Low Battery Emoji Proposal for Unicode 14.0
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I. Identification

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<th>Sample Image</th>
<th>Proposed Unicode and CLDR name</th>
<th>Possible CLDR English keywords</th>
<th>Closest Unicode Emoji</th>
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<td><img src="image1.png" alt="Sample Image" /></td>
<td>LOW BATTERY</td>
<td>Low battery, low energy, dead, dying, computer</td>
<td><img src="image2.png" alt="Closest Unicode Emoji" /></td>
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II. Images

![72px Image](image3.png)
![18px Image](image4.png)
![72px Image](image5.png)
![18px Image](image6.png)

License

We certify that the images have appropriate licenses for use by the UTC.

III. Sort location

Computer

![Computer Icons](image7.png)

IV. Selection factors — Inclusion

A. Compatibility

n/a

B. Expected use

1. Frequency

LOW BATTERY is expected to have high usage given it’s literal and abstract applications. Frequency data indicates it is well over the median search threshold.

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<td>low-battery</td>
<td>756,000,000</td>
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2. Multiple usages

It is truly difficult to visually communicate the absence of something — a low battery has a broad range of metaphorical uses in addition to the literal application of technology.

- **Status:** “Before Gym: 🍑 After gym: 🍑”
- **Nomophobia** (the fear of being without your phone): “NOOOOOO 📱” or “Almost home! 📱”
● Feeling depressed or low energy: “Not up for going out tonight 🚶”
● Patience: “Had a busy day with the twins, could use some help 🕝”
● Low-battery to communicate something is about to deteriorate: “The Earth’s Battery Is Running Low 🚈”

3. Use in sequences
n/a

4. Breaking new ground
n/a

C. Image distinctiveness
A low battery emoji would be very distinctive, iconic and provide a valuable addition to the existing electronic and emotion related emojis.

D. Completeness
Many emojis can convey a before/after or a sequence. A low battery emoji would pair nicely with the full battery emoji ( ⚡ / ⚡️ ). Other emojis that follow a similar pattern include ( ⚡ / ⚡️ ), ( ⚡️ / ⚡️ ), ( ⚡️ / ⚡️ ) etc.

E. Frequently requested
n/a

VI. Selection factors — Exclusion

F. Overly specific
No

G. Open-ended
No, this is not part of a set of similar items.

H. Already representable
No.

I. Logos, brands, UI icons, signage, specific people, deities
Not applicable. There are no logos, brands, signage or otherwise among the proposed characters.

J. Transient
Not applicable.

K. Faulty comparison
Justification for encoding the proposed emoji does not depend on analogy with other emoji that were encoded only for compatibility reasons.

L. Exact Images
An exact image is not required.