

# UPS and battery cabinet isolation

How to protect ups from unintentional isolation?

To eliminate the risk of unintentional isolation, switching or isolation of supply, all protective devices supplying the UPS should be 3-pole with a fixed neutral. If the neutral needs to be disconnected to isolated for maintenance purposes, an isolator on the neutral line could be installed.

Should battery isolation be a safety feature in the ups?

Eaton's position is that battery isolation in the UPS can provide a false sense of security, and should not be depended on as a safety feature. This paper will describe recommended practices for ensuring battery safety, which do not require, or depend on, transformer isolation of the DC/battery circuit.

Should a battery be isolated from a mains supply?

When considering this option, the design of UPS and the number of input supplies needs to be thought through. In the past, when open lead acid batteries were typically the battery of choice in UPS solutions, input isolation was frequently used to isolate the batteries from the mains supply for safety reasons.

Why do batteries need galvanic isolation?

In the early 60s, when only open lead-acid batteries were available, galvanic isolation was required for safety reasons. Since the late 80s, when maintenance-free lead-acid or nickel-cadmium batteries came into use, input galvanic isolation was abandoned; it is very rarely found now.

The most commonly used batteries in energy stor-age installations are Lithium-ion batteries; the main topologies are NMC (Nickel Manganese Cobalt) and LFP (Lithium Iron Phosphate).

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Three distinct types of isolation may be used within a UPS system, although how - or even if - they're implemented depends on the UPS power supply type and the application of UPS.

Never attempt to mount the UPS or external battery cabinet with the front mount ears only. Continuous support is required throughout the mounting procedure to prevent damage or injury.

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The term line-up-and-match refers to battery cabinets that are physically attached to the UPS, share internal wiring, and use the battery cabinet breaker as the battery isolation device.

Figure 3. An example of a distributed battery system with the Vertiv™ Trinergy™ modular UPS and Vertiv™ EnergyCore lithium-ion battery cabinets which deliver 5 minute runtime ...

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Older UPS systems contained input and output isolation transformers, which allowed the battery system to be completely isolated from ground. This was called a "floating" battery. A single ...

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