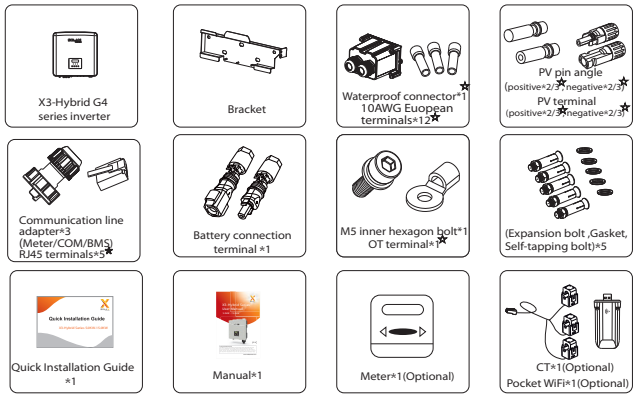
Quick Installation Guide

X3-Hybrid 5.0KW-15.0KW

I Packing List

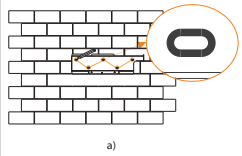


Note: * ☆ *attachments are not included in the M series inverter attachment package and will be included in the X3-Matebox.
* ★ The inverter in Australia needs to be connected to DRM, which is 1 more communication line adapter than that in other countries.
The number of "D" and "E" are different for different power sections. For 5-6kW inverters, the number of positive and negative PV terminal and PV pin angle is 2, 2, 2 and 2 respectively. For 8- 15kW inverters, the number of positive and negative PV terminal and PV pin angle is 3, 3, 3 and 3 respectively.

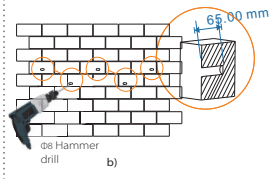
II Tool Preparation

III Mounting Steps

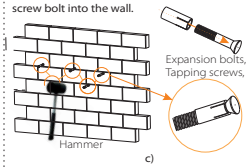
a) Use a marker to mark drilling holes of the bracket on the wall.



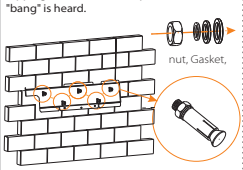
b) Drill holes at marked spots with depth of 65mm.



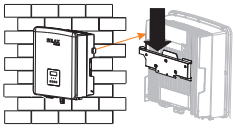
c) Insert expansion bolt into the hole, use rubber hammer to knock the expansion screw bolt into the wall.



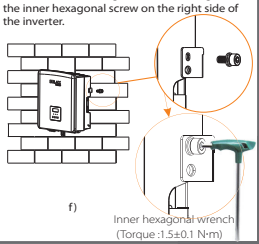
d) The bracket is aligned with the screw uses the inner hexagonal wrench to screw the tapping screw until the expansion bolt "bang" is heard.



e) Hang the buckle on the inverter to the corresponding position of the backplane.



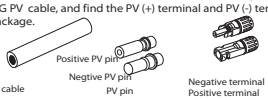
f) Use the inner hexagonal wrench to tighten the inner hexagonal screw on the right side of the inverter.



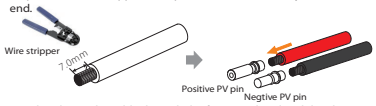
IV PV Connection

*The PV port wiring of X3-Hybrid G4 M series inverter has been completed. For specific installation details, please refer to the X3-Matebox Quick Installation Guide, the D series needs to be wired according to the following steps.

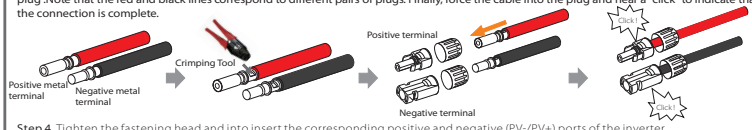
Step 1. Turn off the DC switch, connect the PV module, prepare a 12AWG PV cable, and find the PV (+) terminal and PV (-) terminal in the package.



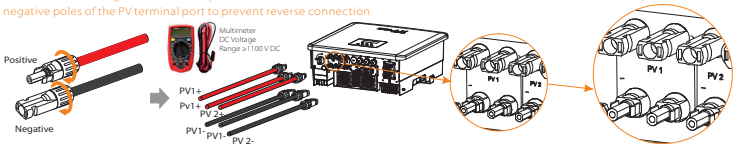
Step 2. Use a wire stripper to strip the 7mm insulation layer of the wire end.



Step 3. The PV connector is divided into 2 parts, to the plug and the fastening head. Pass the cable through the fastening head and the alignment plug .Note that the red and black lines correspond to different pairs of plugs. Finally, force the cable into the plug and hear a "click" to indicate that the connection is complete.

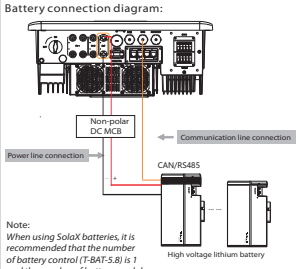


Step 4. Tighten the fastening head and into insert the corresponding positive and negative (PV-/PV+) ports of the inverter.
Note: Before inserting the PV terminal, please turn on the switch of the PV module, and use a multimeter to measure the positive and negative poles of the PV terminal port to prevent reverse connection.



IV Battery Connection

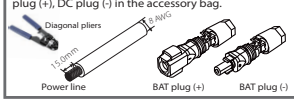
Battery connection diagram:



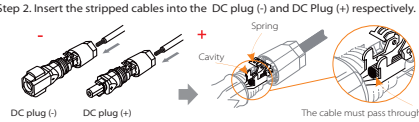
Note:
When using SolaX batteries, it is recommended that the number of battery control (T-BAT-5.8) is 1 and the number of battery modules (HV11550) is 2-4; the number of battery control (MC0600) is 1 and the number of battery control (HV10230) is 2-4 pcs.

*Battery port connection line of the X3-Hybrid G4 M series inverter is on the X3-Matebox,for specific installation details, please refer to the X3-Matebox Quick Installation Guide It is necessary to wire the D series according to the following steps.

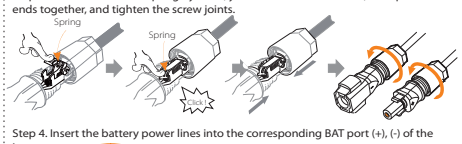
Step 1. Prepare 8 AWG battery power line, find the DC plug (+), DC plug (-) in the accessory bag.



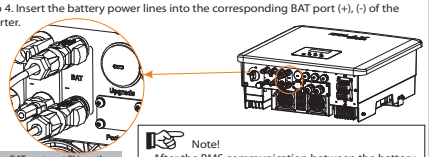
Step 2. Insert the stripped cables into the DC plug (-) and DC Plug (+) respectively.



Step 3. Press down on the spring by hand, you can hear a click sound, then push the ends together, and tighten the screw joints.



Step 4. Insert the battery power lines into the corresponding BAT port (+), (-) of the inverter.



Note: BAT port, not PV port!
Note: The positive and negative wires of the battery are not allowed to be reversed!

Note!
After the BMS communication between the battery and the inverter is finished, the battery will work normally.

V Grid and Off-grid Connection

Diagram A: N line and PE line separate wiring, D series inverter; (For most countries)

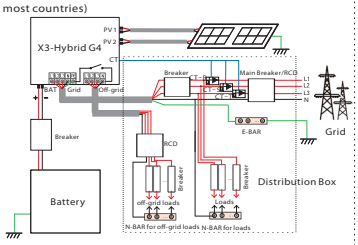


Diagram B: N line and PE line separate wiring, M series inverter; (For most countries)

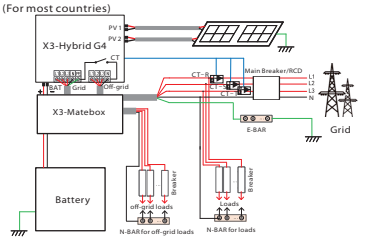


Diagram C: N line and PE line together, D series inverter; (Applicable to Australia)

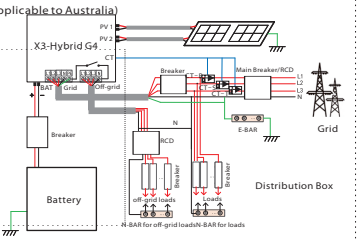
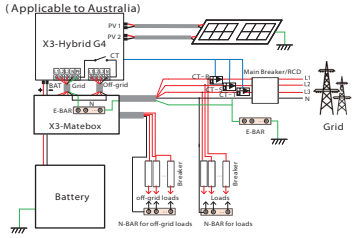


Diagram D: N line and PE line together, M series inverter; (Applicable to Australia)



Note: The RCD on the figure represents a leakage protection device with a circuit breaker function.

* The Grid and the Off-grid ports of X3-Hybrid G4 M series inverter have been connected, for specific installation details, please refer to the X3-Matebox Quick Installation Guide . and the D series needs to be wired according to the following steps.

Step 1. Prepare a Grid cable (five-core wire) and an Off-grid cable (four-core wire), and then find the European terminal and waterproof cover in the accessory bag.

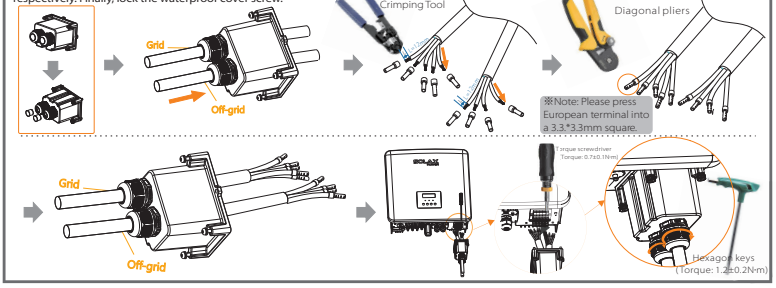
Grid Cable and Micro-breaker recommended

Model	X3-Hybrid-5.0-D	X3-Hybrid-6.0-D	X3-Hybrid-8.0-D	X3-Hybrid-10.0-D	X3-Hybrid-12.0-D	X3-Hybrid-15.0-D
	X3-Hybrid-5.0-M	X3-Hybrid-6.0-M	X3-Hybrid-8.0-M	X3-Hybrid-10.0-M	X3-Hybrid-12.0-M	X3-Hybrid-15.0-M
Cable (copper)	4~6mm²	4~6mm²	4~6mm²	5~6mm²	5~6mm²	5~6mm²
Micro-Breaker	20A	20A	32A	40A	40A	40A

Off-grid Cable and Micro-breaker recommended

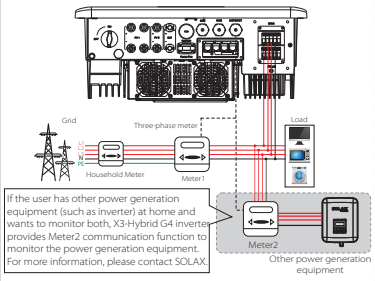
Model	X3-Hybrid-5.0-D	X3-Hybrid-6.0-D	X3-Hybrid-8.0-D	X3-Hybrid-10.0-D	X3-Hybrid-12.0-D	X3-Hybrid-15.0-D
	X3-Hybrid-5.0-M	X3-Hybrid-6.0-M	X3-Hybrid-8.0-M	X3-Hybrid-10.0-M	X3-Hybrid-12.0-M	X3-Hybrid-15.0-M
Cable (copper)	4~6mm²	4~6mm²	4~6mm²	4~6mm²	4~6mm²	4~6mm²
Micro-Breaker	16A	16A	20A	25A	32A	32A

Step 2: First remove the waterproof housing plug, The GRID and Off-grid cables go through the corresponding GRID and Off-grid ports of the waterproof cover. Remove the 12mm insulation layer at the end of the wire. Insert the European-style terminals respectively, and make sure that the stripped ends are inserted into the European-style terminal, and use crimping pliers to press tightly. And locked in the Grid and off-Grid ports respectively. Finally, lock the waterproof cover screw.



VI Communication Connection(BMS/Meter/CT/COM/DRM)

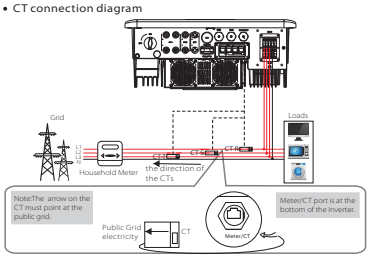
- Electric meter connection diagram



If the user has other power generation equipment (such as inverter) at home and wants to monitor both, X3-Hybrid G4 inverter provides Meter2 communication function to monitor the power generation equipment. For more information, please contact SOLAX

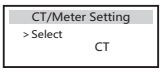
Note: To connect the meter, please connect the GND terminal of the meter to the ground.

- CT connection diagram



- LCD settings

To select CT, you need to enter Use setting, then enter CT/Meter Setting.



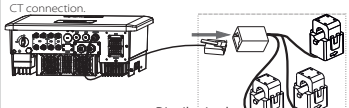
➢ Meter/ CT PIN is defined as follows:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
CTR-1	CTS-1	CTT-1	485A	485B	CTT-2	CTS-2	CTR-2

Note!
Only one of the Meter and CT connections can be selected. Meter cable goes to pin terminal 4 and 5; CT-R cable to PIN Terminal 1 and 8; CT-S cable to PIN Terminal 2 and 7; CT-T cable is connected to terminals 3 and 6.

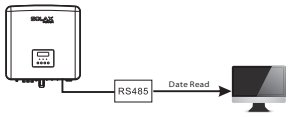
1) To connect the Communication line of the CT line, the lines need to be made on both sides, connecting the RJ45 terminal on one side and the Communication line Adapter on the other.

2) One side of the finished cable, Communication line adapter is inserted into the inverter, and one side of the RJ45 terminal is inserted into the CT connection.



Note!
When installing, pay attention to water resistance. All the connected parts of CT must be put into the distribution cabinet.

- COM Communication



➢ COM PIN Definition

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Drycontact_Alo	Drycontact_Blo	+13V	485A	485B	GND	Drycontact_Aout	Drycontact_Bout

➢ The BMS pin is defined as follows:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
X	X	X	BMS_CANH	BMS_CANL	X	BMS_485A	BMS_485B

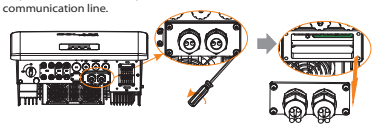
➢ The DRM pin is defined as follows:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
DRM1/5	DRM2/6	DRM3/7	DRM4/8	+3.3V	DRM0	GND	GND

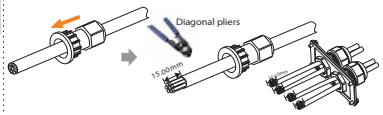
- Communication Connection Steps

Step 1. Prepare a communication cable, and then find the communication adapter in the accessory bag.

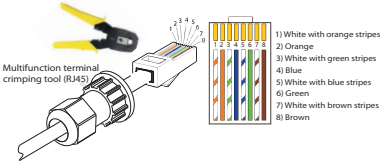
Step 2. Remove the cover plate on the inverter. Will make the communication line.



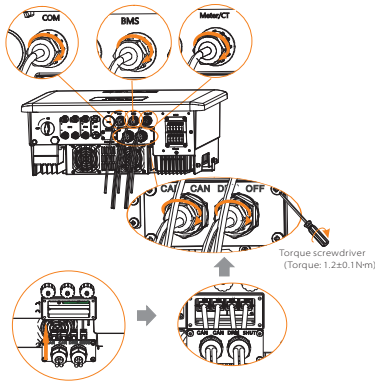
Step 3. Insert the communication cable through the communication adapter, and peel off the outer insulation layer of 15 mm.



Step 4. Insert the prepared communication cables into the RJ45 terminals in sequence , and then use network cable crimping pliers to press them tightly.



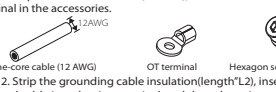
Step 5: Insert the communication line (CAN/DRM/SHUT) into the corresponding port, lock the cover plate, and tighten the fastening head .Finally, the corresponding COM, METER, CT and BMS can be found to insert the corresponding ports of the inverter communication cable.



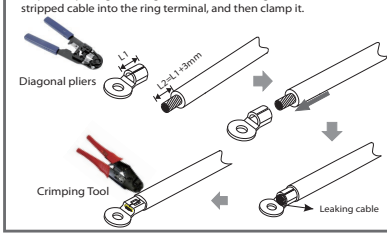
IX Grounding Connection(manodatory)

* The ground wire port of X3-Hybrid G4 M series inverter has been connected, and the D series needs to be wired according to the following steps.

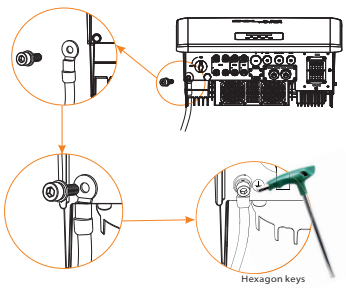
Step 1. Prepare a one-core cable (12AWG), and then find the ground terminal in the accessories.



Step 2. Strip the grounding cable insulation(length"L2), insert the stripped cable into the ring terminal, and then clamp it.

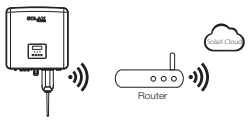


Step 4. Find the ground connection port on the inverter, and lscrew the ground wire on the inverter with an M5 Allen key.



VII Monitoring Operation

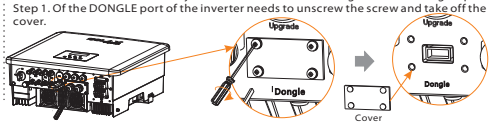
➢ DONGLE connection diagram



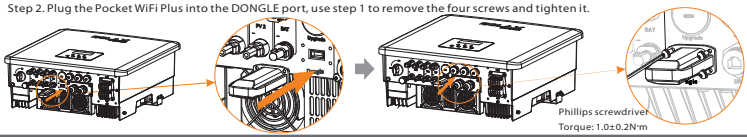
➢ Wireless monitoring accessories connection steps:

* DONGLE port connection line of the X3-Hybrid G4 M series inverter is on the X3-Matebox,for specific installation details, please refer to the X3-Matebox Quick Installation Guide It is necessary to wire the D series according to the following steps.

Step 1. Of the DONGLE port of the inverter needs to unscrew the screw and take off the cover.



Step 2. Plug the Pocket WiFi Plus into the DONGLE port, use step 1 to remove the four screws and tighten it.



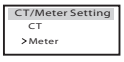
VIII Start Guide

1.Set date time

2.Set language

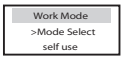
3.Set the safety standard

4.CT/Meter Setting

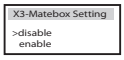


5*.Set export control

6*.Set work mode



7.X3-Matebox Setting



5*.Export Control

This function allows the inverter able to control energy exported to the grid.
There are user value and factory value. The factory value is default which can not be charged by user. The user value set by installer must be less than the factory value.

6*.Set work mode

There are 4 work modes for choice. Self use/ Back Up Mode/ Feed in Priority/ Force Time Use
All these work modes is available for on-grid condition only:

Name	Description
Self Use	The self-use mode is suitable for areas with low feed-in subsidies and high electricity prices. ① When the power of PV is sufficient Active Charging or Discharge time period: PV will power the loads firstly, and surplus power will charge to the battery . If the battery is fully charged, then sell the surplus power to the grid;(The inverter will limit the output if Feed-in limit or zero feed-in is needed) (PV > Load ,PV →Load→Battery → Grid) ② When the power of PV is insufficient Active Charging time period: PV will power the loads firstly ,the remaining power will be taken from the grid , the battery will not discharge at this time.(PV > Load ,PV + Grid → Load) Active Discharge time period: PV+BAT will power the loads together. If the power is still not enough, the remaining power will be taken from the grid. (PV < Load ,PV + Battery + Grid → Load) ③ Without PV power Active Charging time period: The grid supplies the loads and also can charge the battery.(PV=0 ,Grid →Load + Battery) Active Discharge time period: The battery will power the home loads firstly. If the battery power is not enough ,the remaining power will be taken from the grid .The inverter will enter into the standby state.(PV=0 ,Battery+Grid→Load) Battery min SOC can be set:10%-100%.
Feed-in priority	The Feed-in priority mode is suitable for areas with high feed-in subsidies, but has feed-in power limitation. ① When the power of PV is sufficient Active Charging time period :PV will power the loads firstly, and surplus power will feed-in to the grid. If the feed-in power has been limited ,the surplus power can charge the battery. (PV > Load ,PV → Load → Grid → Battery) Active Discharge time period: PV will power the loads firstly ,and surplus power will feed-in to the grid. (PV<Load ,PV → Load → Grid) ② When the power of PV is insufficient Active Charging time period :PV will power the loads firstly, the remaining power will be taken from the grid. The battery will not discharge.(PV<Load ,PV + Battery + Grid → Load) Discharge time period: PV+BAT will power the loads together. If the power is still not enough, the remaining power will be taken from the grid. (PV<Load ,PV + Battery + Grid → Load) ③ Without PV power Active Charging time period :The grid will power the home loads and also charge the battery. (PV=0 ,Grid → Load + Battery) Active Discharge time period:The battery will power the home loads firstly .If the battery power is not enough,the remaining power will be taken from the grid .The inverter will enter into the standby state.(PV=0 , Battery+Grid → Load) Battery min SOC can be set:10%-100%.
Backup mode	The back-up mode is suitable for areas with frequent power outages. Same working logic with "Self-use" mode.This mode will maintain the battery capacity at a relatively high level.(Users' setting) to ensure that the emergency loads can be used when the grid is off. Customers no need to worry about the battery capacity. Battery min SOC can be set:30%-100%.Backup mode SOC adjustment range :30%-100%; In Backup mode, SOC-min under off-grid condition is 10%, which cannot be modified.
Off-grid	The off-grid mode is used when the power grid is off . System will provides emergency power through PV and batteries to supply power to the household loads. (Battery is necessary) ① When the power of PV is sufficient PV will power the loads firstly, and surplus power will charge to the battery.(PV Load,PV Load Battery) ② When the power of PV is insufficient The remaining power will be taken from the battery.(PV Load,PV+battery Load Battery) ③ Without PV power The battery will power the emergency loads until the battery reached the min SOC, then the inverter will enter into the idle mode.(PV=0,Battery Load)

IX Start Inverter

Start inverter

➢ After the inverter is checked, the inverter will take the following steps:

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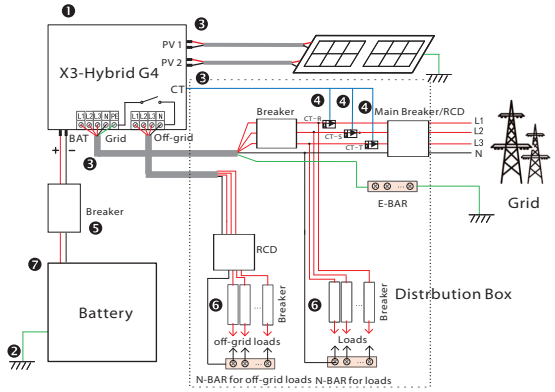


❶ Make sure that the inverter is fixed on the wall.
❷ Ensure that all ground wires are grounded.
❸ Confirm that all DC lines and AC lines are connected.
❹ Make sure the CT are connected.
❺ Make sure the battery is well connected.
❻ Turn on the Load switch and Off-grid switch
❼ Turn on thebattery switch.

Long press Enter for 5 seconds to exit the shutdown mode. Mode is the mode when it is turned off for the first time; factory default: off mode)

Note:The RCD on the figure represents a leakage protection device with a circuit breaker function.

X Firmware Upgrading

-In order to upgrade the firmware smoothly, if the DSP and ARM firmware needs to be upgraded, please note that ARM firmware must be upgraded first, then DSP firmware!
-Make sure that this directory is completely consistent with the above table, do not modify the firmware file name,Otherwise, the inverter may not work!
-For X3-Hybrid G4, ensure that the PV input voltage is greater than180V (upgrade on sunny days). please ensure that the battery SOC is greater than 20% or the battery input voltage is greater than 180V. Otherwise, it may cause serious failure during the upgrade process!
-If the ARM firmware upgrade fails or stops, please do not unplug the U disk and power off the inverter and restart it. Then repeat the upgrade steps.

➢ Upgrade preparation

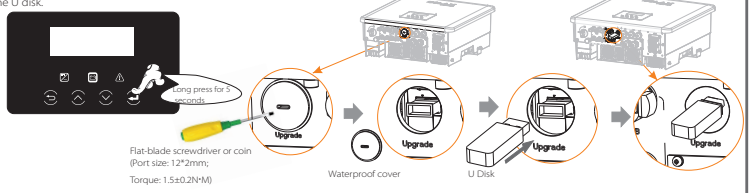
1) Please check the inverter version and prepare a U disk (USB 2.0) and personal computer before upgrading.
2) Please contact our service support through service@solaxpower. com to obtain the firmware, and store the firmware in the U disk according to the following path.

Update:
For ARM file:"update \ARM\618.00406.00_Hybrid_X3G4_ARM_V1.01.0710.usb";
For DSP file:"update\DSP\618.00405.00_Hybrid_X3G4_DSP_V1.01.0710.usb";

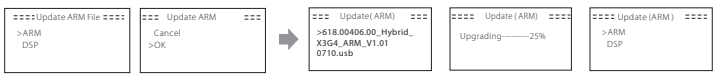
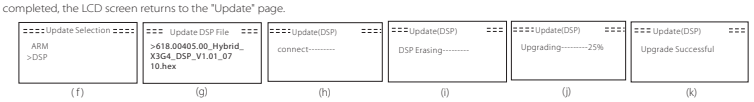
➢ Upgrade steps

Step 1. Please save the "Upate" firmware in your U disk first, and press the "Enter" button on the machine screen for 5 seconds to enter the shutdown mode. Then unscrew the waterproof cover, insert the U disk into the "upgrade" port at the bottom of the inverter.

Step 2. Locate the "update" port of the inverter, use a flat-blade screwdriver or coin with the same width to remove the waterproof cover, and insert the U disk.



Step 3. LCD operation, enter the upgrade interface "update", as shown below(a): Please press the up and down keys to select ARM, then press the bottom of the page to select "OK", press the enter key to enter the software version interface;



Step 4. Please confirm the new firmware version again and select the firmware to upgrade. The upgrade takes about 20 seconds. (d) When it is completed, the LCD screen returns to the "Update" page.