

BYD Battery-Box LV User Manual

Battery-Box L 3.5/7.0/10.5/14.0(AU)

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1 General Information

1.1 Validity

This user manual is applicable to the Battery-Box L 3.5(AU), Battery-Box L 7.0(AU), Battery-Box L 10.5(AU) and Battery-Box L 14.0(AU).

1.2 Application

This user manual contains BYD Battery-Box LV product information, usage guidance, safety information, and details on common operating issues and subsequent corrective actions. BYD Battery-Box LV is an energy storage unit that is designed to be used in residential on-grid applications with the capability for short-term backup.

1.3 Intended Use

Notes regarding intended use:

- BYD Battery-Box LV is not suitable for supporting life-sustaining medical devices. A power outage must not lead to the inability to use life-sustaining medical devices and subsequent personal injury.
- This product is intended for use only in accordance with the information provided in the enclosed documentation and with the locally applicable standards and regulations. Any other application may cause personal injury or property damage.
- The illustrations in this manual are meant only to help explain system configuration concepts, includes usage guidance, safety precautions, and common operating issues and subsequent corrective actions.
- Alterations to the product, e.g. changes or modifications, are only permitted with the
 express written permission of BYD. Unauthorized alterations will void warranty claims. BYD
 shall not be held liable for any damage caused by such changes. Any use of the product
 other than that described in the Intended Use section does not qualify as appropriate. The
 enclosed documentation is an integral part of this product. Keep the documentation in a
 convenient place for future reference and observe all instructions contained therein. The
 type label (see Section 1.5) must remain attached to the product.
- BYD Battery-Box LV series products must work with compatible inverters, which are listed in the "BYD Battery-Box LV Compatible Inverter List".
- Please contact BYD or local after-service providers within 1 week once the user decides to cease using their BYD Battery-Box products.
- The Battery-Box LV system can be installed at altitudes of up to 2000m above Mean Sea Level.

1.4 Definition

Battery-Box L 3.5~14.0(AU) components are defined as below:

BYD Battery-Box LV: Low-voltage household energy storage battery system.

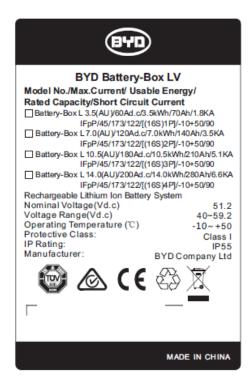
- B-Plus L 3.5A: Battery module. The Battery module provides the energy and sends the information about the cell voltage and cell temperature in the battery module to the upper-layer BCU. The nominal capacity of the B-Plus L 3.5A battery is 3.5kWh.
- BCU: Battery Control unit and Base. Two parts consisting of both the battery management
 and control component mounted on top of the battery modulus as well as structural base,
 which physically supports the battery modules underneath. The top portion of the BCU is
 responsible for communication to and connection with the inverter or BMU.

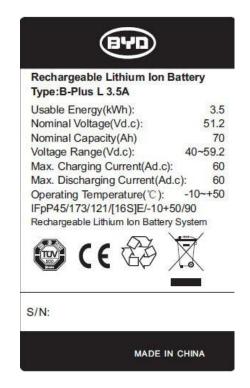
1.5 Identifying the Product

The type label contains the product identification information, and is attached on the product. For safe usage, the user must be well-informed of the contents in the type label. The type label includes: 1.5.1 Warning Label

- 1. Do not crush, drop or puncture the batteries.
- 2. Always dispose of the batteries according to local safety regulations.
- 3. Store and recharge batteries in a manner in accordance with the user manual.
- 4. Once over discharged, recharge the batteries according to the stipulations in the user manual.
- 5. Do not expose the system to high temperatures above 50°C.
- 6. Ensure reliable grounding and don't short circuit the terminals or reverse the polarity.
- 7. Disconnect batteries from power and load before maintenance.
- 8. Batteries shall be repaired, replaced or maintained by skilled personal recognized.
- 9. Do not stack up unpackaged batteries.

1.5.2 Product Label





2 Safety

This section contains safety information that must be observed at all times when working on or with batteries. To prevent personal injury or property damage and to ensure long-term operation of the batteries, read this section carefully and observe all safety information at all times.



Environmental requirement

- Do not expose the battery to temperature above 50°C.
- Do not install or use the battery near any heat sources.
- Do not install or use the battery in wet locations, such as bathroom.
- Do not expose them to moisture or liquids.
- Do not expose the battery to corrosive gases or liquids.
- Do not expose the battery to direct sunlight for extended periods of time.
- Place battery in secure location away from children and animals.
- Do not allow the battery power terminals to touch conductive objects such as wires.
- Do not expose the battery in dusty and salty environment.
- Do not dispose of batteries in a fire, which may explode.

Operation

- Do not touch the battery pack with wet hands.
- Do not crush, drop or puncture the battery.
- Always dispose of the batteries according to local safety regulations.
- Store and recharge battery in a manner in accordance with this user manual.
- Ensure reliable grounding.
- The charging circuit of inverter shall be DVC A, and the output circuit needs to be isolated from high voltage bus.
- The cabinet and battery modules shall be transported separately to reduce the risk of damage caused by drop, vibration, topple, etc.
- Do not short circuit the terminals, remove all metal objects including watches and rings that could product a short circuit before installation, replacement and maintenance.
- The battery shall be repaired, replaced or maintained by skilled personal recognized. (Skilled personnel recognized is a trained and qualified electrician or installer defined in installation guidance).
- Do not reverse the polarity.
- Do not stack up batteries without protective package, when store or handle batteries.
- Do not open, mutilate or disassemble the battery, the released electrolyte, which may be toxic, is harmful to the skin and eyes.
- Disconnect the charging source prior to connecting or disconnecting battery terminals, for instance, disconnect battery from power/load and then power off battery before installation and maintenance.

- Packaged batteries should not be stacked more than specified number stipulated on the package.
- Do not lay tools or metal parts on top of batteries.
- An external DC isolator between battery and inverter is required during installation.
- Do not use damaged, failed or deformed batteries, which may reach temperatures that
 exceed the burn thresholds for touchable surfaces. Continued operation of damaged
 battery may result in dangerous situation and cause severe injury due to electrical shock.

3 Technical Data

[3] Detailed information refer to BYD Battery-Box Compatible Inverter List

Note: The maximum operating voltage of the rechargeable lithium-ion battery system is less than 60Vd.c

Model	Battery-Box L	Battery-Box L	Battery-Box L	Battery-Box L		
	3.5(AU)	7.0(AU)	10.5(AU)	14.0(AU)		
Battery Module	B-Plus L 3.5A					
	1 module	2 modules	3 modules	4 modules		
Usable Energy ¹ [kWh]	3.5	7.0	10.5	14.0		
Max output power [kW]	3.0	6.0	9.0	10.0		
Peak Output Power [kW]	5.0, 10s	10.0, 10s	15.0, 10s	15.0, 10s		
Short current(kA)	1.8	3.5	5.1	6.6		
Round-Trip Efficiency		≥95% (Under	test condition [1])			
Nominal Voltage [Vd.c]			51.2			
Operating Voltage Range [Vd.c]		40	~ 59.2			
Communication		CAN	/ RS485			
Dimension	620 × 497×	620 × 733 ×	620 × 968 ×	620 × 1205 ×		
[W \times H \times D ,mm]	355	355	355	355		
Net Weight [kg]	65	107	149	191		
Enclosure Protection Rating			IP55			
Ambient Temperature Range ² [°C]		-10)~ +50			
Certification		TUV(IEC6261	9) / RCM / UN38.3			
Scalability	Max. 3 systems in parallel/42kWh					
Compatible Inverters ³	Please refer to the Battery-Box LV Compatible Inverter List					
Application	Application On grid (Self consumption / On grid +Backup / Backup)					
[1] Test conditions: 100% DOD, 0.2C charge & discharge at + 25 °C. System Usable Energy may be variant with different inverter brands [2] -10 °C to +12 °C will be derating						

When BYD Battery-Box LV operates in low temperatures, the charge and discharge current is adjusted automatically. The battery will limit the current when the operating temperature gets low. Please refer to the table below for current parameters related to operating temperature:

	Parameter setting of discharging current in various temperatures
Temp. (°C)	Max Current (Ad.c)

	Battery Box L	Battery Box L	Battery Box L	Battery Box L
	3.5(AU)	7.0(AU)	10.5(AU)	14.0(AU)
-10~0	25	50	125	150
0~20	50	100	150	200
20~40	60	120	180	200
40~50	50	100	150	200

Discharging current in backup mode

Temp. (°C)	Max Current (Ad.c)			
	Battery Box L	Battery Box L	Battery Box L	Battery Box L
	3.5(AU)	7.0(AU)	10.5(AU)	14.0(AU)
-10~50	40	80	120	160

Parameter setting of charging current in various temperatures

Temp. (°C)		Max Curre	nt (Ad.c)	
	Battery Box L Battery Box L Battery Box L		Battery Box L	Battery Box L
	3.5(AU)	7.0(AU)	10.5(AU)	14.0(AU)
-10~2	15	30	45	60
2~12	20	40	60	80
12~17	40	80	120	160
17~35	60	120	180	200
35~40	50	100	150	200
40~50	35	70	105	140

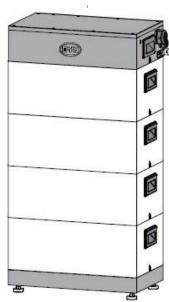
4 Technical Items

No.	Terms	Comment
1	Discharge	Battery output power for load
2	Charge	To put electricity into battery by the charger
3	Full charged	Battery had been full charged, SOC is 100%.
4	Idle	Ready for charging or discharging
5	Shutdown mode	Power off
6	SOC	State of Charge
7	SW	Software
8	HW	Hardware
9	Battery voltage	The voltage between B+/B-
10	Pack voltage	The voltage between P+/P-
11	Cell voltage	Single cell voltage
12	Failure	Battery or BMS is broken, need to be replaced
13	Alarm	Indicate that the battery is in an abnormal status
14	Over discharged	Energy state of the battery is too low and needs to be recharged

5 Product Overview

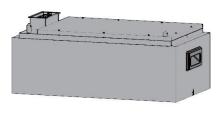
5.1 Brief introduction

This product is a low-voltage DC battery system with an operating voltage of 48V. It is utilized in household energy storage applications and works together with a low-voltage inverter to realize the goal of energy storage for the home. A battery system consist of 1 to 4 individual battery modules connected in parallel.

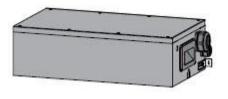


Product overview

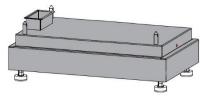
Major Components:







BCU



Base

5.2 BYD Battery-Box LV Configuration Table

No.	Туре	BCU	B-Plus L 3.5(A)	Base	Energy(kWh)	Voltage(Vd.c)
1	Battery-Box L 3.5(AU)	1	1	1	3.5	51.2
2	Battery-Box L 7.0(AU)	1	2	1	7.0	51.2
3	Battery-Box L 10.5(AU)	1	3	1	10.5	51.2
4	Battery-Box L 14.0(AU)	1	4	1	14.0	51.2

5.3 BCU Introduction

The component responsible for battery management and control. The BCU is connected to the battery modules below and to the inverter or BMU above.

5.3.1 BCU Interface Introduction

Posit	ion Designation	Terminals on the right		
А	Power button/LED indicator (press it for one second to turn on the system and press it for 3-5 seconds to turn it off)	ΑĘ	POWER	
В	Handle			I F
С	Rubber plug			
D	Gland for P+ P- & Grounding cables	L		B C D E
Е	Bolt			
F	Gland for CAN cables of Inverter and BCU			

Parameters of Wifi Module

Catalog	Parameter	Value		
	Working frequency	2.412GHz-2.4835GHz		
Wireless parameters		802.11b: +16 +/-2dBm (@11Mbps)		
	Transmit power	802.11g: +14 +/-2dBm (@54Mbps)		
		802.11n: +13 +/-2dBm (@HT20, MCS7)		
Distance of communication	Wireless communication distance	Open air, no shelter from 100m		
		AT+Instruction set		
		WiFi point to point		
	Configuration	Web server		
Software	Safety	WEP/WPA-PSK/WPA2-PSK		
parameters	Wireless network type	STA/AP		
	Encryption type	WEP64/WEP128/TKIP/AES		
	Network protocol	IPv4,TCP/UDP/FTP/HTTP		

5.3.2 Battery status indicated by different LED

The battery status will be indicated by the LED, please refer to the following table for details.

Diagram	Status	Meaning
	White blink slow	Charging
	White blink fast	Discharging
	White always ON	Idle
	White blink very slow	Idle
	Orange blink 2 times	System WIFI is lost
	Orange blink 3 times	Loss of inverter communication
	Orange blink 4 times	Lost slave CAN communication
	Orange blink 5 times	Uncalibrated
	Orange always ON	BCU or Battery failure

6 Cleaning and Maintenance

6.1 Cleaning

CAUTION:

Please power off the system before cleaning the BYD Battery-Box LV

It is recommended that the BYD Battery-Box LV system be cleaned periodically. If the enclosure is dirty, please use a soft, dry brush or a dust collector to remove the dust. Liquids such as solvents, abrasives or corrosive liquids should not be used to clean the enclosure.

6.2 Maintenance

6.2.1 Recharge Requirements during Normal Storage

Batteries should be stored in an environment with a temperature range between -10°C \sim +45°C, and maintained regularly according to the following table with 0.5C (35A) current until 40% SOC after a long time of storage.

Recharge	conditions	when	in	storage
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Storage environment	Relative humidity of	Storago timo	SOC	
temperature	storage environment	Storage time	300	
Below -10℃	/	prohibit	/	
-10~25℃	5%~70%	≤12 months	30%≤SOC≤60%	
25~35℃	5%~70%	≤6 months	30%≤SOC≤60%	
35~45℃	5%~70%	≤3 months	30%≤SOC≤60%	
Above 45℃	/	prohibit	/	

6.2.2 Recharge Requirement When Over Discharged

Please recharge the over discharged batteries in a timeframe that is in accordance to the following table, otherwise the over discharged battery modulus will be damaged.

Recharge conditions when battery is over discharged

Storage Environment Temperature	Time Before Recharge is Necessary
-10~25℃	≤15 days
25~45°C	≤7 days

7 Compatible Inverter List

To make sure that the system can operate normally, please choose BYD compatible inverters and size the battery quantity accordingly. For more details, please refer to the *BYD Battery-Box LV Compatible Inverter List*.

8 Common Issues and Solutions

8.1 Common issues of BYD Battery-Box LV and solutions

Issue description	Possible cause	Solution	
Contactor disconnected	 Battery high voltage 		
	2. Battery low voltage	Please contact our after	
	3. Battery high temperature	service provider	
	4. Battery over current	immediately.	
	5. Other hardware failures.		

User also can monitor the running status of battery, warning and alarm information from App or LED display of inverter. For detailed information please refer to the Common Failures Displayed on Inverter and Solution in *BYD Battery-Box LV Compatible Inverter List*.

8.2 Emergency

Please cut off the power supply and turn off the battery in an emergency.

9 Warranty

BYD provides warranty when the product is installed and used according to the instructions contain in the User Manual, Installation Manual, and Warranty Letter.

- 1. Please contact our local service provider for technical support & after sales service.
- 2. Please download the Warranty Letter via the following website:

Europe customer: www.eft-systems.de

Australia customer: www.alpspower.com.au

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