

Product Data Sheet SF140-L SF145-L SF150-L SF155-L

Next Generation CIS

Solar Frontier's new SF140–155 module series offers the highest conversion efficiency of any mass-produced thin-film module, up to 12.6%. The modules feature the lightsoaking effect unique to Solar Frontier's CIS technology, which provides higher output than initially specified. All modules are RoHS compliant and cadmium- and lead-free. Fewer production steps and raw materials also mean an industry-leading energy payback time of less than one year. SF140– 155 modules are shipped in cardboard-free packaging and use recyclable corner pieces.

Product & Technology Highlights

- Highest efficiency mass-production thin-film module, up to 12.6%
- World record 17.2% achieved in laboratory (30 cm x 30 cm module)
- Up to 10% extra kWh/kWp vs crystalline modules
- Light soaking effect boosts output after installation
- Over 100 MW delivered since 2007
- Based on proprietary R&D since 1978
- Cadmium and lead free
- Energy Payback Time under one year



I-V Curve



Certificates and Compliance*



Module Drawing





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STC Characteristics

		SF140-L	SF145-L	SF150-L	SF155-L
Maximum power	Pmax	140 W	145 W	150 W	155 W
Module efficiency	%	11.4%	11.8%	12.2%	12.6%
Tolerance of Pmax		+10%/-5%			
Factory binning		±2.5 W	±2.5 W	±2.5 W	±2.5 W
Open circuit voltage	Voc	109.0 V	110.0 V	110.0 V	108.0 V
Short circuit current	lsc	2.10 A	2.10 A	2.10 A	2.20 A
Voltage at maximum power	Vmpp	77.0 V	78.0 V	79.0 V	80.0 V
Current at maximum power	Impp	1.82 A	1.86 A	1.90 A	1.95 A

Standard Test Conditions (STC): 1,000 W/m² irradiance, module temperature 25 °C, air mass 1.5. Isc and Voc are $\pm 10\%$ tolerance of STC rated values. Module output may rise after light soaking due to its unique characteristics.

NOCT Characteristics					
		SF140-L	SF145-L	SF150-L	SF155-L
Maximum power	Pmax	102 W	106 W	109 W	113 W
Open circuit voltage	Voc	97.8 V	98.7 V	98.7 V	96.9 V
Short circuit current	lsc	1.66 A	1.66 A	1.66 A	1.74 A
Voltage at maximum power	Vmpp	72.7 V	73.6 V	74.5 V	75.5 V
Current at maximum power	Impp	1.41 A	1.44 A	1.47 A	1.50 A

Nominal Operating Cell Temperature Conditions: Module operating temperature at 800 W/m² irradiance, air temperature 20 °C, wind speed 1 m/s and open circuit condition.

Performance at Low Irradiance

Efficiency reduction of maximum power from an irradiance of 1,000 W/m² to 200 W/m² at 25 $^{\circ}$ C is typically 3.0%. The standard deviation for the reduction of efficiency is 2.6%.

Temperature Characteristics				
NOCT		47 °C		
Temperature coefficient of lsc	α	+0.01%/K		
Temperature coefficient of Voc	β	-0.30%/K		
Temperature coefficient of Pmax	δ	-0.31%/K		

Mechanical Characteristics

Dimensions (L x W x H)	1,257 x 977 x 35 mm (49.5 x 38.5 x 1.4 in.)		
Weight	20 kg (44.1 lbs)		
Application class (IEC 61730)	A		
Fire rating (IEC 61730)	Class C		
Safety class (IEC 61140)			
Snow/wind load*	2,400 Pa (IEC 61646) / 1,600 Pa design load (UL 1703)		
Cell type	CIS glass substrate (cadmium free)		
Front cover	Clear tempered glass, 3.2 mm		
Encapsulant	EVA		
Back sheet	Weatherproof plastic film (color: black & silver)		
Frame	Anodized aluminum alloy (color: black)		
Edge sealant	Butyl rubber		
Junction box	Protection rating: IP 67 (with bypass diode)		
Adhesive	Silicone		
Output cables (conductor)	2.5 mm² /14 AWG (halogen free)		
Cable lengths (symmetrical)	1,200 mm (47.2 in.)		
Packing information	25 panels/pallet • 36 pallets/40' container (900 panels)		

* UL: 1.5 x design load is applied to the module, i.e. 2,400 Pa (50.1 lbs/ft²) is applied to meet the 1,600 Pa UL design load standard.

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