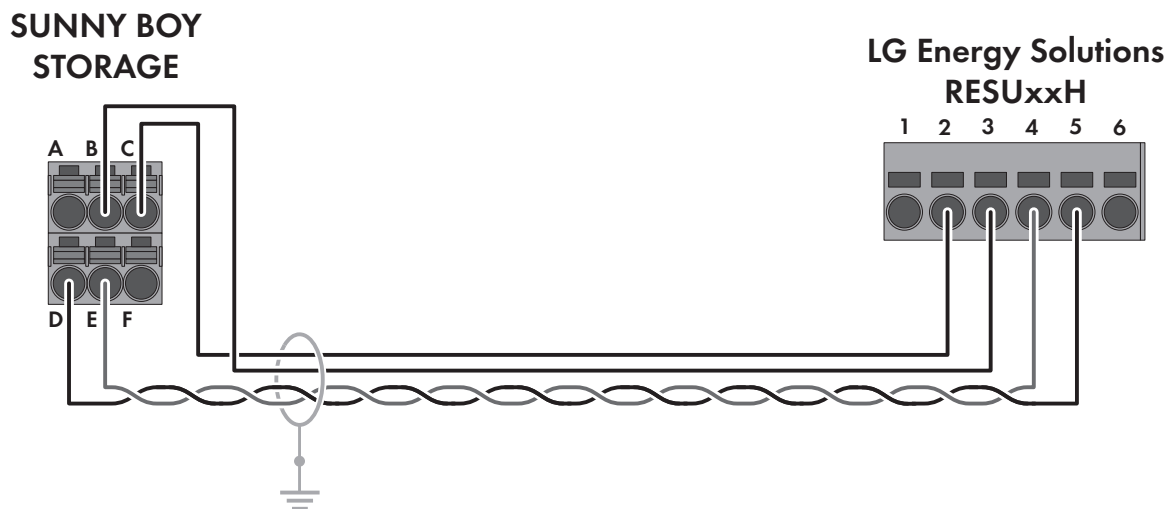


Figure 4: Cabling plan SBS3.7-10 / SBS5.0-10 / SBS6.0-10 with RESU7H / RESU10H

Clamping position	Assignment	Clamping position
A	Not used	-
B	Enable	3
C	GND	2
D	CAN L (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	5
E	CAN H (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	4
F	Not used	-

## Sunny Boy Storage with LG Energy Solutions RESU 16H Prime

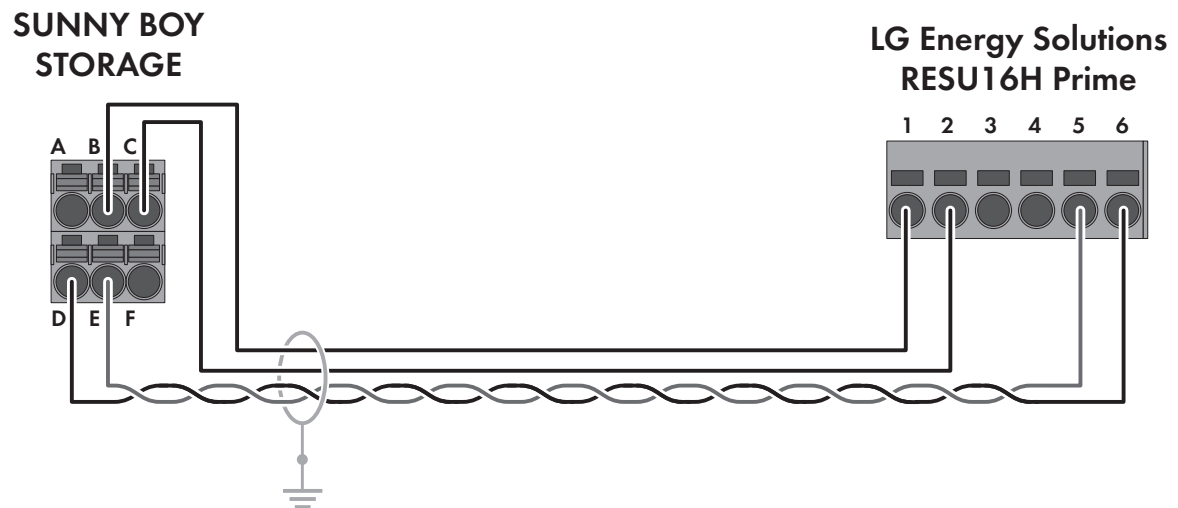


Figure 5: Cabling plan SBS3.7-10 / SBS5.0-10 / SBS6.0-10 with RESU 16H Prime

Clamping position	Assignment	Clamping position
A	Not used	–
B	Enable	1
C	GND	2
D	CAN L (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	6
E	CAN H (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	5
F	Not used	–

## Sunny Boy Storage with BYD Battery-Box H

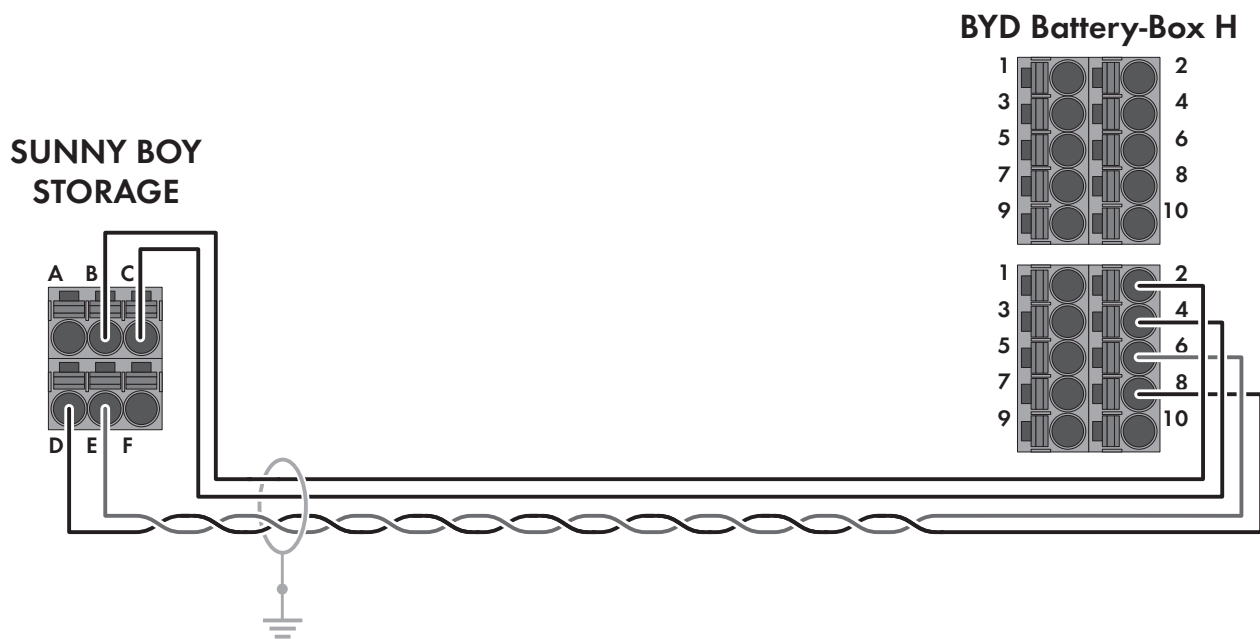


Figure 6: Cabling plan SBS3.7-10 / SBS5.0-10 / SBS6.0-10 with Battery-Box H

Clamping position	Assignment	Clamping position
A	Not used	-
B	Enable 11 V+	2
C	GND	4
D	CAN L (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	8
E	CAN H (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	6
F	+12V supply for automatic transfer switching device	-

## Sunny Boy Storage 3.7 / 5.0 / 6.0 with BYD Battery-Box Premium HVS and HVM

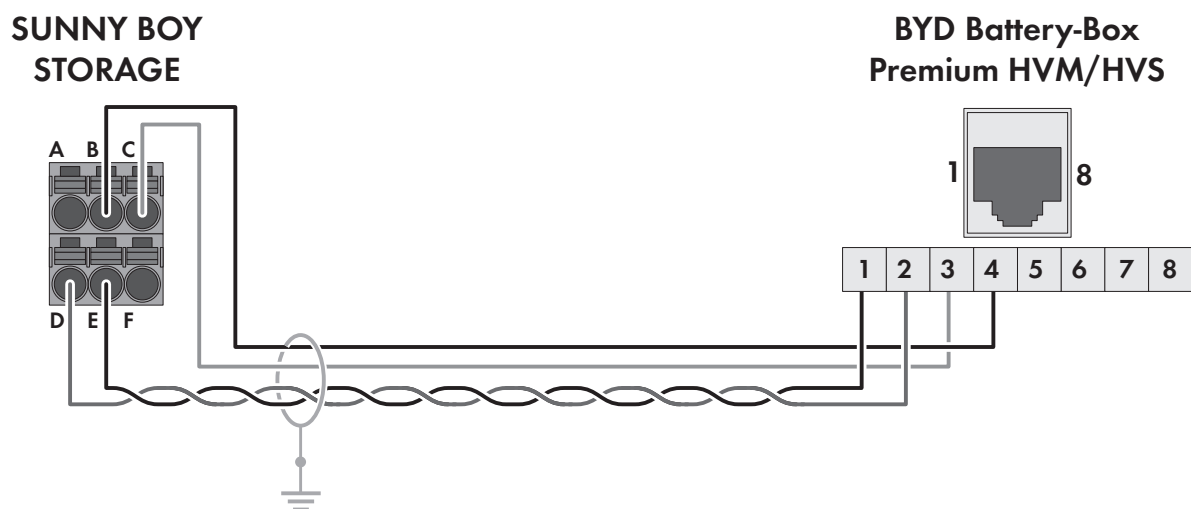


Figure 7: Cabling plan SBS3.7-10 / SBS5.0-10 / SBS6.0-10 with Battery-Box Premium HVS and HVM

Clamping position	Assignment	Pin
A	Not used	-
B	Enable	4
C	GND	3
D	CAN L (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	2
E	CAN H (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	1
F	Not used	-

### Sunny Boy Storage 3.7 / 5.0 / 6.0 with BMZ Hyperion, IBC SOLAR era:powerbase and Axitec AXIstorage Li SH

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#### BMZ-Hyperion / IBC era:powerbase / Axitec AXIstorage LI SH

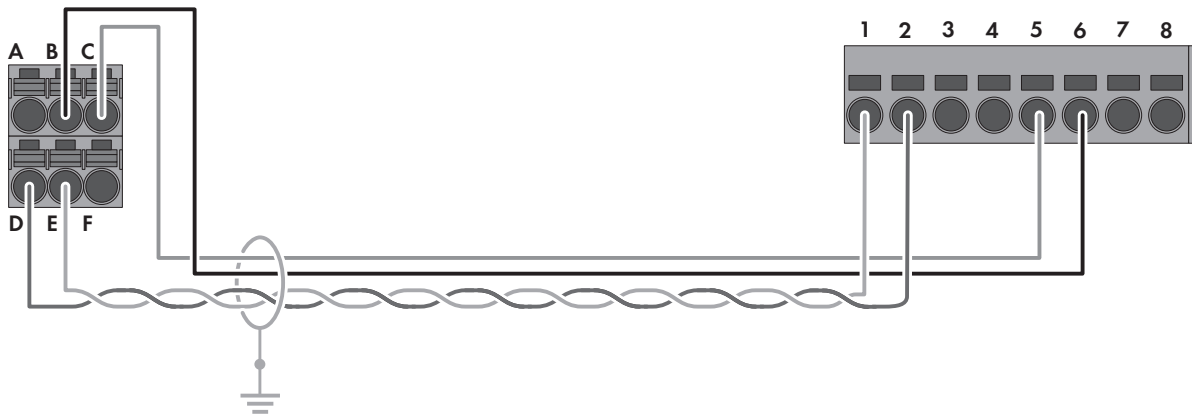


Figure 8: Cabling plan SBS3.7-10 / SBS5.0-10 / SBS6.0-10 with BMZ Hyperion, IBC era:powerbase and Axitec AXIstorage Li SH

Clamping position	Assignment	Clamping position
A	Not used	-
B	Enable	6 (orange)
C	GND	5 (blue)
D	CAN L (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	2 (white)
E	CAN H (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	1 (yellow)
F	Not used	-

## Sunny Boy Storage 3.7 with LG Energy Solutions RESU10M

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## LG Energy Solutions RESU10M

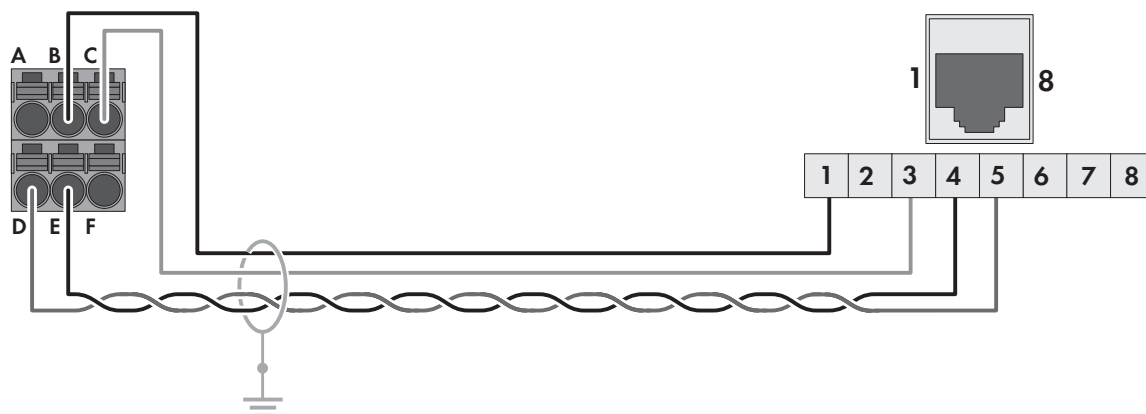


Figure 9: Cabling plan SBS3.7-10 with RESU10M

Clamping position	Assignment	Pin
A	Not used	-
B	Enable	1
C	GND	3
D	CAN L (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	5
E	CAN H (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	4
F	Not used	-



### 2.2.3 SBS3.8-US-10 / SBS5.0-US-10 / SBS6.0-US-10

Sunny Boy Storage with LG Energy Solutions RESU7H / RESU10H

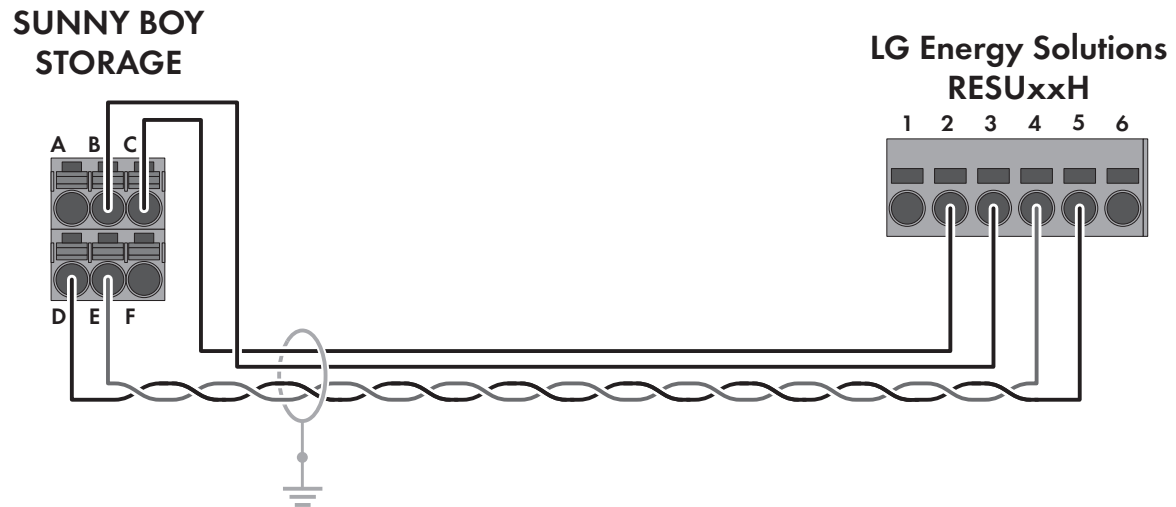


Figure 10: Cabling plan SBS3.8-US-10 / SBS5.0-US-10 / SBS6.0-US-10 with RESU7H / RESU10H

Clamping position	Assignment	Clamping position
A	Not used	-
B	Enable	3
C	GND	2
D	CAN L (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	5
E	CAN H (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	4
F	Not used	-

## Sunny Boy Storage with BYD Battery-Box H

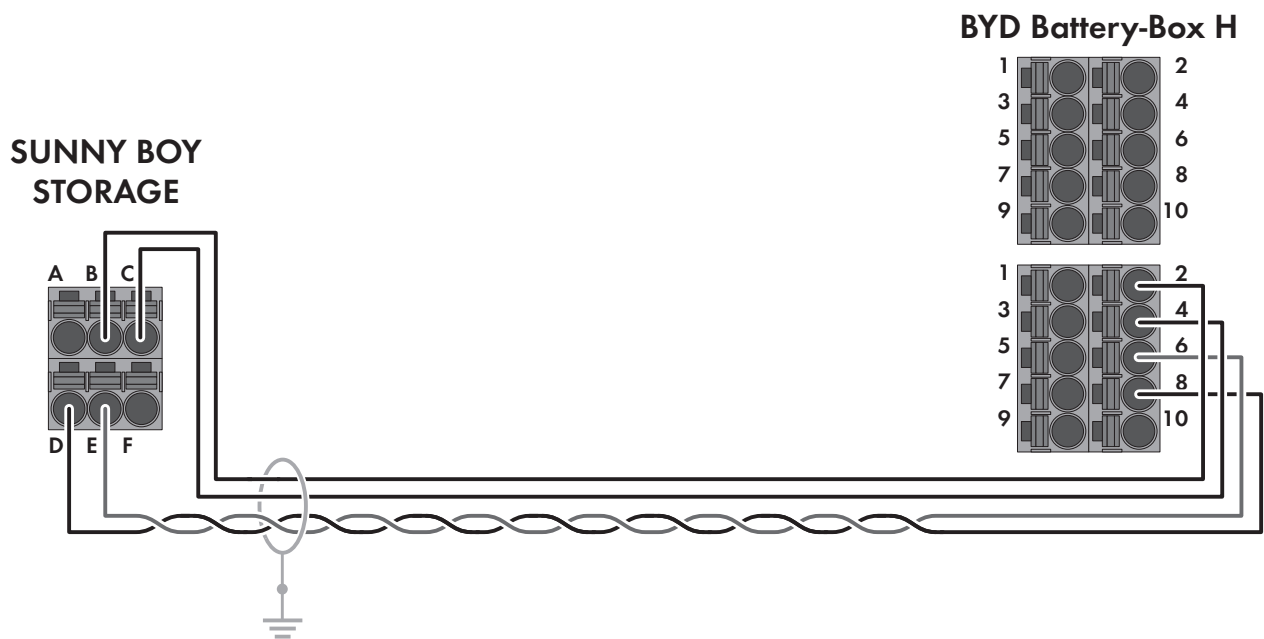


Figure 11: Cabling plan SBS3.8-US-10 / SBS5.0-US-10 / SBS6.0-US-10 with BYD Battery-Box H

Clamping position	Assignment	Clamping position
A	Not used	-
B	Enable 11 V+	2
C	GND	4
D	CAN L (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	8
E	CAN H (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	6
F	+12V supply for automatic transfer switching device	-

### 3 Information about the electrical connection

#### Connection of batteries with a charging/discharging current limit of 20 A

This connection is recommended for the following batteries:

- LG RESU7H
- LG RESU10H

##### Procedure:

The DC terminals A and B must be switched parallelly using the jumpers provided.

The battery must be connected to the terminal blocks **A+** and **A-**.

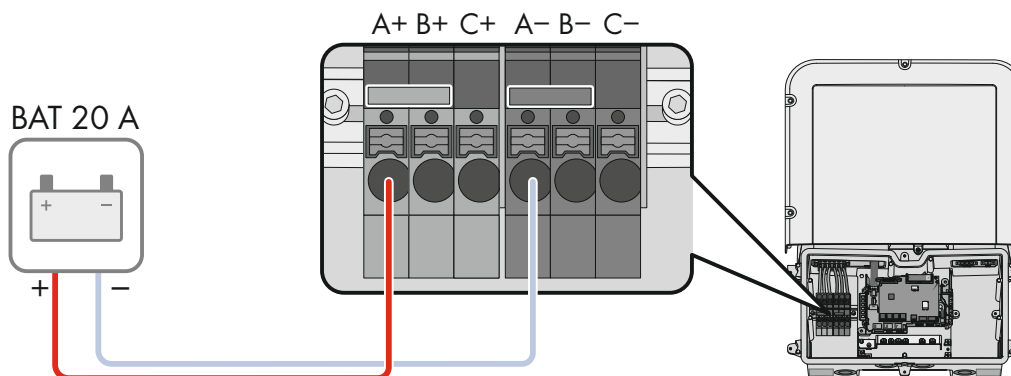


Figure 12: Overview for connection of a battery with a charging/discharging current limit of 20 A

#### Connection of a battery with a charging/discharging current higher than 20 A

This connection is recommended for the following batteries:

- LG RESU 10M
- LG RESU 16H Prime
- BYD Battery-Box H 5.1-10.2
- BYD Battery-Box Premium HVS 5.1-10.2
- BYD Battery-Box Premium HVM 8.3-22.1
- BMZ Hyperion
- IBC SOLAR era:powerbase
- Axitec AXIstorage Li SH

##### Procedure:

All DC terminals must be switched parallelly with the jumpers provided.

The battery must be connected to the terminal blocks **A+** and **A-**.

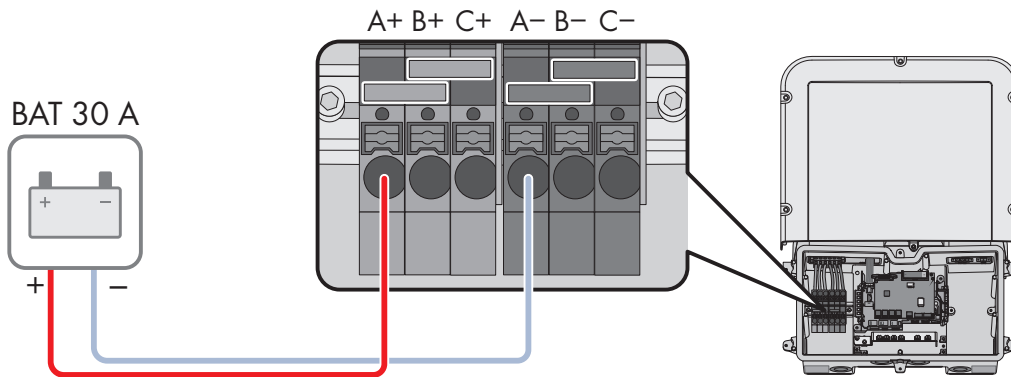


Figure 13: Overview for connection of one battery with a charging/discharging current higher than 20 A.

#### Information:

From Sunny Boy Storage firmware version 3.11.03.R, the DC input current of the inverter is additionally monitored. If the limit of 40 A is exceeded, the battery is automatically switched off for protection. This results in a permanent operation inhibition. It is therefore not necessary to install an external fuse between battery and Sunny Boy Storage for all listed batteries, even those with output currents greater than 40 A.

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