

# Energy storage distance from base station room

114KWh ESS



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## Overview

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5 of NFPA 855, we learn that individual ESS units shall be separated from each other by a minimum of three feet unless smaller separation distances are documented to be adequate and approved by the authority having jurisdiction (AHJ) based on large-scale fire testing.

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The Fire Code requires that: " Individual [energy storage system] units shall be separated from each other by at least 3 feet (914 mm) of spacing" (?1207.11.2.1).

### 46 CFR Part 111 Subpart 111.15 -

A moderate battery installation must not be in a sleeping space. An engine cranking battery for one or more engines must be as close as possible to the engine or engines.



### [Best Practices and Considerations for Siting Battery Storage](#)

Is there space for the battery storage system to be installed near other PV equipment? o It may be beneficial for the site if the battery storage system is located near the rest of the PV equipment (e.g.

### [Standard for the Installation of Stationary Energy Storage Systems](#)

(23) ESS and associated equipment shall be located from the edge of the roof a distance equal to at least the height of the system, equipment, or component but not less than 5 ft (1.5 m).



### [Code Corner: NFPA 855 ESS Unit Spacing Limitations - Mayfield](#)



### [What Should I Know About Clearance Requirements When Installing](#)

Clearance requirements help ensure the generator operates at a safe distance where heat and fumes will not cause fires or health hazards. The exhaust gets extremely hot and remains hot after shutdown.

In Section 15.5 of NFPA 855, we learn that individual ESS units shall be separated from each other by a minimum of three feet unless smaller separation distances are documented to be



### [NFPA 855 Guide: Complying with Fire Code for Batteries](#)

Learn how to comply with NFPA 855 battery fire code requirements for energy storage systems. Key rules, spacing, UL 9540A testing, and documentation steps.

### [IR N-4: Modular Battery Energy Storage Systems: 2022 CBC and](#)

This Interpretation of Regulations (IR) clarifies specific code requirements relating to battery energy storage systems (BESS) consisting of prefabricated modular structures not on or inside a building for



### [UFC 3-520-05 Stationary Battery Areas: replaced by UFC 3-520](#)

When more than one battery chemistry is employed, locate each type of battery in a separate room with each room individually meeting the occupancy separation requirements and with no direct access

## **Understanding NFPA 855: A Homeowner's Guide to Safely Installing Energy**

This guide is designed specifically for homeowners with single-family or two-family homes interested in installing energy storage systems.



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