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# **Product Manual**

Lithium Iron Phosphate (LiFePO4) Battery

(90A BMS)



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# PRODUCT OVERVIEW

# **†** BATTERY

Combination: 51.2V 90Ah

Dimension: L17.4\*W16.54\*H7 inch
Plastic Shell Color: Khaki + Dark Grey



# **†** TERMINAL & POST BOLTS

Terminal Size: M8 \* 14mm Metric Thread
Post Bolts: M8 \* 1.25mm Metric Thread

\* 14mm Bolt Length

(The bolts can be replaced with M8 bolts of other lengths based on actual needs.)



# **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Operating Voltage: 51.2V

Charging Voltage: 57.6±0.8V

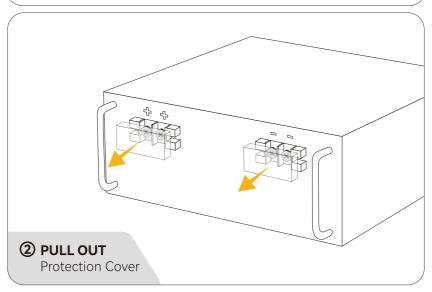
Max Continuous Load Power: 4608W

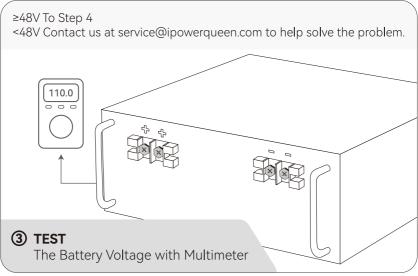
Max Continuous Charging/Discharge Current: 90A

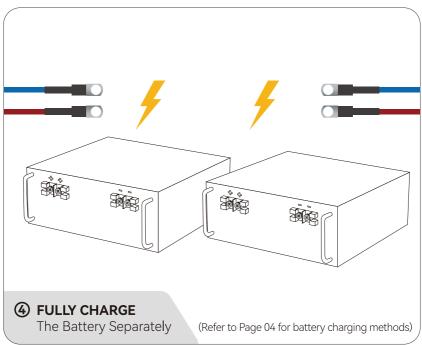
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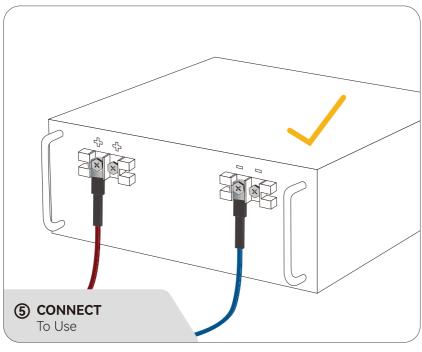
### **BEFORE USING**

① CONTACT US at service@ipowerqueen.com to activate the warranty









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# **MAIN PARAMETERS**

Item	Parameter
Cell	Prismatic LiFePO4 Battery
Nominal Capacity	90Ah
Usable Capacity	90Ah
Nominal Voltage	51.2V
Energy	4608Wh
Charge Method	CC/CV
Charge Voltage	57.6V±0.8V
Recommend Charge Current	18A (0.2C)
Battery Management System (BMS) Board	90A
Max. Continuous Charge / Discharge Current <sup>①</sup>	90A
Max. Discharge Current 5 Seconds	200A
Max. Continuous Load Power <sup>©</sup>	4608W

①The maximum continuous current that the battery can withstand.

②The maximum continuous output power that the battery can support.

Item	Parameter	
Internal Impedance	≤40mΩ	
Battery Pack Case Steel Plate Cold Common (SPCC)		
Dimension	L17.4*W16.54*H7 inch	
Differsion	L442*W420*H178 mm	
	Charge:0°C to 50°C / 32°F to 122°F	
Temperature Range	Discharge: -20°C to 60°C / -4°F to 140°F	
	Storage:-10°C to 50°C / 14°F to 122°F	

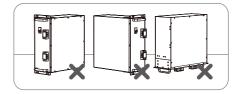


# THINGS TO KNOW

### **BEFORE USING**

Please take care to avoid metal or conductive objects touching the positive and negative terminals of the battery at the same time during your operation, otherwise it is likely to cause a short circuit.

DO NOT install or mount the battery by its left or right side, or with its post bolts facing down. If you are not sure about the installation direction, please contact service@ipowerqueen.com to confirm the direction.



Tightly screw in the post bolts. Having loose battery terminals will cause the terminals to build up heat resulting in damage to the battery.

This battery is not intended to be used to start any devices, please **DO NOT** use it as a starting battery.

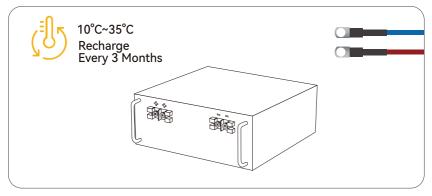
Suggestions for Long-term Storage

### Temperature

The battery can be operated at a temperature of  $-20^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $60^{\circ}\text{C}$  /  $-4^{\circ}\text{F}$  to  $140^{\circ}\text{F}$ , and a temperature between  $10^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $35^{\circ}\text{C}$  /  $50^{\circ}\text{F}$  to  $95^{\circ}\text{F}$  is ideal for long-term storage. Store in a fireproof container and away from children.

# Capacity

For a longer-lasting product, it is best to store your battery at a 50% charge level and recharge every three months if it is not going to be used for a long time.

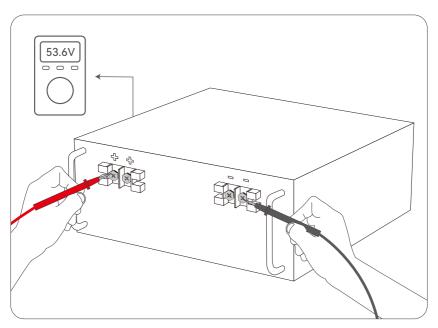


# CHARGING METHODS

# **1** THE VOLTAGE WHEN CHARGING & DISCHARGING

Based on the characteristics of Lithium Iron Phosphate (LiFePO4) batteries, the voltage measured by all LiFePO4 batteries **during charging/discharging** is not the real voltage of the battery. Therefore, after charging/discharging and disconnecting the battery from the power source, the voltage of the battery will gradually drop/increase to its real voltage.

If you need to test the real voltage of the battery, please disconnect all the connections to the battery and test its voltage after putting it aside for over 30 mins.



### Tips When Testing The Battery Voltage by A Multimeter

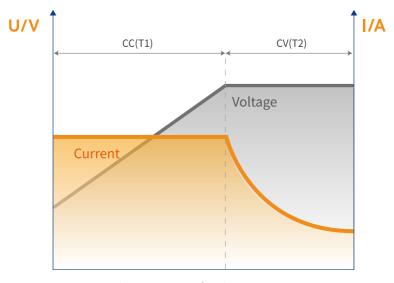
- ① 1. Put the red probe (+) tightly on the tightly screwed positive post bolt, and the black probe (-) on the tightly screwed negative post bolt.
- ② Do not touch the metal part of the probes with your hands during use.

### BATTERY CHARGING LOGIC

The material characteristics of the LiFePO4 battery determine that **its charging curve is obviously different from that of a lead-acid battery**. Compared with a lead-acid battery, the LiFePO4 battery has a simpler charging process and mode. Therefore, it is recommended to select LiFePO4 for your charging mode.

If LiFePO4 mode is not available, please refer to the recommended parameters on Page 07-08 for setting.

# LiFePO4 Battery Charging Mode



LiFePO4 Battery Charging Curve

#### CC (Constant Current) Phase (T1)

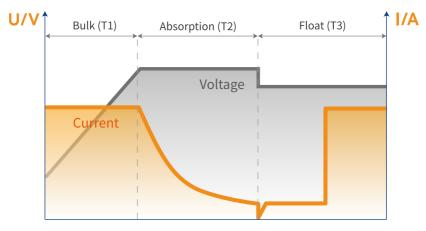
In the beginning, a discharged battery will be charged with a constant current and voltage will be climbing steadily until reaching the constant voltage setpoint which varies for different charging methods.

### CV (Constant Voltage) Phase (T2)

The battery maintains a constant voltage during this phase while the current gradually decreases to 1.8A (0.02C) which is also known as tail current ①. At this point, the charging is cut off and the battery is fully charged.

① Tail Current (A) = Battery Capacity \* 0.02C. E.g., 90Ah\*0.02C= 1.8A tail current.

# Lead Acid Battery Charging Mode



Lead Acid Battery Charging Curve

#### Bulk / Boost Phase (T1)

In the beginning, a discharged battery will be charged with maximum current and voltage will be climbing steadily until reaching the absorption voltage setpoint.

(This phase is basically equivalent to the CC phase of LiFePO4 battery charging.)

#### Absorption Phase (T2)

The battery reaches the absorption voltage setpoint and holds the voltage constant while the current gradually decreases until the battery is becoming full (within 10–20%). Generally, absorption will not exceed 3 hours to prevent overcharging.

(This phase is basically equivalent to the CV phase of LiFePO4 battery charging.)

#### Float Phase (T3)

After the absorption stage, the voltage of the battery will reduce to the float voltage setpoint and the current will also reduce to a low maintenance mode to prevent the battery from discharging and offsetting any self-discharge. Heavier battery discharge may set the controller back to Bulk/Boost or Absorption to replenish energy lost while energy is available.

(LiFePO4 battery does not have this charging phase.)

# **SOLAR PANEL(S) & CONTROLLER**

### Solar Panel

#### Recommend Power: ≥1500W

- The battery can be fully charged in one day (with effective sunshine 4.5hrs/day) by 1500W solar panels.
- It may take more than one day to fully charge the battery by ≥1500W solar panels since the duration and intensity of light would be a great factor for their charging efficiency.

#### Controller

### Recommend Charging Mode: 48V (58.4V) LI (LiFePO4)

#### **Recommend Charging Current:**

18A (0.2C) The battery will be fully charged in around 5hrs to 100% capacity.

**45A (0.5C)** The battery will be fully charged in around 2hrs to around 97% capacity.

# Controller Settings

Refer to the below parameters if you need to manually set up your controller.

As different types of batteries have different charging modes (refer to Page 05-06), it is recommended to set only the following parameters for LiFePO4 batteries. The settings for other types of batteries do not apply to LiFePO4 batteries except for the following settings

CHARGING	Charge /Bulk /Boost Voltage	57.6V / 58.4V
	Absorption Voltage	57.6V / 58.4V
	Over Voltage Disconnect	60V
	Over Voltage Reconnect	56.8V
	Tail Current	1.8A (0.02C)

DIS- CHARGING	Under Voltage Warning	46.4V
	Under Voltage Recover	48V
	Low Voltage Disconnect	43.2V
	Low Voltage Reconnect	49.6V

# **1** BATTERY CHARGER

Use 58.4V lithium iron phosphate (LiFePO4) battery charger to maximize the capacity.

# Recommend Charging Voltage: Between 56.8V to 58.4V

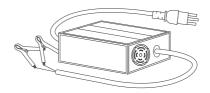
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#### Tips

- $\ensuremath{\textcircled{1}}$  Connect the charger to the battery before connecting it to the grid power in case of sparks.
- ② It's recommended to disconnect the charger from the battery after fully charging.



# **1** ALTERNATOR / GENERATOR

Power Queen battery can be charged by an alternator or generator.

If the alternator/generator supports DC output, a DC-to-DC charger needs to be added between the battery and the generator; if the alternator/generator supports AC output, please refer to the recommendations in "Battery Charger" above to add a suitable battery charger between the battery and the generator

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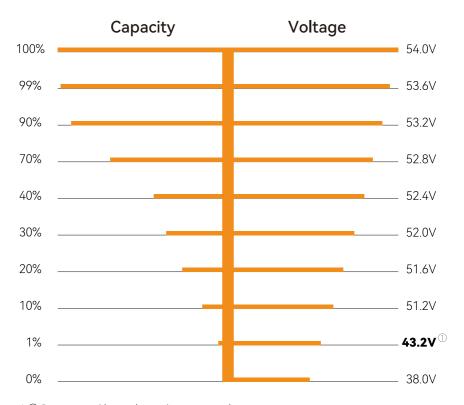


# THE BATTERY CAPACITY

# **STATE OF CHARGE (SOC)**

The battery capacity could be roughly estimated by its **rest voltage** (not charging/discharging voltage). As there are subtle differences in the voltage of each battery, the below parameters are for reference only.

**Rest Voltage:** The voltage needs to be tested at rest (with zero current) after 30 mins of disconnecting from the charger & loads.



<sup>\*</sup> ① Recommend low voltage disconnect voltage.

# PARALLEL CONNECTION

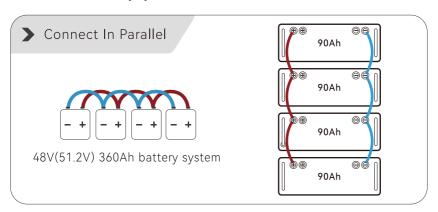
# **1** THE PREMISE OF CONNECTION

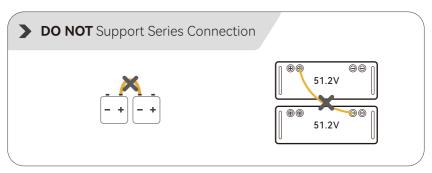
To connect in parallel, batteries should meet the below conditions:

- a. identical batteries with the same battery capacity (Ah) and BMS (A);
- b. from the same brand (as lithium battery from different brands has their special BMS);
- c. purchased in near time (within one month).

# **1** LIMITATION FOR SERIES/PARALLEL CONNECTION

Support connecting up to 4 identical batteries in parallel for up to 48V (51.2V) 360Ah battery system.





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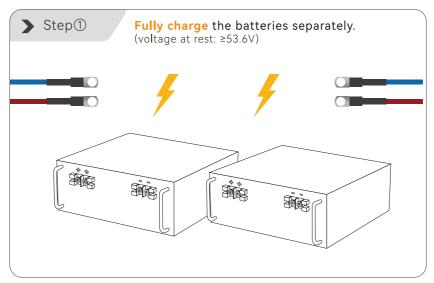
# Step1 Wear Insulating Gloves

Wear insulating gloves before connecting. Please pay attention to operation safety in the process of connection.



# Step2 Voltage Balancing Before Connection

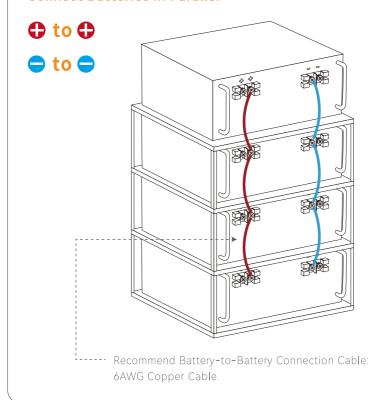
Below two steps are necessary to reduce the voltage difference between batteries and let the battery system perform the best of it in parallel.





Connect the batteries one by one in parallel, and leave them together for 12~24hrs. After the battery voltages have been balanced, the paralleled battery system can be connected to the load referring to Step 3 on Page 13.

#### **Connect Batteries in Parallel**



After parallel connection, the **capacity** of the battery system will be doubled according to the number of batteries you connect.

E.g. If two 48V (51.2V) 90Ah batteries are connected in parallel, the battery system will be 48V (51.2V) 180Ah.

# Step3 Total Input & Output Connection

Adding two copper bars <sup>®</sup> to connect the paralleled system to the load.

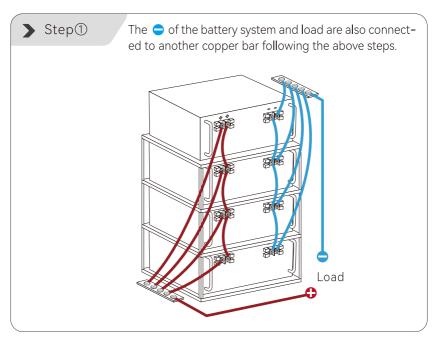
Step①

Connect all the positive output cables of the batteries to one copper bar.

Connect the of the load to the copper bar.

The cable gauge used in this step should be able to support the total input & output current of the entire battery system.

Load

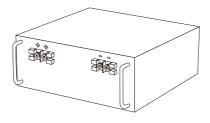


①Copper Bar: Flat metal made of copper. It can help ensure the input & output currents of each battery are balanced.

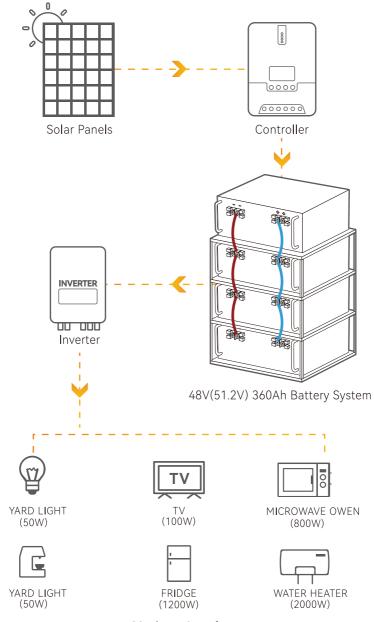
Copper is recommended as it has better conductivity, and the conversion efficiency of the input & output currents for the battery will be higher.

# STEP 4 REBALANCING EVERY 6 MONTHS

It is recommended to rebalance the battery voltage every six months following Step 2 on Page 12 if you're connecting multiple batteries as a battery system, as there might be voltage differences after six months of the battery system running.



### 48V(51.2) 400AH BATTERY SYSTEM



Various Loads
Supporying Max.18,432W Load Power

# **INVERTER SETTINGS**

# **METHOD ONE (RECOMMEND)**

Select "48V (58.4V) LI (LiFePO4) Mode"

# **METHOD TWO**

If method one is not available, select "User Mode" to enter values according to below parameters.

	Charge Voltage	58.4V
CHARGING	Over Voltage Disconnect	60V
	Over Voltage Reconnect	56.8V

DIS- CHARGING	Under Voltage Warning	46.4V
	Under Voltage Recover	48V
	Low Voltage Disconnect	43.2V
	Low Voltage Reconnect	49.6V

The above setting parameters apply to common inverters on the market (such as Victron, Renogy, Growatt, Xantrex, Go Power, Lux Power, etc.). Different brands have slightly different descriptions or naming methods for each parameter. Please directly set the parameters with the same meaning.

If the inverter parameters to be set are special or cannot correspond to one of the above items, please contact **service@ipowerqueen.com** for confirmation.

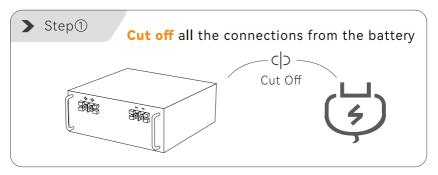


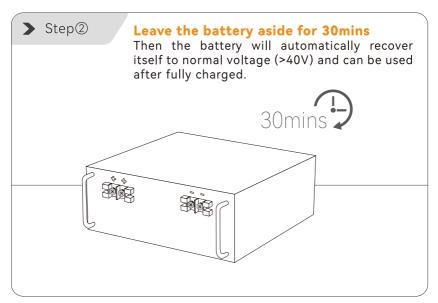
# WHEN THE BATTERY STOP WORKING?

When the battery ① can't work; ② can't be charged; ③ voltage < 36V, it has 85% chances that BMS has shut it off for protection, and you could try one of below ways to activate the battery.

# **†** GENERAL STEPS

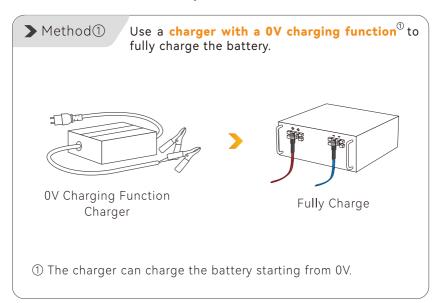
If the BMS has cut off the battery for protection, follow the below steps to activate it.





If the battery is unable to recover itself after the above steps, please try activating by **ONE OF THE BELOW TWO METHODS.** 

After activated (voltage > 40V) and fully charged by the normal charging method, it can be used normally.



# ATTENTION

CAUTION: RISK OF FIRE, EXPLOSION OR BURNS

**DO NOT** Short circuit

**DO NOT** Heat above 70°C

**DO NOT** Reverse connections from charger to battery

**DO NOT** Disassemble

DO NOT Throw into fire or incinerate

# WARNING

#### **BATTERY DISPOSAL**

The electrodes of the waste battery should be wrapped with insulating paper to prevent fire and explosion.

#### PROHIBITION OF DISASSEMBLY

Never disassemble the cells.

The disassembling may generate an internal short circuit in the cell, which may cause gassing, firing, explosion, or other problems.

#### The electrolyte is harmful.

Li-Fe battery should not have liquid from electrolyte flowing, but in case the electrolyte comes into contact with the skin, or eyes, physicians shall slush the electrolyte immediately with fresh water and medical advice is to be sought.

#### PROHIBITION OF DUMPING OF CELLS INTO WATER

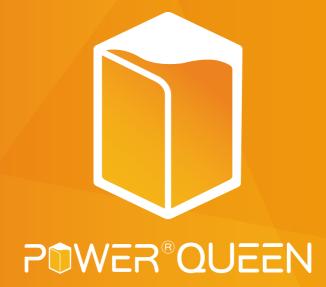
Do not soak the battery in which the liquid, like water, seawater and non-alcoholic drinks, fruit juice, coffee or other drinks.

#### PROHIBITION OF USE OF DAMAGED CELLS

If any abnormal features of the cells are found such as damages in a plastic envelope of the cell, deformation of the cell package, smelling of an electrolyte, an electrolyte leakage and others, the cells shall never be used anymore. The cells with a smell of the electrolyte or a leakage shall be placed away from the fire to avoid firing or explosion.

#### PROHIBITION OF USING IN BELOW PLACES

Do not use the battery in a place with strong static electricity and a strong magnetic field, otherwise, it is easy to damage the battery safety protection device and bring hidden danger.



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