

Distributed Energy Buyback Scheme Change of System Application

If you are an existing Distributed Energy Buyback Scheme customer and wish to modify your small distributed energy system for the purposes of the Distributed Energy Buyback Scheme please complete this application.

All fields must be completed. All incomplete applications will be returned for completion.

Save time and apply online at synergy.net.au/apply

Or return this application form and mail to:

Synergy, GPO Box K851, Perth WA 6842

Account holder details

Surname (account holder) _____ Given name(s) _____

Account number _____ Meter number _____

Supply address _____

Email _____ Contact telephone number _____

System owner *(if different to account holder)*

Surname/Company name and ABN or ACN _____

Given name(s) _____

Service provider, if applicable *(e.g. installer or equipment provider)*

Name of supplier _____

Installer's email _____

Installer's ABN/ACN _____

Proposed system details

System type (solar, wind, hydro, electric vehicle or battery) _____

Total generation system size (kW) _____

Total inverter capacity (kW) _____

**Please note the small renewable energy system inverter capacity must not exceed 5 kW.*

If the distributed energy system includes a battery, will it be configured to export to Western Power's network?

Yes No Not applicable

The change of system relates to the replacement of the photo-voltaic panels or inverter on a like-for-like basis?

Yes No

Emergency solar management details (applicable to renewable systems)

From 14 February 2022, all new and upgraded residential solar and battery systems up to 5kW are required to meet new state government emergency solar management requirements. For details visit: <https://www.synergy.net.au/dpvmmanagement>

Please confirm the emergency solar management technology applicable to your solar system is API cloud compatible.

DEBS applications without an emergency solar management confirmation will not be accepted.

Will your solar system be compatible with the API cloud solution?

Yes No

If you answered no to the above question, then you are required to have installed a Western Power emergency solar management metering solution. By answering no, you acknowledge Synergy will arrange with Western Power to have the necessary meter installed at your supply address. (Charges will apply.) A solar system without API cloud or Western Power metering solution capability is not eligible for DEBS participation and will be required to be export limited unless an off-take agreement exists. For export limit details refer: www.westernpower.com.au/industry/manuals-guides-standards/basic-embedded-generation-connection-technical-requirements/

Please contact your installer if you are unsure which emergency solar management solution applies to your renewable system.

Declaration

1. The information I have provided in the form is true and correct.
2. I acknowledge non-compliance with Western Power's Basic Embedded Generator Connection Technical Requirements applicable to emergency solar management may restrict my ability to connect and operate my distributed energy system on and from 14 February 2022. For details visit: www.westernpower.com.au/industry/manuals-guides-standards/basic-embedded-generation-connection-technical-requirements/
3. I acknowledge that the total maximum inverter capacity of the small renewable energy system at my premises does not and will not exceed 5kW and I will otherwise continue to meet the definition of an 'eligible customer' in the Distributed Energy Buyback Scheme terms and conditions.
4. I acknowledge this application is subject to the distributed energy system expansion complying with Western Power's technical requirements, including the Basic Embedded Generator Connection Technical Requirements applicable to Emergency Solar Management.
5. I will obtain and comply with all necessary approvals that Western Power requires for the change to my distributed energy system and if applicable, changes to my emergency solar management solution. I acknowledge that, if I intend to change the inverter capacity for the distributed energy system and/or my emergency solar management solution, it must be approved by Western Power prior to being connected to Western Power's electricity network.
6. I acknowledge:
 - a) should Synergy consent to my change in distributed energy system application, that consent will be subject to my meeting the following conditions.
 - i. apply to Western Power for approval to modify my distributed energy system and/or my emergency solar management solution within 90 days of Synergy receiving this completed application form; and
 - ii. modify my distributed energy system connected to the Western Power network within 180 days of Western Power approving your application lodged under paragraph (a)(i).
 - b) if these conditions are not satisfied within the relevant time frames, Synergy's approval will lapse and I will need to reapply; and
 - c) if this application lapses, and I still wish to modify my distributed energy system, I will need to reapply.
7. Synergy's Distributed Energy Buyback Scheme terms and conditions apply to the distributed energy system modification and I acknowledge I continue to be bound by these terms and conditions.
8. I authorise Synergy (if required by Synergy) to verify the distributed energy system changes with state and/or federal government agencies and entities and the supplier (if nominated above).
9. If I do not own the distributed energy system, I have the distributed energy system owner's consent to modify the distributed energy system in the manner I have applied for in this application form.
10. I acknowledge that Synergy may charge a change of system application fee to process this application form (current pricing is available at synergy.net.au/DEBS).
11. I will advise Synergy if after lodging this application I decide not to proceed with the change of distributed energy system.

Name _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Collection of Information Notice

To assist us to provide you with services, we need to collect personal and credit information about you. We may disclose this information to other parties (who may be located overseas), including third party providers, and to external agencies as described in our privacy policy, and may also use your personal information for direct marketing purposes. However, we will not use your personal information we collect in this form for direct marketing of solar power systems or battery storage systems. Our privacy policy explains what information we collect and why we collect it, how we use that information, who we work with, and the countries (currently the USA, Japan, Philippines and New Zealand) where those recipients may be located. This policy also explains your rights to access and correct any information we store about you, how to make a privacy complaint and how to opt out of receiving direct marketing. Our privacy policy is available at synergy.net.au/privacy_policy or by calling us on **13 13 53** for residential customers or **13 13 54** for business customers.

We may also disclose your credit information to credit reporting bodies (CRBs) such as information about overdue payments. Our privacy policy also includes important information about credit reporting such as the details about the CRBs to whom we may disclose your credit information, the information that CRBs hold, and how you can request CRBs not to use or disclose your information for pre-screening or when you consider yourself to be victim of fraud. You can request a copy of a statement setting out the important credit reporting information by contacting us.