ABSTRACT

Disclosed is a battery module including a cell stack, in which a plurality of battery cells each having a lead tab on at least one side in a forward/rearward direction are stacked in a leftward/rightward direction, a bus bar electrically connected to the lead tabs of the plurality of battery cells, end plates disposed on opposite side surfaces of the cell stack in the leftward/rightward direction, a clamp including a pair of contact portions contacting outer surfaces of the pair of end plates, and an extension part extending in the leftward/rightward direction and connecting the contact portions, and an overlapping area including a first overlapping area that is an area, in which any one of the plurality of lead tabs overlaps the bus bar when viewed along the forward/rearward direction, and second overlapping areas that are areas, in which the contact portions overlap the end plates.

FIG. 4