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Connecting the Home Hub Inverter and Home Wave Single Phase Inverter to Multiple 400V Home Batteries – Technical Note – Europe

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Overview

This document describes the connection of a SolarEdge Single Phase Home Hub Inverter or Home Wave Single Phase Inverter to multiple SolarEdge 400V Home Batteries using a special Y-type connector ("Y-connector") cable. When more than one battery is connected, the Yconnector is required in order to create parallel connections to the inverter.



Kit contents

The Y-connector is supplied by SolarEdge in a package containing 10 units. The package P/N is: **IAC-RBAT-RWYCBL-01**

CAUTION

Only the Y-connector kit provided by SolarEdge is approved for parallel connections between the batteries and the inverter.

Kit Type	Part Number	Kit Contents
Distributor Kit	IAC-RBAT-RWYCBL-01	10 x FLD-EURB-YCBL-A-01 in one box
Field Kit	FLD-EURB-YCBL-A-01	 Two Y-connector cables with MC4 connectors. The side of the connector that connects to the battery utilizes 6 mm² connectors, while the side that connects to the parallel bus utilizes 10 mm² connectors. One MCI-CB-01369-A Y-connector (two male MC4 connectors, one female MC4 connector) One MCI-CB-01368-A Y-connector (one male MC4 connector, two female MC4 connectors) Two male MC4 connectors for 10 mm² wires. Two female MC4 connectors for 10 mm² wires.

Installation rules

Up to 3 batteries can be connected to the inverter. If 'n' batteries are to be connected to the inverter, then 'n-1' connector field kits are required, as detailed in the following table:

Number of Batteries to Connect	Number of Y-Connector Field Kits Required	
1 battery	0 field kits	
2 batteries	1 field kit (1x FLD-EURB-YCBL-A-01)	
3 batteries	2 field kits (2x FLD-EURB-YCBL-A-01)	

Note: Where direct connectivity between the inverter and a single battery requires the use of 6 mm² wiring, the deployment of multiple batteries operating in parallel requires use of 10 mm² wiring.



Required additional equipment

The following additional items are needed to perform the connection and are to be provided by the installer:

- 6 mm² wiring
- 10 mm² wiring
- MC4 connectors for 6 mm² wiring, supplied in the SolarEdge Home Battery 400V package
- Crimping tool for 6 mm² and 10 mm² MC4 connectors

Y-connector diagram and component specifications

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#	Component Description	Qty.	
1	MC4 Female Connector	1	
	• Conductor cross section: 4-6 mm ²		
	Rated Voltage: 1000 Vdc		
	Rated current: 30A		
	Upper limiting temperature: 105°C		
2	MC4 Male Connector	2	
	• Conductor cross section: 10 mm ²		
	Rated voltage: 1500 Vdc		
	Rated current: 50A		
	 Upper limiting temperature: 105°C 		
3	Thermoplastic Vulcanizate (TPV) Santoprene 151-70W256	1	
	Black, Flame retardant		
	Weight: 16 grams		
4	PV cable 10 mm ²	2	
	Rated voltage: 2000V		
	 Upper limiting temperature: 105°C 		
	Cable length: 118 mm		
5	PV cable 6 mm ²	1	
	Rated voltage: 1000V		
	 Upper limiting temperature: 105°C 		
	Cable length: 238 mm		



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Sample connection scheme

A sample connection scheme with three batteries is illustrated in the figure below. Items supplied with the field kit are highlighted in green. For other items, the wire and connector gauges are specified.



- Items highlighted in green are supplied with the field kit FLD-EURB-YCBL-A-01.
- For non-supplied items, wire and connector gauges are specified.

WARNING

Wiring must be performed only after all the components in the system have been switched off and are not electrified.



Safety symbols information

The following safety symbols are used in this document. Familiarize yourself with the symbols and their meaning before installing or operating the system.



WARNING

Denotes a hazard. It calls attention to a procedure that, if not correctly performed or adhered to, could result in **injury or loss of life**. Do not proceed beyond a warning note until the indicated conditions are fully understood and met.



CAUTION

Denotes a hazard. It calls attention to a procedure that, if not correctly performed or adhered to, could result in **damage or destruction of the product**. Do not proceed beyond a caution sign until the indicated conditions are fully understood and met.



NOTE

Provides additional information on the current subject.



IMPORTANT SAFETY FEATURE

Denotes information about safety issues.

Disposal requirements under the Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE) regulations:



NOTE

Discard this product according to local regulations or send it back to SolarEdge.



Support contact information

If you are having technical problems concerning SolarEdge products, please contact us:



https://www.solaredge.com/service/support

Before contacting SolarEdge, make sure to have the following information at hand:

- The model and serial number of the product in question.
- The error indicated on the LEDs, the SetApp mobile application, the LCD screen, or on the monitoring platform, if there is such an indication.
- System configuration information, including the type and number of modules connected and the number and length of strings.
- The method of communications with the SolarEdge server, if the site is connected.
- The product's software version as it appears in the ID status screen.