

### **ENERGY UNIT**

# Innovative energy supply for test vehicles: compact, robust, pioneering



#### **SMALL AND LIGHT**

The battery pack – the heart of the system – weighs a maximum of 55 kilograms, depending on the capacity selected, with compact dimensions of just 75.5 cm  $\times$  31.5 cm  $\times$  9.5 cm (L  $\times$  W  $\times$  H).



#### PROGRESSIVE AND UNIVERSAL

Plug-in system, lithium-ion technology and can be used independently of the vehicle's drive type – the Energy Unit can provide the energy supply in numerous test vehicles for years to come.



#### HIGH CYCLE STABILITY

Over 3,000 charging cycles at a discharge depth of 80%.

TEST VEHICLES

ENERGY UNIT // THE VARIANTS

Development and change have always been key aspects of the automotive industry: That's why test vehicles are becoming more and more important.

The technical demands on the vehicles are constantly growing. In particular, the energy supply needs to be both reliable and enduring as well as small and light.

Thanks to continual exchanges with users and focussed development work, we have now designed a new system that easily meets these requirements in the long term – the Energy Unit.

#### THREE VARIANTS

# Mobile power supply made to measure

You can choose between three variants of the Energy Unit: The Energy Unit Split together with its components offers maximum flexibility for delivery vans. The Energy Unit Box, on the other hand, is tailored to outdoor use in box body vehicles. With Energy Unit Customized, we can jointly develop a system from scratch.

#### **ENERGY UNIT SPLIT**



The flexible, compact and lightweight complete system available as a kit in three capacities

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#### **ENERGY UNIT BOX**

The robust, weatherproof, all-in-one solution for outdoor use in box body vehicles

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#### ENERGY UNIT CUSTOMIZED

Our individually developed solution for your requirements

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"We are particularly proud of the battery pack – the heart of the complete system: It offers enormous capacity and withstands the highest loads."

The development team



#### HOUSING

Lightweight, corrosion-resistant, highly stable:
The aluminium housing protects the battery modules
and, thanks to its extremely flat design, provides
completely new installation options.

#### DIMENSIONS

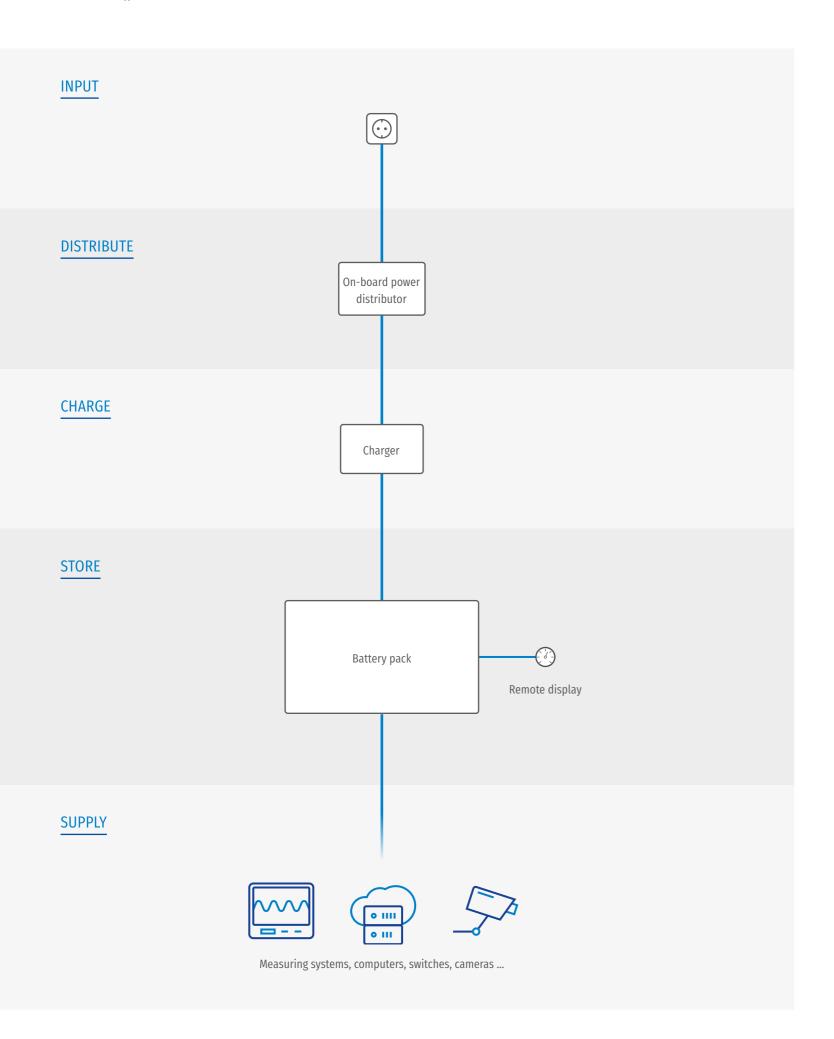
Even with its enormous capacity of 210 Ah, just 75 cm long – and not even 10 cm high.

#### **ASSEMBLY**

Ready to plug in and can be installed without the need for a qualified electrician.

#### INDEPENDENCE

Self-sufficient system that reliably supplies the additional consumers with energy – regardless of the type of drive.





#### COMPLETE SYSTEM WITH INDIVIDUAL COMPONENTS AS A KIT

## Variable and proven

For years, we have been offering a wide-ranging and precisely coordinated product portfolio. This enables us to easily meet the requirements of different vehicle models and to secure the specific energy supply required for different test vehicles.

#### **ALL-ROUND SUPPLY**

For the Energy Unit Split, the MelfBox is used for power supply. An on-board power distributor such as the PCM4 forwards the current to a battery charger. Here we rely on our microprocessor-controlled RBC 24105, which is ideal for charging the heart of our system – our newly developed battery pack: It reliably supplies a wide range of consumers with energy.

Outdoor power supply	LEAB MelfBox
Connection cable	Two-pin earthed plug 5 m, 230 VAC
On-board power distributor	PCM4 incl. fuse protection
Charger	RBC 24105, IP54, 3 kW
Remote display	enGage II, model 3100R
Connection kit	Plug-in wiring kit
Option 1: Inverter	Output voltage 230 VAC
Option 2: DC-DC converter	Output voltage 12 VDC
Option 3: DC-DC booster	Recharging the battery pack while travelling





#### **ENERGY UNIT SPLIT**

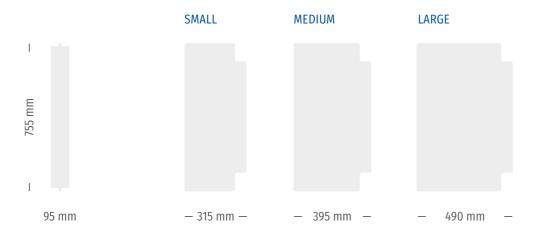
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	SMALL	MEDIUM	LARGE
Capacity	105 Ah	150 Ah	210 Ah
Amount of energy	2,720 Wh	3,885 Wh	5,439 Wh
Height	95 mm	95 mm	95 mm
Width	755 mm	755 mm	755 mm
Depth	315 mm	395 mm	490 mm
Battery pack weight	20 kg	27 kg	35.5 kg
Overall system weight	35 kg	40 kg	49 kg
Charge time (with RBC 24105)	1 h	1.5 h	2 h
Cycle stability (80 % DoD)	≥ 3,000	≥ 3,000	≥ 3,000
Output voltage	24 VDC	24 VDC	24 VDC

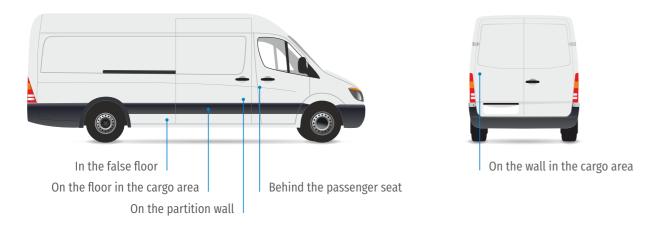
ENERGY UNIT SPLIT // DIMENSIONS AND PLACEMENTS

#### **DIMENSIONS**





#### POSSIBLE PLACEMENTS IN THE VEHICLE (EXAMPLES)







#### **IMPRESSIVE EFFICIENCY**

# Plug and play in the smallest space

#### **IDEAL HOUSING HEIGHT**

With its low height of just 9.5 centimetres, the battery pack of the Energy Unit Split can be installed in various places. The wide range of possibilities extends from the boot to the cargo area and the driver's cab. Wherever it is mounted, there is no need to interfere with the body of the vehicle.

In addition, all other system components can be installed independently of each other in the vehicle to meet individual space requirements.

#### PLUG AND PLAY

All the system's devices and cables are pre-assembled. This allows for an extremely short installation time – especially compared to a conventional system.



Installation in the driver's cab of a Sprinter.

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BATTERY PACK // STORAGE TECHNOLOGY
INDUSTRY CHALLENGES AT A GLANCE

#### POWERFUL STORAGE TECHNOLOGY

## Technology meets safety

#### PROVEN RELIABILITY

The battery pack is based on particularly high-energy lithium cells. This storage technology combines reliability and modernity, as it has proven itself for years in our product development and on the market. At the same time it is constantly being further developed and therefore remains future-proof.

#### MULTIPLE PROTECTION LEVELS

Thanks to redundant monitoring on each individual module within the battery as well as the overriding battery management system (BMS), it offers an extremely high level of functional safety.

In addition, the battery pack has an highly robust housing. At the same time, thanks to the built-in cells, we have been able to achieve extraordinary savings in terms of weight and dimensions.

Misuse is also prevented: Short circuits, reverse polarity and deep discharge are technically prevented. Last but not least, all relevant components communicate with each other via a CAN bus.

// Proven battery management system

// Short circuits, polarity reversal and deep discharge are excluded

// Permanent monitoring of all components by the battery management system

#### LONG-TERM USE

## Made for change

#### LCI? PA? MOPF? NO PROBLEM!

Life cycle impulses, product upgrade, model maintenance: however manufacturers call the revision of their models – changes occur in any case, whether after three and a half, five or seven years.

That's why our system is designed to be quickly and easily integrated into the architecture of a new model to ensure power supply here too.

#### AT HOME IN THE WORLD

Test vehicles are in operation on different continents in all weathers – always with the aim of completing successful and trouble-free test runs. We have thought of this, too: with its compact design, durable materials and diverse mounting options, the Energy Unit is extremely robust and can cope with even long transport routes.



ENERGY UNIT BOX

#### **ENERGY UNIT BOX**

# The robust, weatherproof, all-in-one solution for outdoor use in box body vehicles

Unlike the Energy Unit Split, the Energy Unit Box combines not only the battery, but also all components belonging to the overall system (excluding options) in one housing.

This enables us to optimally meet the special ratio of available space and energy requirements of box body vehicles.

The MelfBox for power supply (see page 7) and the remote display are also included in the scope of delivery, ready to plug in for individual placement on the vehicle.







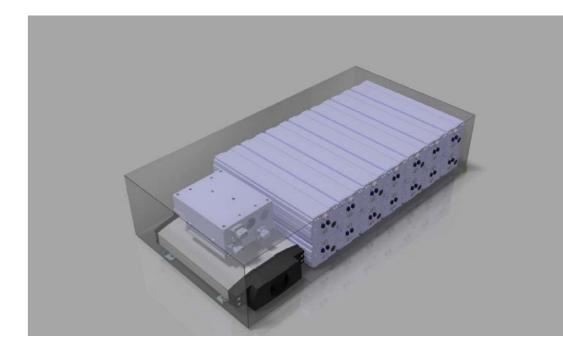
Capacity	210 Ah	
Amount of energy	5,439 Wh	
Cell chemistry		
Height	465 mm	
Width	560 mm	
Depth	360 mm	
Charge time (with RBC 2410	2 h	
Cycle stability (80 % DoD)	>= 3,000 24 VD0	
Output voltage		
Overall system weight		55 kg
Option 1: Inverter	Output voltage 230 VAC	
Option 2: DC-DC converter	Output voltage 12 VDC	
Option 3: DC-DC booster	Recharging the battery pack while travelling	

#### **ENERGY UNIT CUSTOMIZED**

# Our individually developed solution for your requirements

Available installation space, planned service life, permissible weight, special temperature range: For some projects, the requirements are so specific that a completely customised energy supply is necessary.

We can also meet these requirements with the Energy Unit. We meet together to discuss your requirements and wishes as well as all possible components. We then work out a custom-fit solution.





## We make energy mobile.

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