



## **SMA ENERGY SYSTEM HOME with SUNNY BOY STORAGE 3.8-US / 5.0-US / 6.0-US**

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# 1 Information on this Document

## 1.1 Validity

This document is valid for:

**SMA Energy Systems with the Sunny Boy Storage 3.8-US / 5.0-US / 6.0-US from firmware version > 3.00.##.RSMA**

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## 1.2 Target Group

The tasks described in this document must only be performed by qualified persons. Qualified persons must have the following skills:

- Knowledge of how an inverter works and is operated
- Knowledge of how batteries work and are operated
- Training in how to deal with the dangers and risks associated with installing, repairing and using electrical devices, batteries and installations
- Training in the installation and commissioning of electrical devices and installations
- Knowledge of all applicable laws, standards and directives
- Knowledge of and compliance with this document and all safety information
- Knowledge of and compliance with the documents of the battery manufacturer with all safety information

## 1.3 Content and Structure of this Document

This document summarizes the specific information for the system and describes the procedure for installation and commissioning.

Circuitry overviews provide the basic principle of how a system must be set up and connected.

The latest version of this document and the comprehensive manual for installation, commissioning, configuration and decommissioning of each SMA product can be found in PDF format or as eManual at [www.SMA-Solar.com](http://www.SMA-Solar.com).

The latest version of the battery documentation can be found on the website of the battery manufacturer.

The latest version of the documentation of the WattNode Modbus energy meter can be found at [www.ctlsys.com](http://www.ctlsys.com).

This document supplements the documents that are enclosed with each product and does not replace any locally applicable codes or standards. Read and observe all documents supplied with the product.

Illustrations in this document are reduced to the essential information and may deviate from the real product.

## 1.4 Levels of warning messages

The following levels of warning messages may occur when handling the product.

### DANGER

Indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury.

### WARNING

Indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.






### CAUTION

Indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in minor or moderate injury.

### NOTICE

Indicates a situation which, if not avoided, can result in property damage.

## 1.5 Symbols in the Document

Icon	Explanation
	Information that is important for a specific topic or goal, but is not safety-relevant
	Indicates a requirement for meeting a specific goal
	Desired result
	A problem that might occur.
	Example




## 1.6 Typographical Elements in the Document

Typographical element	Use	Example
<b>bold</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Messages</li> <li>Terminals</li> <li>Elements on a user interface</li> <li>Elements to be selected</li> <li>Elements to be entered</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Connect the insulated conductors to the terminals <b>X703:1</b> to <b>X703:6</b>.</li> <li>Enter <b>10</b> in the field <b>Minutes</b>.</li> </ul>

Typographical element	Use	Example
>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Connects several elements to be selected</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Go to <b>Settings &gt; Date</b>.</li> </ul>
[Button] [Key]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Button or key to be clicked on or pressed down</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Select [Enter].</li> </ul>
#	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Placeholder for variable components (e.g., parameter names)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Parameter <b>WCtHz.Hz#</b></li> </ul>

## 1.7 Additional Information

For more information, please go to [www.SMA-Solar.com](http://www.SMA-Solar.com).

Title and information content	Type of information	Hyperlink and QR-Code
SUNNY BOY STORAGE 3.8-US / 5.0-US / 6.0-US	Installation manual	SBSxx-US-10-IA-xx-12.pdf 
SUNNY BOY STORAGE 3.8-US / 5.0-US / 6.0-US	User Manual	SBSxx-US-10-BA-en-11.pdf <a href="https://manuals.sma.de/SBSxx-US-10/en-US/index.html">https://manuals.sma.de/SBSxx-US-10/en-US/index.html</a> 
"Approved batteries and battery communication connection"  Overview of approved batteries and circuitry overview of the battery communication connection	Technical Information	SBS-Batteries-TI-en.pdf 

Please refer to the website of the battery manufacturer or to the website of the official partner of the battery manufacturer for further information on the batteries:

LG Chem

RESU10H

RESU 16H Prime

<https://www.lgessbattery.com/us/main/main.lg>



<https://sites.google.com/view/resu-resource-page>



BYD

BYD Battery-Box H

BYD Battery-Box Premium HVL

<http://www.eft-systems.de/us>



## 2 Safety

### 2.1 Intended Use

The SMA Energy System is a storage system and optimizes self-consumption of PV energy and lowers the energy obtained from the utility grid by the following measures:

- Intermediate storage of PV energy in the battery
- Data logging at the grid-connection point with the energy meter (Modbus RTU)
- Visualization of the consumption and generation data from your system in Sunny Portal

#### **i** Impairment of system communication

The use of external, unapproved components can affect the system communication.

- Only use approved components in the system.

Grid feed-in and purchased energy (from the utility grid) are only recorded with the energy meter (Modbus RTU). The energy meter (Modbus RTU) does not replace the energy meter of the electric utility company.

Use SMA products only in accordance with the information provided in the enclosed documentation and with the locally applicable laws, regulations, standards and directives. Any other application may cause personal injury or property damage.

### 2.2 IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Keep the manual for future reference.

This section contains safety information that must be observed at all times when working.

#### **⚠ DANGER**

#### **Danger of fatal electric shock due to non-compliance with the safety instructions in the documents that are enclosed with each product.**

This document supplements the documents that are enclosed with each product and does not replace any locally applicable codes or standards.

- Read and observe all documents enclosed with the products.

#### **i** If the AC connection of the inverter is disconnected and the battery is switched off, there is no risk of electric arcs during installation or servicing.

If the AC circuit breakers of the inverters are switched off and secured against reconnection and the battery or the load-break switch of the battery is turned off and secured against reconnection, there is no danger of an electric arc during installation or servicing. Be aware that, when using batteries from BYD, the individual battery modules do not have their own disconnects. With BYD batteries, all modules are disconnected by means of the main switch of the Battery Control Unit (BCU - top section). The AC circuit breaker of the inverter must be installed in the distribution board.

### 3 System Components

Check the system scope of delivery for completeness and any apparent external damage. Contact your distributor if the delivery is incomplete or damaged.

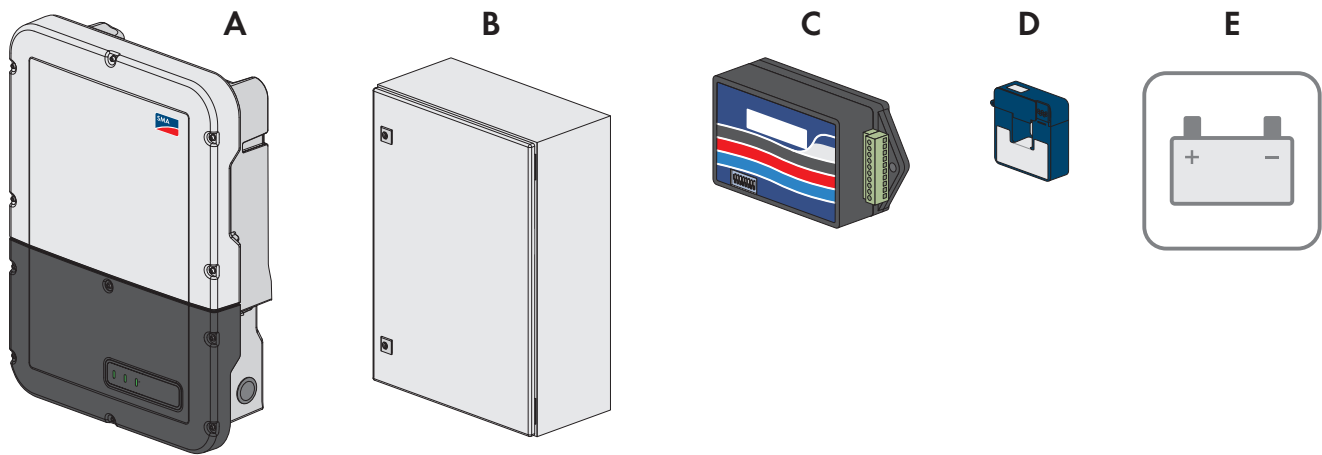


Figure 1: Main system components

Position	Designation
A	<p>Sunny Boy Storage</p> <p>The Sunny Boy Storage converts the direct current supplied by the battery into grid-compliant alternating current and controls the charging and discharging of the battery.</p>
B	<p>Automatic Backup Unit</p> <p>The Automatic Backup Unit contains an automatic transfer switch, SMA Backup Unit Controller, overcurrent protection for the inverter(s) and optionally an integrated energy meter and current transformers. In the event of grid failure, the Automatic Backup Unit disconnects the PV system, loads and the Sunny Boy Storage from the utility grid to create a battery-backup grid.</p>
C	<p>Energy meter (WattNode Modbus WNC-3Y-208-MB)</p> <p>If an Automatic Backup Unit is available, the energy meter is integrated into it. The energy meter determines electric measured values at the grid-connection point and transmits the measured data to the Sunny Boy Storage.</p>
D	<p>Electrical current strength transducer (CTs -ACTL-0750-100)</p> <p>If an Automatic Backup Unit is available, 2 CTs are integrated into it.</p>
E	<p>Battery</p> <p>A list of the approved batteries can be found at <a href="http://www.SMA-Solar.com">www.SMA-Solar.com</a></p>

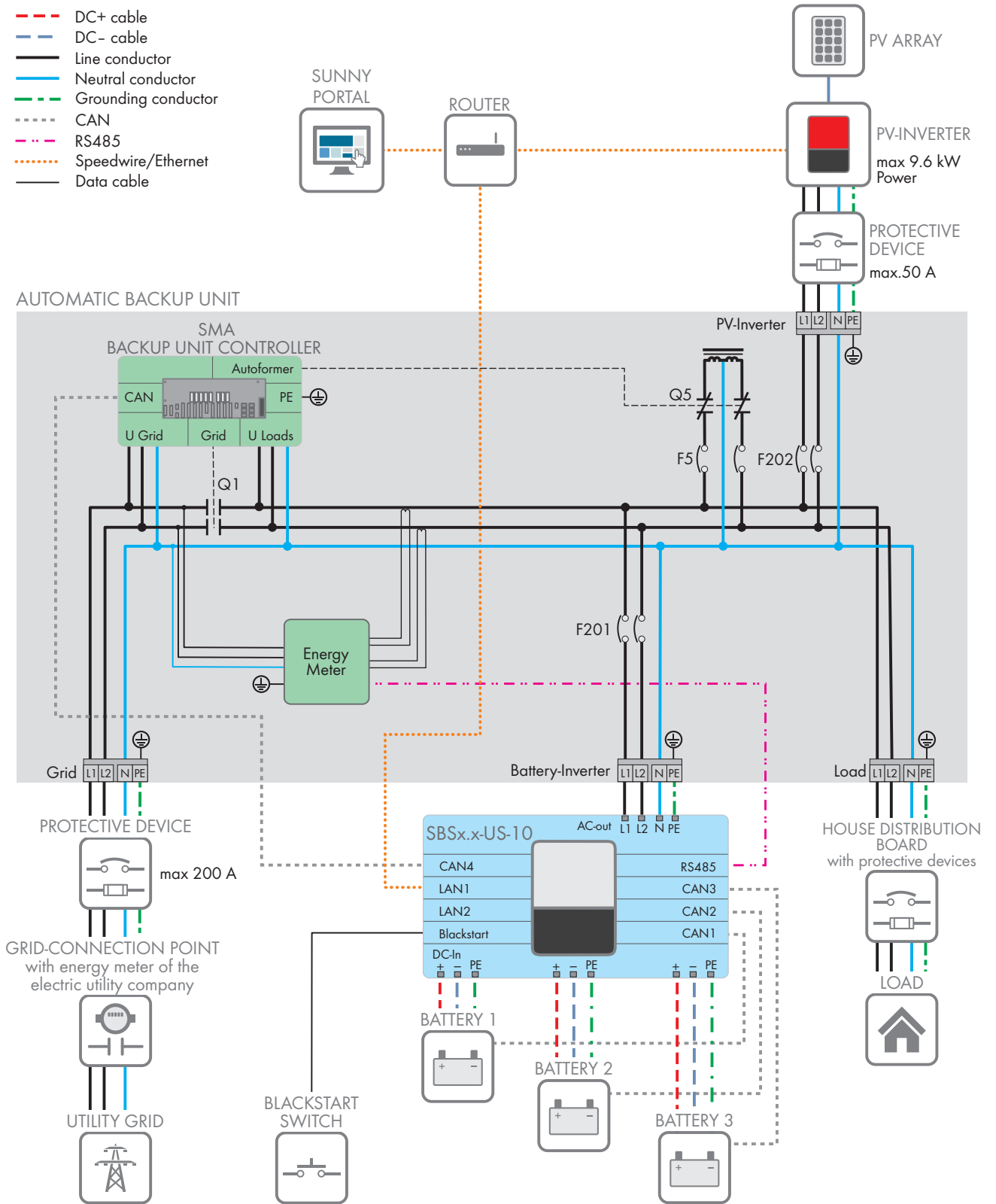


# 4 Circuitry Overview

## 4.1 Circuitry Overview Overall System

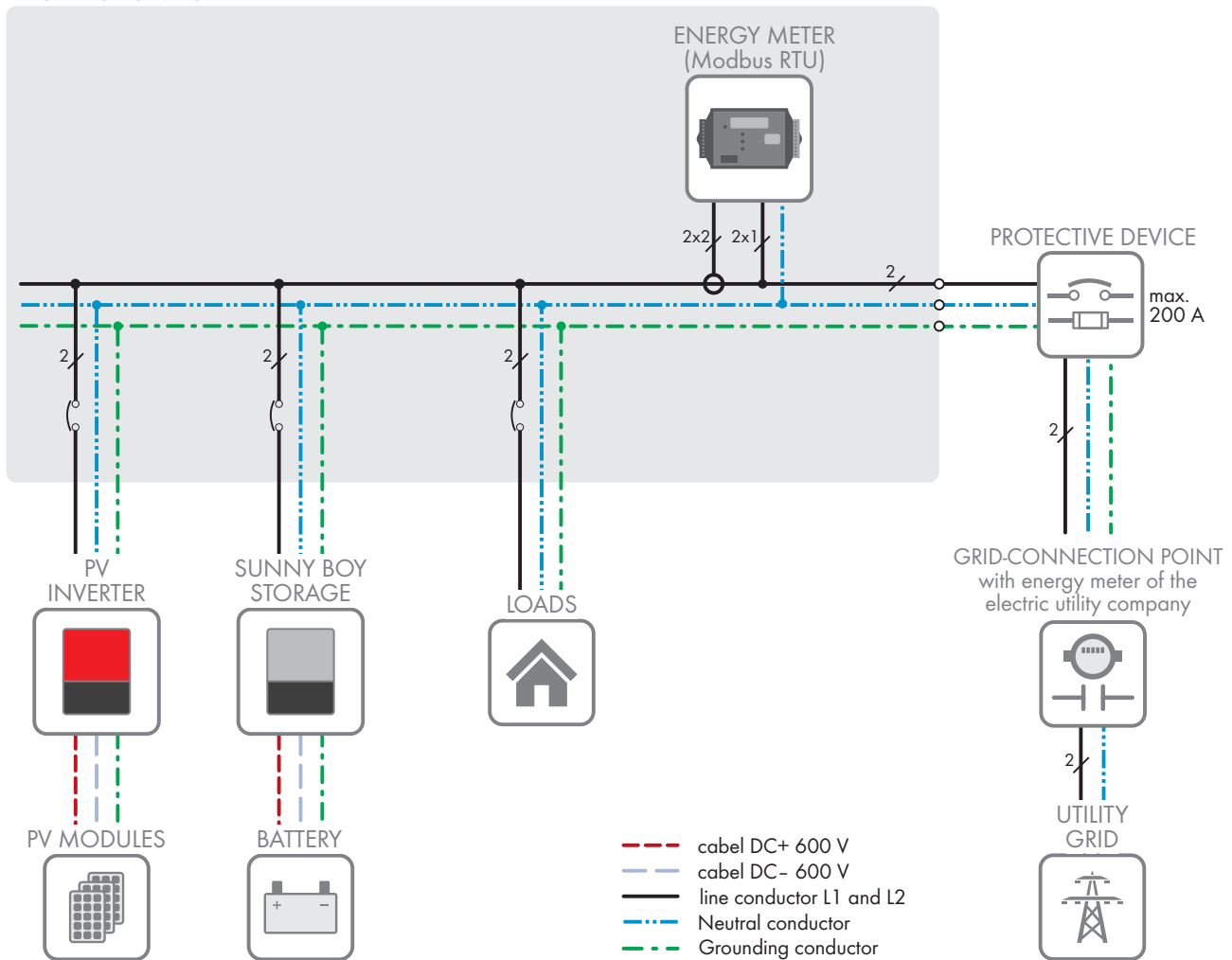
### 4.1.1 SMA Energy Storage System with Automatic Backup Unit

- DC+ cable
- DC- cable
- Line conductor
- Neutral conductor
- Grounding conductor
- CAN
- RS485
- Speedwire/Ethernet
- Data cable



### 4.1.2 SMA Energy Storage System without Automatic Backup Unit

DISTRIBUTION BOARD



## 4.2 Circuitry Overview Battery Communication Connection

### SUNNY BOY STORAGE with LG Energy Solutions RESU10H, Typ C

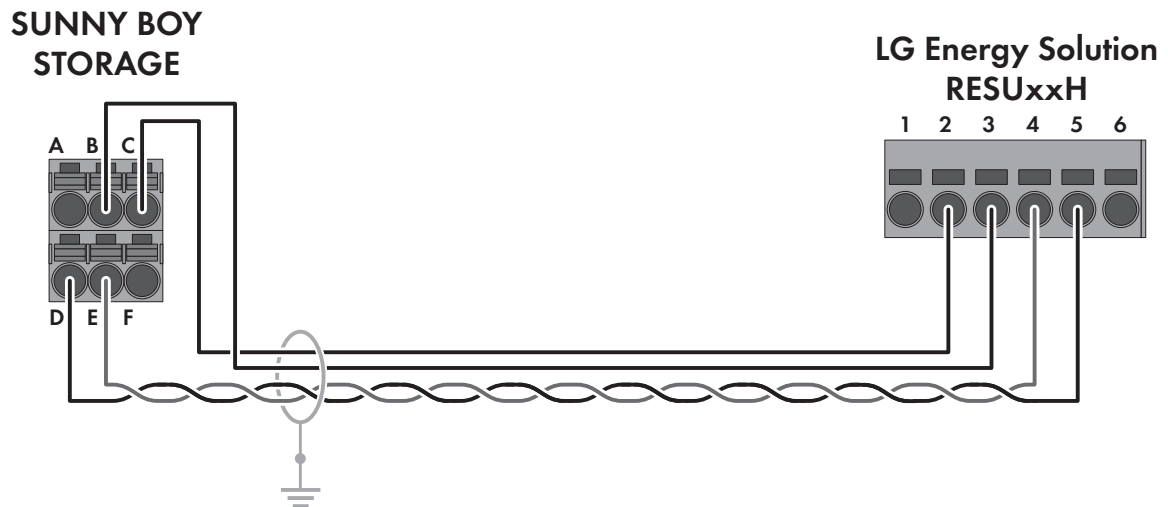


Figure 2: Cabling plan SBS3.8-US-10 / SBS5.0-US-10 / SBS6.0-US-10 with RESU10H, Type C

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 RESU16H Prime

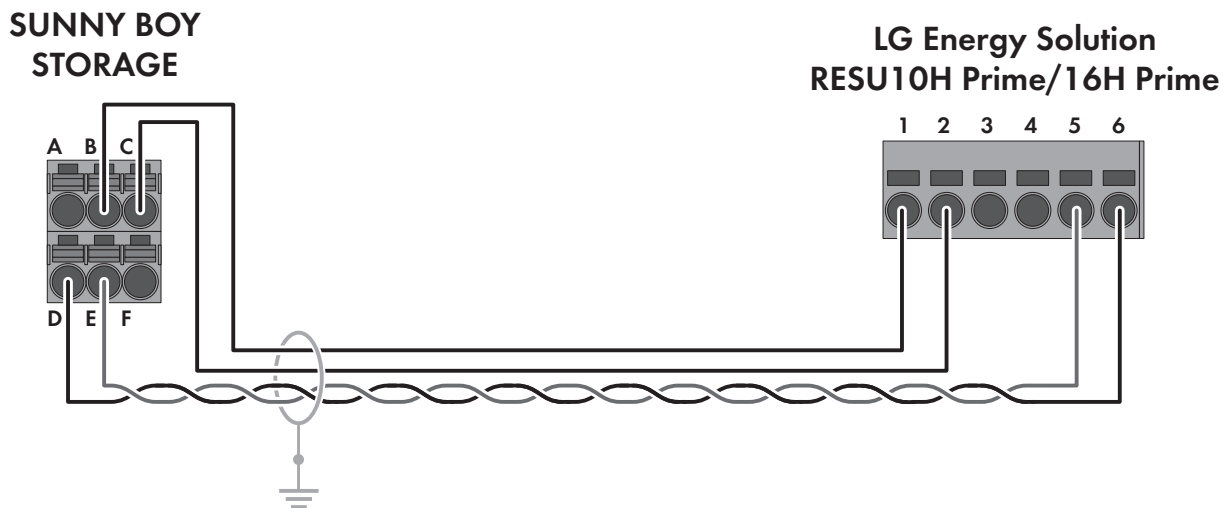


Figure 3: Cabling plan SBS3.8-US-10 / SBS5.0-US-10 / SBS6.0-US-10 with RESU16H Prime

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

**SUNNY BOY STORAGE with BYD Battery-Box H**

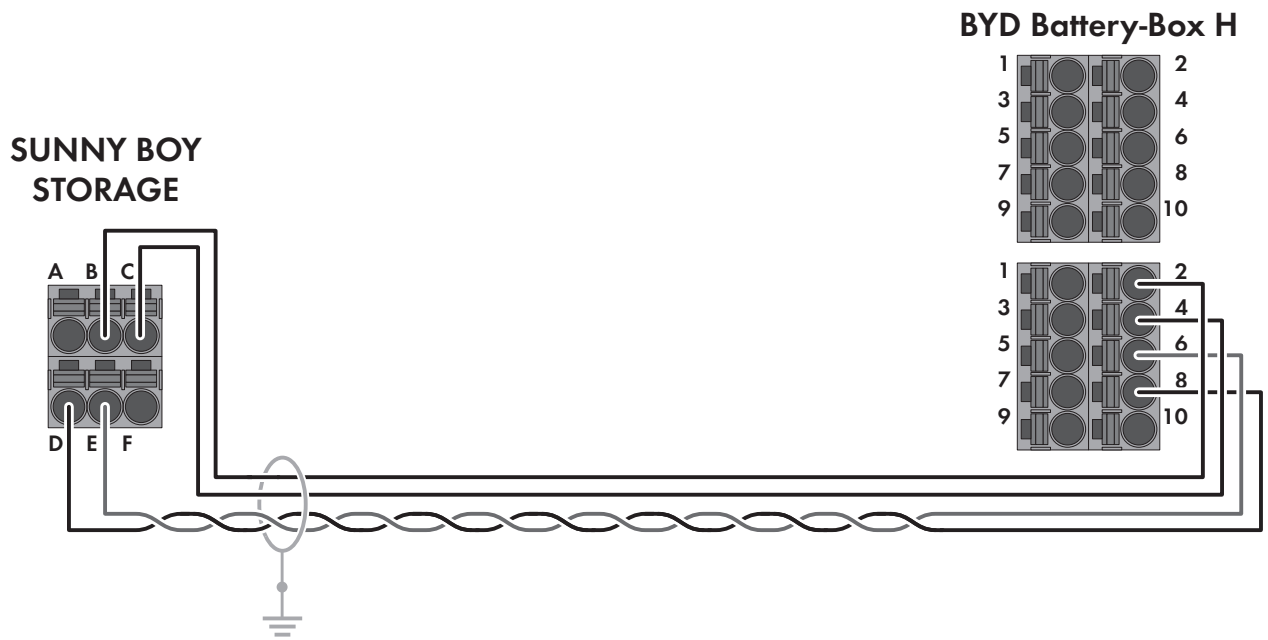


Figure 4: Cabling plan SBS3.8-US-10 / SBS5.0-US-10 / SBS6.0-US-10 with BYD Battery-Box H

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	Not used	-

**SUNNY BOY STORAGE with BYD Battery-Box Premium HVL**

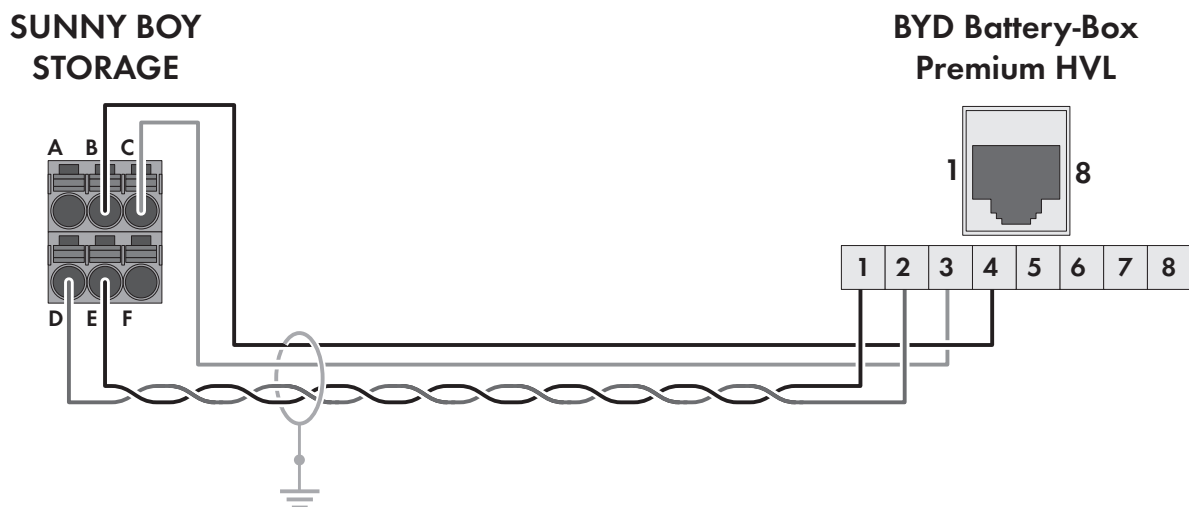


Figure 5: Cabling plan SBS3.8-US-10 / SBS5.0-US-10 / SBS6.0-US-10 with BYD Battery-Box Premium HVL

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 L (twisted pair conductors, at least CAT5e)	1
F	Not used	-

## 5 Installation

### 5.1 Requirements for the Installation

#### Requirements for the Mounting Location:

#### ⚠ WARNING

#### Danger to life due to fire or explosion

Despite careful construction, electrical devices can cause fires. This can result in death or serious injury.

- Do not mount the product in areas containing highly flammable materials or gases.
- Do not mount the product in potentially explosive atmospheres.

#### **i** Requirements in the documents enclosed with each product must be observed.

This document supplements the documents that are enclosed with each product and does not replace any locally applicable codes or standards.

- Read and observe the requirements in the documents enclosed with the products in addition to the requirements stated below.
- The system may be installed outdoors. The system components must not be exposed to direct solar irradiation and must be protected from rain water. When becoming too hot, the system reduces its power output to avoid overheating.
- The system must not be installed in earthquake-prone areas.
- The system must not be installed in coastal areas where salt spray is possible.
- A solid support surface must be available (e.g. concrete, masonry or wood). When mounted on support surfaces that are not solid, the product can emit audible vibrations during operation which could be perceived as annoying.
- The mounting location must be suitable for the weight and dimensions of the system components (see technical data in the enclosed manuals of the individual components)
- The mounting location should be freely and safely accessible at all times without the need for any auxiliary equipment (such as scaffolding or lifting platforms). Non-fulfillment of these criteria may restrict servicing.
- To ensure optimal operation of the system, the ambient temperature must be between -10 and +45 °C (-14 °F to 113 °F).

#### Additionally required material (not included in the scope of delivery):

- Electrical distribution board (EDP or MSP) with required electric equipment
- One router for the connection to the Internet SMA Solar Technology AG (Internet flat rate recommended).
- One switch for connection of multiple Ethernet cables.
- Network cable(s)
- Battery data cable(s)

#### Switch requirements:

- At least 5 Ethernet connections must be available
- The switch must be permeable for broad and multicasts
- Do not use an IGMP Snooping Switch as per RFC 4541

#### Router requirements:

- DHCP should be supported (if possible with MAC address binding). If DHCP is not supported, an IP address from the address range of the router must be assigned manually to each device.

- TCP ports 123, 443 and 9524 must be authorized for outgoing connections.
- Fast Ethernet with 100 Mbit/s data transfer rate
- IGMP protocol version 2 or version 3 (IGMPv2 or IGMPv3) must be supported.
- The IPv4 protocol must be used at least in the internal network. The IPv6 protocol may be active in parallel.

**Network cable requirements:**

The cable length and quality affect the quality of the signal. Observe the following cable requirements:

- Cable type: 100BaseTx
- Cable category: minimum CAT5e
- Plug type: RJ45 of Cat5, Cat5e or higher
- Shielding: SF/UTP, S/UTP, SF/FTP or S/FTP
- Number of insulated conductor pairs and insulated conductor cross-section: at least 2 x 2 x 0.22 mm<sup>2</sup> (2 x 2 x 24 AWG)
- Maximum cable length between 2 nodes when using patch cables: 50 m (164 ft)
- Maximum cable length between 2 nodes when using installation cables: 100 m (328 ft)
- UV-resistant for outdoor use.

**Network cable (SBS to switch, battery to switch) requirements:**

- 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)
- Recommended number of conductor pairs: 4
- External diameter: 6 mm to 8.5 mm (0.24 in to 0.33 in)
- Maximum cable length between a battery and the 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.

**Requirements for energy meter communication cable:**

- Cross-section: at least 2 x 2 x 0.22 mm<sup>2</sup> (2 x 2 x 24 AWG)
- Shielding: yes
- Twisted pair conductors
- UV-resistant for outdoor use.
- Maximum cable length: 10 m (33 ft)

**Requirements:**

- The electrical distribution board (EDP) is installed.
- The router is installed.
- The switch is installed.

## 5.2 Installation Procedure

This section describes the procedure for the installation and gives an overview of the steps, which must always be performed in the prescribed sequence.



Procedure	See
1. Install the Automatic Backup Unit.	Section 5.3, page 17
2. If no Automatic Backup Unit is available, install the energy meter and CTs.	Section 5.4, page 17
3. Install the battery.	Section 5.5, page 17
4. Install the battery inverter.	Section 5.6, page 17

### 5.3 Installing the Automatic Backup Unit

1. Mount the Automatic Backup Unit and make the electrical connections.
2. Connect the SMA Backup Unit Controller with the Sunny Boy Storage via CAN.

### 5.4 Installing the Energy Meter and CTs (optional)

If an Automatic Backup Unit is available, the energy meter and the CTs are integrated into the Automatic Backup Unit and need not be installed separately.

#### Procedure:

1. Install the energy meter at a suitable location protected from the weather in front of the grid-connection point as specified by the manufacturer.
2. Connect the current transformers (CTs) as specified by the manufacturer.
3. Connect the voltage supply as specified by the manufacturer.

### 5.5 Installing the Battery

#### **i** Only use approved batteries.

The product must only be operated in connection with an intrinsically safe lithium-ion battery approved by SMA Solar Technology AG. An updated list of batteries approved by SMA Solar Technology AG is available at [www.SMA-Solar.com](http://www.SMA-Solar.com).

1. Install the battery as specified by the manufacturer.
2. Connect the grounding conductor, the DC conductors and the battery data cable to the battery inverter as specified by the manufacturer.
3. Connect the network cable from the battery to the switch as specified by the manufacturer. In doing so, comply with the specifications of the manufacturer.

### 5.6 Installing the Battery Inverter

1. Mount the Sunny Boy Storage and make the electrical connections.
2. Connect the Sunny Boy Storage with a network cable to the switch.

## 6 Commissioning

### 6.1 Commissioning Procedure

This section describes the commissioning procedure and gives an overview of the steps you must always perform in the prescribed order.

Procedure	See
1. Commission the battery.	Section 6.2, page 18
2. Commission and configure the battery inverter.	Section 6.3, page 18
3. Set the time-of-use (optional).	Section 6.3.4, page 20
4. Set the Peak Load Shaving function (optional).	Section 6.3.5, page 20
5. Register system in Sunny Portal.	Section 6.4, page 21

### 6.2 Commissioning the Battery

1. Switch on the battery.
2. Configure the battery as specified by the manufacturer.

### 6.3 Commissioning and Configuring the Battery Inverter

#### 6.3.1 Commissioning the Battery Inverter

- Switch on the AC circuit breaker.
- ☑ All three LEDs light up. The start-up phase begins. All three LEDs go out again after approximately 90 seconds.
- ☑ Depending on the available power, the green LED pulses or is continuously illuminated. The inverter is feeding in.

#### 6.3.2 Establishing a Connection to the User Interface of the Battery Inverter

##### **i** SSID, IP address and WLAN password

- SSID in WLAN: **SMA[serial number]** (e.g. SMA0123456789)
- Device-specific WLAN password: see WPA2-PSK on the type label of the product or the rear side of the manual included in delivery
- Standard access address for a direct connection via WLAN outside of a local network: **https://smalogin.net** or **192.168.12.3**

##### **i** Using serial number of inverter for connecting to user interface

The inverter serial number is on the supplementary type label. PIC and RID for registration in the Sunny Portal are also included there. The supplementary type label is attached to the Connection Unit.

- Use serial number on supplementary type label for connecting to user interface.

#### Requirements:

- An end device (e.g. computer, tablet PC or smartphone) must be available.
- The respective latest version of one of the following web browsers must be installed: Chrome, Edge, Firefox or Safari.
- JavaScript must be enabled in the web browser of the end device.
- The installer's SMA Grid Guard code must be available to change network-relevant settings after the first 10 hours of feed-in operation, or after completing the installation assistant. You can request the SMA Grid Guard code via the Online Service Center.

**Procedure:**

1. If your end device has a WPS function:
  - Activate the WPS function on the inverter. To do this, tap twice on the enclosure lid of the Connection Unit.
    - The blue LED flashes quickly for two minutes.
  - Activate the WPS on your end device.
    - The connection with your end device will be established automatically. It can take up to 20 seconds for this connection to be established.
2. If your end device does not have a WPS function:
  - Search for Wi-Fi networks with your end device.
  - Select the SSID of the inverter **SMA[serial number]** in the list with the found WLAN networks.
  - Enter the device-specific Wi-Fi password (see WPA2-PSK on the type label of the product or the rear side of the manual included in delivery).
  - Open the web browser of your end device and enter **https://smalogin.net** in the address bar.
    - The login page of the user interface opens.
  - If the login page of the user interface does not open, enter the IP address **192.168.12.3** or, if your end device supports mDNS services, **SMA[serial number].local** or **https://SMA[serial number]** in the address bar of the web browser.

### 6.3.3 Configuring the Battery Inverter Using the Installation Assistant

#### Password assignment

All SMA devices in the system need the same password for the **Installer** user group. The password is then used as the system password and applies to all devices in the system. For the registration of the system in Sunny Portal, it is essential that all SMA devices have the same password.

- Assign a password to all SMA devices in the system.

**Procedure:**

1. Log into the user interface as an **Installer**. Assign a new password.
2. Select the configuration option **Configuration with Installation Assistant**.
  - The installation assistant will open.
3. Make the network configuration or apply the automatic configuration and select [**Save and next**].
4. Set the **Automatic time synchronization** to [**On**] and in the drop-down list **Time zone** select the desired time zone.
5. Select [**Save and next**].
6. In the drop-down list **Set country standard** select the desired country standard and then [**Save and next**].
7. In the step **Meter configuration**, select **Wattnode Modbus RTU** from the **Used energy meter** drop-down list.
8. Select [**Save and next**].
9. Grid management service configuration:
  - From the drop-down list **Connected line conductors**, select the line conductor to which the battery inverter is connected.
  - Set **Feed-in management at the grid-connection point** to [**Off**].
  - Select [**Save and next**].
10. In the step **Configuration battery/battery-backup system**, check if the connected battery has been detected and the correct battery type and serial number are listed in the overview **Detected battery types** and if a green check mark appears in the overview **Status**.

11. Select [**Save and next**].
12. Check all settings in the summary. You can export the summary or all parameters. Once all settings are correct, select [**Next**]. The configuration of the Sunny Boy Storage is now complete.

### 6.3.4 Set the Time-of-Use (optional)

#### Time-of-Use

The Time-of-Use (TOU) function is disabled by default and must be enabled by creating power profiles.

With the TOU function, you can adjust the charging behavior of the battery to your utility rate plan (electricity tariff). Energy bills are thus reduced and electricity at lower cost can be used. You can determine in which time range the battery with a specified charging power is operated. At specific times, this is mostly useful when the battery's state of charge has to take on a certain value or the rate plan makes the charging more attractive, regardless of the power at the grid connection point. The charging parameters set in the power profile are only limited by the state of charge (SOC). At times when the Time-of-Use function is not enabled, the battery is charged correspondent to the increased self-consumption for the entire system.

#### Procedure:

1. Activate the battery inverter user interface.
2. Log in as **Installer**.
3. Select the menu **User settings**.
4. Select [**Power profile**].
5. Select the button [**Active**].
6. Select the icon **Create new power profile**.
7. Enter the name of the power profile in the field **Name of the power profile**.
8. Select the entry **Time of use** in the drop-down list **Operating mode of the power profile**.
9. Enter the target charging power in the field **Forced charging power**. The power is set independently of the grid-connection point.
10. Make the time range setting. You can select on which days of the week, in which date range and at what time the power profile should be valid. Even a power profile independent of the days of the week, which should be valid on a set date, can be configured. For this, you must select the the option **Independent of days of the week**.
11. To temporarily save the power profile and to possibly create other power profiles, select the 'save' icon to the right of the overview **Created power profiles**. The data are saved temporarily on this page. The data are only transferred when the page is closed by clicking on the [**Save**] button.
12. To assign priority to multiple power profiles, select the desired power profile in the overview **Created power profiles** and set the priority by moving the power profile up or down.
13. To save the power profile and to close the page, select [**Save**].
14. To deactivate a power profile, select the desired power profile in the overview **Created power profiles** and then select the entry **Inactive** from the drop-down list **Operating mode of the power profile**.

### 6.3.5 Setting the Peak Load Shaving Function (optional)

#### Peak load shaving

With the "Peak Load Shaving" function, you can optimize the behavior of the battery inverter with respect to the power exchange at the point of interconnection. This is mostly useful when a higher supply of energy would lead to a higher electricity cost. With the "Peak Load Shaving" function, certain grid-exchange power outputs to which the battery inverter is adjusted depending on its power and battery capacity available can be set. Power peaks and additional costs can thus be avoided.

You can configure times and setpoints for the power drawn at the grid-connection point. When the loads require additional energy, the battery is discharged and the maximum value is kept constant at the grid-connection point. This is based on the prerequisite that the battery is sufficiently charged. At times when the "Peak Load Shaving" function is not activated, the battery is charged or discharged correspondent to the increased self-consumption for the entire system. The "Peak Load Shaving" function is deactivated by default and must be activated by creating power profiles.

**Procedure:**

1. Activate the battery inverter user interface.
2. Log in as **Installer**.
3. Select the menu **User settings**.
4. Select [**Power profile**].
5. Select the button [**Active**].
6. Select the icon **Create new power profile**.
7. Enter the name of the power profile in the field **Name of the power profile**.
8. Select the entry **Peak Load Shaving** from the drop-down list **Operating mode of the power profile**.
9. Enter the target feed-in power in the field **Limiting value for the grid feed-in**. When this value is reached, charging of the battery with the surplus energy starts.
10. Enter the target purchased power in the field **Limiting value for the purchased energy (from the utility grid)**. When this value is reached, discharging of the battery starts.
11. Make the time range setting. You can select on which days of the week, in which date range and at what time the power profile should be valid. Even a power profile independent of the days of the week, which should be valid on a set date, can be configured. For this, you must select the the option **Independent of days of the week**.
12. To temporarily save the power profile and to possibly create other power profiles, select the 'save' icon to the right of the overview **Created power profiles**. The data are saved temporarily on this page. The data are only transferred when the page is closed by clicking on the [**Save**] button.
13. To assign priority to multiple power profiles, select the desired power profile in the overview **Created power profiles** and set the priority by moving the power profile up or down.
14. To save the power profile and to close the page, select [**Save**].
15. To deactivate a power profile, select the desired power profile in the overview **Created power profiles** and then select the entry **Inactive** from the drop-down list **Operating mode of the power profile**.

## 6.4 Registering System in Sunny Portal

1. Register system in Sunny Portal: <https://www.sunnyportal.com/Register>
2. Carry out the system setup assistant.
3. Activate Smart Connected. To do this, select **Yes, I would like to participate in the Smart Connected program with this performance description**. in the extended system properties.

## 7 Contact

If you have technical problems with our products, please contact the SMA Service Line. The following data is required in order to provide you with the necessary assistance:

- Inverters:
  - Device type
  - Serial number
  - Firmware version
  - Event message
  - Mounting location and mounting height
  - Type and number of PV modules
  - Detailed description of the problem
- Battery:
  - Type
  - Firmware version
- Sunny Portal
  - System name in Sunny Portal
  - Access data for Sunny Portal

You can find your country's contact information at:



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