

## **User Manual**

### **Battery Energy Storage System**

### Soluna EOS 5K Pack

### About this Specification

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for installing the Soluna EOS 5K Pack. It is imperative to thoroughly read this manual before attempting to install the product and to follow the instructions diligently throughout the installation process.

If you have any doubts about the requirements, recommendations, or safety procedures described in this manual, please contact Soluna immediately for advice and clarification.

The information contained in this manual is accurate at the time of publication. However, due to ongoing updates to product design and technical specifications, our company reserves the right to make changes at any time without prior notice. Additionally, the illustrations included in this manual are intended to aid in explaining system configuration concepts and installation instructions. The items depicted in the illustrations may differ from the actual items at the installation site.

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The Soluna EOS 5K Pack is an advanced LFP lithium battery product designed to meet the highest standards of performance and safety. Equipped with a sophisticated Battery Management System (BMS), this high-voltage battery module features CAN/RS485 communication for seamless integration and monitoring. It includes comprehensive protections against under-voltage, over-voltage, over-current, over-temperature, and under temperature, ensuring optimal performance and safety under various conditions.

With its high energy density, long lifespan, and robust reliability, the Soluna EOS 5K Pack stands out as a green environmental product you can trust. Its innovative design not only enhan-ces efficiency but also contributes to sustainability, making it an ideal choice for Backup Power, Micro-grid Solutions, and Small Industrial & Commercial Energy Storage Systems.

### 2 Features

### 2.1 Features

#### • Excellent Safety Performance

Ensures the highest level of safety under various conditions.

#### • Long Cycle Life

Designed for extended usage without significant performance degradation.

#### Support CAN/RS485

Allows seamless integration and communication with other systems.

#### Parallel Interconnection

Enables the connection of several systems in parallel for increased capacity.

#### • Expandable Battery Units

Provides flexibility to scale the system as needed.

#### Backup Power

Reliable power supply during outages.

## Micro-grid Supports independent and sustainable energy systems.

#### Home Energy Storage System

Efficiently stores energy for residential use.

### 2.2 Application

- Back-up power
- Micro-grid
- Home Energy Storage system

## **3** Safety Precautions

### 3.1 Warning Signs

Warning signs are essential indicators designed to alert you to conditions that could result in severe injury or significant damage to the device. They serve as critical reminders to exercise caution and take necessary precautions to prevent hazardous situations. The table below outlines the warning signs used in this manual and their meanings:

| Sign  | Description   |
|-------|---|
| A     | High Voltage Warning: This battery pack operates at high voltage,which can cause severe injury due to electric shock.Description                      |
| ⊕⊖    | Correct Polarity: Ensure the battery polarity is correctly connected.   |
| 8     | Fire Safety: Keep the battery pack away from open flames or ignition sources.   |
| (>>   | Child Safety: Store the battery pack out of reach of children.  |
| er)   | Installation Manual: Thoroughly read the manual before installing and operating the battery pack.   |
| (ALA) | Heavy Weight Warning: The battery pack is heavy, and improper handling may result in severe injury. Utilize proper lifting techniques.                |
|       | Electrolyte Leakage: The battery pack may leak corrosive electrolyte.<br>Handle with care and adhere to appropriate safety procedures.                |
|       | Explosion Risk: The battery pack may explode under certain conditions.  |
|       | Disposal Instructions: Do not dispose of the battery pack with household waste at the end of its working life. Follow local regulations for disposal. |
|       | Compliance Requirement: Failure to follow the provided requirements and guidelines may lead to physical injury or damage to the device.               |
|       | Do not short circuit.   |
|       | Grounding conductor<br>This symbol indicates the position for connecting a groundingconductor.  |

### **3.2 Safety Instructions**

For safety reasons, it is crucial that installers thoroughly familiarize themselves with the contents of this manual and all associated warnings prior to commencing the installation.

### **General Safety Precautions**

Failure to adhere to the precautions outlined in this section can result in serious injury or property damage. Please observe the following safety guidelines:

### 3.2.1 Risks of Explosion

- Avoid subjecting the battery pack to strong impacts.
- Do not crush or puncture the battery pack.
- Never dispose of the battery pack in a fire.

### 3.2.2 Risks of Fire

- Do not expose the battery pack to temperatures exceeding 60°C.
- Keep the battery pack away from heat sources, such as fireplaces.
- Avoid exposing the battery pack to direct sunlight.
- Ensure the battery connectors do not come into contact with conductive objects like wires.

### **3.2.3 Risks of Electric Shock**

- Refrain from disassembling the battery pack.
- Do not touch the battery pack with wet hands.
- Keep the battery pack away from moisture or liquids
- Ensure the battery pack is kept away from children and animals.

### 3.2.4 Risks of Damage to the Battery Pack

• Prevent the battery pack from coming into contact with any liquids.

### 3.3 Battery Handling Guide

- Use the battery pack strictly as directed in the manual.
- Do not use the battery pack if it appears defective, cracked, broken, or fails to operate correctly.
- Do not attempt to open, disassemble, repair, tamper with, or modify the battery pack as it is not user serviceable.
- Handle the battery pack with care during transportation to avoid damage.
- Avoid impacting, pulling, dragging, or stepping on the battery pack.

### **3.4 Response to Emergency Situations**

The Soluna EOS 5K Pack consists of multiple batteries designed to prevent hazards resulting from failures. However, Soluna cannot guarantee absolute safety. Please familiarize yourself with the following emergency procedure.

### 3.4.1 Leaking Batteries

If the battery pack leaks electrolyte, avoid contact with the leaking liquid or gas. Electrolyte is corrosive and contact may cause skin irritation and chemical burns. If exposed to the leaked substance, follow these steps:

### 3.4.2 Inhalation

- Evacuate the contaminated area immediately.
- Seek medical attention without delay

### 3.4.3 Eye Contact

- Rinse eyes with flowing water for at least 15 minutes.
- Seek medical attention immediately.

### 3.4.4 Skin Contact

- Wash the affected area thoroughly with soap and water.
- Seek medical attention immediately.

### 3.4.5 Ingestion

- Induce vomiting.
- Seek medical attention immediately.

### **3.4.6 Fire Response Procedures**

In the event of a fire, always have an ABC or carbon dioxide extinguisher on hand.

The battery pack may ignite if heated above 150°C. If a fire occurs where the battery pack is installed, follow these steps:

#### • Extinguish Early

Attempt to extinguish the fire before the battery pack ignites.

#### • Safe Relocation

If extinguishing is not possible but time allows, move the battery pack to a safe area before it catches fire.

#### • Evacuate

If the battery pack has already caught fire, do not attempt to extinguish it. Evacuate the area immediately.



Caution: If the battery catches fire, it will emit noxious and poisonous gases. Do not approach the fire.

### **3.4.7 Wet Batteries**

If the battery pack becomes wet or submerged in water, do not attempt to access it. Contact Soluna or your distributor for technical assistance immediately.

### 3.4.8 Damaged Batteries

Damaged batteries are hazardous and must be handled with extreme caution. They are unfit for use and may pose a danger to people or property.

If the battery pack appears damaged, pack it in its original container and return it to Soluna or your distributor.



Leakage and Flammability: Damaged batteries may leak electrolyte or produce flammable gas. If you suspect such damage, contact Soluna for advice and information immediately.

### **3.5 Qualified Installers**

This manual, along with the tasks and procedures described herein, is intended for use by skilled professionals only. A skilled professional is defined as a trained and qualified electrician or installer who possesses all of the following skills and experience:

#### • Functional Knowledge

Understanding of the principles and operation of on-grid systems.

#### Risk Awareness

Awareness of the dangers and risks associated with installing and using electrical devices and the acceptable methods for mitigating these risks.

#### Installation Proficiency

Expertise in the installation of electrical devices.

#### • Adherence to Guidelines

Knowledge of and compliance with this manual, including all safety precautions and best practices.

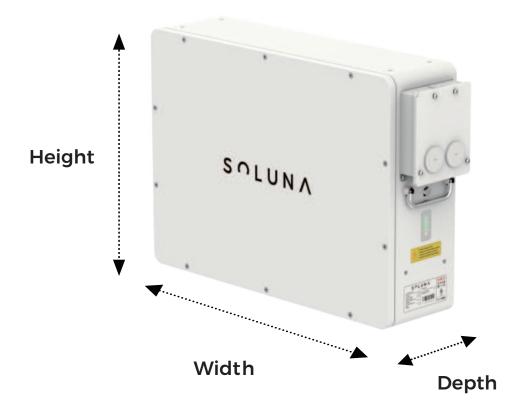
#### Battery Maintenance

Only authorized personnel should perform maintenance.Turn off the battery before maintenance.Periodically check voltage, SOC, and cables for damage or wear.Perform balancing maintenance (fully charge) every three months.

#### Installation Environment Requirements

Avoid flammable, explosive, or corrosive materials. Keep out of children's reach and avoid high temperatures.Ensure proper ventilation and avoid electromagnetic interference. Install in a sheltered, well-ventilated area, within the appropriate temperature and humidity range, and below 2000 meters altitude.

## Appearance



| Width  | 595 | mm |
|--------|-----|----|
| Depth  | 165 | mm |
| Height | 438 | mm |
| Weight | 51  | kg |

4 Appearance



| Number | Name                                      | Description   |
|--------|---|---|
| 1      | Logo                                      | Soluna brand  |
| 2      | Cable connection<br>interface             | A port or set of ports designed for<br>connecting cables, such as USB, HDMI,<br>or Ethernet, to establish connections<br>with other devices or networks.  |
| 3      | Power ON/OFF switch                       | A physical toggle or push-button<br>control to turn the device on or off. It<br>may include additional features, like<br>an LED indicator to show the device's<br>power status.   |
| 4      | Battery capacity & Status indicator light | A display or light system that shows the<br>battery's capacity (measured in milliam<br>p-hours, mAh, or watt-hours, Wh) and<br>status (e.g., charging, full, or low battery),<br>often using colors or blinking patterns. |
| 5      | Handle                                    | A functional component made of durable<br>material, designed for portability and<br>ease of carrying. It may feature ergonomic<br>grips for added comfort.  |

## **5** Technical parameters

| Physical Characteristics   |                    |
|--|--------------------|
| Width  | 595 mm             |
| Depth  | 165 mm             |
| Height   | 438 mm             |
| Weight   | 51 kg              |
| Electrical Characteristics   |                    |
| Battery type   | LFP                |
| Total Energy Capacity  | 5.12kWh            |
| Usable Energy Capacity   | 4.60kWh            |
| Battery Capacity (Nominal)   | 100Ah              |
| Nominal Voltage  | 51.2V              |
| Usable Voltage Range   | 48~57.6V           |
| Charge Current (Recommended)   | 50A                |
| Discharge Current (Recommended)                                      | 50A                |
| Max. Continuous Charge Current                                       | 75A                |
| Max. Continuous Discharge Current                                    | 100A               |
| Recommended Depth of Discharge                                       | 80% ①              |
| Max. Depth of Discharge  | 90%                |
| Internal resistance  | ≤ <b>60m</b> Ω     |
| Cycle life @ 25°C(under standard<br>charge and discharge Conditions) | ≥8000 <sup>②</sup> |
| DC Disconnect  | Contactor / Fuse   |
| Warranty   |                    |

## 5 Technical parameters

| Please refer to Soluna WARRANTY CONDITIONS |  |  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| BMS  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Power consumption                          | <3W (work), <100mW (sleep)   |  |  |  |  |
| Monitoring parameters                      | System Voltage<br>System Current<br>Cell Voltage<br>Cell Temperature               |  |  |  |  |
| Communication                              | CAN / RS485  |  |  |  |  |
| Protection                                 | Over Voltage, Under Voltage<br>Over Current, Over Temperature<br>Under Temperature |  |  |  |  |
| System Configuration                       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Module parallel                            | 1~30 Parallel  |  |  |  |  |
| Operating Conditions                       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Installation Location                      | Indoor / Outdoor   |  |  |  |  |
| Operating Temperature                      | -10~50℃  |  |  |  |  |
| Operating Temperature (Recommended)        | 15~30℃ <sup>③</sup>  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Temperature                        | -20~60 ℃   |  |  |  |  |
| Humidity                                   | 5%~95%   |  |  |  |  |
| Altitude                                   | Max. 2,000 m   |  |  |  |  |
| Cooling Strategy                           | Natural Convection   |  |  |  |  |
| Reliability & Certification                |  |  |  |  |  |
| Certificates                               | CE,RoHS,IEC62619,UL1973,UL9540,<br>UL9540A   |  |  |  |  |
| Transportation                             | UN38.3   |  |  |  |  |
| Ingress Rating                             | IP65   |  |  |  |  |

1:The default version of the battery is the non-heating version. If a heating version is required, please communicate in advane before placing an order.

## **5** Technical parameters

1:Test Conditions: 100% Depth of Discharge (DOD), 0.2 °C charge and discharge at +25±2°C for the battery at the beginning of its life. Usable energy may vary with different inverters.

2: Note: At  $25\pm2^{\circ}$ C of cell under 0.5C/0.5C test condition and 70% End of Life (EOL).

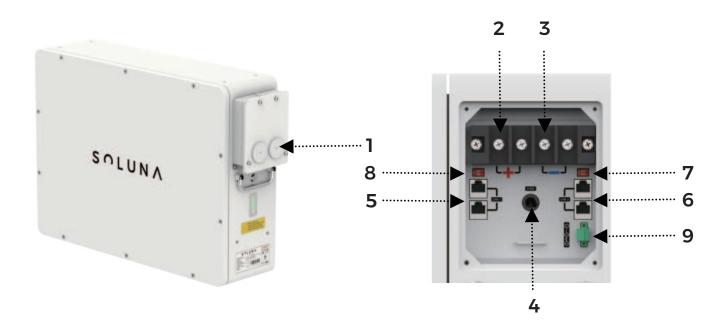
3: For long-term storage: Store battery cells in a temperature range of 5-45 °C, with relative humidity below 65%, and in a non-corrosive environment. Charge to50-55% SOC before storage to prevent significant cycle life reduction.

#### NOTE

- When a level 1 alarm is triggered, the charge or discharge rate will be reduced.
- When a level 2 alarm is triggered, charge and discharge operations will be limited to 0A.
- Prolonged discharging at currents below 0.5A may lead to inaccuracies in the State of Charge(SOC)calculation.
- Storage SOC: Maintain a State of charge (SOC) between 30% and 50% for storage, and cycle the charge-discharge process every 6 months.
- Store the battery at a temperature range of 15~30 °C, for periods not exceeding one year.

### 6 Connection Port

The connection ports of the Soluna 10K Pack LV become visible once the cover plate is opened. Please refer to the attached pictures for further details.

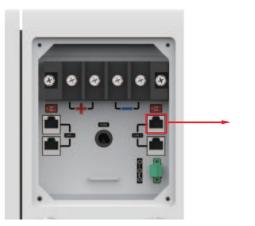


| Number | Name        | Description  |
|--------|-------------|--|
| 1      | Cover plate | This is a protective panel that safeguards the internal<br>components of a device, ensuring that delicate parts<br>are shielded from damage. It can usually be removed<br>or opened to allow access for maintenance, inspection,<br>or connections to various ports and terminals. |
| 2      | Battery+    | This is the positive terminal of the battery pack. It is<br>used to connect the positive side of the electrical load<br>or inverter.   |

| 3 | Battery-            | This is the negative terminal of the battery pack. It is<br>used to connect the negative side of the electrical<br>load or inverter.  |
|---|---------------------|---|
| 4 | FUSE                | A safety device designed to protect the electrical circuit by interrupting power flow in case of excessive current.   |
| 5 | CAN1 port           | For external communication (inverter) This port allows<br>the battery pack to communicate with the inverter,<br>facilitating power conversion and system integration.       |
| 6 | CAN2 port           | For internal communication (BMS) This port enables<br>communication within the Battery Management<br>System (BMS), ensuring efficient battery monitoring<br>and management. |
| 7 | CAN1 dial<br>switch | A manual switch associated with the CAN1 port, used for configuring or adjusting communication settings.  |
| 8 | CAN2 dial<br>switch | A manual switch associated with the CAN2 port,<br>allowing users to modify or configure communication<br>settings.  |
| 9 | Remote port         | A port designed for connecting a remote control or other external devices, enabling extended operation or monitoring.   |

## **7** COM Communication Interface Definition

Once the cover plate of the Soluna EOS 5K Pack is opened, users can view the connection ports of the battery. Please refer to the images below for detailed visuals.





#### CAN1

| 1                | 2                | 3  | 4     | 5     | 6   | 7 | 8 |
|------------------|------------------|----|-------|-------|-----|---|---|
| RS485A<br>(WIFI) | RS485B<br>(WIFI) | 5V | CAN-H | CAN-L | GND |   |   |

CAN2

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4     | 5     | 6 | 7      | 8      |
|---|---|---|-------|-------|---|--------|--------|
|   |   |   | CAN-H | CAN-L |   | RS485A | RS485B |

#### Remark:

- 1) CAN1 is used for BMS parameters monitoring
- 2) CAN2 is used for Inverter communication

## S O L U N A



Remark( Please see below information for Indicator running state.)

#### Push Button Switch

The white light will be on after pressing the button.

- Status Indicator Light
  - light is always on if there is no alarm.
  - Serious alarm: The orange status light flashes at a frequency of 1S/time.
  - No communication alarm: Orange status light flashes for 3S and lights up for 2S
  - Heating: The orange status light is always on and the green indicator light is lit in a rolling pattern from bottom to top.
  - Upgrade: All indicators flash simultaneously

### 9.1 Packing List

The following table lists the numbers of each item included. If anything is damaged or missing, contact SOLUNA or your distributor.

| Item | Name                         | Description  | Qty (pcs) | Photo         |
|------|------------------------------|--|-----------|---------------|
| 1    | Soluna EOS 5K Pack           | The battery  | 1         | anima C       |
|      | Screws-M6*16                 | 6mm x 16mm metric screws for<br>assembling or securing equipment<br>parts.                 | 4         | ****          |
| 3    | Screws-M4*8                  |  | 2         | Frank         |
| 4    | Screws-M6*10                 |  | 6         | <b></b>       |
| 5    | Wrench                       | Tool for tightening or loosening nuts, bolts, or screws.                                   | 1         |               |
| 6    | Communication<br>cable(2m)   | 2-meter cable for communication<br>and data transmission between<br>equipment and devices. | 1         | $\mathcal{O}$ |
| 7    | Communication<br>cable(0.5m) |  | 2         | $\mathcal{O}$ |

### 9.2 Installation Materials

These installation materials shall be prepared by installers.

- Charging cables
- Communication cable.

### 9.3 Installation Location

We recommend that Soluna EOS 5K Pack is used in Soluna Home energy storage systems, if not, please Make sure that the installation location meets the following conditions:

- The building is designed to withstand earthquakes.
- The location is far away from the sea, to avoid salt water and humidity.
- The floor is flat and level.
- There are no flammable or explosive materials nearby.
- The ambient temperature is between 15 and 30°C.
- The temperature and humidity stays at a constant level.
- There is minimal dust and dirt in the area.
- There are no corrosive gases present, including ammonia and acid vapor.



If the ambient temperature is outside the operating range, the battery pack stops operating to protect itself. The optimal temperature range for the battery pack to operate is 15°C to 30°C. Frequent exposure to harsh temperatures may deteriorate the performance and lifetime of the battery pack.

### 9.4 Installation Tools Requirements

#### The following tools are required to install the battery pack:

#### Remark:

Use properly insulated tools to prevent accidental electric shock or short circuits.

| ltem | Photo | Name                       |
|------|-------|----------------------------|
| 1    |       | Phillips-screwdriver bit   |
| 2    |       | Wire cutters               |
| 3    |       | Wire stripper              |
| 4    |       | Tape measure               |
| 5    | 17    | Pistol drill               |
| 6    | 10 3  | Spirit level               |
| 7    |       | Electrical insulating tape |
| 8    |       | Multimeter                 |
| 9    |       | Marker pen                 |

When handling the battery pack it is essential to wear the appropriate safety gear to protectagainst potential hazards installers must adhere to the relevant reguirements of international standards such as IEC 60364 or comply with domestic legislation.

| 1 |    | Safety goggles   |
|---|----|------------------|
| 2 | 20 | Safety shoes     |
| 3 |    | Insulated gloves |

### 9.5 Wiring Specification

In order to standardize the wiring specification of Soluna EOS 5K Pack, the following requirements are required for connecting wires of Soluna EOS 5K Pack.

| Battery Wire  | Communication Cable  |  |
|---|--|--|
| It is recommended to use 25 mm <sup>2</sup><br>(3AWG)of conductor with double<br>insulation | It is recommended to use Standard communication cable with shielding function. |  |

### 9.6 Installation Method

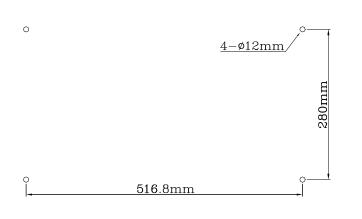
### **Wall-Mounted Installation**

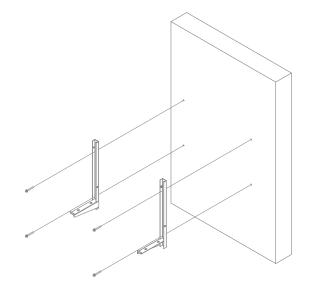
#### Step 1:

Open the expansion screw holes on the wall. (the size of the opening hole is Figure 3.3 shown)

#### Step 2:

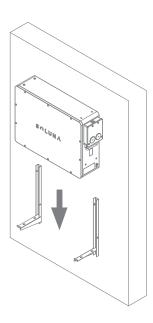
Mount the bracket to the wall with expansion screws.



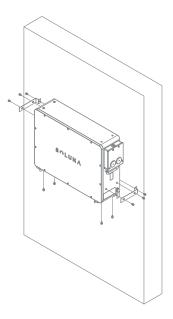


#### Step 3:

Fix the product on the wall bracket with 10 PCS M6 screws.



**Step 4:** stationary battery.



### 9.7 Installation Method

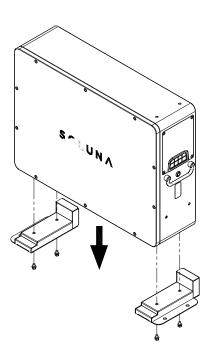
### **Ground Installation**

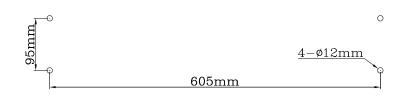
#### Step 1:

Fix the bracket on the product with 4 PCS M6 screws.

#### Step 2:

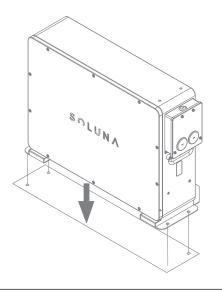
To open expansion screw holes on the floor.





#### Step 3:

Fix the product on the floor with another 4pcs M6 screws.

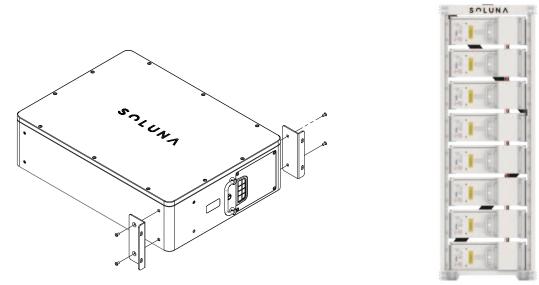


### 9.7 Installation Method

### **Cabinet Mounting**

#### Step 1:

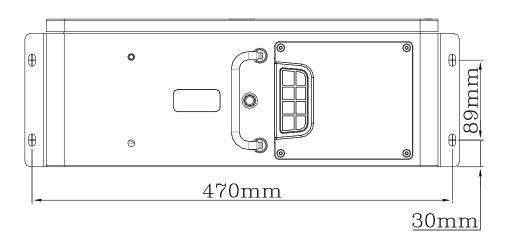
Fix the U-box accessories to the product with 4pcs M6 countersunk head screws.



Accessories and brackets are provided by us, please contact Soluna to purchase separately

#### Step 2:

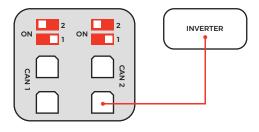
To open expansion screw holes on the floor.



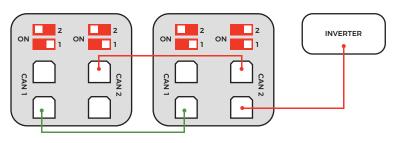
### 9.8 CAN communication connection

Please find the following drawing for details.

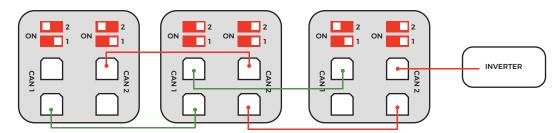
#### **1xBattery**



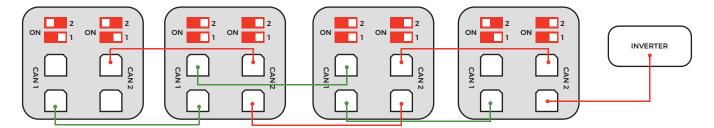
#### 2x Battery



#### **3x** Battery



### (4-30)x Battery



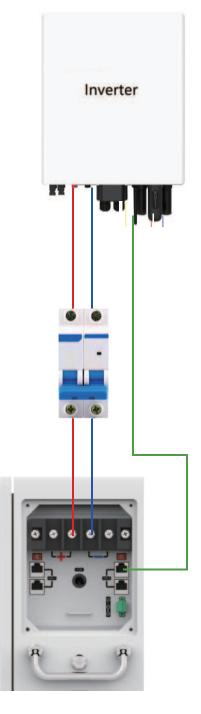
Please follow the diagram to adjust the switches, ensuring proper configuration

- CAN 1 Connection Link
  - CAN 2 Connection Link

## **10** Electrical connection

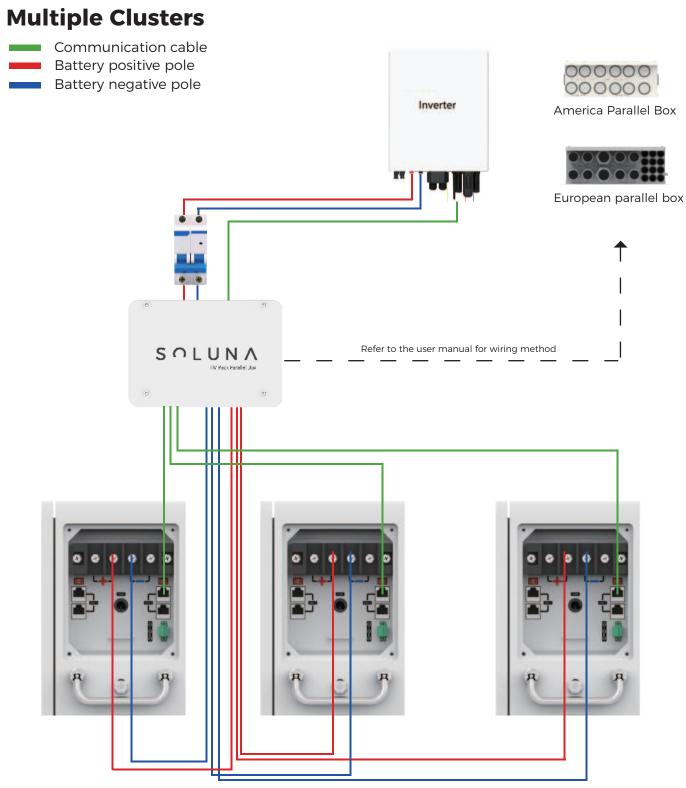
### Standalone

- Communication cable
  - Battery positive pole
  - Battery negative pole



1) The "2" on the DIP switch of the first battery CAN1 and CAN2 port should be turned to the "ON" position.

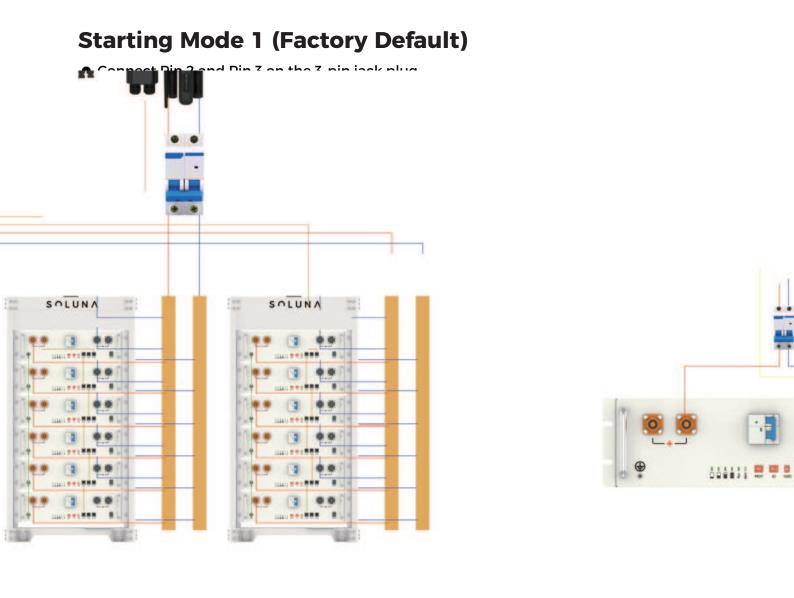
## **10** Electrical connection



- 1) The DIP switch of port CAN1 of the first parallel box should be set to the "on" position.
- 2) The DIP switches for ports CAN1 and CAN2 of the last parallel box should be set to the "on" position

## **11** Trouble shooting guideline

There are two ways to start the Soluna EOS 5K Pack. Below are the details for each mode:







## 12 Trouble shooting guideline

#### Please find the following table for details

| Phenomenon  | LED Alarm  | Possible root cause  | How to target the root cause   | Solution   |
|---|------------|--|--|--|
| No<br>communication<br>between<br>battery and<br>inverter | LED is off | 1 ) Compatible inverter firmware is not the latest version   | Please check the inverter APP or LCD/LED for firmware reversion.                           | Update inverter's firmware.  |
|   |            | 2) The battery firmware is<br>incompatible with the<br>inverter manufacturer.                              | Please use canbus tool box or<br>Soluna smart energy cloud to<br>check firmware reversion. | Update battery's firmware.   |
|   |            | 3) Installor didn't choose Soluna<br>battery correctly on inverter<br>side.                                | Please check if the selection of battery is correct or not.                                | Re-select Soluna battery on inverter.  |
|   |            | 4) Communication cable is<br>loose or not correct.   | Please check the communication cable status.   | Re-plug or change the communication cable.   |
|   |            | 5) Terminal resistor dial incorrectly.   | Check the position of resistor dial.   | Redial the terminal resistor.  |
|   |            | 6) Inverter hardware fault.  | Please change another inverter to try.   | Redial the terminal resistor.  |
|   |            | 7) Battery hardware fault.   | Please change another battery to try.  | Contact Soluna for additional support and next steps.  |
| Battery can't be<br>charged or<br>discharged              | N/A        | 1) Inverter setting incorrect<br>such as disable the charging<br>or discharging, and time<br>setting, etc. | Check the inverter setting.  | Reset the inverter setting.  |
|   |            | 2) Inverter can't read Soluna battery type correctly.  | Please check the battery type of<br>product and product name<br>shown in inverter side.    | Contact with Inverter<br>manufacturer or Soluna for<br>additional support and next<br>steps. |
|   |            | 3) Inverter hardware fault.  | Please change another inverter to try.   | Contact with Inverter manufacturer.  |
|   |            | 4) Battery hardware fault.   | Please change another battery to try.  | Contact with Soluna for<br>additional support and next<br>steps.                             |

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#### Please find the following table for details

| Battery is<br>empty over<br>discharged                           | LED is off | 1) Off-grid installation-battery<br>can't be charged for over 2<br>weeks due to no production of<br>PV system(rainy season,snow<br>season, or PV system fault). | Check the battery voltage<br>through the reserved service<br>port. If EOS 5K is less than 40V,<br>please turn off the battery and<br>contact with Soluna. | Contact with Soluna for<br>additional support and next<br>steps. |
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|  |            | 2) Customer didn't turn off the<br>battery or over 2 weeks in the<br>scenario such as:<br>A. Installation is not finished.<br>B. System failure, not running.   | If EOS 5K is less than 40V, please turn off the battery and contact   | Contact with Soluna for<br>additional support and next<br>steps. |
|  |            | 3) The battery was stocked for<br>over 2 years without charging   | Check the battery voltage<br>through the reserved service port<br>If EOS 5K is less than 40V, please<br>turn off the battery and contact<br>with Soluna.  | Contact with Soluna for<br>additional support and next<br>steps. |
| Battery is not<br>working correct<br>in parallel<br>installation | N/A        | 1) Battery communication cable is loose or not correct.   | Check the communication cable status.   | Re-plug or change the communication cable.                       |
|  |            | 2) Battery power cable is loose<br>or not connected correctly.  | Check the battery power cable.  | Fasten the power cable .   |
|  |            | 3) Battery communication port resistor missing or wrong dial  | Check the resistor dialing.   | Plug the communication port resistor or re-dial.                 |
|  |            | 4) Battery firmware is not the latest.  | Please use canbus tool box or<br>Soluna e cloud to check<br>firmware reversion.   | Update the firmware to the latest version.                       |
| Battery wifi<br>connecting<br>failure                            | N/A        | 1) The Wifi network is not compatible   | Check the end user network type   | Please choose only 2.4G wifi mode.                               |
|  |            | 2) Connecting fail  | APP will remind.  | Please read the SOP of wifi setting up.                          |
|  |            | 3) System establish failed due to S/N valid.  | APP will remind.  | Contact with Soluna for<br>additional support and next<br>steps. |

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| Minor Alarm<br>message on<br>Soluna<br>monitoring<br>system      | N/A                                | 1) Battery reach to 1st level<br>alarm such as battery over<br>voltage | No need further action.   | Please ignore it, this alarm<br>message is only used for<br>inverter strategy. The power<br>of charging/discharging will<br>be reduced. |
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| Moderate<br>Alarm message<br>on Soluna<br>monitoring<br>system   | N/A                                | 2) Battery reach to 2nd level<br>alarm such as battery over<br>voltage | No need further action.   | Please ignore it, this alarm<br>message is only used for<br>inverter strategy. The power<br>of charging/discharging will<br>be limited. |
| Protection<br>Alarm message<br>on Soluna<br>monitoring<br>system | LED is<br>blinking<br>or<br>yellow | 3) Battery reach to 3rd level<br>alarm such as battery over<br>voltage | <ol> <li>Please check the inverter<br/>LCD/LED or APP for the battery<br/>alarm information.</li> <li>Please check the Soluna e<br/>cloud for battery alarm<br/>information.</li> </ol> | Battery will shut down,<br>please contact with Soluna<br>for additional support and<br>next steps.                                      |

### **13** Depth of Discharge (DOD) Settingfor Inverter

To ensure optimal performance and smooth operation of the battery, we recommend the following settings for the inverter:

On-Grid DOD: 80%

Off-Grid DOD 70%

In energy storage systems, reducing the depth of discharge (DOD) of lithium batteries is aimed at \*\*improving system economics, extending battery life, enhancing safety, and optimizing performance\*\*. Below are the specific reasons:

#### 1. Extending Battery Life

- The cycle life of lithium batteries is closely related to the depth of discharge. Deep discharge (e.g., 80%-100% DOD) accelerates battery aging, leading to faster capacity degradation.
- Reducing DOD (e.g., controlling it between 20%-80%) can significantly extend the battery's cycle life, thereby lowering long-term maintenance and replacement costs for the energy storage system.

#### 2. Improving System Economics

- Batteries account for a significant portion of the cost in energy storage systems. Extending battery life means reducing the frequency of battery replacements and lowering the total lifecycle cost.
- Although reducing DOD decreases the available energy per cycle, the overall energy throughput (total charge-discharge capacity) may increase by extending battery life, there by improving economic efficiency.

#### 3. Enhancing Safety

- Deep discharge increases the risk of over-discharge, causing the battery voltage to drop too low, which may lead to irreversible chemical damage (e.g., dissolution of the copper current collector in the anode).
- Reducing DOD can prevent over-discharge, minimize safety risks such as thermal runaway, and ensure stable operation of the energy storage system.

14 Contact us

If you have any questions, feedback, or need assistance, please feel free to reach out to us. We are here to help!

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