#### **Specifications:**

	SS-6/6L	SS-10/10L		SS-20L	
Nominal System Voltage	12 V	12 V	24 V	12 V	24 V
Maximum Solar Input Voltage	30 V	30 V	60 V	30 V	60 V
Maximum Solar Current	6.5 A	10 A		20 A	
Battery Voltage Range	6 V to 15 V	6 V to 15 V	6 V to 30 V	6 V to 15 V	6 V to 30 V
Maximum Load Current	6 A	10 A		20 A	

#### **Battery Type Selection:**



**Battery Select Jumper** INSERTED





Out Build	Sea	aled	Flooded		
Set Point	12-volt	24-volt	12-volt	24-volt	
Absorption Voltage	14.1 V	28.2 V	14.6 V	29.2 V	
Absorption Duration	3 hours				
Float Voltage	13.7 V	27.4 V	13.7 V	27.4 V	
Time until Float	3 hours				
Equalize Voltage	N	/A	14.9 V	29.8 V	
Equalize Duration (hours)	N	/A	3 hours		
Equalize Calendar (days)	N/A		28 days		
Maximum Regulation Voltage*	15.0 V	30.0 V	15.0 V	30.0 V	
Low Voltage Disconnect (LVD)	11.5 V	23.0 V	11.5 V	23.0 V	
Low Voltage Reconnect (LVR)	12.6 V	25.2 V	12.6 V	25.2 V	
High Voltage Disconnect (HVD)	15.3 V	30.6 V	15.3 V	30.6V	
High Voltage Reconnect (HVR)	14 V	28 V	14 V	28 V	
Startup LVD	11.7 V	23.4 V	11.7 V	23.4 V	
Instant LVD	10.0 V	20.0 V	10.0 V	20.0 V	



**For Flooded Batteries:** 

#### **IMPORTANT:**

The SunSaver charging algorithm is compatible with lead-acid or NiCd batteries. NiMH, Li-ion, and other battery chemistries are not compatible with the SunSaver charging algorithm.



#### **IMPORTANT:**

Pulse Width Modulation (PWM) Charging versus **Slow Switching Charging** 

See the SunSaver Installation Manual for directions for changing the regulation from Pulse Width Modulation (PWM) charging to Slow Switching charging.

Slow Switching regulation limits the switching frequency to 10 hz. (maximum), which can eliminate noise issues in some systems.

PWM charging is selected by default.

### To Install the Terminal Cover (required by UL/ETL listed systems):

1. Remove the two lower screws from the faceplate.



2. Align the Terminal Cover over the holes.





3. Insert the screws removed in Step 1 and hand-tighten using care not to over-tighten.



#### **Contact Information:**

**Technical Support:** Support.morningstarcorp.com

Phone: 1-215-321-4457













SOLAR CONTROLLER

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Scan QR Code to go directly to the **SunSaver Installation Manual and warranty** information online.



#### **SunSaver Models:**

SS-6	SS-10	SS-20L*
SS-6L*	SS-10L*	

#### \*Automatic Load Control:

Load Control automatically disconnects and reconnects system loads based upon the Low Voltage Disconnect (LVD) and Low Voltage Reconnect (LVR) voltage thresholds.

The LVD and LVR thresholds are listed on Page 4 of this Quick Start Guide.

This feature is exclusive to models SS-6L, SS-10L, and SS-20L only.

Warranty Registration: <a href="https://www.morningstarcorp.com/product-registration/">https://www.morningstarcorp.com/product-registration/</a>

#### In the Box:

SunSaver Solar Charge Controller



**Terminal Cover** 





#### **Tools Required:**

- #2 Philips Screwdriver
- 3/16 (5 mm) & 3/32" (2.5 mm) Flathead Screwdriver
- Drill with a 3/32" (2.5 mm) bit
- Multimeter







# **Important Safety Information:**



### **WARNING: Shock Hazard**

The SunSaver solar controller must be installed by a qualified technician in accordance with the electrical regulations of the country of installation.



#### **WARNING: Shock Hazard**

This unit is not provided with a GFDI device. This charge controller must be used with an external GFDI device as required by the Article 690 of the National Electrical Code for the installation location.



**IMPORTANT:** READ the SunSaver Installation Manual for safety and regulatory information, instructions on configuration and operation, and warranty information.



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#### **Minimum Clearance Requirements:**









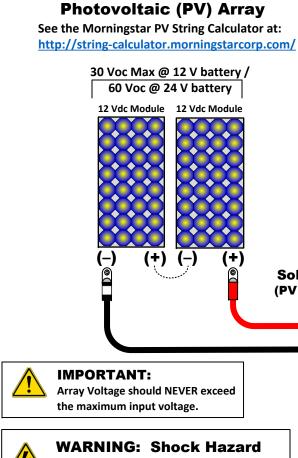
#### **WARNING: Explosion Hazard**

Never install the SunSaver in an enclosure with vented/ flooded batteries. Battery fumes are flammable and will corrode and destroy the SunSaver circuits. Ensure sufficient ventilation.



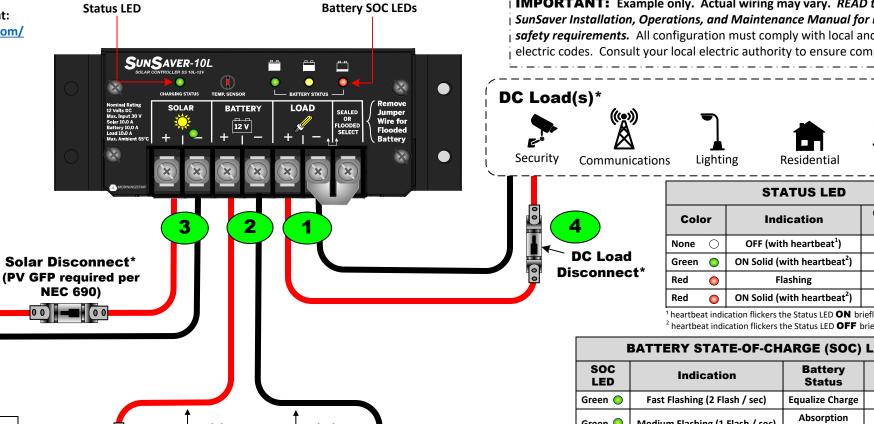
#### **CAUTION: Equipment Damage**

Do not expose the SunSaver CC to weather. Locate in a dry, protected area to prevent equipment damage. Ensure the minimum clearance requirements are followed to provide adequate ventilation and prevent the unit from overheating.





The solar PV array can produce open-circuit voltages in excess of 40 Vdc when in sunlight. Verify that the solar input breaker or disconnect has been opened (disconnected) before installing the system wires.



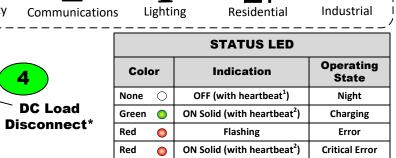
Battery (—) Battery (+) **Battery** (-)**Disconnect\* Battery / Battery Bank Primary System** Ground

(12-volt or 24-volt\*)

\*SunSaver Model Dependent

Recommended Order of Installation	WIRING AND TORQUE REQUIREMENTS						
	Component	Wire Size (Solid)	Wire Size (multistrand)	Wire Size (fine strand)	Torque (Maximum)	Tool Required	
1	Load Terminals	#10 AWG 5.2 mm <sup>2</sup> (Maximum)	#10 AWG 5.2 mm <sup>2</sup> (Maximum)	#10 AWG 5.2 mm <sup>2</sup> (Maximum)	10.6 in-lbs. (1.2 Nm)	3/16"(5 mm) Flathead Screwdriver	
2	Battery Terminals						
3	Solar Terminals						
4	Fuses or Disconnects	*Fuse or breaker sizing must be based on required wire ampacity.  If using a fuse, do NOT insert the fuse in the fuse-holder until after all the other connections have been completed.					

IMPORTANT: Example only. Actual wiring may vary. READ the SunSaver Installation, Operations, and Maintenance Manual for mandatory safety requirements. All configuration must comply with local and national electric codes. Consult your local electric authority to ensure compliance.



heartbeat indication flickers the Status LED **ON** briefly every 5 seconds heartbeat indication flickers the Status LED OFF briefly every 5 seconds

#### **BATTERY STATE-OF-CHARGE (SOC) LED** SOC **Battery** Load Indication LED Status **Status** Fast Flashing (2 Flash / sec) **Equalize Charge** Load ON Green 🔵 Absorption Green 🔵 Medium Flashing (1 Flash / sec) Load ON Charge Slow Flashing (1 Flash / 2 sec) Green Float Charge Load ON Green 🦱 ON Solid **Nearly Full** Load ON Yellow 🔘 ON Solid Half Full Load ON LVD Warning Red 0 Flashing (1 Flash / sec) **Battery Low** (Load ON) Red ON Solid **Battery Empty** LVD (Load OFF) None () No LEDs ON **Battery Missing**



#### **WARNING: Shock Hazard**

Test between all terminals and ground before touching.

Power or accessory terminals are **NOT** electrically isolated from DC input and may be energized with hazardous solar voltage.



#### **WARNING: Shock Hazard**

Fuses, circuit breakers, and disconnect switches never open grounded system conductors. Only GFDI devices are permitted to disconnect grounded conductors.



#### **IMPORTANT:**

Ensure there is only 1 DC Negative-to-Ground Bond in the entire system.

## **LEGEND** Negative (-)

Positive (+)

Ground (

#### **Power UP Sequence:**

- 1. Connect Battery/Battery Bank.
- 2. Connect Solar.

#### **Power DOWN Sequence:**

- 1. Disconnect Solar.
- 2. Disconnect Battery/Battery Bank.

