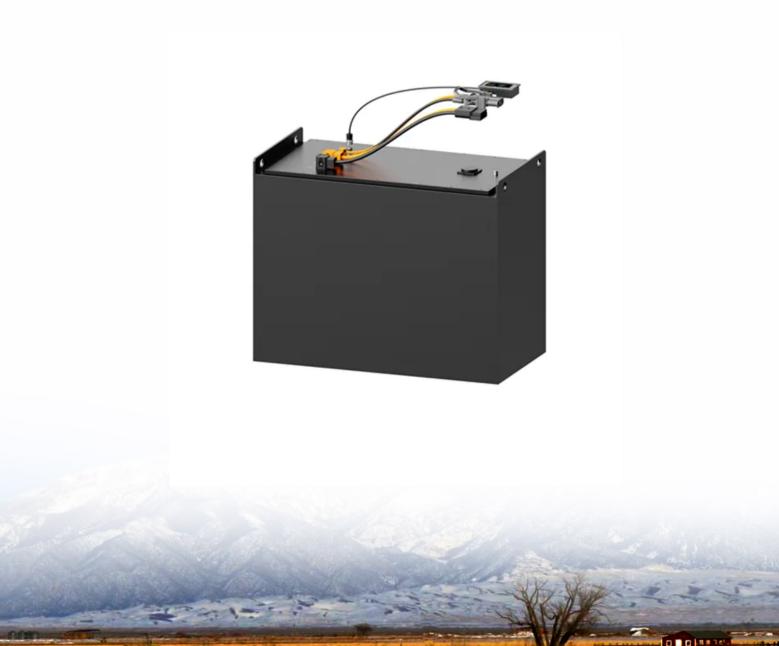


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# National standard requirements for battery cabinet storage





### **Overview**

NFPA standards: The NFPA has specific standards for BESS, including NFPA 855 and NFPA 70, which address fire safety, installation and operation. What is a battery standard?

Covers requirements for battery systems as defined by this standard for use as energy storage for stationary applications such as for PV, wind turbine storage or for UPS, etc. applications.

What are the safety requirements related to batteries & Battery rooms?

Employers must consider exposure to these hazards when developing safe work practices and selecting personal protective equipment (PPE). That is where Article 320, Safety Requirements Related to Batteries and Battery Rooms comes in.

What standards are used in a battery room?

Common standards in the battery room include those from American Society of Testing Materials (ASTM) and Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers (IEEE). Model codes are standards developed by committees with the intent to be adopted by states and local jurisdictions.

What is a battery management standard?

A new standard that will apply to the design, performance, and safety of battery management systems. It includes use in several application areas, including stationary batteries installed in local energy storage, smart grids and auxillary power systems, as well as mobile batteries used in electric vehicles (EV), rail transport and aeronautics.

Do you need documentation before entering a battery room?

It is a requirement to have all the documentation in place prior to authorized personnel entering a battery room to perform a specific work task on a battery system under normal operating conditions. However, it is likely the employee



will need to enter the battery room to deal with a battery system that is not operating normally.

What are the requirements for a battery handling facility?

Floors shall be of acid resistant construction unless protected from acid accumulations. Face shields, aprons, and rubber gloves shall be provided for workers handling acids or batteries. Facilities for quick drenching of the eyes and body shall be provided within 25 feet (7.62 m) of battery handling areas.



### National standard requirements for battery cabinet storage



### 480.9 Battery Locations.

Working space shall be measured from the edge of the battery cabinet, racks, or trays. For battery racks, there shall be a minimum clearance of 25 mm (1 in.) between a cell container and any ...

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### NFPA 70 and NFPA 70E Battery-Related Codes Update

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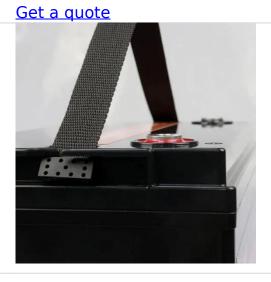
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