

# **OPEN EDGE DISCUSSION**

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## AGENDA

- Introductions
- Brief Company Overview
- Global Footprint
- Technology Overview
- Open Edge Proposal



# **COMPANY OVERVIEW**



## WHAT WE OFFER





## **MARKETS / APPLICATIONS BROAD APPLICATION EXPERIENCE**

#### Consumer



- Wearables
- Tablets
- Mobile Phones
- Appliances
- Portable Radios

#### **Data Capture**



- Point-of-Sale Terminals
- **Barcode Readers**
- Printers
- Test & Measurement
- - Battery Backup

#### **Critical Power**



- Telecom
  - Data Centers
- **RAID Storage**
- UPS

### **E-Mobility**



- E-Bikes
- E-Scooters
- Electric Wheel Chairs

### **Energy Storage**



- Home / Private
- Commercial
- Industrial

#### Industrial / Low **Speed Vehicles**



- Forklifts
- **Burden Carriers**
- Pallet Jacks
- AWP/Scissor Lifts
- Utility/Golf Vehicles
- Ground Support



**Medical** 

- **Respiratory Care** •
- Healthcare Informatics
- Diagnostic Tools
- Cardiac Care •
- Surgical Instruments
- Pain Management





- **Two-Way Radios**
- **PDAs & Computers**
- Military Vehicle Apps
- UAVs & UGVs •
- Soldier Power Source

#### **Power Tools** (Indoor/ Outdoor)



- Hand Power Tools
- Lawn & Garden Equip.
- Snow Removal Equip.

## **BATTERY PACK DESIGN**

**GROWING HIGHER COMPLEXITY EXPERIENCE** 



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### **TOTAL SYSTEM SOLUTION** BATTERY PACK + CHARGER + POWER SUPPLY

### Benefits of a total system design approach:

- Better fit, form & function
  - Smaller, lighter solutions via integration of all 3 components
  - Less redundancy
  - System function integration
- Higher reliability & safety
  - Improved battery life
  - Reduced charge time
  - Better heat management
  - Improved system performance
- Single source solution
  - One partner, not three
  - Reduction of part numbers





## **GLOBAL FOOTPRINT** ENABLING LOCALIZED PACK INTEGRATION & SUPPLY





# **GLOBAL PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT**

**TECHNOLOGY CENTERS, INDEPENDENT TESTING & AGENCY CERTIFICATION** 

- 2 Technical Centers of Excellence (U.S. & China)
  - ~300 engineers worldwide
  - Electrical, mechanical, & software engineering
- Robust Development Process (Accelerated NPD)
- 100% In-House Design Capability
  - Design capability for complete system (battery, charger, power supply, inverters, adaptors)
  - Prototyping capabilities 3D printing
- In-House Design Verification & Reliability Testing
  - High voltage lab
  - Holds highest level of UL certification for inhouse agency testing
  - System qualification for global agencies
  - In-house agency lab certified by UL & TUV





## **IN-HOUSE TESTING & CERTIFICATIONS**

### **ENSURE SAFETY & RELIABILITY AND PEAK PERFORMANCE**

- Three global testing locations
- 1,000+ charging/discharging channels
- Design verification team
- Onsite test capabilities:
  - Cell and battery pack safety testing
  - Cell performance
  - Environmental tests (IP6X)

# Certified for all IEC and UL standard agency approvals

- UN38.3 [DoT]
- UL 991, UL 1998, & IEC 51508 for BMS
- UL 2595, UL2271, & UL 2580
- IEC 61960 & IEC 62133
- IEC 60950-1 & UL 60950-1
- IEC 62619



UL CTDP Certificate. First approved in 2016





## **VERTICAL INTEGRATION**

### **PROVIDES SEAMLESS SUPPORT FROM CONCEPT THOUGH EOL**

- Shorten lead-times and provide customers with turnkey solutions
- Engineering services
  - Cell selection
  - Electrical and mechanical design
- In house agency certification
- Manufacturing services
  - Battery pack, charger and power supply assembly
  - PCB layout and assembly
  - Resistance and ultrasonic welding & soldering
  - Conformal coating
  - Mechanical tooling and injection molding
  - "Clean Air" SMT production



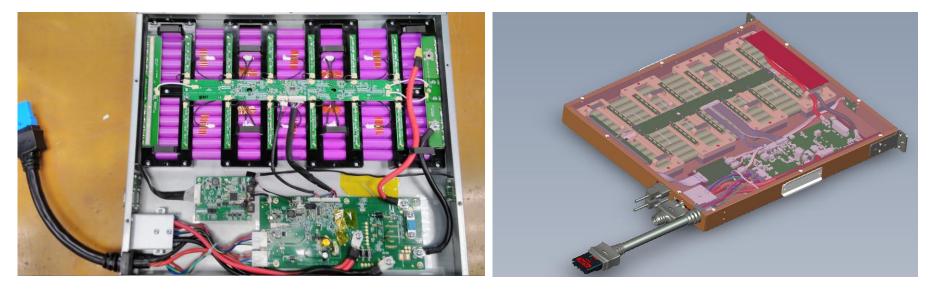


# **TECHNOLOGY OVERVIEW**

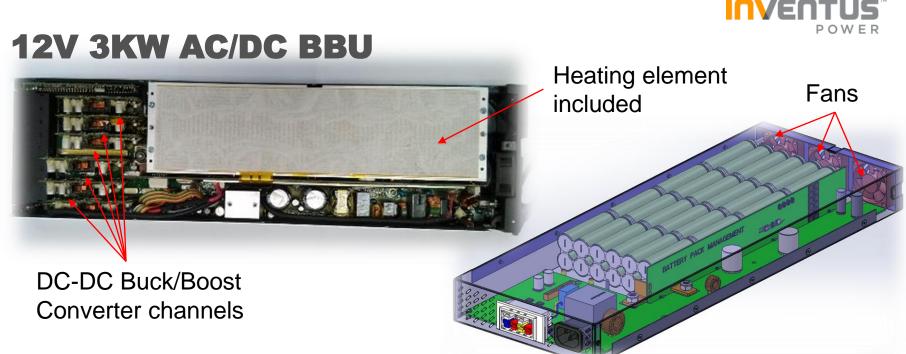
**BBU FOCUS** 



## **48V 3KW BBU**



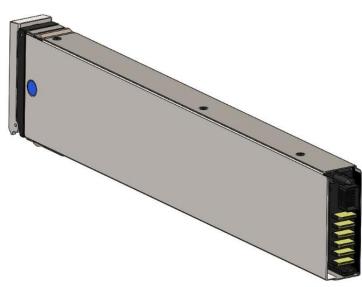
- Unregulated 48V
- 60A continuous output capability for >5 minutes
- 14S6P configuration using 18650 NMC cells
- Hot swappable
- Load sharing capability between multiple BBU units
- 1U height form factor for rack mounting

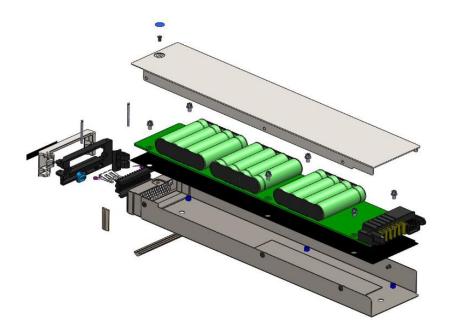


- Regulated 12V (BBU + peak load assist)
- 250A continuous output capability for >90 seconds from 0°C to 47°C
- 4S12P configuration using 18650 NMC cells
- Hot swappable with integrated AC/DC charger (<3 hours)
- Load sharing capability between multiple BBU units
- DSP controlled multi-channel high efficiency DC/DC Buck/Boost topology for rapid load response and output stability



## **12V 1.5KW BBU**

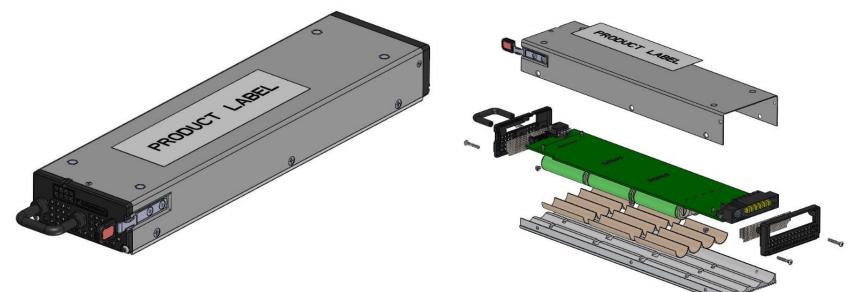




- Regulated 12V
- 125A continuous output capability for >30 seconds
- 3S3P configuration using 18650 cells
- Hot swappable with integrated DC/DC charger (OR'ing)
- Load sharing capability between multiple BBU units
- Calendar Life: 2 years storage + 5 year operational life



## 12V 860W BBU



- Regulated 12V
- 72A continuous output capability for >180 seconds
- 3S4P configuration using 18650 cells
- Hot swappable with integrated DC/DC charger (OR'ing)
- Load sharing capability between multiple BBU units
- Calendar Life: 2 years storage + 5 year operational life



# **OPEN EDGE BBU PROPOSAL**



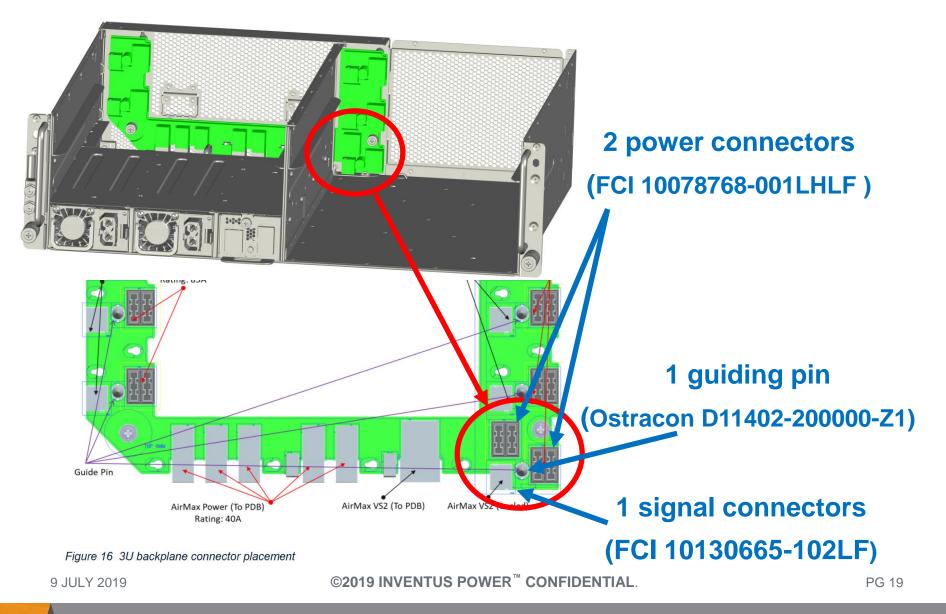
## **OPEN EDGE (CHASSIS REQ'S)**

- The Open Edge chassis consists of 6 sections •
  - 5 useable sleds
  - 1 sled dedicated for a primary & secondary PSU and the rack management controller
- 1U sled, Addr 1 can support either server or
  - Twin Pov
  - Expected

r battery backup unit (BBU)	1U sled, Addr 4	1U sled, Addr 5	
ower connectors - Each 85A	1U sled, Addr 2	1U sled, Addr 3	
ed BBU output 133A @ 12A		1U sled, Addr 1	
	Figure 7 Open edge chassis with five 1U sleds		
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## **OPEN EDGE (CHASSIS REQ'S)**





# **OPEN EDGE (BBU REQUIREMENTS)**

- Mechanical enclosure based on Open Edge sled with minor tweaks
- Connector
  - Power: FCI 10078770-002LHLF (2x)
  - Signal: FCI 10124149-102LF (1x)
  - Guiding Receptacle: Ostracon D11403-000A00-Z1 (1x)
- P, I, V
  - Power: 1600W continuous (400W per sled, 4x sleds supported)
  - Current: 133A continuous (2x FCI power connector supports up to 170A)
  - Voltage: 12V regulated output
- Communication
  - SMBus (SDA, SCL)
  - Digital and Analog Pins: ALERT, PRSNT and PD (Physical Address)
- Target at least 120 seconds or more of continuous power
- Hot swappable with integrated DC/DC charger off the 12V bus



## **CELL TECHNOLOGY**

- What cell technology is the right choice for Open Edge?
- What fits?
  - Prismatic Pouch (soft rectangular enclosure)
    - Limited footprints & supplier options
    - Requires rigid enclosure to manage swelling/handling
  - Prismatic Rigid (hard rectangular enclosure)
    - Limited footprints that fit Open Edge sled (this includes VRLA replacements)
  - Cylindrical
    - Several options available in 18650, 21700 and 26650 packages
    - Several suppliers and chemistries to choose from
    - Easier to scale capacity upward if more run time is required
    - Easier to scale capacity downward if less run time and power is required
    - Possibility of integrating non-BBU electronics to utilize dead space

# **CELL TECHNOLOGY (CONT'D)**

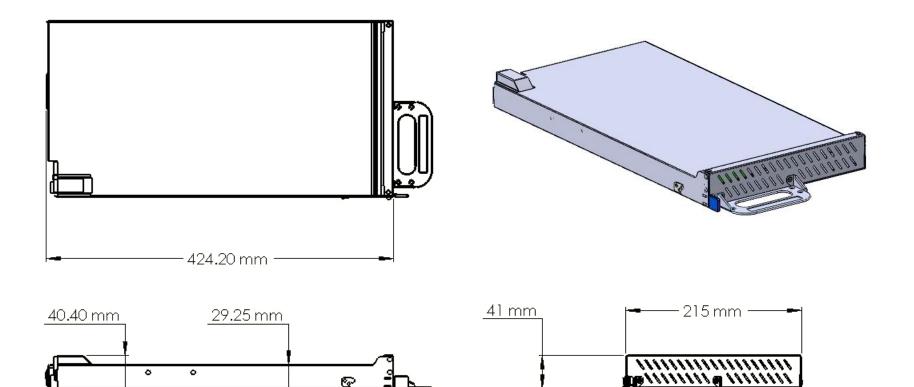


- What chemistries make the most sense?
  - Table below only considers the most relevant and widely used in the BBU space
  - LFP would seem to be the clear choice if based on safety, long life...however,
    - Higher cost, lower energy density, flat discharge curve and a larger space envelope required
    - NMC/NCA has been used for 10+years in BBUs safely and with long life

Cathode Material	Average Voltage	Voltage Range	Specific Energy Density	Safety Index	Comments
	V	V	mAh/g		
Li(Ni <sub>1-y-z</sub> Co <sub>y</sub> Al <sub>z</sub> )O <sub>2</sub> <b>NCA</b>	3.6	4.2-2.5V	~190	**	High capacity Medium Rate
Li(Ni <sub>1-y-z</sub> Mn <sub>y</sub> Co <sub>z</sub> )O <sub>2</sub> NMC	3.6	4.2-2.5V	~155(~170)	***	High capacity High rate. Up to 811 today
LiFePO₄ <b>LFP</b>	3.2	3.65-2.0V	~145	♦♦♦♦♦ very safe	Low capacity High rate Excellent cycle life

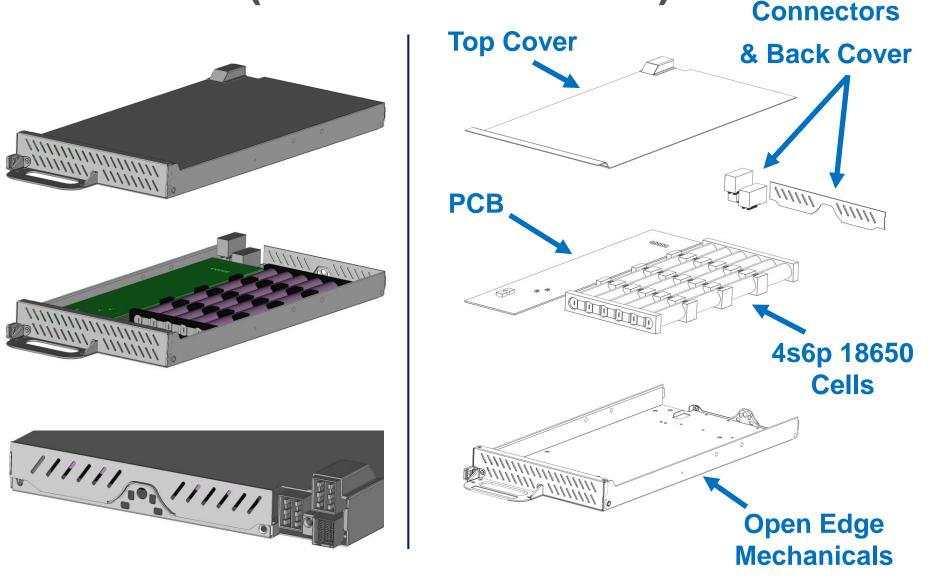


## **OPEN EDGE (BBU 18650 PROPOSAL)**



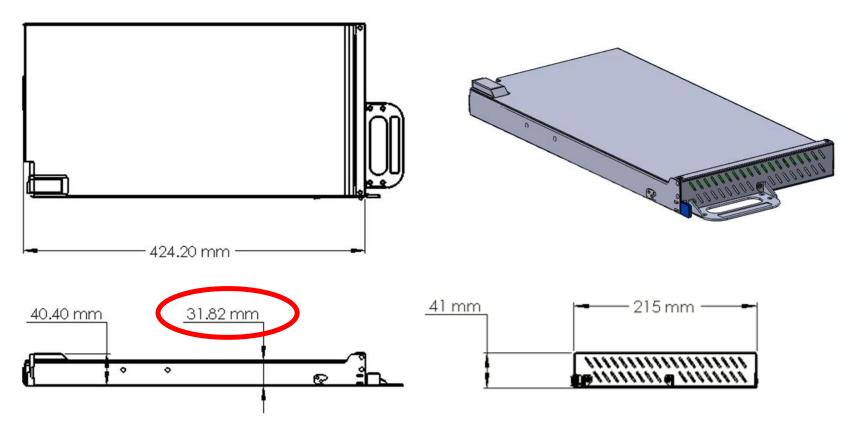
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## **OPEN EDGE (BBU 26650 PROPOSAL)**

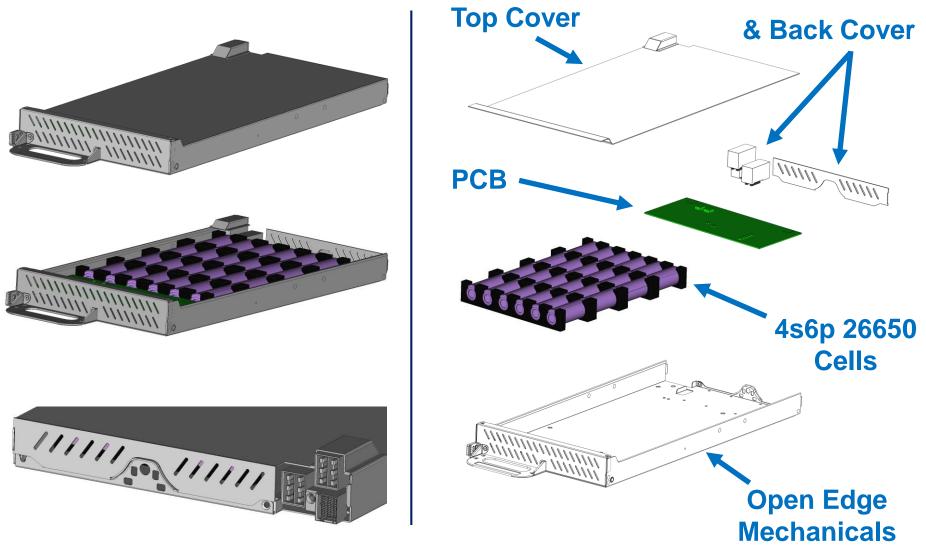


# Increase center height from 29.25 mm to 31.82 mm, still easily fits within height constraints

## **OPEN EDGE (BBU 26650 PROPOSAL)**



**Connectors** 





## **OPEN EDGE – BBU QUESTIONS**

- Supporting Server for graceful shutdown is 2 minutes sufficient?
- Data Storage blades in system?
  - If so How much backup time?
  - Industry standard from 3 to 5 minutes
- Expected Life?
  - Assuming 5 years (or is it more)?
  - Run-Time ratings degrade over time Need to specify "New" vs. "Life End"
- Cooling or Heating options
  - Initial design around natural convection for reliability and lower cost
  - Is there a demand for a wider temp range product as a product extension?
- Front Panel any indicators or information display needed?
- Other Options?

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