

IEC 61646:1996 Ed. 1.0 (and Ed. 2.0 proposed)
Thin-film terrestrial photovoltaic (PV) modules Design qualification and type approval

Product Certification Application Form

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- 0. Application for product certification by the National Certification Body (NCB):
- 0.1 Application for product testing to be conducted by the Certification Body Testing Laboratory (CBTL):

1.	Identification	of applicant
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- 1.1 Name of applicant:
- 1.2 Address:
- 1.3 Telephone No.:
- 1.4 Telefax No.:
- 1.5 Name of the responsible contact person:
- 1.6 E-mail address:
- 2. Identification of manufacturer (if different from applicant)
- 2.1 Name of manufacturer:
- 2.2 Address:
- 2.3 Telephone No.:
- 2.4 Telefax No.:
- 2.5 Name of the responsible contact person:
- 2.6 E-mail address:
- 2.7 Current quality registration/certification:
- Identification of factory locations for types or models described in Section 4.
 Use Annex A if more than two factories are involved.

3.1	Factory name:	Contact Name: Contact E-mail:
	Address line 1:	Telephone No.:
	Address line 2:	Telefax No.:
	City or Province:	
	State or Country:	Trade marks or other
	Postal Code:	markings issued on products:
3.2	Factory name:	Contact Name:
		Contact E-mail:
	Address line 1:	Telephone No.:

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4. Scope of product certification requested

- 4.1 Total number of products to be evaluated for full certification:
- 4.2 Please indicate by type designation or model numbers those products that fit into a series or family range:

4.3 Product information matrix. Use Annex A if more than four product types or models are being submitted.

4.3 Product information matrix. Use Annex A if more than	1	2	3
4.3.1 Type designation or model number:			
4.3.2 Module weight (kg):			
4.3.3 Total length x Total width (cm x cm):			
4.3.4 Cell type or technology:			
4.3.5 Cell manufacturer:			
4.3.6 Total number of cells:			
4.3.7 Number of cells in series:			
4.3.8 Number of cells in parallel:			
4.3.9 Number of bypass diodes:			
4.3.10 Number of series cells per bypass diode:			
4.3.11 Bypass diode rating, A:			
4.3.12 Bypass diode max. junction temperature, °C:			
4.3.13 Superstrate type:			
4.3.14 Substrate type:			
4.3.15 Frame type:			
4.3.16 Encapsulant type:			
4.3.17 Junction box type:			
4.3.18 Cable type:			
4.3.19 Connector type:			
4.3.20 Maximum system voltage, V:			
4.3.21 STC open-circuit voltage (include tolerance), V:			
4.3.22 STC short-circuit current (include tolerance), A:			
4.3.23 STC voltage at max. power (include tolerance), V:			
4.3.24 STC current at max. power (include tolerance), A:			
4.3.25 Maximum power at STC (include tolerance), W:			
4.3.26 Minimum STC rated power, W:			



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Curve correction factor, Ω /°C:

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5.	Product status and handling			
5.1		Standard production products New production products Prototypes of a new design		
5.2	If modules require special handling, please specify requirements (examples - annealed glass covers or unframed module handling instructions):			
5.3	If modules are not intended for open-rack mounting please specify mounting requirements:			
6.	Electrical terminations			
6.1	For threaded stud, screw, tag, etc. electrical connections please specify recommended cable size and type:			
6.2	For connector terminations, please specify recommended cable size and type for connection to the output end of the connector:			
7.	Special notes for the CBTL			
7.1	Are matched technology PV reference devices avail models described in Section 4?	lable for the	ES	□NO
7.2	Are bypass diode cases or heat sinks accessible for described in Section 4?	r the models	ES	□NO
7.3	Will light-soaking result in a change of module electrical performance that is greater than ±0.5% over a 48-hour period? Will annealing result in a change of module electrical performance that is greater than ±0.5% over a 20-hour period? Is the cell type or technology indicated in Section 4.3.4 considered linear as described in IEC 60904-10?		ES	□ NO
7.4			ES	□ NO
7.5			ES	□ NO
7.6	If modules require special mounting means and methods for the mechanical loading test, please			
7.7	specify the requirements: If modules have special hot-spot protective devices that are recommended, but not supplied with the			
7.8	module please specify them: If modules require special mounting hardware that i	s		
7.9	not supplied, please specify requirements: If modules require special connection instructions			
7.10	please specify them: Date at which samples can be shipped for testing:			
8.	Optional manufacturer-supplied information. No		n is consi	dered useful,
8.1	but does not necessarily preclude verification to Current-temperature coefficient at short circuit, %/°C			
8.2	Voltage-temperature coefficient at open circuit, %/°0	C:		
8.3	Power-temperature coefficient at maximum power,	%/°C:		
8.4	Nominal operating cell temperature (NOCT), °C:			
8.5	Internal series resistance, Ω :			



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Annex A – Additional Product Information DRAFT3

Copy the following table and append as necessary for all factory locations that produce types or models included in this certification request:

Factory name:	Contact Name:
	Contact E-mail:
Address line 1:	Telephone No.:
Address line 2:	Telefax No.:
City or Province:	
State or Country:	Trade marks or other
Postal Code:	markings issued on products:
	Address line 1: Address line 2: City or Province: State or Country:

Copy the following table and append to subsequent pages as necessary to include all products for which certification is sought:

4.3 Product information matrix continued

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