

Sigen Hybrid/SigenStor EC (8.0–12.0) SP AU User Manual

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Revision History

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01	2024.06.28	First official release.
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Overview

Introduction




The focus of this document is to provide an overview of the Sigen Hybrid/SigenStor EC (8.0–12.0) SP AU inverter, including product features, networking, system operation, maintenance, etc.

Readers

This document is suitable for product users and professionals

Sign Definition

The following signs may be used in the document to indicate security precautions or key information. Before installation and operation, familiarize yourself with signs and their definitions.

Signs	Definition
 Danger	Danger. Failure to comply will result in death or serious personal injury.
 Warning	Warning. Failure to comply will result in serious personal injury or property damage.
 Caution	Caution. Failure to comply will result in property damage.
Tips	Important or key information, and supplementary operation tips.

Chapter 1 Safety Precautions

Basic Information

Before installing, operating, and maintaining the equipment, familiarize yourself with this document.

The "Danger ", "Warning", "Caution" items described in this manual are only supplementary to all precautions.

The Company shall not be liable for equipment damage or property loss caused by the following reasons:

- Failure to obtain approval from the national, regional power authority.
- The installation environment does not meet international, national, or regional standards.
- Failure to observe local laws, regulations and norms when operating and maintaining equipment.
- The installation area does not meet the requirements of the equipment.
- Failure to follow the instructions and precautions in this document.
- Failure to follow the warning labels on equipment or tools.
- Negligent, improper operation or intentional damage.
- Damage caused by your or a third party's replacement of our equipment.
- The equipment is damaged because the customer or a third-party company fails to use the accessories supplied with the packing box or purchase and install accessories of the same specification.
- Equipment damage caused by improper operations such as disassembling, replacing, or modifying the software code without authorization.
- Equipment damage caused by force majeure (such as war, earthquake, fire, storm, lightning, flood, debris flow, etc.).
- Damage caused by the failure of the natural environment or external power parameters to meet the standard requirements of the equipment during actual operation (for example, the actual operating temperature of the equipment is too high or too low).

- The equipment was stolen.
- The equipment is damaged after the warranty period.

Safety Requirements

Danger

- Do not expose the device to high temperature or heat sources (such as sunlight, fire, or heaters) around the equipment for a long time.
- Do not clean or soak the equipment with water, alcohol, or oil to avoid power leakage.
- Do not knock or impact the equipment. In case of an accident, please stop using the equipment immediately and contact your sales agent. The equipment shall be inspected and evaluated by professional personnel before continuing to use.

Warning

Do not touch the heat sink when the equipment is running.

Caution

- Do not use the equipment with faults. If the equipment appears abnormal (for example, appearance distortion), contact your sales agent. You are prohibited from disassembling it on their own.
- Carbon dioxide fire extinguishers and ABC dry powder fire extinguishers are recommended at home.

Do not use the equipment in the following situations:

- When connected to public infrastructure systems.
- When connected to emergency medical equipment.
- When connected to elevators and other control devices.
- Any other critical systems.

Chapter 2 Product Introduction

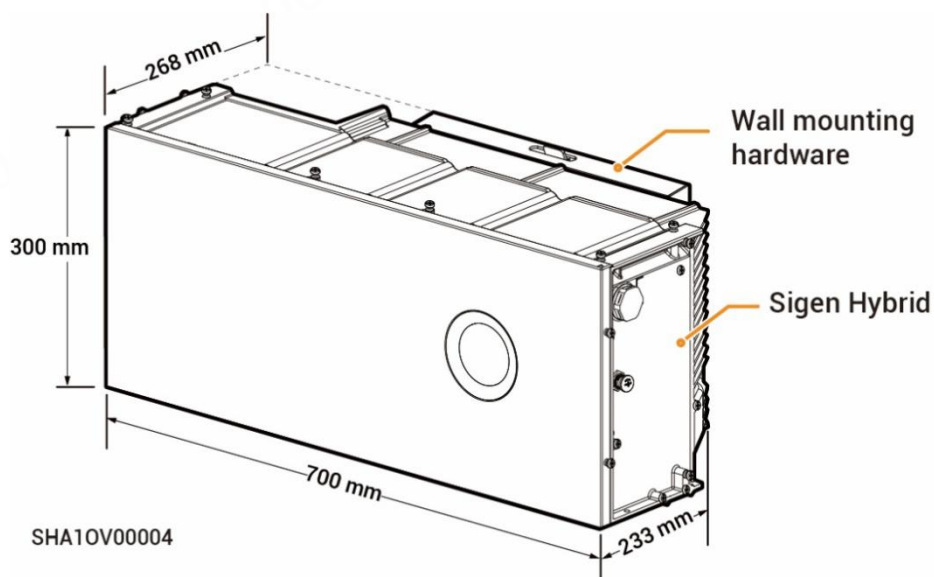
2.1 Product Model

Product code	Model No.	Name	Function specification
Sigen Hybrid	Sigen Hybrid 8.0 SP AU	Sigen Hybrid Inverter 8.0 kW Single Phase	Inverter; it can be used in conjunction with PV modules for pure PV applications or in combination with PV modules and SigenStor BAT for photovoltaic storage systems after the purchase and activation of a license.
	Sigen Hybrid 10.0 SP AU	Sigen Hybrid Inverter 10.0 kW Single Phase	
	Sigen Hybrid 12.0 SP AU	Sigen Hybrid Inverter 12.0 kW Single Phase	
Product code	Model No.	Name	Function specification
Sigen Energy Controller	SigenStor EC 8.0 SP AU	Sigen Hybrid Inverter 8.0 kW Single Phase	Inverter; it can be used in conjunction with PV modules for pure PV applications or in combination with PV modules and SigenStor BAT for photovoltaic storage systems
	SigenStor EC 10.0 SP AU	Sigen Hybrid Inverter 10.0 kW Single Phase	

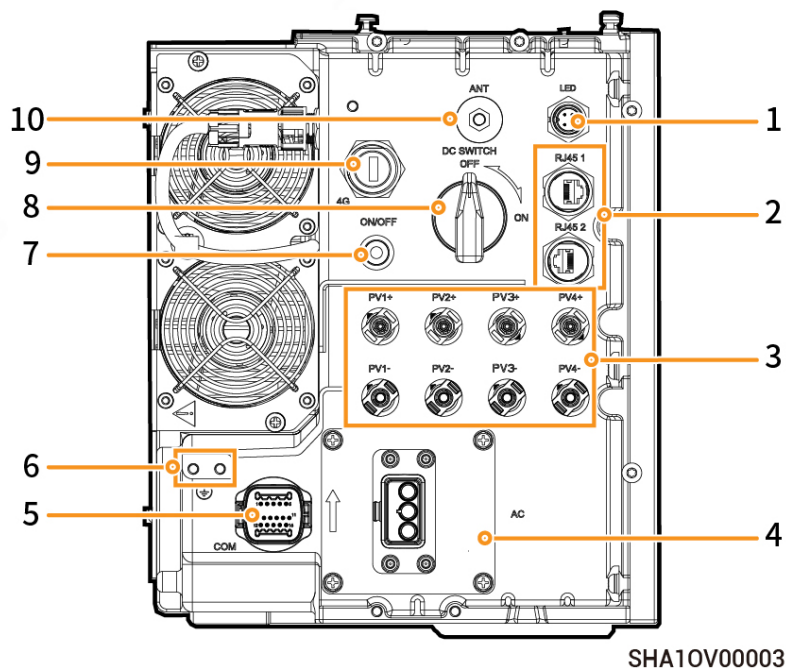
	SigenStor EC 12.0 SP AU	Sigen Hybrid Inverter 12.0 kW Single Phase	after the purchase and activation of a license.
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2.2 Appearance Introduction

Dimensions









Port Introduction



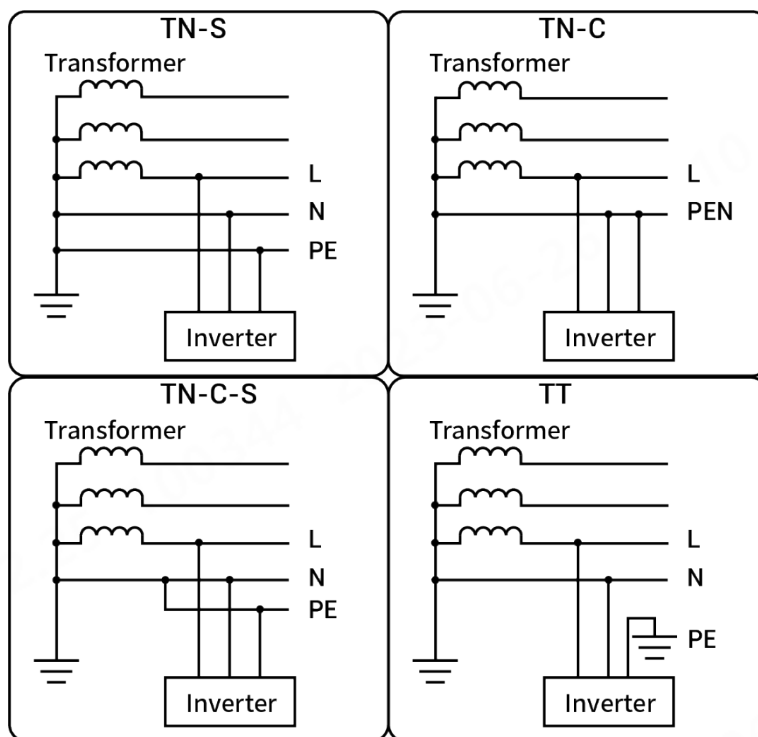
Serial No.	Name	Marking
1	Decorative cover strip light interface	LED
2	Network interface	RJ45 1/ RJ45 2
3	DC input interface	PV1+/PV2+/PV3+/PV4+/ PV1-/PV2- /PV3-/PV4-
4	AC output interface	AC
5	Communication interface	COM
6	Ground screw	-
7	Switch button	ON/OFF
8	DC switch	DC SWITCH
9	Sigen CommMod interface	4G
10	Antenna interface	ANT

2.3 Label Description

Symbols	Definition
	<p>Danger! High Voltage</p> <p>High voltage exists inside the equipment when powered on. Do not open the casing when the equipment is running. Any maintenance or servicing operations must be performed by trained and skilled electrical engineers.</p>
	<p>Warning! Life at risk.</p> <p>The equipment has potential hazards after running. Take proper protection when operating the equipment.</p>
	<p>After the equipment is powered off, the discharge of internal components is delayed. Wait 10 minutes until the equipment is fully discharged according to the label time.</p>
	<p>Warning! Risk of burns.</p> <p>The surface of the heat dissipation area is hot when the equipment is running. Do not touch it to avoid burns.</p>
	<p>Please refer to the instructions to operate the equipment.</p>
	<p>Earthing mark</p>

2.4 Supported Power Supply Methods for the Power Grid

- The grid supply methods supported include TN-S, TN-C, TN-C-S, and TT.
- When TT is used as the power supply technique for the power grid, the voltage between N and PE is required to be $< 30\text{ V}$.

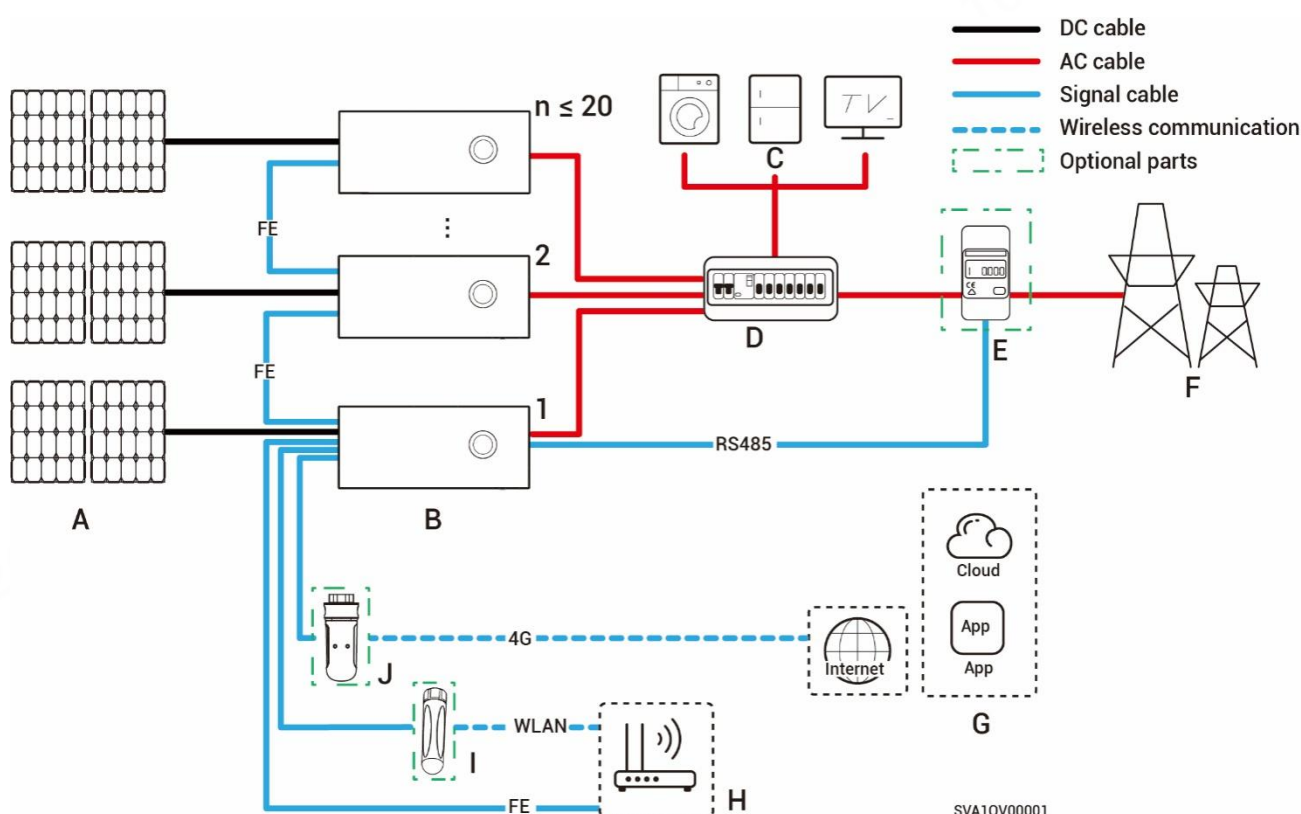


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2.5 Introduction to Typical Networking

Sigen Hybrid/Sigen Energy Controll is designed for grid-connected photovoltaic systems on residential rooftops. The grid-connected system consists of photovoltaic strings, inverters, distribution panels, and other components.

Note: functionally earthed arrays is not suitable for Sigen Hybrid/Sigen Energy Controller series, and this kind use is prohibited.



A. PV panel

B. Sigen PV Max/Sigen Hybrid

C. Home loads

D. AC distribution panel

E. Power sensor

G. mySigen

H. Router

I. Antenna

J. CommMod

Tips

- Sigen PV Max or Sigen Hybrid supports a maximum of 20 units in cascade connection.
- The rated voltage of the AC switch connected to each inverter should be ≥ 240 V.a.c. and the rated current is recommended:
 - Sigen Hybrid 8.0 SP AU: The rated current is 50 A

- Sigen Hybrid (10.0-12.0) SP AU: The rated current is 63 A
- It is recommended to use FE and WLAN for communication with inverter.
When free 4G traffic of CommMod runs out, users must top up their accounts or replace an SIM card.

Chapter 3 Site Selection Requirements

Tips

- The warranty applies when the equipment has been installed properly for its intended use and in accordance with the operating instructions.
- During actual installation, the selection of installation location should comply with local firefighting, environmental protection regulations, and other relevant laws. The specific installation location planning should be subject to the installer or engineering, procurement, and construction (EPC) contracts.

Installation Environment Requirements

- Do not install the equipment in smoky, flammable, or explosive environments.
- Avoid exposing the equipment to direct sunlight, rain, standing water, snow, or dust. Install the equipment in a sheltered place. Take preventive measures in operating areas prone to natural disasters such as floods, mudslides, earthquakes, and typhoons.
- Do not install the equipment in an environment with strong electromagnetic interference.
- Ensure that the temperature and humidity of the installation environment comply with the equipment's requirements.
- The equipment should be installed in an area that is at least 500 m away from corrosion sources that may result in salt damage or acid damage (corrosion sources include but are not limited to seaside, thermal power plants, chemical plants, smelters, coal plants, rubber plants, and electroplating plants).

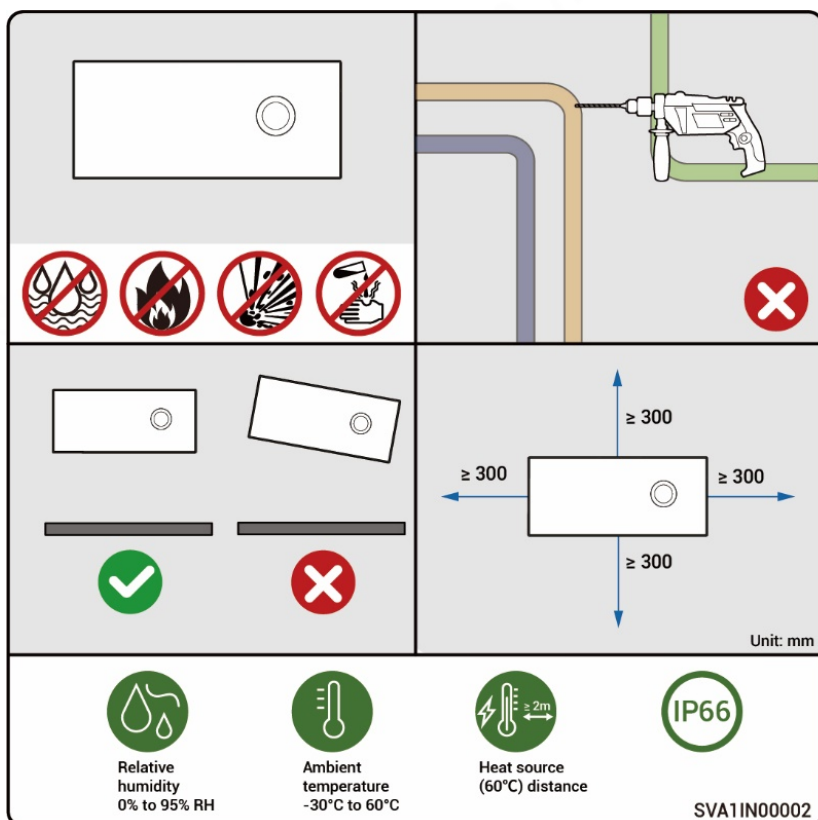
Installation Position Requirements

- Do not tilt or overturn the equipment to ensure that it is installed horizontally.
- Do not install the equipment in places easily touched by children.
- Do not install the equipment in places with fire or damp.

- The equipment produces sound when it is operating. Please install the equipment in a place far away from your daily work and daily life.
- Do not install the equipment in a sealed, poorly ventilated location without fire protection measures and difficult access for firefighters.
- The equipment is hot when it is running. If the equipment is installed indoors, please ensure good indoor ventilation and avoid significant indoor temperature rise by 3°C while the equipment is running. Otherwise, the equipment will be derated.
- Do not install the equipment in mobile scenarios such as RVS, cruise ships, and trains.
- You are advised to install the equipment in a location where you can easily access, install, operate, maintain it, and view the indicator status.
- When installing the equipment in the garage, do not install the equipment in the position where the vehicle passes through to avoid collision.

Mounting Surface Requirements

- Do not install the equipment on a flammable installation base.
- The installation base should meet the load-bearing requirement. Solid brick-concrete structures, concrete walls, and floors are recommended.
- The surface of the installation base must be smooth and the installation area must meet the installation space requirements.
- No water or electricity is routed inside the installation base to prevent drilling hazards during equipment installation.

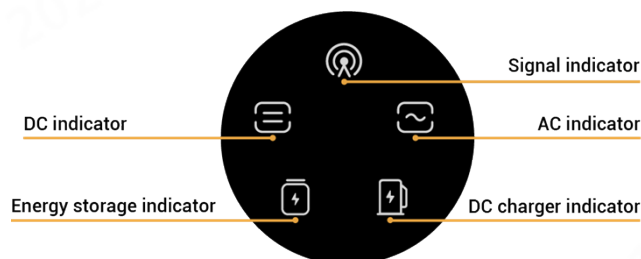


Chapter 4 Equipment Installation and Wiring





















- Only company authorized personnel should install and connect the equipment. For details, see ***Sigen Hybrid (8.0-12.0)SP AU Installation Guide***.
- Parts and accessories supplied with the packing box are personal assets of the owner and must be kept safe.

Chapter 5 System Operation

5.1 LED Indicator State

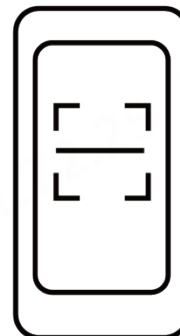


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Indicator	Color	State	Description
		Always on	The DC side is connected but not running.
		Always on	The DC side is running.
		-	The DC side is not connected.
		Flash	The DC side is faulty.
		Always on	The inverter is faulty.
		Always on	The AC side is connected but not running.
		Always on	Grid-connected operation.
		Always on	Off-grid operation.
		-	The AC side is not connected.
		Flash	Off-grid overload operation.
		Flash	The AC side is faulty.
		Always on	The inverter is faulty.
		-	The management system is not connected.
		Flash	Connected to local App.
		Always on	Connected to the management system using an FE or WLAN.
		Always on	Connected to the management system over 4G.
		Flash	Insufficient traffic for Sigen CommMod.

5.2 mySigen App Query

The App can be downloaded in the following two ways. For details, see **mySigen App User Manual**.



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Chapter 6 System Maintenance

6.1 Routine Maintenance

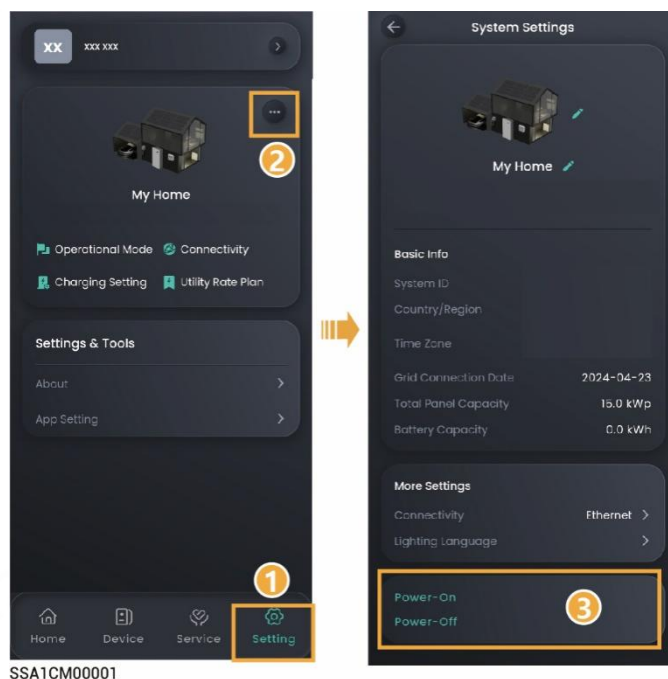
To ensure the long-term running of the equipment, you are advised to perform routine maintenance according to this section.

Inspection content	Inspection method	Power off or not	Maintenance cycle
System cleaning	Regularly check whether the decorative cover or fan is covered and dirty. Clean it up when necessary. Do not use tools that may cause electric shock or with damaged insulation when cleaning up, such as wire brushes.	Yes	Once every three months.
System running state	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Check whether the equipment is damaged or deformed. ● Listen for any abnormal noises during the operation of the equipment. ● When the equipment is running, check whether the equipment parameters are correctly set. 	No	Once every six months.

6.2 Equipment Powering-on/Power-off

Scheme 1: App operation

In the mySigen app, tap "Settings" to turn the device on or off.



Scheme 2: Manual operation

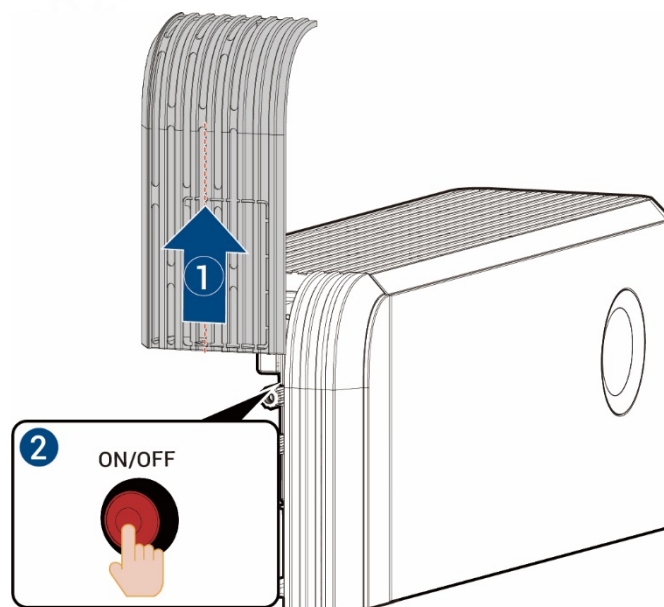
Follow the steps shown to remove the side and top decorative cover, and press the ON/OFF switch button.

Tips

Press and hold for more than 3s to turn on or off the power; an interval of more than 10s is needed between power-on and power-off.

1. Remove the side and top decorative cover.
2. Turn DC SWITCH on the equipment to the OFF position.
3. Turn off the switch connected to the equipment in the backup power distribution panel.

4. After all LED indicators on the equipment go off, wait for the corresponding time as indicated on the label on the equipment before proceeding.



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Tips

In case of prolonged inactivity of the equipment (such as being offline for several consecutive days or having minimal operational hours), the system will issue a reminder. If no feedback is received from you, the equipment will be automatically turned off as a precautionary measure for safety. To resume operation of the equipment, please reach out to us for further instructions.

6.3 Emergency Treatment

Emergency Measures for Fire

Danger

- Please shut down the equipment or disconnect the main power switch when it is safe.
- If the fire is small, use carbon dioxide or ABC dry powder extinguisher to extinguish the fire.
- If the fire is spreading, evacuate the building or equipment area immediately and call the fire department. Re-entry to burning buildings is prohibited.
- Do not contact with high voltage components during fire fighting, otherwise it may lead to the risk of electric shock.
- After extinguishing the fire, do not use the equipment, please contact your sales agent.

Emergency Measures for Flood

Danger

- Please shut down the equipment or disconnect the main power switch when it is safe.
- After the flood waters recede, do not use the equipment. Please contact your sales agent.

Chapter 7 Appendix

7.1 Technical Parameter

For details about equipment parameters, see the Data sheets of the product.

Pollution degree:PD2, PD3;

The DVC class for the Communication Interface and RJ45 port 1&2 is DVC A, for DC&AC port is DVC C.

Environmental category: outdoor, indoor conditional, indoor unconditional;
backfeed current: 0A;

For SigenStor EC 8.0 SP AU or Sigen Hybrid 8.0 SP AU , the inrush current is 40.0 A, the Max. output overcurrent protection is 40.0 A, the Max. output fault current is 88.0 A;

For SigenStor EC 10.0 SP AU or Sigen Hybrid 10.0 SP AU , the inrush current is 43.4 A, the Max. output overcurrent protection is 43.4 A, the Max. output fault current is 95.5 A;

For SigenStor EC 12.0 SP AU or Sigen Hybrid 12.0 SP AU , the inrush current is 54.6 A, the Max. output overcurrent protection is 54.6 A, the Max. output fault current is 120.0 A;