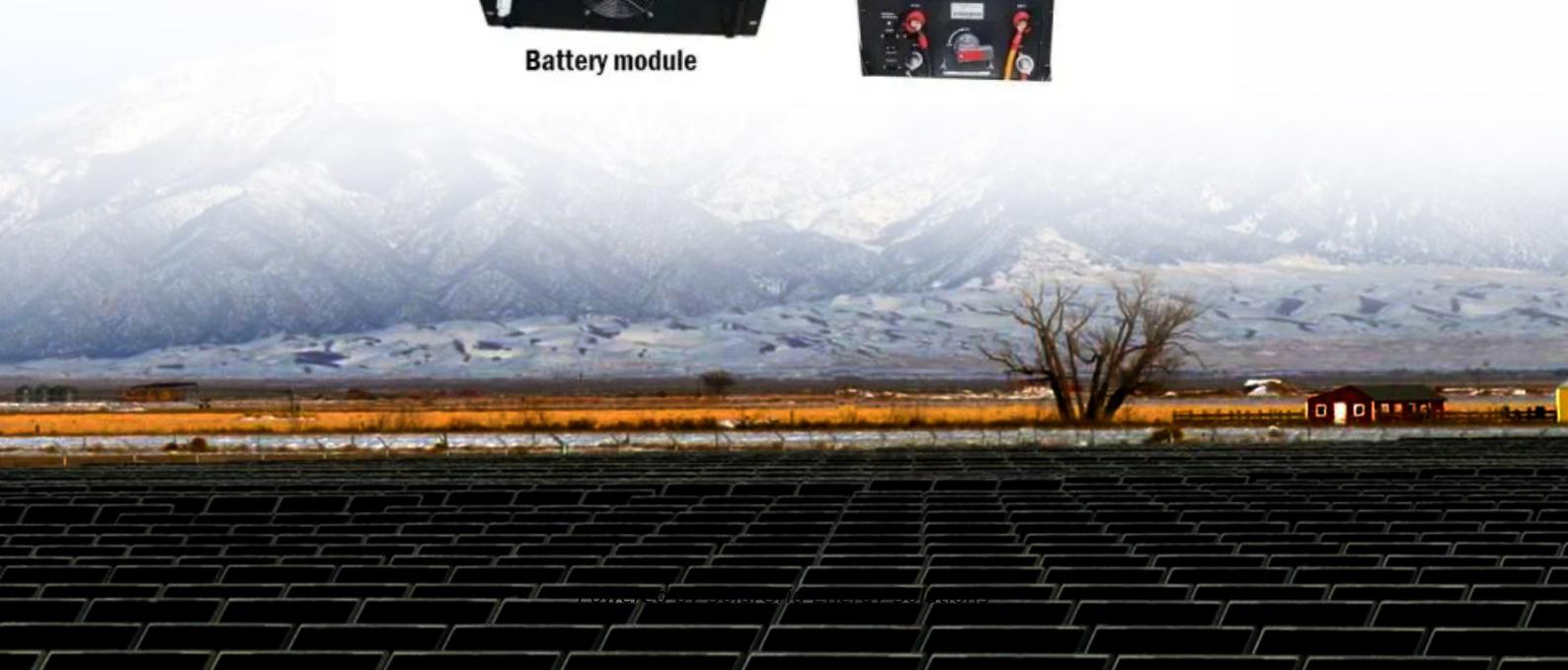


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Explosion-proof measures for energy storage equipment



Overview

Mandates design, installation, and maintenance requirements for explosion protection systems—including pressure venting, chemical suppression, mechanical isolation, and inert gas blanketing—to prevent or mitigate combustible gas or vapor or dust explosions through engineered controls. How do I design an explosion prevention system for an ESS?

The critical challenge in designing an explosion prevention system for a ESS is to quantify the source term that can describe the release of battery gas during a thermal runaway event.

Does the explosion prevention system work with other fire protection features?

The explosion prevention system functionality presented in this work is limited to removing flammable battery gas generated due to the non-flaring decomposition of batteries and does not consider its interactions with other fire protection features.

1. Introduction.

Can a standard exhaust ventilation method be used to design an explosion prevention system?

This arrangement makes it difficult to use a standard exhaust ventilation methodology to design an explosion prevention system. An innovative approach is used to purge the battery gas from individual Powin Stacks™ and from the main enclosure during a thermal runaway event.

Can a flammable battery gas source be used for explosion control?

NFPA 855 recommends that a UL 9540A (ANSI/CAN/UL, 2019) test be used to evaluate the fire characteristics of an ESS undergoing thermal runaway for explosion control safety systems. An approach to determine a flammable battery gas source term to design explosion control systems has been developed based on UL 9540A or similar test data.

Can CFD be used to design explosion prevention systems?

The usage of CFD for designing explosion prevention systems is prevalent in process safety industries dealing with flammable fluids (Shen et al., 2020) and explosive dust (Eckhoff, 2009).

What happens if the explosion prevention system is activated?

These values drop to approximately 2 g after the explosion prevention system has been activated. The global concentration of the battery gas inside the failing half stack cabinet is above the 25% LFL limit for less than 1 min before the explosion prevention system is activated for both failure scenarios.

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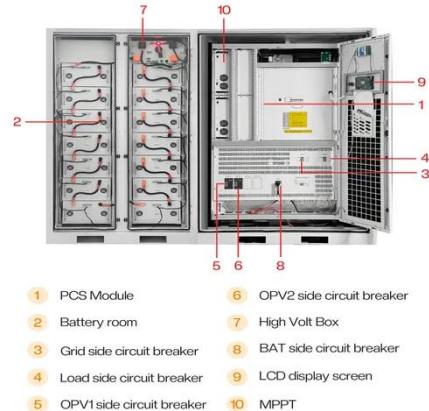
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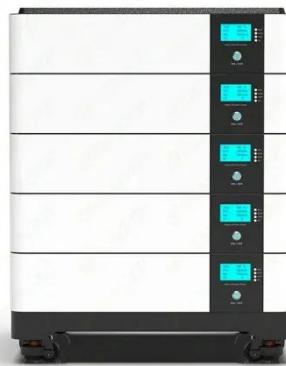
NFPA 70E Battery and Battery Room Requirements , NFPA

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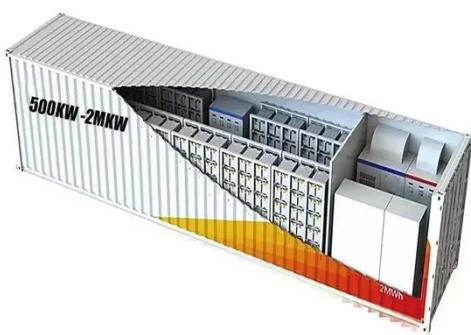
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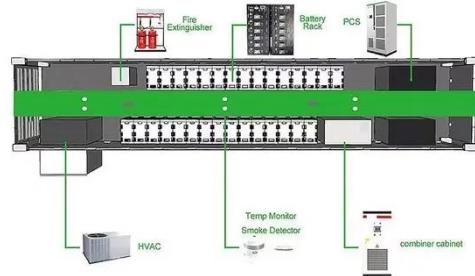
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