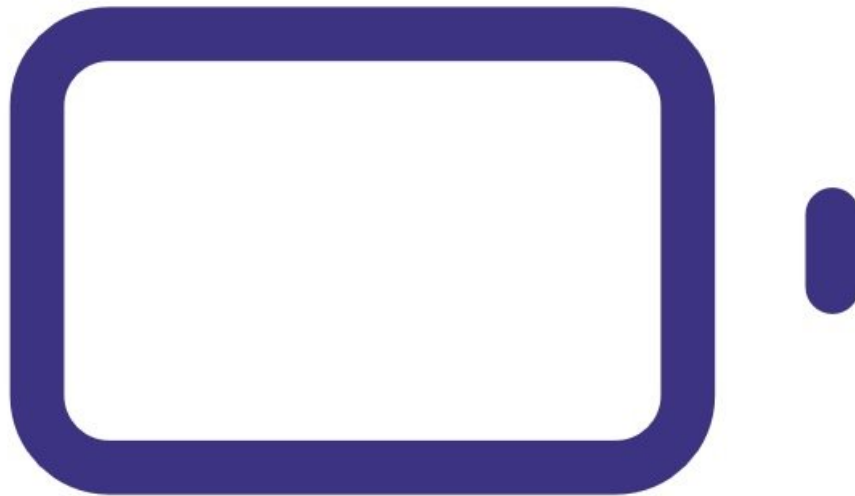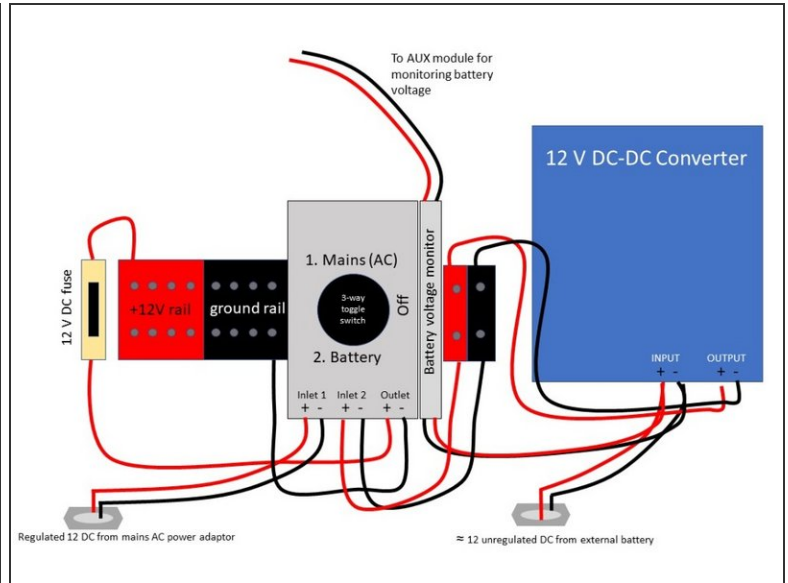# Connect battery (rotary switch)

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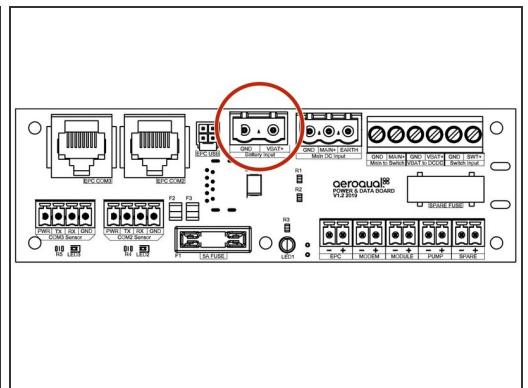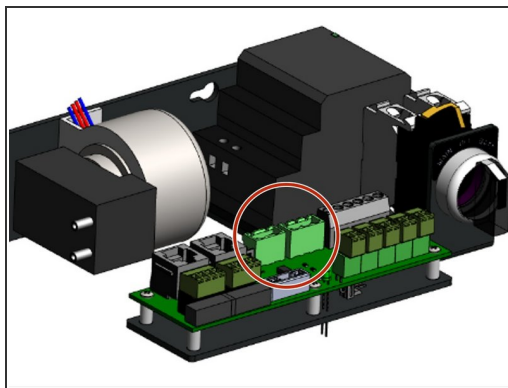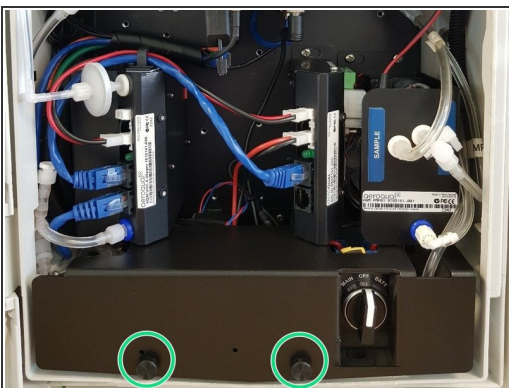
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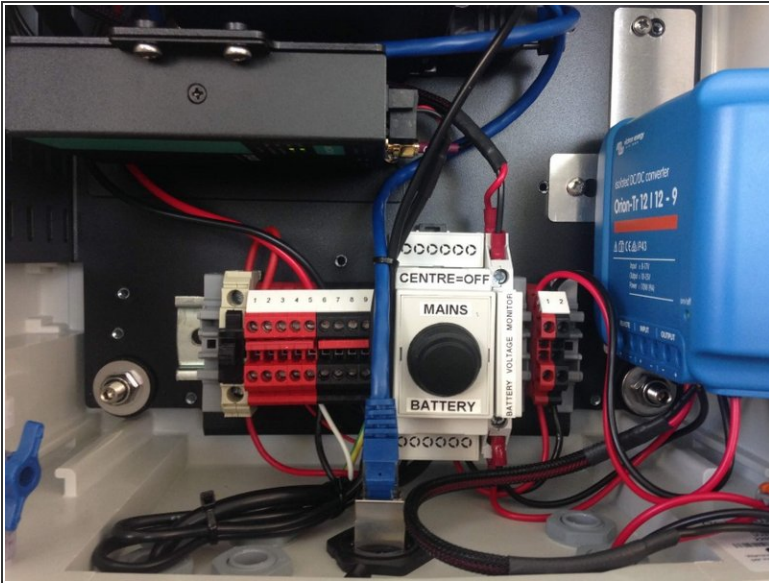
- Your monitor might be fitted with a rotary switch that allows you to switch from mains power (AC) to battery power (12 VDC) without touching the wiring.

- These monitors also have a DC-DC converter (big blue box) and a battery voltage monitor which allows you to set an alert if the voltage drops.

Step 2 — Connect battery

- To connect a battery so you can easily go from mains power to battery power:
  - Remove the cover from the power and data interface (PDI).
  - Wire your battery to the green input terminals on the PDI board.

  When using battery power, the PDI lights should come on when the rotary switch is set to **BATT**.

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