

## **User Manual**

## High Voltage LFP Battery

SBR064/096/128/160/192/224/256



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## **About This Manual**

The manual mainly describes the product information, guidelines for installation, operation and maintenance. The manual cannot include complete information the system (i.e. the hybrid inverter), just the battery. The reader can get additional information about other devices at **www.sungrowpower.com** or on the webpage of the respective component manufacturer.

#### Validity

This manual is valid for the following battery models:

- SBR064
- SBR096
- SBR128
- SBR160
- SBR192
- SBR224
- SBR256

They will be referred to as "battery" hereinafter unless otherwise specified.

#### **Target Group**

This manual is intended for battery owners who will have the ability to interact with the battery and qualified personnel who are responsible for the installation and commissioning of the battery. Qualified personnel should have the following skills:

- Training for installation and commissioning of electrical system, as well as dealing with hazards
- · Knowledge of the manual and other related documents
- Knowledge of the local regulations and directives

#### How to Use This Manual

Read the manual and other related documents before performing any work on the battery. Documents must be stored carefully and be available at all times.

Images in this manual are for reference only. The actual product received may differ.

Contents may be periodically updated or revised due to the product development. It is probably that there are changes of manual in the subsequent battery edition. The latest manual can be acquired via visiting the website at **support.sungrowpower.com**.

#### Symbols

Important instructions contained in this manual should be followed during installation, operation and maintenance of the hybrid inverter. They will be highlighted by the following symbols.

#### **DANGER**

Indicates a hazard with a high level of risk that, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury.

#### A WARNING

Indicates a hazard with a medium level of risk that, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.

#### **A**CAUTION

Indicates a hazard with a low level of risk that, if not avoided, could result in minor or moderate injury.

#### NOTICE

Indicates a situation that, if not avoided, could result in equipment or property damage.



Indicates additional information, emphasized contents or tips that may be helpful, e.g. to help you solve problems or save time.

#### Abbreviation

- BMS: Battery Management System
- **BMU: Battery Management Unit**
- CAN: Controller Area Network
- CMU: Battery Cluster Management Unit
- LFP: Lithium iron phosphate
- SOC: State of Charge
- MCB: Miniature DC circuit breaker
- PACK:battery module

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## 1 Safety Instructions

When installing, commissioning, operating, and maintaining the product, strictly observe the labels on the product and the safety requirements in the manual. Incorrect operation or work may cause:

- Injury or death to the operator or a third party.
- Damage to the product and other properties.

#### A WARNING

- Do not perform any operation on the product (including but not limited to, handling, installing, powering on, or maintaining the product, performing electrical connection, and working at heights) in harsh weather conditions, such as thunder and lightning, rain, snow, and Level 6 or stronger winds. SUNGROW shall not be held liable for any damage to the device due to force majeure, such as earthquakes, floods, volcanic eruptions, mudslides, lightning strikes, fires, wars, armed conflicts, typhoons, hurricanes, tornadoes, and other extreme weathers.
- In case of fire, evacuate from the building or product area and call the fire alarm.
   Re-entry into the burning area is strictly prohibited under any circumstances.

#### NOTICE

- Tighten the screws with the specified torque using tools when fastening the product and terminals. Otherwise, the product may be damaged. And the damage caused is not covered by the warranty.
- Learn how to use tools correctly before using them to avoid hurting people or damaging the device.
- Maintain the device with sufficient knowledge of this manual and use proper tools.

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- The safety instructions in this manual are only supplements and cannot cover all the precautions that should be followed. Perform operations considering actual onsite conditions.
- SUNGROW shall not be held liable for any damage caused by violation of general safety operation requirements, general safety standards, or any safety instruction in this manual.
- When installing, operating, and maintaining the product, comply with local laws and regulations. The safety precautions in this manual are only supplements to local laws and regulations.
- During the product transport, installation, wiring, maintenance, etc., the materials and tools prepared by users must meet the requirements of applicable local laws and regulations, safety standards, and other specifications. SUNGROW shall not be held liable for any damage to the product caused by the adoption of materials and tools that fail to meet the above-mentioned requirements.
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## 1.1 Notices for Safe Use

Read all safety instructions carefully prior to any work and observe them at all times when working on or with the battery. Failure to observe the precautions described in this section can cause serious injury to persons or damage to property.

#### **DANGER**

**Risk of explosion** 

- Do not subject the battery to any strong force.
- Do not mechanically damage the battery (pierce, deform, strip down, etc.)
- Do not heat the battery or dispose of the battery in a fire.
- Do not install the battery in potentially explosive environments.
- Do not place the battery in water or other liquids.

#### **DANGER**

#### **Risk of fire**

- Do not place the battery near a heat source, such as direct sunlight, a fireplace, a thermally uninsulated wall exposed to sunlight, hot water, or a heater.
- Keep sources of ignition such as sparks, flames, and smoking materials away from the battery.

#### **DANGER**

**Risk of electric shock** 

- Do not disassemble the battery.
- Do not handle a wet battery or use wet tools.
- Do not soak the battery in water or expose it to moisture or liquids.
- Keep the battery away from children and animals.
- Wear suitable clothing, guards and gloves to prevent you from direct contact with the DC voltage.
- Use insulated tools during working with battery.
- Set aside metal jewelry before working on the DC circuit.

### **1.2 Battery Handling Information**

#### NOTICE

#### Follow local standards to use the battery.

Any man-made damage will void the limited warranty for the battery. Handle the battery with care to protect it from damage.

- Use the battery only as intended and designed.
- The battery must only be installed at a suitable location.
- Make sure the battery is well connected to ground before use.
- Do not use the battery if it is defective, appears cracked, broken or damaged, or fails to operate.
- Do not use the battery together with other types of batteries.
- Do not pull, drag or step on the battery.
- Do not leave any foreign objects inside the battery.
- Do not repair or modify the battery. It is not user serviceable.
- Do not pull out any cables when the battery is powered on.

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- Do not damage the sheath of cables, wire harness and connectors.
- While the battery is charged, used and stored, keep it away from materials that are prone to electric discharge, including static discharge.
- Keep the battery away from babies and children to avoid any accidents.
- Cover terminals with insulating tape before proper disposal.
- Avoid direct contact with rain, snow, and water, and prevent the battery from falling and mechanical impact during battery transportation.

### 1.3 Emergency Situations

#### 1.3.1 Leaking Batteries

Abuse/misuse/damage of the battery may cause increasing of internal pressure in the battery cells. It may result in the electrolyte venting. In the event that battery electrolyte is released:

- Do not enter the room under any circumstance.
- Avoid contact with the leaking liquid or gas.
- Call the Local Emergency number or Fire Brigade if necessary.

If one is exposed to the leaking substance, follow the suggestions below to minimize the chance of injury:

- Inhalation: Evacuate the contaminated area, and seek medical aid.
- Eye contact: Rinse eyes with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes, and seek medical aid immediately.
- Skin contact: Wash the affected area thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If possible, remove or saturate contaminated clothing with water. Seek medical aid if the patient is distressed.
- Ingestion: Induce vomiting, and seek medical aid immediately.

Wipe out the contacted area with a sponge or cloth that is soaked in water until you obtain medical aid. These materials can damage skin and eyes, causing blindness.

#### 1.3.2 Fire

Fire may occur with the battery despite its careful design. Likewise, a fire or unusually high temperatures near the battery can cause it to catch fire.

#### **Protective equipment**

A respirator is not required during normal operations.

In the event of a fire, hazardous fumes including carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, and/or various hydrocarbons may be emitted. To comply with the Personal Protective Equipment Directive (89/686/EEC), use a full-face self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with full protective gear during fire fighting.

#### Fire fighting

#### NOTICE

In the event of a fire, only qualified firefighters with appropriate protective equipment are permitted to enter the room where the battery is located. It may take a long time to completely extinguish the fire. Consider allowing the system to burn. Smoke indicates that the battery is still burning. Always note that there is a risk of the battery re-igniting.

Proceed as follows for fire-fighting.

- 1 Shut off any connected power system or electronics such as the battery, battery isolator, PV DC isolator(s), AC isolator, solar supply main switch and normal supply main switch.
- 2 Perform an adequate knock down on the fire before entering the incident's hot zone.
- 3 If the battery catches on fire, use fire-fighting sand, CO<sub>2</sub> extinguisher, or other emergency fire extinguishing equipment approved by fire fighters to extinguish the fire.
- 4 If the fire is not from the battery and has not spread to it yet, use an ABC fire extinguisher to extinguish the fire. Remove batteries and other ignition sources from the scene of a fire.

#### 1.3.3 Wet Batteries

If the battery is submerged in water, do not let people access it, and then contact Sungrow or an authorized service partner for technical support.

If a battery is submerged in water or flooded, first, switch off all circuit breakers in the system to cut off the power supply to the battery. Wait until floodwaters subside and do not approach near battery. If someone needs to go into the flooded water, wear insulated full length rubber boots and gloves.

Do not use a flooded battery again.

#### 1.3.4 Damaged Batteries

The battery consists of lithium-ion cells. These are considered dry cell batteries. If the battery is damaged, only a small amount of battery fluid can leak.

A damaged battery can cause rapid heating of the battery cells. If you notice smoke coming from the battery area, assume that the battery is burning and take appropriate action as described in "1.3.2 Fire".

Damaged batteries are dangerous and must be handled with extreme caution. They are not fit for use and may pose a danger to people or property. If a battery seems to be damaged:

- 1 Pack it in its original container.
- 2 Store it in a separated room like the installation place.
- 3 Contact SUNGROW.

### **DANGER**

A damaged battery may release dangerous material and a flammable gas mixture. Never try to repair the battery even if you are a qualified electrician.

## 2 **Product Description**

## 2.1 Product Introduction

#### **Brief Introduction**

The battery is designed for residential energy storage systems. The inbuilt battery management system monitors its operation and prevents the battery from operating beyond the specified limitations.

This product is a high-voltage battery system with an operating voltage range between 108 V  $\sim$  584 V. A battery system consist of 2 to 8 individual battery modules connected in series. Max.4 battery systems can be connected in parallel to compatible hybrid inverter. Please refer to hybrid inverter manual for the compatibility details.



figure 2-1 Product overview

#### NOTICE

SBR064 is only applicable to SH3.0-6.0RS.

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Position	Designation
	LED Indicator
٨	LED indicator include the SOC indicator and the status indicator. The status
A	indicator is also used as the power button.
	LED indicator indicates the SOC value and status of the battery system.
	Nameplate
	The nameplate clearly indentifies the product. The nameplate must remain
	permanently attached to the product. You will find the following information
B on the nameplate:	
	SUNGROW logo and product model
	Technical data
	Product symbol
С	DC circuit breaker

#### table 2-1 Design of the product

### **Major Components**





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Name	Designation
A	Base
В	Battery module
С	Top cover
D	Switch gear
E	Side cover
F	Empty module*

#### NOTICE

Battery module: Single module is 3.2 kWh and used in SBR064-256 battery system.
\*Empty module: 1. Decorative accessory, which makes the battery height higher, and on the SBR064, which makes the switch gear fit perfectly into the modules.
2. It has the same appearance as Battery module, with a built-in conduction line and does not contain battery cells.

3. Standard on SBR064, optional on SBR096-256.

table 2-2 Configuration Table

No.	Model	Base	Battery module	Top cover	Switch gear	Side cover
1	SBR064	1	2	1	1	2
2	SBR096	1	3	1	1	3
3	SBR128	1	4	1	1	4
4	SBR160	1	5	1	1	5
5	SBR192	1	6	1	1	6
6	SBR224	1	7	1	1	7
7	SBR256	1	8	1	1	8

## 2.2 Terminal Description

All electrical terminals are located at the switch gear.





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No.	Label	Description
1	P-	The system negative terminal, connected to the hybrid inver-
	F-	ter negative terminal
2	P+	The system positive terminal, connected to the hybrid inverter
2	FT	positive terminal
3	СОММ	To enable the communication between the hybrid inverter and
5	COMM	the battery
4	Ē	Grounding terminal, connected to the ground
5	DC circuit	To connect/disconnect the DC circuit, for power-on, power-off,
5	breaker	and short-circuit protection

## 2.3 Symbols on the Product

Symbol	Explanation
$\mathbf{\Lambda}$	Pay attention to the danger. Do not operate this product in the live
	status!
	No open flames
	Do not expose to flame, incinerate, puncture, or impact.
	Electric shock hazard
<u>_</u> <sup>η</sup>	Serviced by qualified personnel only. Out of reach from children.
TÜVRheinland CERTIFED	TÜV mark of conformity
SUD SUD	TÜV mark of conformity
CE	CE mark of conformity
	EU/EEA Importer
UK CA	UKCA mark of conformity
X	Do not dispose in trash.
	Compacting a lithium ion battery is dangerous as it can explode.
	Please recycle this lithium ion battery. Do not discard.
i	Read the user manual before maintenance!
	This is a protective grounding terminal, which should be grounded se-
	curely to protect the safety of operators.

### 2.4 LED Indicator

LED indicators include the SOC indicator and the status indicator. The status indicator is also used as the power button.



#### **SOC Indicator**

The SOC indicator indicates the current SOC value of the battery. One bar indicates the SOC value of 10%.



#### **Status Indicator**

The Status indicator indicates the current state of the battery.

LED color	LED indicator	LED state	Definition
		ON	Normal operation (without fault)
$\bigcirc$		Slow blink	The battery is at power-on or standby state
	Blue	Period: 2 s	or firmware update state(without fault).
		Fast blink	Battery self-test in process.
			Dattery sen-test in process.
		ON	A system fault has occured.
()	Red	Diala	The battery is at power-on or standby state
		Blink	(with primary fault).

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The status indicator can be used to power on the battery.

Operation	Definition
Press and hold for less than 2 seconds	To power on the battery*

#### NOTICE

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\*The start mode is black start, please refer to "5.2 Commissioning Procedure" for details.

## 3 Unpacking and Storage

## 3.1 Unpacking and Inspection

The product is thoroughly tested and strictly inspected before delivery. Nonetheless, damage may still occur during shipping. For this reason, please conduct a thorough inspection after receiving the product.

- Check the packing case for any visible damage.
- · Check the scope of delivery for completeness according to the packing list.
- Check the inner contents for damage after unpacking.

Contact SUNGROW or the transport company in case of any damage or incompleteness, and provide photos to facilitate services.

Do not dispose of the original packing case. It is recommended to store the device in the original packing case when the product is decommissioned.

#### NOTICE

- After receiving the product, check whether the appearance and structural parts of the device are damaged, and check whether the packing list is consistent with the actual ordered product. If there are problems with the above inspection items, do not install the device and contact your distributor first. If the problem persists, contact SUNGROW in time.
- If any tool is used for unpacking, be careful not to damage the product.

## 3.2 Scope of Delivery



Item	Name	Quantity
А	Base	1
В	Battery module	2 - 8
С	Empty module*	1
D	Top cover	1
E	Switch gear <sup>1</sup>	1
F	Bracket	1
G	Side cover	2 - 8
Н	Communication connector	1
1	M5*125 hex socket screw (optional)	1
J	Foot	4
К	M5*14 hex socket screw <sup>2</sup>	14 - 24
L	Expansion plug set	2
М	M5 screw sets <sup>2</sup>	6
Ν	M6 fender washer <sup>2</sup>	5
0	SUNCLIX connector or MC4	1
0	Connector	I
Р	OT terminal	1
Q	Communication cable fastening tool**	1
R	Documents	1

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2. The number of parts marked with "2" is greater than required. Please refer to the installation steps for the specific quantity needed.

\* Only SBR064 provides empty module, SBR096-256 does not provides empty module.

\*\* This accessory is intended for circular communication connectors only.

### 3.3 Storage

Proper storage is required if the battery is not installed immediately.

- Store the battery in the original packing case with the desiccant inside.
- Preferably, keep the temperature in the range of 15°C 25°C and install the battery as soon as possible. Store the battery within the temperature range of -10°C to 35°C for no more than 12 months (The start of the storage time is the production time of the battery module. The production time can be checked by Sungrow sales network such as local distributors via the Serial Numbers of the battery modules.).
- The storage relative humidity must be always between 0 and 95%, non-condensing.
- Store the battery in a clean and dry place, without exposure to sunlight and rain. The storage location must be free of harmful gases, flammable/explosive products and corrosive chemicals. The battery should be prevented from mechanical impact, high pressure, high-intensity magnetic field and direct exposure to sunlight.
- Pay attention to the harsh environment, such as sudden cooling/heating and collision, to avoid damage to the battery.
- The number of stacking layers of battery modules with package must not exceed 6. It is strictly forbidden to directly stack batteries without package.
- Regularly inspect the package for damage and insect bites. If any damage is found, the product should be replaced immediately.
- The packing should be upright.
- If stored for more than 12 months (Calculated from battery production date) under the specified conditions, the battery needs to be charged once, until the system SOC is 30%. Preferably, use an hybrid inverter for forced charging.



If the battery is stored over one year, min.5% and max.10% SOH of the capacity may lose irreversibly according to the level of the improper storage.

## 4 Mounting

## 4.1 Safety during Mounting

#### A WARNING

This product or system must be operated by professionals!

Failure to follow the safety instructions in this manual or operation of this product or system by non-professionals may cause severe personal injury or major property damage.

#### A WARNING

Strictly follow local relevant standards and requirements in the whole process of installation.

### 4.2 Location Requirements

Select an optimal mounting location for safe operation, long service life and expected performance.

The battery with IP55 can be installed both indoors and outdoors.

Install the battery in a place convenient for electrical connection, operation, and maintenance.

### 4.3 Installation Environment Requirements

- The installation environment must be free of inflammable or explosive materials.
- The location should be not accessible to children.
- In order to ensure that the battery has a better working condition and longer service life, it is recommended to install the battery at a temperature of 10-30°C throughout the year environment. Please refer to "10.1 Technical Data" for the maximum operation temperature range.
- The relative humidity must be always between 0 and 95%, non-condensing.
- Avoid direct exposure to sun, rain and snow.
- The battery should be well ventilated. Ensure air circulation.

## 4.4 Installation Clearance Requirements

• Reserve enough clearance around the battery to ensure sufficient space for heat dissipation.



• In case of multiple batteries, reserve specific clearance between the batteries.

≥350 mm	≥350 mm	≥350 mm	≥350 mm

#### NOTICE

The distance is only the recommended distance, which can be adjusted according to the actual situation.

## 4.5 Installation Tools

Installation tools include but are not limited to the following recommended ones. If necessary, use other auxiliary tools on site.





ing tool(4–6 mm<sup>2</sup>)

## 4.6 PE Cable Preparation

crimping tool

Additional grounding cable is prepared by customers.

(ST6.3,M4,M5,M6)

table 4-2 Cable requirements

Туре	Specification
Complying with 1000V and 105°C standard	4–6 mm <sup>2</sup>

Prepare the cable and OT/DT terminal.



## 4.7 Assemble DC Connectors

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#### Assembling the MC4 Connectors

To ensure IP65 protection, use only the supplied connector.

1. Strip the insulation from the cable by 7 mm - 8 mm.



2. Assemble the cable ends with the crimping pliers.



3. Lead the cable through cable gland, and insert the crimp contact into the insulator until it snaps into place. Gently pull the cable backward to ensure firm connection. Tighten the cable gland and the insulator (torque 2.5 N•m to 3 N•m).



#### Assembling the SUNCLIX Connector

#### NOTICE

During assembly, be careful not to contaminate, pull out, or shift, the seal in the cable gland. A contaminated or shifted seal impairs strain relief and leak tightness.



figure 4-1 SUNCLIX Connector Components

1: Spring	2: Sleeve	3: Insert	4: Cable gland
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1. Strip the insulation from the cable by 10mm - 15 mm.



2. Pry the connection open and pull the sleeve and the insert apart.



3. Insert the stripped cable into the cable gland up to the stop. The stranded wire can be seen inside the spring. Press the spring down until it audibly snaps into place.



4. Push the insert into the sleeve and tighten the cable gland (torque 2 N·m).



## 4.8 Assembling the Communication Connector



If the communication connector received is G2, please skip this step.

Two types of communication connectors are available for the battery products. The communication connector that comes with the delivery should prevail.

#### **Circular Communication Connector**

1. Unscrew the swivel nut from the connector.



2. Remove the inner rubber gasket.



3. Insert the RJ45 plug into the front plug connector until there is an audible click, and install the rubber gasket.





It is recommended that the RJ45 connector be exposed 9–11 mm outside the communication connector.

4. Tighten the swivel nut.



1. Prepare the required materials.



2. Crimp the RJ45 plug on the cable, and lead it through the cable gland and then the connector accessory.



3. Put the adapter on the RJ45 plug. Then, fit the assembly of adapter and RJ45 plug, along with the network cable, into the connector accessory.



6. Tighten the cable gland (at a torque of 1.8–2.0 N.m).



### Removing the Square-shaped Communication Connector

1. Loosen the cable gland on the communication connector.



2. Press down on the tab to push the adapter out.



3. Press down on the adapter to pull out the network cable.



## 4.9 Installing the Battery



Assemble the battery on a flat surface. The SBR128 mounting will be used as an example.

step 1 Install the feet of the battery.

#### Method 1



Method 2



step 2 Align the base with the wall, and keep a distance of 30 mm to 45 mm between the base and the wall. Mark the hole positions of the mounting bracket with a marker according to the required layout of holes.



step 3 Drill the holes according to the marked positions, and install the expansion sleeves.



step 4 Position the base maintaining the required distance from the wall.



step 5 Place each battery module on top of the base.





Tom modul (8,2 kg)



#### step 6 Fix the battery to the wall.

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The bracket is mounted on the top battery module.

The mounting position can be fine-tuned through oval holes in the back.

Goggles and gloves are necessary when drilling holes for protection. Shield the battery during drilling. After drilling, clean up debris in time.

step 7 Fix the battery modules with the included screws.


step 8 Connect the switch gear to the base.





Ensure that the DC circuit breaker is disconnected.

step 9 Fix the switch gear with the provided M5 screw or stud.





When 4 or more than 4 battery modules are installed in one base, M5 screw set is required to secure the switch gear. The stud is mounted on the top of battery module.

step 10 Connect the harness.



**Connection Diagram** 

Circular Communication Connector :



For communication between the battery and the hybrid inverter, after connecting the communication cable to the COMM port, use the communication cable fastening tool to tighten the cable clockwise. Then connect to the hybrid inverter using the other end of the communication cable. Strip the insulation layer of the communication cable with a wire stripper, and lead the corresponding CAN1\_H/CAN1\_L signal cable out. Cut off the redundant signal cable and warp it with a heat-shrink tubing. Signal cable 1 white and orange cable is used as CAN1\_H; and signal cable 2 orange cable is used as CAN1\_L.



### NOTICE

Please ensure that the MC4 cable are connected to same terminals, as shown below.



step 11 Place the top cover and fix it with the screws provided.



step 12 (Optional) Install the side covers.





When 4 or more than 4 battery modules are installed in one base, side covers are required.



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## **5** Commissioning/Startup Procedure

## 5.1 Inspection before Commissioning

Check the following items before starting the battery:

- Check that the battery system has been installed completely.
- Check that the appearance of the battery system is intact.
- Check that the battery system output wiring harness is correctly connected to the positive and negative terminals of the battery and hybrid inverter to avoid misconnection and reverse connection.
- If a combiner box is used, check whether the connection between the battery and the combiner box and the connection between the combiner box and the hybrid inverter is complete, and whether the positive and negative terminals are correctly connected. (Combiner box not sale in EU)

## 5.2 Commissioning Procedure

If all of the items mentioned above meet the requirements, proceed as follows to start up the battery for the first time.

- step 1 Connect all the switches on the AC and DC sides of the hybrid inverter.
- step 2 Manually connect the DC breaker on the right side of the battery so that the BMS enters the self-test state. The status indicator blinks in blue. Wait until the indicator is steady on in blue, which indicates that the battery system is powered on and runs normally.



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#### Black Start:

If the communication is established for the first time between the battery and the hybrid inverter, and the hybrid inverter has no DC power supply and no AC power supply. Manually connect the DC breaker on the right side of the battery so that the BMS enters the self-test state. The status indicator blinks in blue. Ten seconds later, press and hold the status indicator for less than 2 seconds. Wait until the indicator is steady on in blue, which indicates that the battery system is powered on and runs normally.

#### step 3 Close the protective cover.



#### **WARNING**

During commissioning, if there is a short-circuit fault in the battery system, disconnect the power cable between the switch gear and the hybrid inverter, check the battery system wiring, and eliminate the short-circuit fault point. Execute step 2, check whether there is a fault in the battery (the indicator light is red), and obtain fault information through iSolarCloud to contact SUNGROW to repair the battery system.

### NOTICE

The battery can only be connected to hybrid inverter produced by SUNGROW, as listed below:

- Three-phase model: SH5.0RT, SH6.0RT, SH8.0RT, SH10RT.
- Single-phase model: SH3.0RS, SH3.6RS, SH4.0RS, SH5.0RS, SH6.0RS.



Pay attention the hybrid inverter firmware version should be same that is illustrated in hybrid inverter manuals.

- - End

## 6 Decommissioning the Battery/Shutdown Procedure

Decommission the battery in the system after the hybrid inverter is decommissioned. Proceed as follows to decommission the battery.

- step 1 Disconnect the DC circuit breaker.
- step 2 One minute after the DC circuit breaker is disconnected, disconnect all cables between the battery and other devices.

- - End



Contact SUNGROW to dispose of the battery.

### **WARNING**

If a combiner box is used, power off the DC and AC sides of the hybrid inverter, and disconnect DC circuit breaker of all battery systems before operating the battery system.

# 7 Viewing Battery information

## NOTICE

If you want to check battery information, please complete the plant creation in iSolarCloud first. For details on how to create a plant in iSolarCloud, please refer to *iSolarCloud App User Manual*, which can be obtained by scanning the following QR code.



### Viewing Battery information on iSolarcloud App

1. Log in to the iSolarCloud App, tap **Overview**, the battery charging energy from PV then be displayed.



2. Tap Device, Tap Battery, Battery parameters then be consulted.Device information : Basic information about the battery device.Other information : Basic information about battery operating parameters.



### Viewing Battery information on iSolarcloud Web

1. Log in to the iSolarCloud Web, tap **Overview**, the battery charging energy from PV then be displayed.



2. Tap Device information, Tap Battery,Battery parameters then be consulted.

Device information : Basic information about the battery device。

Other information : Basic information about battery operating parameters.



## 8 Battery Augmentation

Battery charging and discharging may take a long time. So before adding new battery modules, please finish charging and discharging the battery system on site remotely referring to *brief introduction of battery augmentation* on the support website to avoid the installer waiting on site.

## A WARNING

Before adding new battery modules, make sure to follow the document mentioned above to charge and discharge batteries on site by iSolarCloud App. After setting, the battery system on site will be automatically charged and discharged, so that the SOC of batteries on site will be consistent with the battery modules to be added. Otherwise, the battery system may not operate normally after the new modules are added, and the problems caused will not be covered by the warranty.

## 9 Troubleshooting and Maintenance

## 9.1 Troubleshooting

In the event of any fault occurring to the battery system, the fault information can be viewed on the iSolarCloud App. If the hybrid inverter is equipped with an LCD display, you may check the fault information on the screen. Fault codes and the corresponding troubleshooting methods are listed in the table below.

Fault Name	Fault Code	Corrective Measure		
	703, 711, 712, 715, 717	<ol> <li>Generally, the fault will disappear by itself within 20 min.</li> <li>In the event of continual and frequent occurrence of this fault, please switch off the battery system, and contact the installer or manufacturer to check whether the inverter is damaged.</li> <li>Please contact the installer or the manufacturer if the issue persists for a long time. Switch off the battery system immediately if the SOC drops below 3% to avoid</li> </ol>		
		damage caused by battery over-discharge.		
Battery fault	707, 733	<ol> <li>Check whether there is a heat source near the battery system, and measure the ambient temperature. The operating temperature range of the battery system is 0 to 55°C for charging, and -20 to 55°C for discharging. Please check whether the ambient temperature or the battery temperature goes beyond this range. In case the battery is placed near a heat source or in an unventilated environment, or the ambient temperature is too high, please improve the installation environment for the battery system.</li> <li>Please contact the installer or the manufacturer if the issue persists for a long time. Switch off the battery system immediately if the SOC drops below 3% to avoid damage caused by battery over-discharge.</li> </ol>		

Fault Name	Fault Code	Corrective Measure			
	708, 734	1. The operating temperature range of the battery sys- tem is 0 to 55°C for charging, and -20 to 55°C for dis- charging. Please check whether the ambient temperature or the battery temperature falls below this range. In case the ambient temperature is too low, please improve the installation environment for the battery system.			
		2. Please contact the installer or the manufacturer if the issue persists for a long time. Switch off the battery system immediately if the SOC drops below 3% to avoid damage caused by battery over-discharge.			
		1. Check whether the communication cable between the battery and the inverter is incorrectly or loosely connected.			
	714	<ol> <li>Replace the communication cable if the problem is not resolved.</li> <li>Please contact the installer or the manufacturer if the</li> </ol>			
		issue persists for a long time. Switch off the battery sys- tem immediately if the SOC drops below 3% to avoid damage caused by battery over-discharge.			
		<ol> <li>Please contact the installer or manufacturer to up- grade the hybrid inverter, WiNet, and battery software to the latest version.</li> </ol>			
	732	2. Please contact the installer or the manufacturer if the issue persists for a long time. Switch off the battery system immediately if the SOC drops below 3% to avoid damage caused by battery over-discharge.			
		1. Generally, the battery will return to normal automatically;			
	735, 736, 737	<ol> <li>If the problem is not resolved, switch off the battery system, and restart it after 5 minutes.</li> <li>Please contact the installer or the manufacturer if the</li> </ol>			
		issue persists for a long time. Switch off the battery sys- tem immediately if the SOC drops below 3% to avoid damage caused by battery over-discharge.			

Fault Name	Fault Code	Corrective Measure		
		1. Switch off the battery system, and restart it after 5 minutes.		
	739	2. Please contact the installer or the manufacturer if the issue persists for a long time. Switch off the battery system immediately if the SOC drops below 3% to avoid damage caused by battery over-discharge.		
		<ol> <li>Check whether the client RACK is incorrectly or loosely connected. Switch off the battery, and restart it after 5 minutes.</li> </ol>		
	740	2. Please contact the installer or the manufacturer if the issue persists for a long time. Switch off the battery system immediately if the SOC drops below 3% to avoid damage caused by battery over-discharge.		
		<ol> <li>Please contact the installer or manufacturer to up- grade the hybrid inverter, WiNet, and battery software to the latest version.</li> </ol>		
	741	2. If the problem is not resolved, please check whether the system configuration is correct (SUNGROW single- phase hybrid inverter used with battery system consisting of 2~6 PACKs; SUNGROW three-phase hybrid inverter used with battery system consisting of 3~8 PACKs).		
		3. Please contact the installer or the manufacturer if the issue persists for a long time. Switch off the battery system immediately if the SOC drops below 3% to avoid damage caused by battery over-discharge.		
	742	<ol> <li>Please check whether the power cables are connected in inverse or poorly connected.</li> <li>Please contact the installer or the manufacturer if the</li> </ol>		
	142	issue persists for a long time. Switch off the battery sys- tem immediately if the SOC drops below 3% to avoid damage caused by battery over-discharge.		

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Fault Name	Fault Code	Corrective Measure		
		1. Generally, the battery will return to normal automatically;		
	742 744 745	<ol><li>If the problem is not resolved, please upgrade the battery software.</li></ol>		
	743, 744, 745	3. Please contact the installer or the manufacturer if the issue persists for a long time. Switch off the battery system immediately if the SOC drops below 3% to avoid damage caused by battery over-discharge.		
		<ol> <li>Please contact the installer or manufacturer to up- grade the hybrid inverter, WiNet, and battery software to the latest version.</li> </ol>		
	746	<ol> <li>If the problem is not resolved, please contact the in- staller to change the order of PACKs and re-install the battery system.</li> </ol>		
		3. Please contact the installer or the manufacturer if the issue persists for a long time. Switch off the battery system immediately if the SOC drops below 3% to avoid damage caused by battery over-discharge.		
		1. Switch off the battery system, and restart it after 5 minutes.		
		2. If the problem is not resolved, please upgrade the battery software.		
	747	3. Please contact the installer or the manufacturer if the issue persists for a long time. Switch off the battery system immediately if the SOC drops below 3% to avoid damage caused by battery over-discharge.		

Fault Name	Fault Code	Corrective Measure			
	833	<ol> <li>Please contact the installer or manufacturer to up- grade the hybrid inverter, WiNet, and battery software to the latest version.</li> </ol>			
		2. If the problem is not resolved, please check whether the system configuration is correct (SUNGROW single- phase hybrid inverter used with battery system consisting of 2~6 PACKs; SUNGROW three-phase hybrid inverter used with battery system consisting of 3~8 PACKs).			
		3. If the problem is not resolved, please contact the in- staller to change the order of PACKs and re-install the battery system.			
		4. Please contact the installer or the manufacturer if the issue persists for a long time. Switch off the battery system immediately if the SOC drops below 3% to avoid damage caused by battery over-discharge.			
	932, 939, 964 937, 941, 942	1. Generally, the battery will return to normal automatically.			
		2. Please contact the installer or the manufacturer if the issue remains unresolved for a long term. Turn off the battery immediately if the SOC drops below 3% to avoid damage caused by battery over-discharge			
Battery alarm		1. Generally, the battery will return to normal automatically.			
		<ol><li>If the problem is not resolved, please upgrade the battery software.</li></ol>			
		3. Please contact the installer or the manufacturer if the issue remains unresolved for a long term. Turn off the battery immediately if the SOC drops below 3% to avoid damage caused by battery over-discharge			

Fault	Fault Code	Corrective Measure		
Name				
		1. Check whether there is a heat source near the battery system, and measure the ambient temperature. The op-		
		erating temperature range of the battery system is 0 to		
		55°C for charging, and -20 to 55°C for discharging.		
		Please check whether the ambient temperature or the battery temperature goes beyond this range. In case the		
	933	battery is placed near a heat source or in an unventilated environment, or the ambient temperature is too high,		
		please improve the installation environment for the bat-		
		tery system.		
		2. Please contact the installer or the manufacturer if the		
		issue persists for a long time. Switch off the battery sys-		
		tem immediately if the SOC drops below 3% to avoid		
		damage caused by battery over-discharge.		
		1. The operating temperature range of the battery sys-		
		tem is 0 to 55°C for charging, and -20 to 55°C for dis-		
		charging. Please check whether the ambient		
		temperature or the battery temperature falls below this		
		range. In case the ambient temperature is too low, please		
	934	improve the installation environment for the battery		
		system.		
		2. Please contact the installer or the manufacturer if the		
		issue persists for a long time. Switch off the battery sys-		
		tem immediately if the SOC drops below 3% to avoid		
		damage caused by battery over-discharge.		
		1. Generally, the battery will return to normal		
		automatically.		
		2. If the problem is not resolved, switch off the battery		
	005	system, and restart it after 5 minutes.		
	935	3. Please contact the installer or the manufacturer if the		
		issue remains unresolved for a long term. Turn off the		
		battery immediately if the SOC drops below 3% to avoid		
		damage caused by battery over-discharge		

## 9.2 Maintenance

#### NOTICE

When adding new battery modules for capacity expansion, please contact SUN-GROW and follow the instruction released by SUNGROW. Otherwise, the system performance will be affected or even cannot operate properly.

Below is the recommended maintenance cycle. The actual maintenance cycle should be adjusted according to the specific installation environment of this product.

The power station scale, installation location and on-site environment affect the maintenance cycle of this product. In sandy or dusty environments, it is necessary to shorten the maintenance cycle and increase the frequency of maintenance.

Inspection item	Inspection method		
	Check the following items. In case of nonconformity, take corrective actions immediately:		
	Check the battery module and and switchgear for damage or deformation.		
Battery module status and cleanliness	<ul> <li>Check the battery system for abnormal noise dur- ing operation.</li> </ul>		
	Check whether the temperature inside the battery system is too high.		
	• Check whether the internal humidity and dust of the battery module are within the normal ranges. If necessary, clean the battery module.		
Warning sign	Check whether the warning sign and label are legible		
Warning sign	and dirty. If necessary, clean them.		
Wire and cable	Check whether the switch gear and hybrid inverter		
	are reliable connection.		
Corrosion	Check the outside of the battery system for oxidation		
	or rust.		

#### Maintenance performed once a year

Inspection item	Inspection method		
	Check the following items. In case of nonconformity, take corrective actions immediately:		
Switch gear and battery	<ul> <li>Check whether there are flammable objects around the battery module.</li> </ul>		
module	<ul> <li>Check whether the battery module is reliably fixed on the wall, and whether any fixing point is corroded.</li> </ul>		
	Check the switch gear and battery module for damage, paint peeling, oxidation, etc.		
	The inspection must not be carried out until all internal de-		
	vices of the battery module are powered off!		
	In case of nonconformity found in inspection, take correc-		
	tive actions immediately:		
Wire and cable layout	<ul> <li>Check the cable layout for short circuit and compliance with the specifications. If case of any abnormality, take corrective actions immediately.</li> </ul>		
	Check the battery module for internal seepage of water.		
	• Check whether the cables are loose, and tighten them according to the aforesaid torque.		
Grounding	Check whether the grounding is correct.		
	Check whether the current, voltage and temperature in		
Function inspection	the isolar cloud app of the battery system are within the		
	operating ranges.		

## Maintenance performed once every six months

# 10 Appendix

## 10.1 Technical Data

table 10-1 Technical parameters of high voltage LFP battery(SBR064 / SBR096 / SBR128 / SBR160).

Devenueteve	CDDAC4	CDDAAC	000400	CDD4C0
Parameters	SBR064	SBR096	SBR128	SBR160
System Data				
Battery Type LiFePO4 Prismatic Cell				
Battery Module		3.2 kWh, 3	33 kg	
Energy (usable) <sup>1</sup>	6.4 kWh	9.6 kWh	12.8 kWh	16 kWh
Nominal voltage	128 V	192 V	256 V	320 V
Operating voltage	108V-146 V	162 V– 219 V	216 V– 292 V	270 V– 365 V
Rated DC power	3.84 kW	5.76 kW	7.68 kW	9.60 kW
Max. charge/dis- charge power	4.38 kW	6.57 kW	8.76 kW	10.95 kW
Max. charging /				
discharging cur-		30 A		
rent: continuous				
Depth of Discharge		Max. 100% DOI	D(settable)	
Short circuit		3500A	N N	
current		5500F	n	
Display		SOC indicator, Sta	atus indicator	
Communication	CAN			
interface		CAN		
Protection				
Over / under volt-		N/s s		
age protection		Yes		
Over current				
protection		Yes		
Over / under tem-				
perature protection		Yes		
DC breaker		Yes		
General Data				
Dimensions	625 * 545 *	625 * 545 * 330	625 * 675 *	625 * 805 *
	330	025 545 550	330	330
(W*H*D)	mm	mm	mm	mm
Weight	89kg	114kg	147kg	180kg
Installation location	Indoor / Outdoor			
Mounting method				

Parameters	SBR064	SBR096	SBR128	SBR160	
Operating		Charge: 0 t	to 55°C		
temperature		Discharge: -20 to 55°C			
Degree of		IDEE			
protection		IP55			
Allowable relative	00/ to $050/$ no condensing				
humidity range		0 /0 10 95 /0 110 0	0% to 95% no condensing		
Max. operating		2000 m			
altitude					
Cooling method	Natural convection				
Warranty <sup>2</sup>	10 Years				
Expansion	Up to 4 units in parallel(need extra Combiner box)			box )	
adaptation				DUX )	

1: Test conditions: 25°C,100% depth of discharge (DOD), 0.2C charge and discharge.

2: Refer to battery warranty card for conditional application.

3: SBR064 consits of 2 battery modules and 1 empty module.

table 10-2 Technical parameters of high voltage LFP battery(SBR192 / SBR224 / SBR256).

Parameters	SBR192	SBR224	SBR256
System Data			
Battery Type		LiFePO4 Prismatic Ce	I
Battery Module		3.2 kWh, 33 kg	
Energy (usable) <sup>1</sup>	19.2 kWh	22.4 kWh	25.6 kWh
Nominal voltage	384 V	448 V	512 V
Operating voltage	324 V – 438 V	378 V – 511 V	432 V – 584 V
Rated DC power	11.52 kW	13.44 kW	15.36 kW
Max. charge/dis-	10 11 100	4E 00 KM	
charge power	13.14 kW	15.33 kW	17.52 kW
Max. charging / dis-			
charging current:	30 A		
continuous			
Depth of Discharge	Ν	/lax. 100% DOD(settab	le)
Short circuit current		3500A	
Display	SO	C indicator, Status indic	cator
Communication		CAN	
interface		CAN	
Protection			
Over / under voltage	Yes		
protection			
Over current	Vee		
protection		Yes	

Parameters	SBR192	SBR224	SBR256		
Over / under tem-	Vez				
perature protection		Yes			
DC breaker		Yes			
General Data					
Dimensions	625 * 935 * 330	625 * 1065 * 330	625 * 1195 * 330		
(W*H*D)	mm	mm	mm		
Weight	213kg	246kg	279kg		
Installation location		Indoor / Outdoor			
Mounting method		Floor stand			
Operating	Charge: 0 to 55°C				
temperature	Discharge: -20 to 55°C				
Degree of protection	IP55				
Allowable relative					
humidity range	(	0% to 95% no condensing			
Max. operating		2000 m			
altitude	2000 m				
Cooling method	Natural convection				
Warranty <sup>2</sup>	10 Years				
Expansion					
adaptation	Up to 4 units in parallel(need extra Combiner box)				

1: Test conditions: 25°C,100% depth of discharge (DOD), 0.2C charge and discharge.

2: Refer to battery warranty card for conditional application.

3: SBR064 consits of 2 battery modules and 1 empty module.

## 10.2 FAQs

#### 10.2.1 Battery Not Charging

1. Please wait 5~10 minutes for data refresh of iSolarCloud App.

2. If the problem persists, try charging the battery by enabling force mode. If the battery can be charged now, please contact the hybrid inverter installer or manufacturer.

3. Check if the current battery SOC is the same as the set SOC upper limit of the hybrid inverter. Once the battery SOC reaches or goes beyond the SOC upper limit, the battery cannot be charged (please set the value to 50~100 as needed).

4. If the problem is still not resolved, please check the system for any faults and take countermeasures according to the fault code.

5. If the problem is still not resolved, check whether the ambient temperature is near or below 0°C. Switch off the battery in the event of the temperature falling below 0°C, and restart and charge it when the temperature rises up to over 5°C.

6. If the problem persists, check whether there is a heat source near the battery and whether the ambient temperature goes higher than 55°C. Switch off the battery in the event of the



temperature exceeding  $55^{\circ}$ C, and restart and charge it when the temperature falls below  $40^{\circ}$ C.

7. Contact the installer or manufacturer if the problem can still not be resolved. Switch off the battery immediately once the SOC drops below 3%.

### 10.2.2 Battery Not Discharging

1. Please wait 5-10 minutes for data refresh of iSolarCloud App.

2. If the problem persists, try discharging the battery by enabling force mode. If the battery can discharge now, please contact the hybrid inverter installer or manufacturer.

3. Check if the current battery SOC is the same as the set SOC lower limit of the hybrid inverter. Once the battery SOC reaches or falls below the SOC lower limit, the battery will not discharge (please set the value to 5-50 as needed).

4. If the problem is still not resolved, please check the system for any faults and take countermeasures according to the fault code.

5. Check whether there is a heat source near the battery and whether the ambient temperature goes higher than 55°C. Switch off the battery in the case of the temperature exceeding  $55^{\circ}$ C, and restart and discharge it when the temperature falls below  $40^{\circ}$ C.

6. Contact the installer or manufacturer if the problem can still not be resolved. Switch off the battery immediately once the SOC drops below 3%.

### 10.2.3 SOC Jump

1. Occasional occurrence of SOC jump is considered to be a normal phenomenon, which does not affect the normal operation of the system.

2. In case the SOC jump issue occurs frequently, please contact the installer or manufacturer.

## 10.2.4 Battery Upgrade

1. Please contact the installer or manufacturer for iSolarCloud upgrade, if needed.

2. If the iSolarCloud is updated, please upgrade the software of the hybrid inverter, the communication module, and the battery at the same time. Otherwise, there may be problems arising from the mismatch of software versions.

3. Please contact the installer or manufacturer immediately in case of anything abnormal during or after the upgrade.

## 10.3 Quality Assurance

When product faults occur during the warranty period, SUNGROW will provide free service or replace the product with a new one.

#### Evidence

During the warranty period, the customer shall provide the product purchase invoice and date. In addition, the trademark on the product shall be undamaged and legible. Otherwise, SUNGROW has the right to refuse to honor the quality guarantee.

#### Conditions

- After replacement, unqualified products shall be processed by SUNGROW.
- The customer shall give SUNGROW a reasonable period to repair the faulty device.

#### **Exclusion of Liability**

In the following circumstances, SUNGROW has the right to refuse to honor the quality guarantee:

- The free warranty period for the whole machine/components has expired.
- The device is damaged during transport.
- The device is incorrectly installed, refitted, or used.
- The device operates in harsh conditions beyond those described in this manual.
- The fault or damage is caused by installation, repairs, modification, or disassembly performed by a service provider or personnel not from SUNGROW.
- The fault or damage is caused by the use of non-standard or non-SUNGROW components or software.
- The installation and use range are beyond stipulations of relevant international standards.
- The damage is caused by unexpected natural factors.

For faulty products in any of above cases, if the customer requests maintenance, paid maintenance service may be provided based on the judgment of SUNGROW.

## **10.4 Contact Information**

In case of questions about this product, please contact us.

We need the following information to provide you the best assistance:

- Model of the device
- Serial number of the device
- Fault code/name
- Brief description of the problem

For detailed contact information, please visit: https://en.sungrowpower.com/contactUS