



Functions and analyzes of the SMA Solar System

16.01.2017

EnDev-Project Liberia

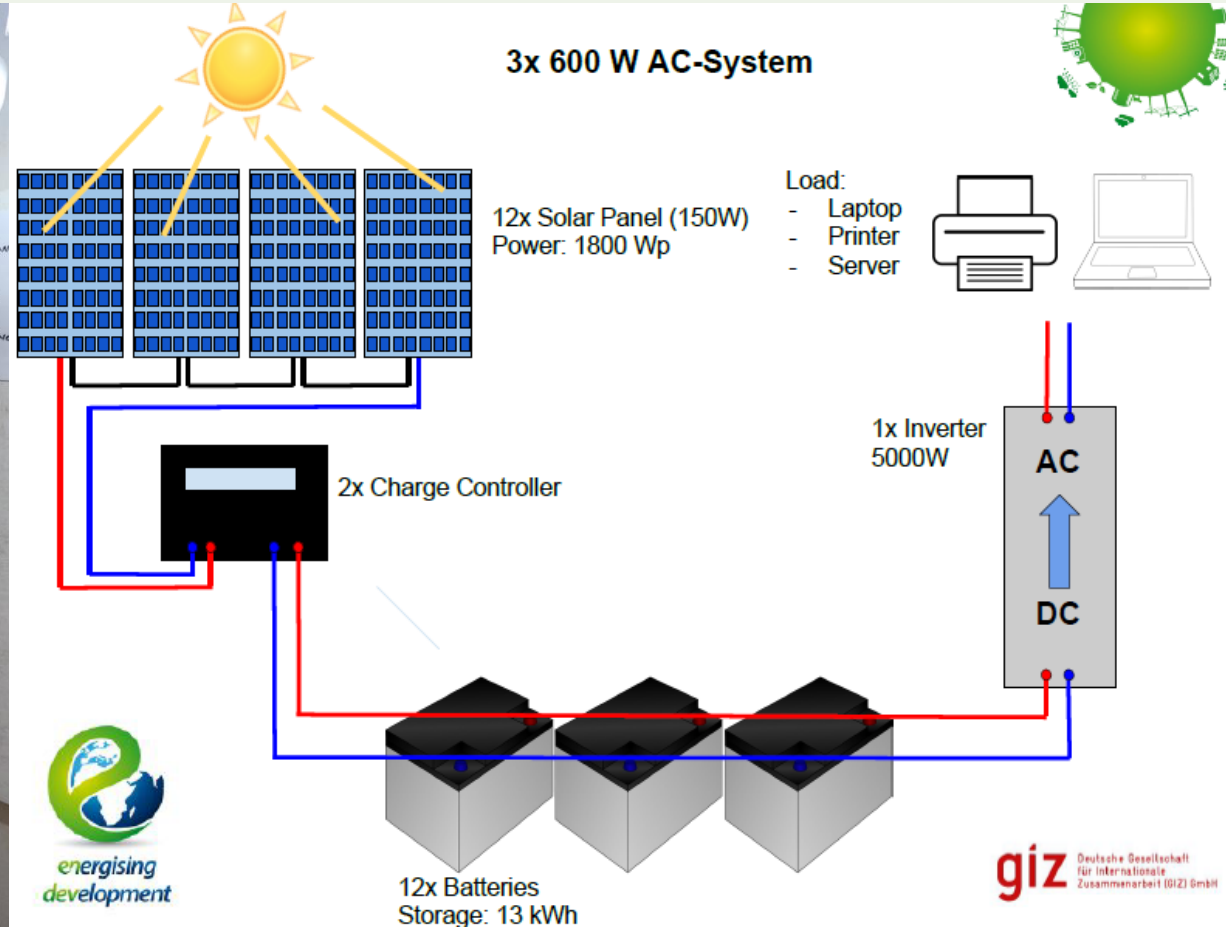


Contents

1. Introduction (Components of the Solar System)
2. Load shedding function
3. Sunny Portal
4. Economic Calculation
5. Visualisation with sunny portal

1. Introduction

Old System



1. Introduction

Old System



Potential to improve:

- Batteries are connected in parallel
- Charge Controller parallel
- Panels parallel
- Reduced monitoring
- Inverter Quality
- Parallel running Systems

1. Introduction **New System**

1: Battery bank

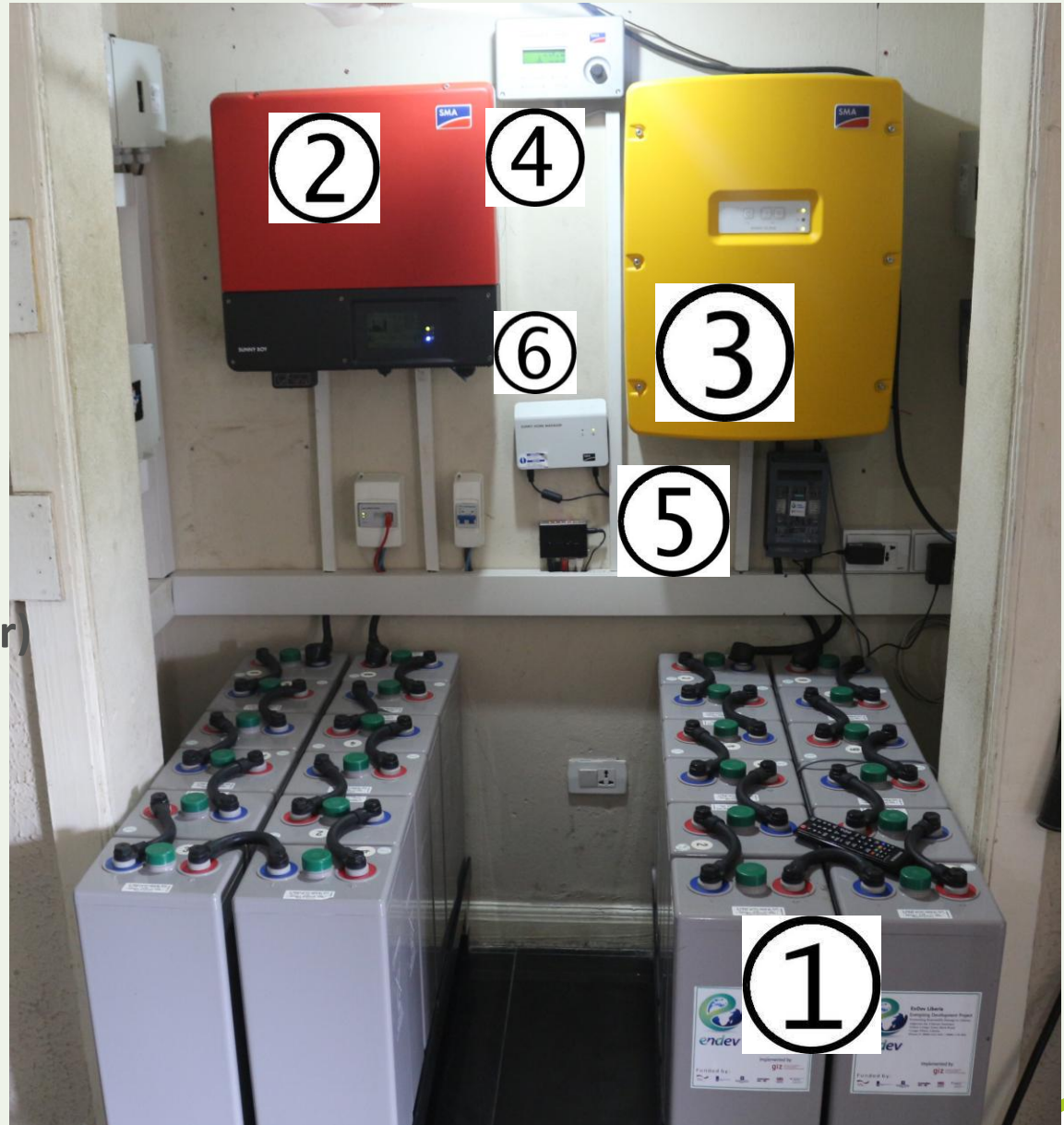
2: Sunny Boy (Solar Inverter)

3: Sunny Island (Battery Inverter)

4: Remote Control

5: Batfuse

6: Sunny Home Manager



1. Introduction

New System

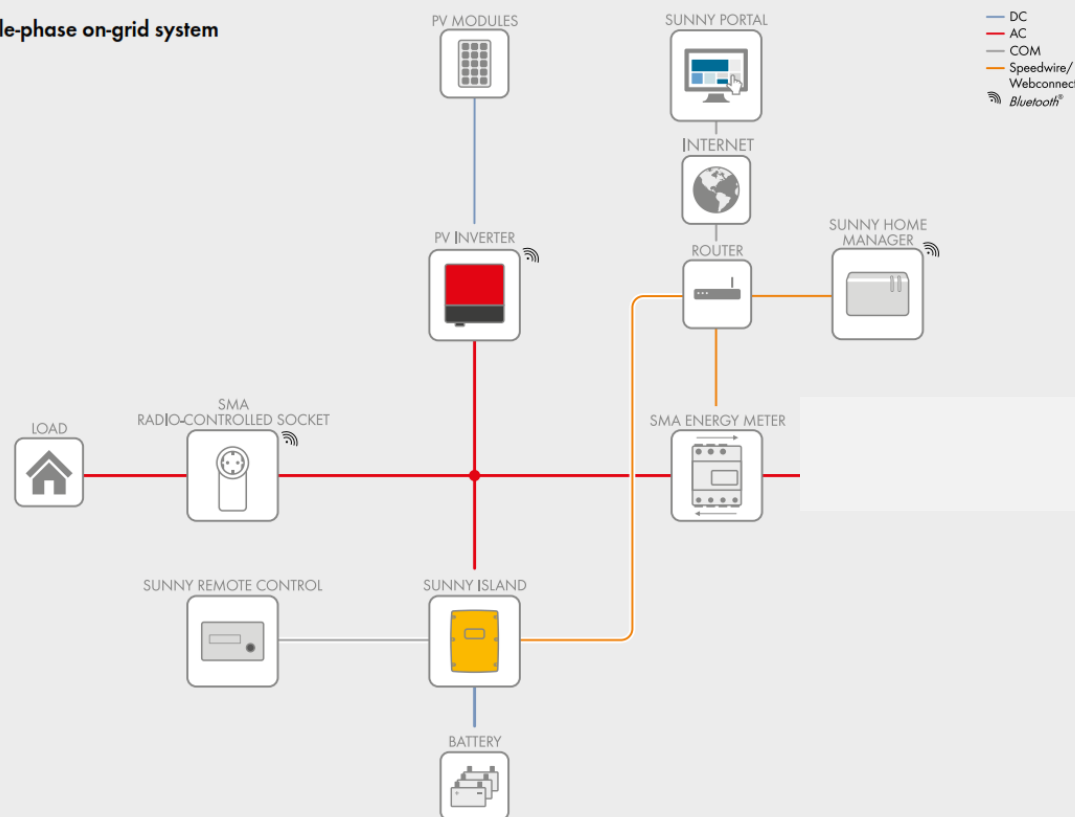
PV System Profile | EnDeV-Office AC-System

Location: Monrovia, Liberia
Operator: EnDev-Liberia
Commissioning: 25/08/2017

PV system power: 3.600 kWp
Annual Production: approx. 5,911 kWh (1,642 kWh/kWp)
CO2 avoided: Approx. 4.1 tons per annum
Nominal battery capacity: 26,304 Wh
Battery type: Valve Regulated Lead Acid battery (VRLA)

Modules: 12 x SolarWorld poly
 12 x Solarworld poly
Azimuth angle: -70°, 110°
Angle of inclination: 15°
Communication: Sunny Home Manager
Inverter: Sunny Boy 4000TL-21
 Sunny Island 8.0H

Single-phase on-grid system

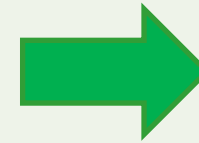


2. Load-shedding function

Different Priorities

①

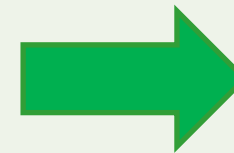
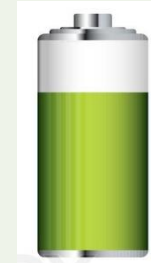
Light, Laptop, Printer, Internet,



Off at
50 % SOC

②

Air Conditioner



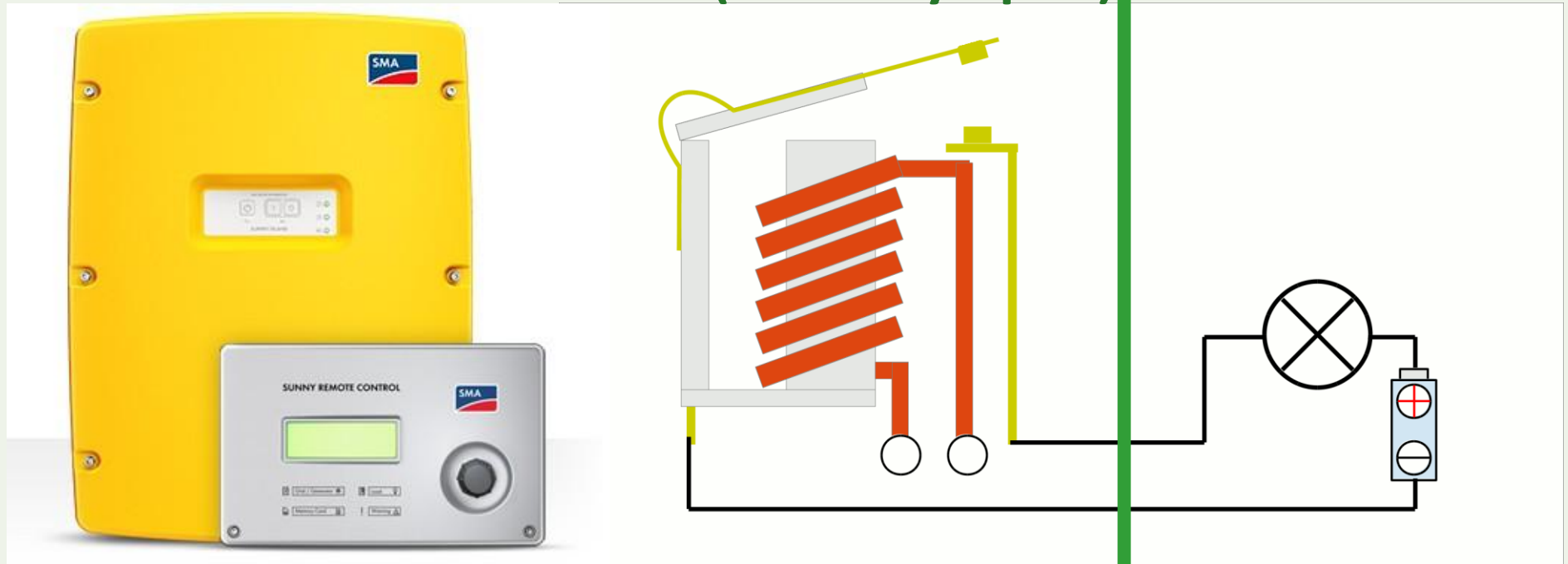
Off at
70 % SOC

SOC: State of Charge

2. Load-shedding function

Multifunctional relay in the „Sunny island“

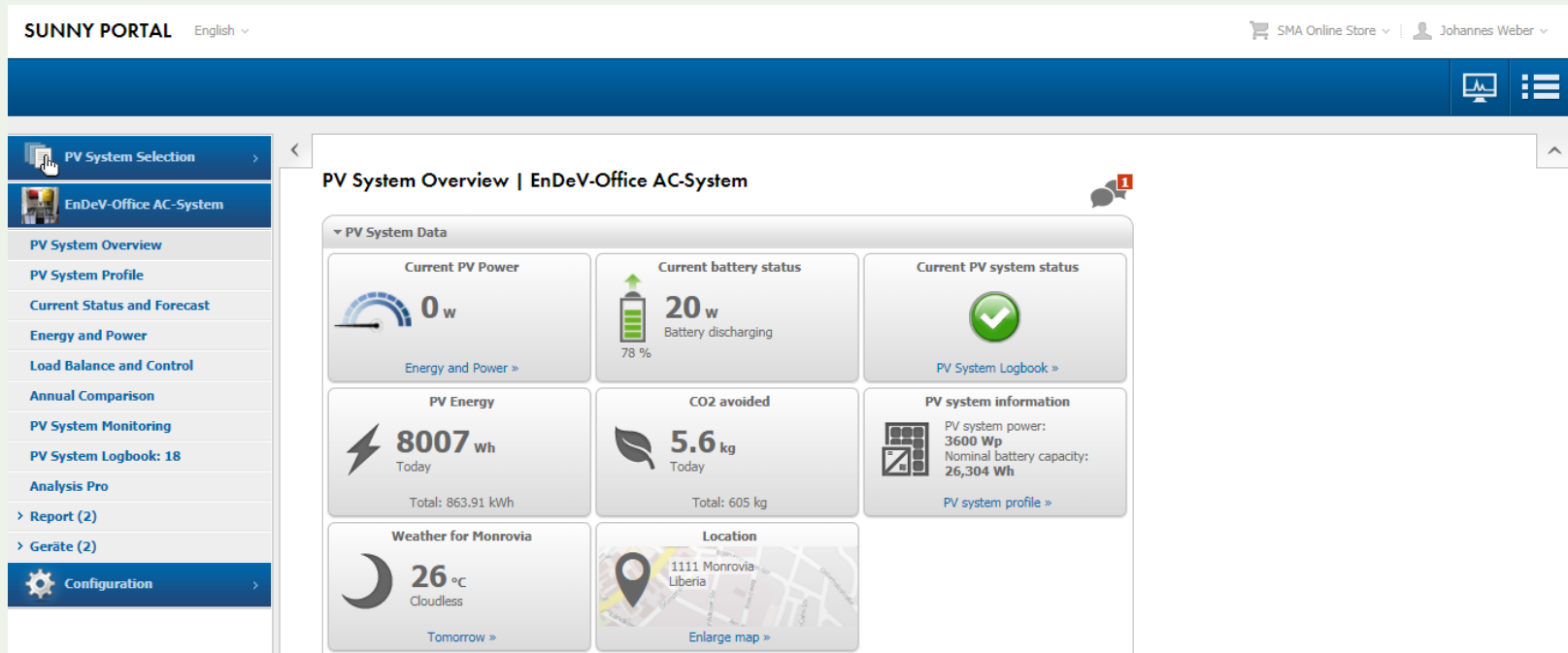
NO (Normally open)



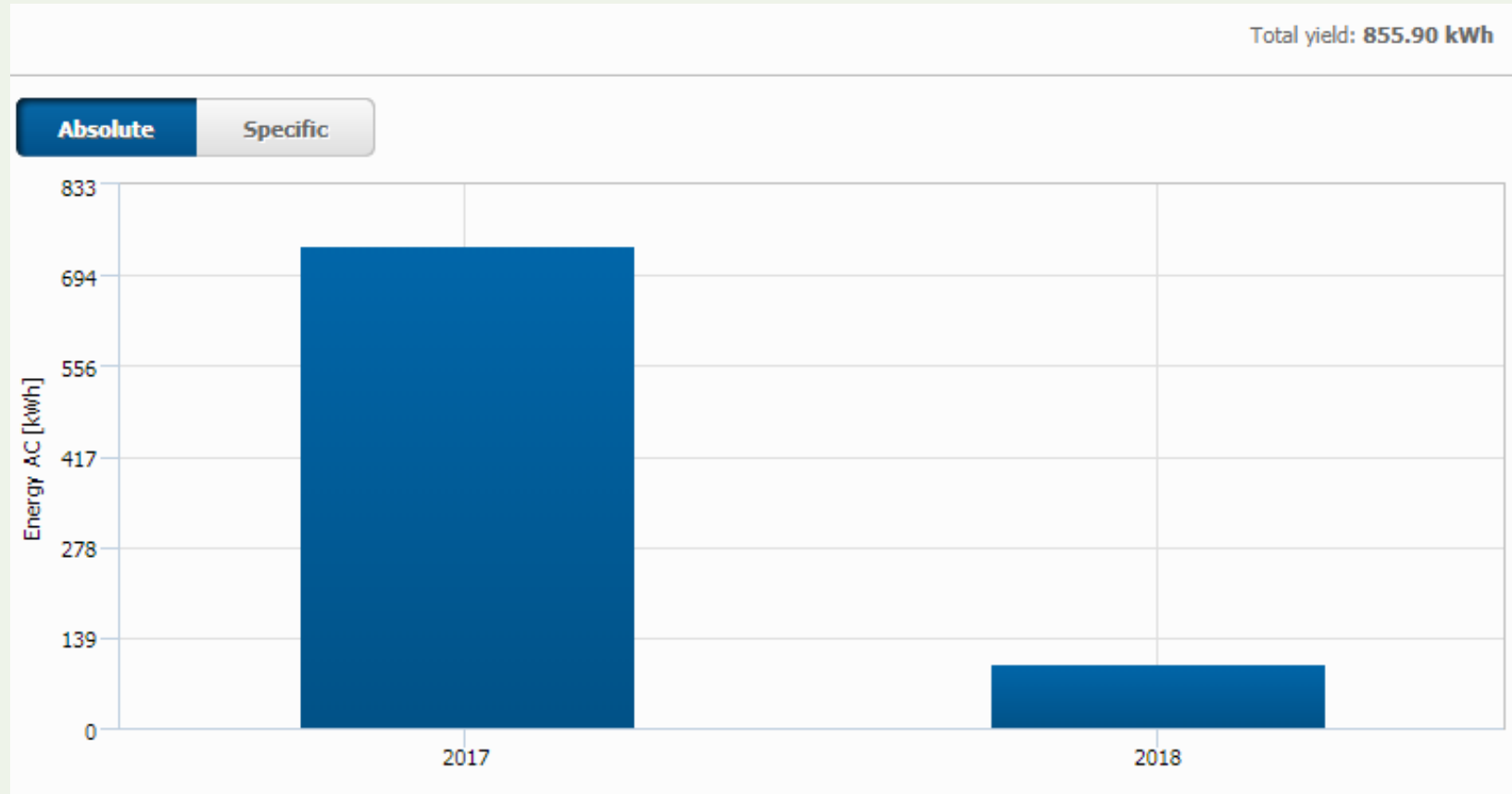
←
Sunny island

→
Air Conditioner

3. Sunny Portal



4. Economic Calculation



855.90 kWh → September 2017 – 16.01.2018 = 135 Days

855.90 kWh/135 days = 6.34 kWh

4. Economic Calculation



Panel: 0,60 US\$/Wp $\rightarrow$ 3.6 kW = 3600W x 0,60 US\$ = **2.160 US\$**



Batterie: 270 US\$/kWh $\rightarrow$ 26 kWh * 270 US\$/kWh = **7.020 US\$**



Sunny Island: **2.400 US\$**



Sunny Boy: **1.100 US\$**



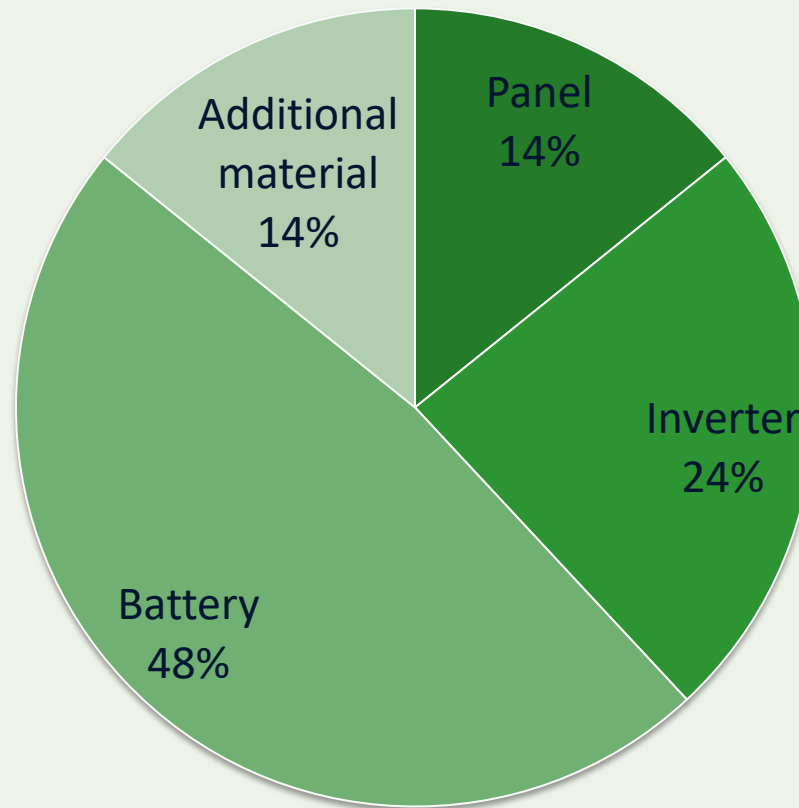
Additional material:

Cable, Communication, Support Structure etc. = **2.000 US\$**

Total Cost: 14.680 US\$ = 4.077 US\$/kW

4. Economic Calculation

Cost allocation in percent %



4. Economic Calculation

Calculation over 15 years

Actual Consumption per day: 6.34 kWh

Power Source	Cost per kWh	Cost per day	Reliable
Generator	0,75 US\$	4.7 US\$	Yes
IPP with 3 A		4.5 US\$	No
LEC	0,37 US\$	2.34 US\$	No
Solar System	0,42 US\$	2,66 US\$	Yes

Possible Consumption per day: 12 kWh

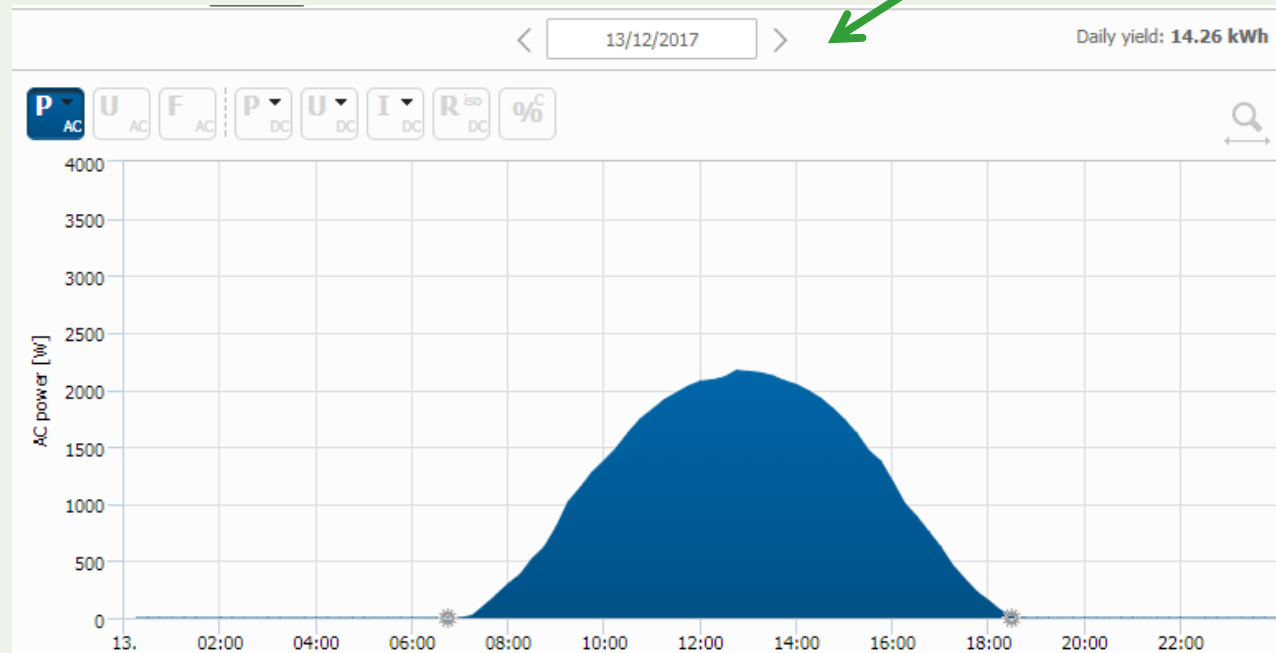
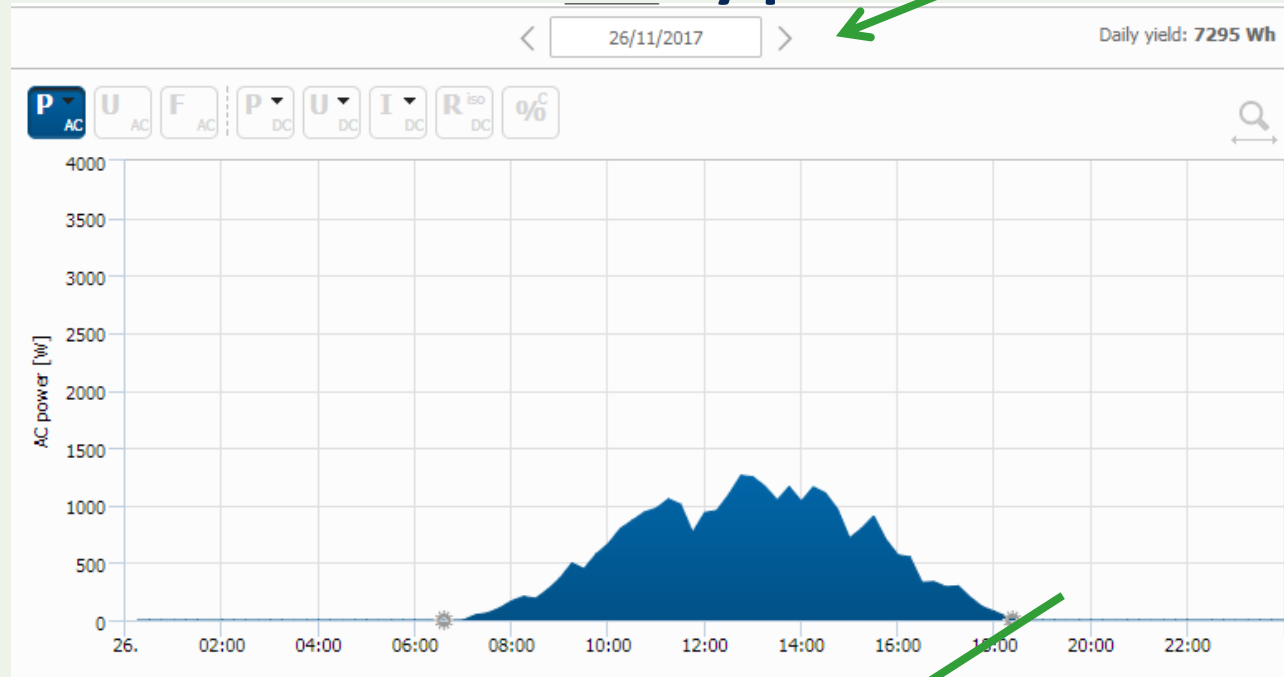
Power Source	Cost per kWh	Cost per day	Reliable
Generator	0,75 US\$	9 US\$	Yes
IPP with 6 A		8.5 US\$	No
LEC	0,37 US\$	4.4 US\$	No
Solar System	0,22 US\$	2,66 US\$	Yes

→ You save 1,8 US\$/day (compare LEC), 5,80 US\$/day (Compare IPP)



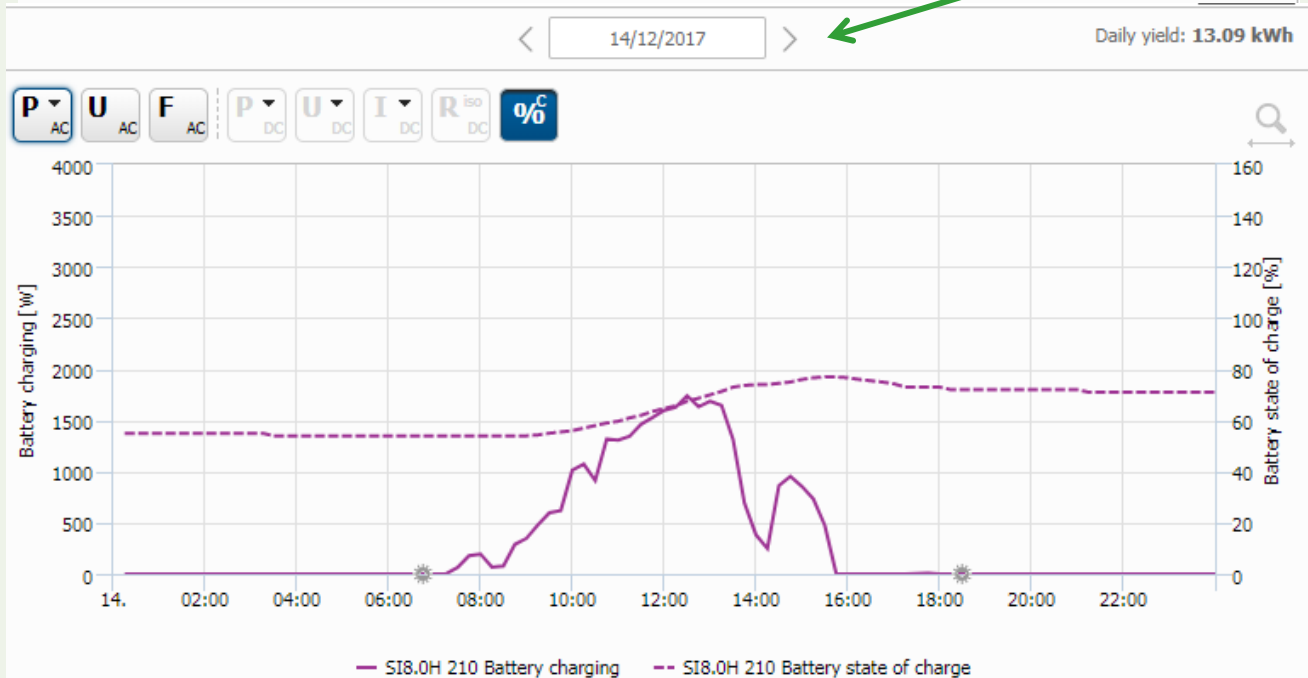
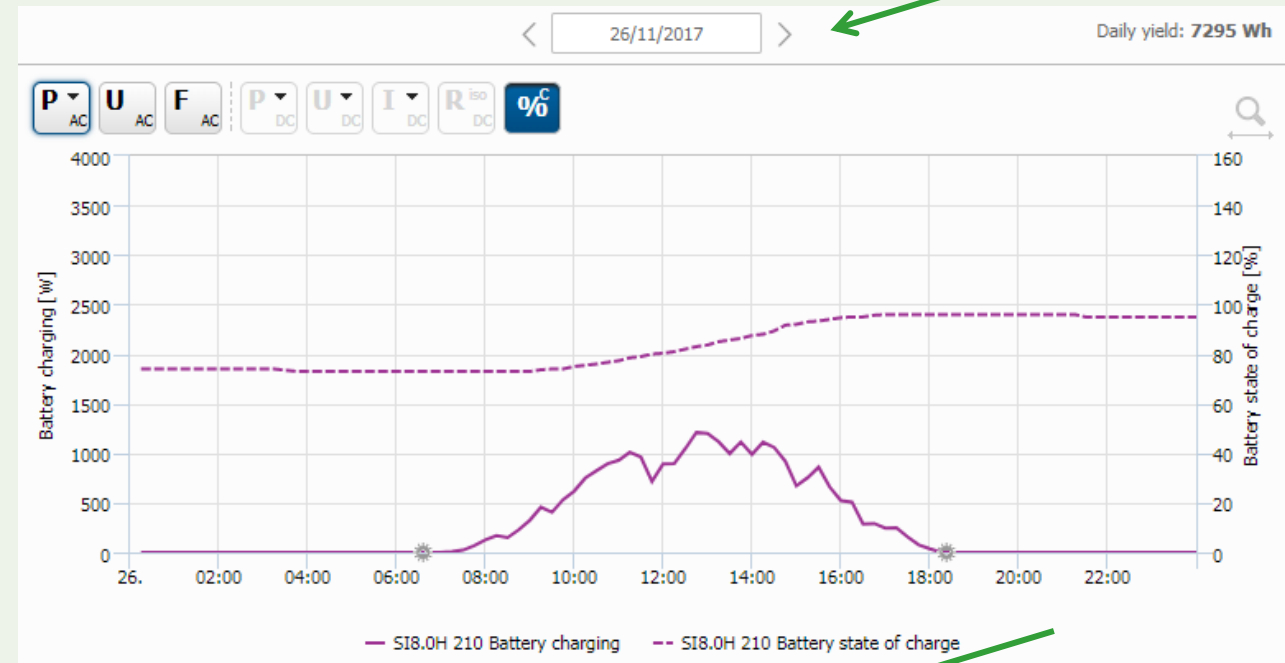
5. Visualisation with sunny portal

Energy from
the sun for
all
appliances
and charging
the battery



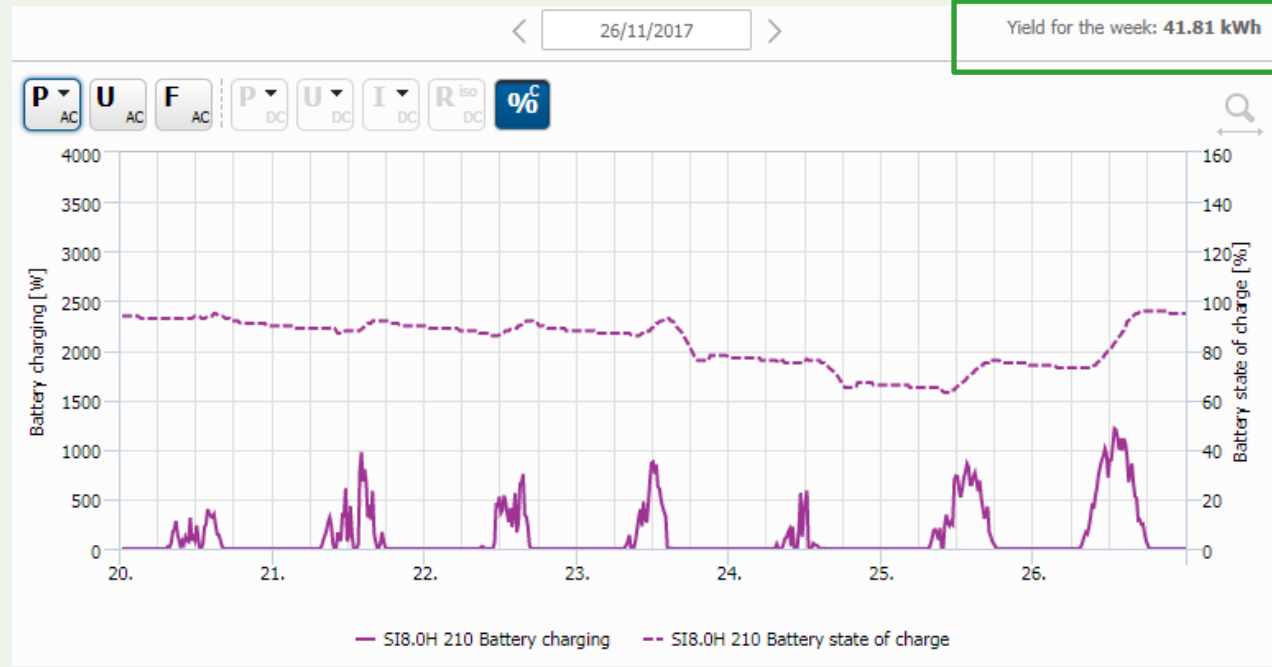
5. Visualisation with sunny portal

Charging
behavior and
state of
charge of the
battery



Visualisation with sunny portal

Charging



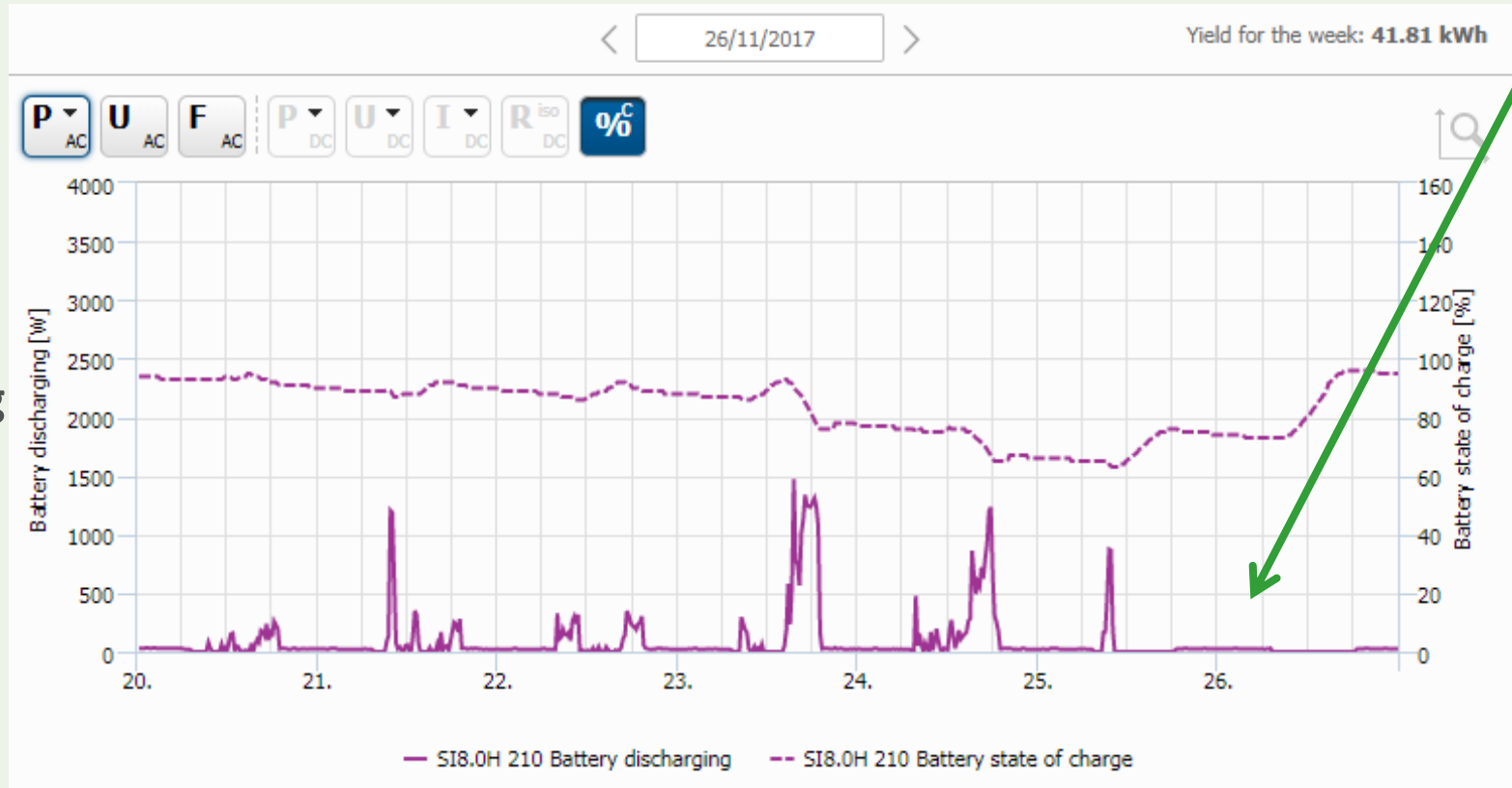
40% Difference in state of charge = 10 kWh

75% of the energy comes directly from the sun
25% of the energy goes through the battery

Visualisation with sunny portal

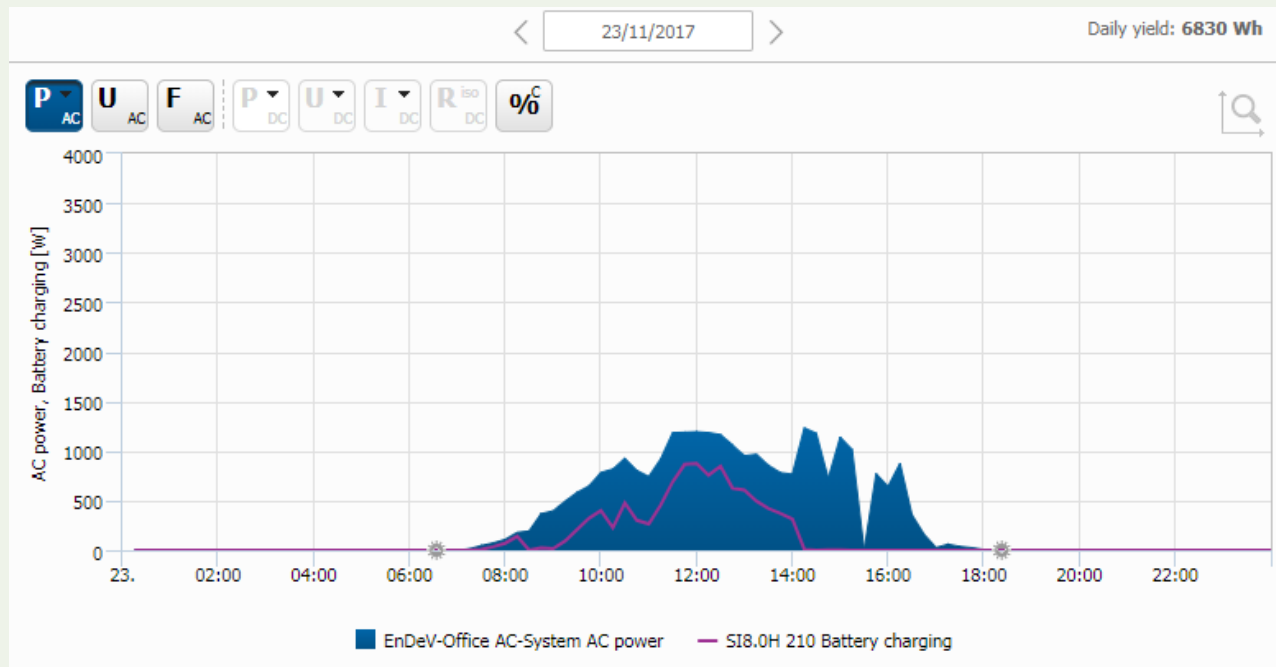
Weekend

Discharging

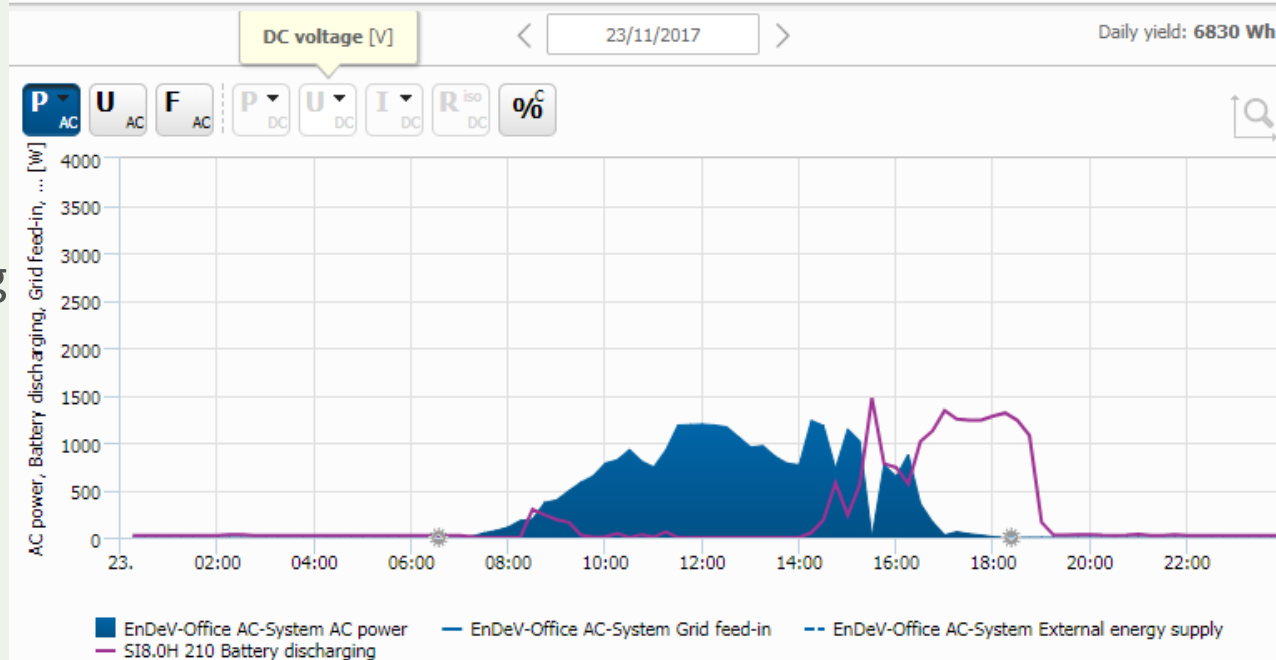


Visualisation with sunny portal

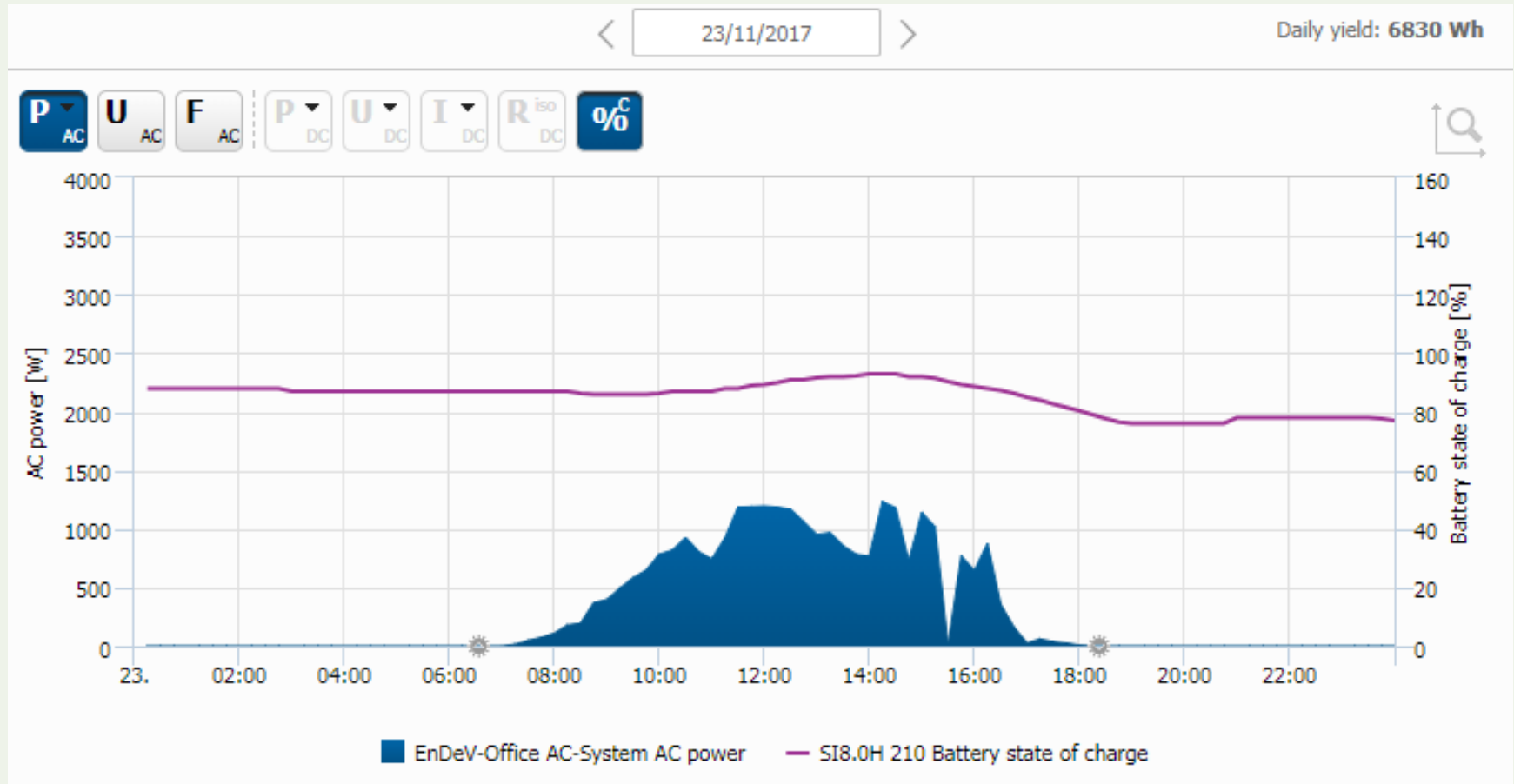
Charging



Discharging



Visualisation with sunny portal



Next Time

- System Grounding
- Load management
- More analyzes from the batteries
- **What you want to know??**



Thank you

15.01.2018

EnDev-Project Liberia



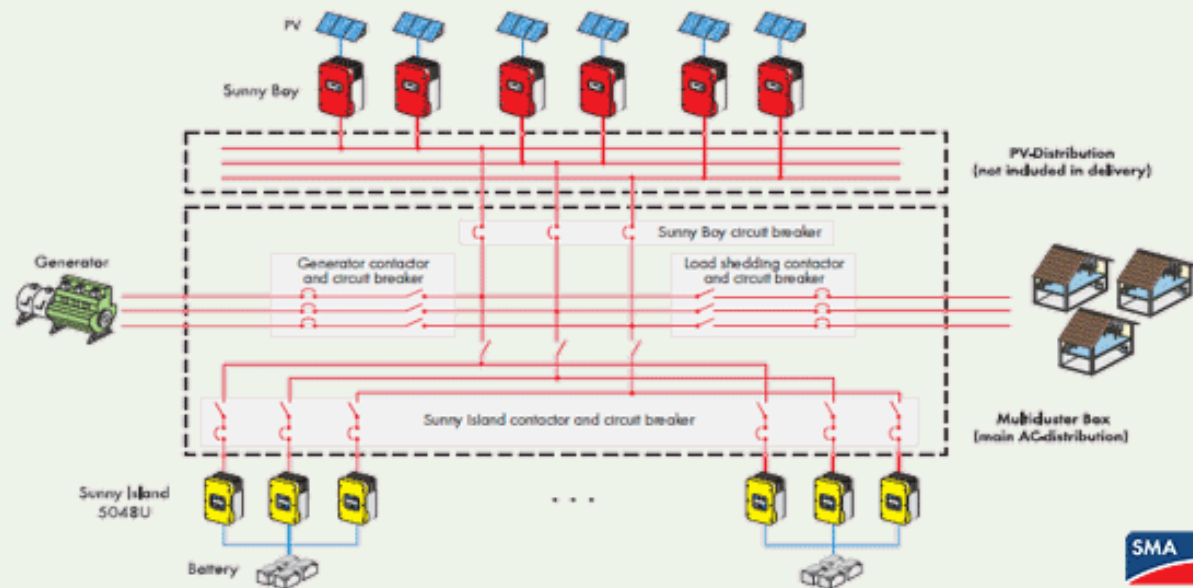
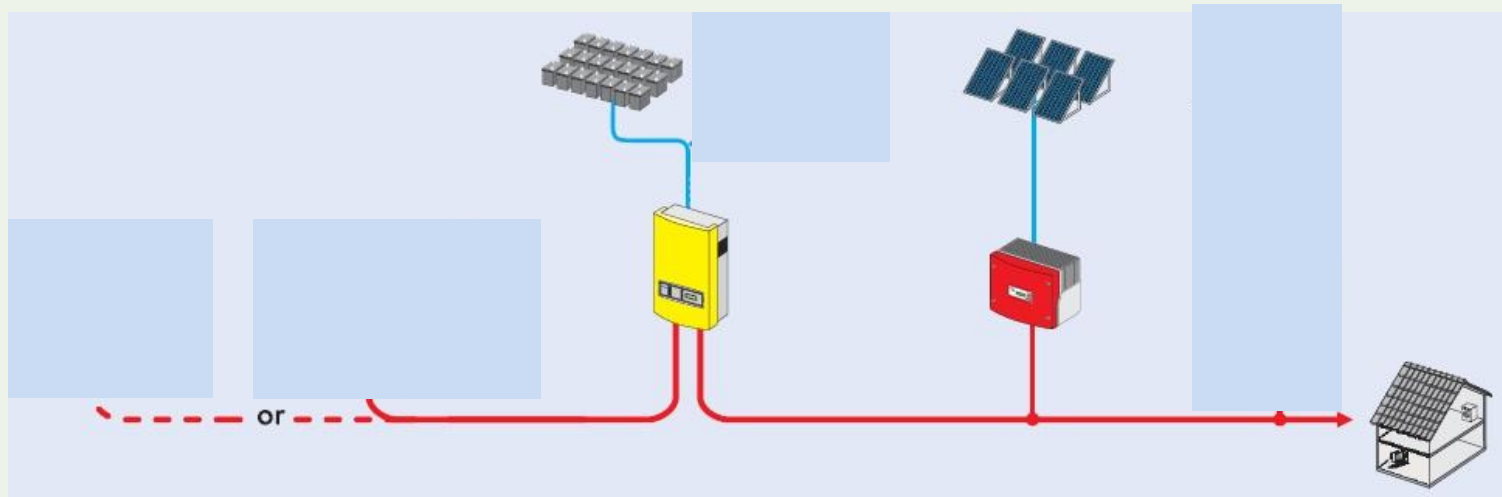
**energising
development**

Why we install a SMA-System?

- *Flexibel*
- *Durability*
- *Monitoring*
- *Less losses*

Why we install a SMA-System?

Flexibel



Why we install a SMA-System?

Durability

Simply robust

- Can be used anywhere thanks to degree of protection IP54
- Extended temperature range thanks to OptiCool
- Durable and reliable thanks to the interaction of tried and trusted technologies

Operating temperature range	-25 °C ... +60 °C	-25 °C ... +60 °C
Protection class (according to IEC 62103)	I	I
Climatic category according to IEC 60721	3K6	3K6
Degree of protection according to IEC 60529	IP54	IP54

What means IP 54?

The following table shows the different IP protection classes:

IP

0

1

2

3

4

5

6

7

8

9



pressure on

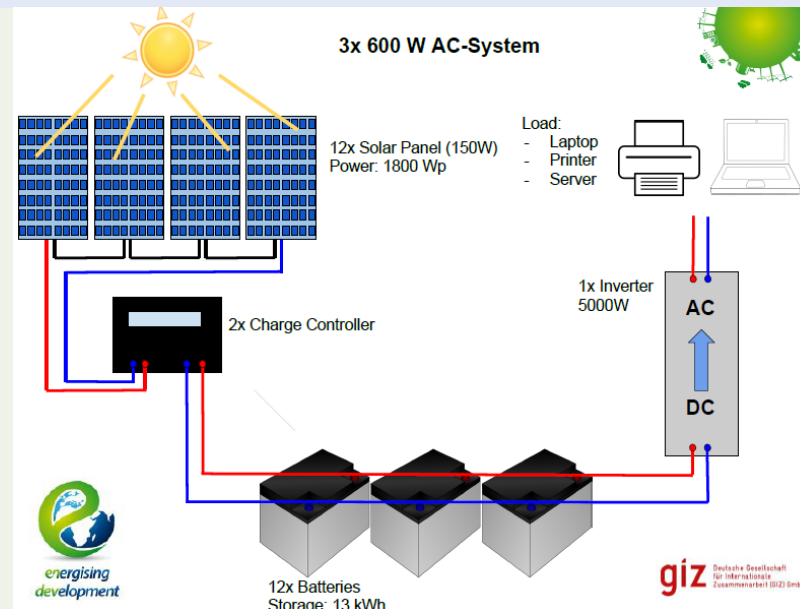
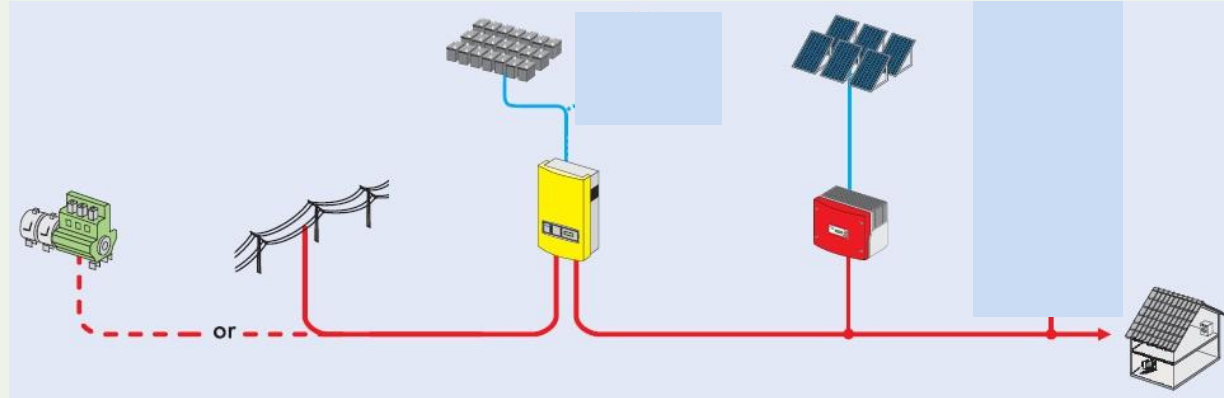
Why we install a SMA-System?

Monitoring



Why we install a SMA-System?

Less losses



Why we install a SMA-System?

Less losses



AC: 230V
DC: 12 / 24
/48V

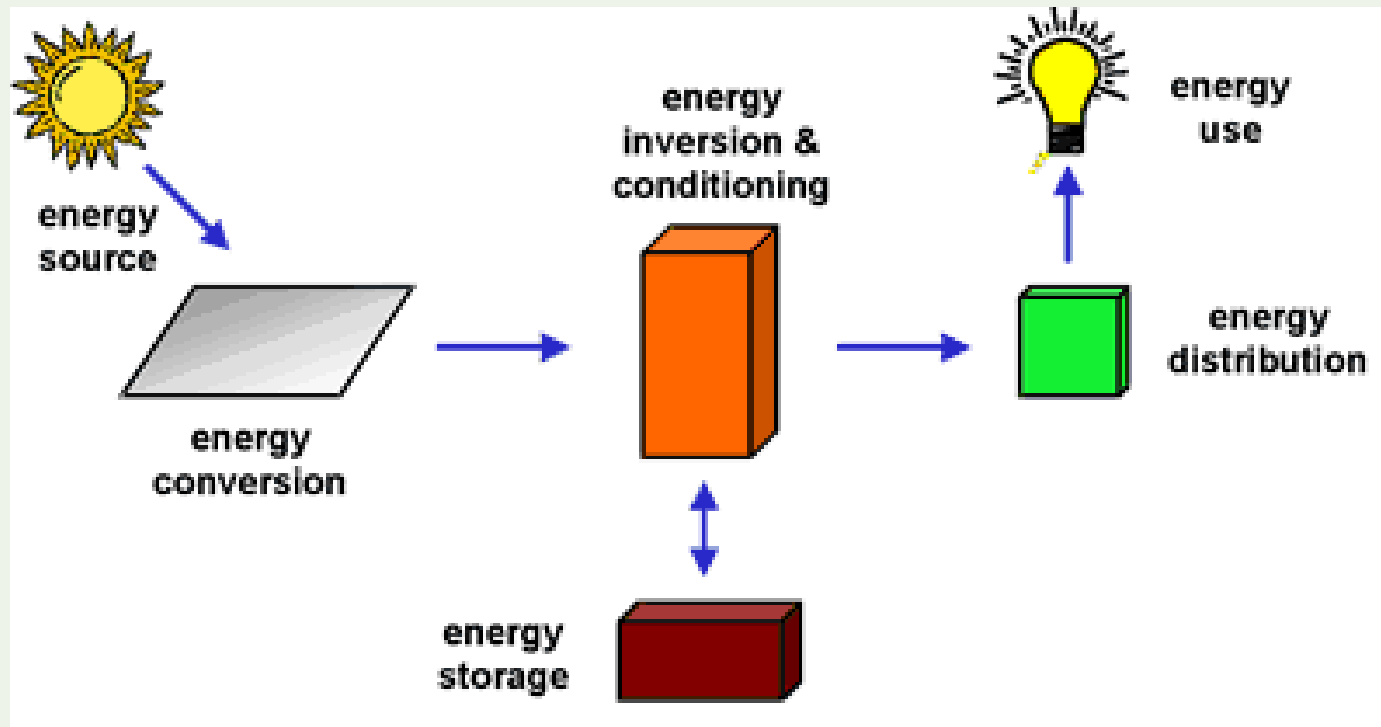
What that means for
the current?

AC: less
current
DC: high
current

What that means for
the voltage?

AC: small
voltage drop
DC: big
voltage drop

System Design

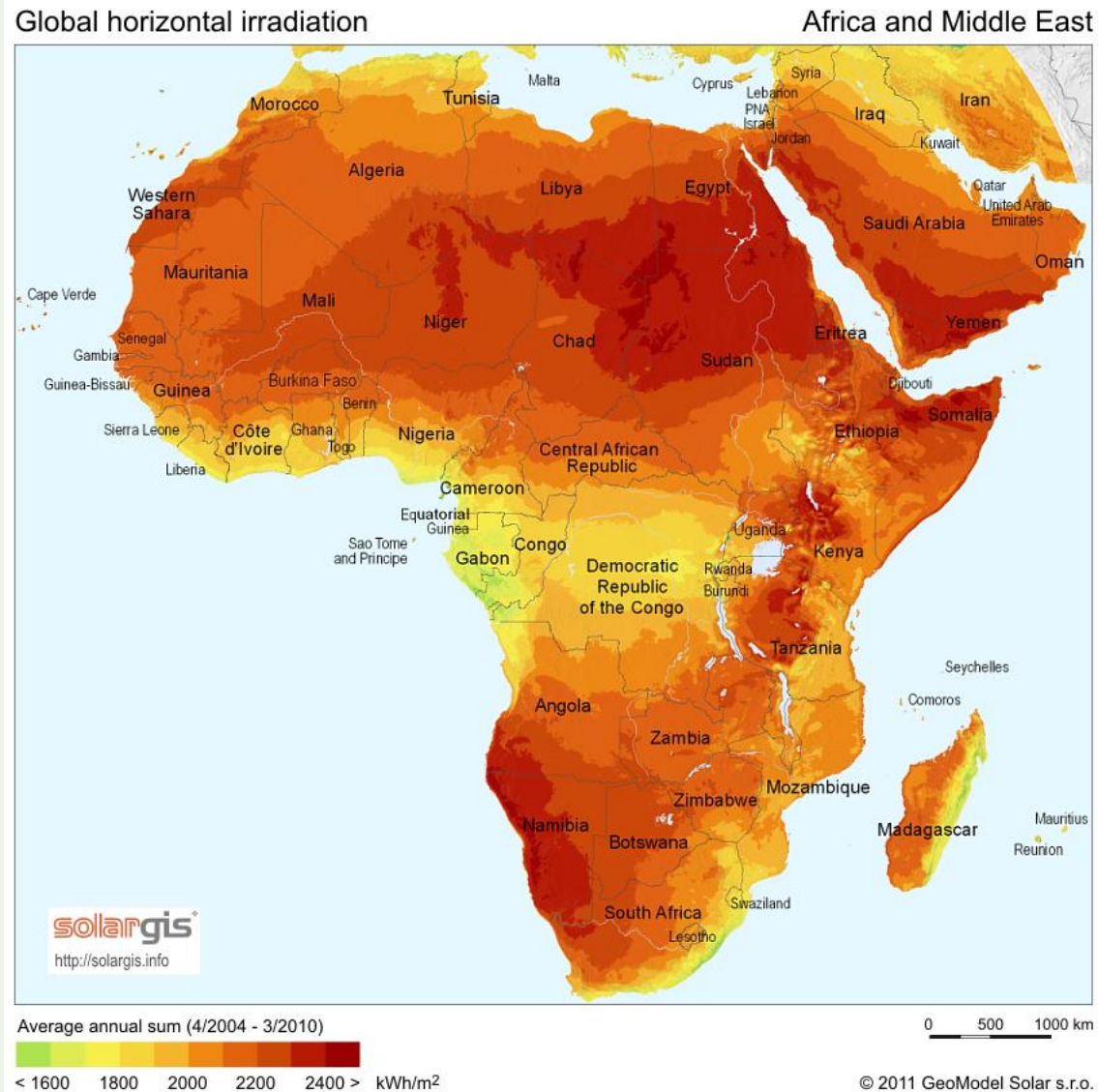


Load

No.	Load	Power Rating/equ	QTY	Max.Power(W)	Estimated Running Hour/24hr(Hr)	Energy Consumption/24hr(W)	% Factor/24hr (1=100%)	Efficient Energy Consumption/24hr(W)	% Of Daily Energy Consumption
1	Desktop	350	2	700	8	5600	1	5600	27,47
2	Laptop	65	8	520	8	4160	0,5	2080	10,20
3	Internal Light	12	20	240	8	1920	0,5	960	4,71
4	External Light	15	20	300	12	3600	1	3600	17,66
5	Printer	550	1	550	0,5	275	0,2	55	0,27
6	Refrigerator	150	1	150	6	900	1	900	4,42
7	Peculator	2000	1	2000	0,08	160	1	160	0,78
8	Phone Charger	5	19	95	8	760	0,7	532	2,61
9	Tablet	5	3	15	8	120	0,8	96	0,47
10	Electric Iron	1200	1	1200	1	1200	1	1200	5,89
11	Water Pump	550	1	550	2	1100	1	1100	5,40
12	Ventilator	40	16	640	6	3840	0,5	1920	9,42
13	Electric Calculator	10	2	20	8	160	0,5	80	0,39
14	Projector	550	1	550	2	1100	1	1100	5,40
15	Internet Device	100	1	100	10	1000	1	1000	4,91
16				0		0		0	0,00
17				0		0		0	0,00
18				0		0		0	0,00
19				0		0		0	0,00
	TOTAL			7630		25895		20383	100

→ Measure the consumption

System Design



System Design

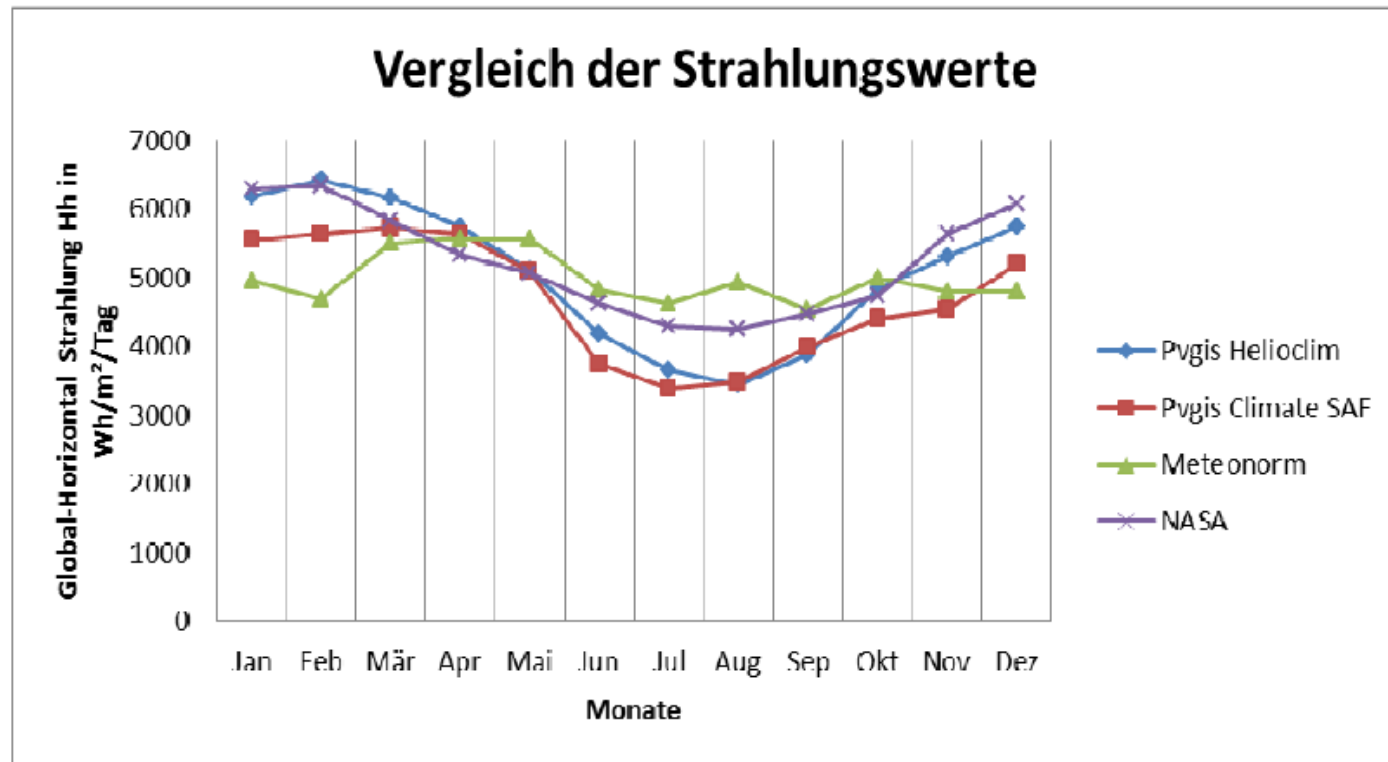


Abbildung 3.5: Vergleich der Strahlungswerte, Quelle: Eigene Grafik

Tabelle 3.9: gemittelte Werte

Monate:	Jan.	Feb.	März	Apr.	Mai	Juni	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Okt.	Nov.	Dez.
H_h	5880	5516	5629	5402	5150	4206	4066	4006	4271	4621	4804	5219

Globale Einstrahlung auf horizontaler Ebene H_h in $Wh/m^2/Tag$

Calculation

- Size the System according to the weakest month
- Production: 4000 Wh/day/m²
- Consumption: 8400 Wh/day
 - 30 % System losses -> 8400 Wh / 0,70 = 12000 Wh/day
 - 15 % Panel efficiency (85% losses) -> 12000 Wh / 0,15 = **80000 Wh/day**

$$A = 80000 \text{ Wh/day} / 4000 \text{ Wh/day/m}^2 = 20 \text{ m}^2$$

$$P_{PV, \text{Nem}} = A_{PV} \cdot \eta_{PV} \cdot 1000 \frac{\text{W}}{\text{m}^2}$$

$$P = 20 \text{ m}^2 \cdot 0,15 \cdot 1000 \text{ W/m}^2 = \mathbf{3 \text{ kW}}$$

System Design

New Situation

PV Power

- Power: 3.9 kW
- Panels: 26x150W

Battery Capacity

- Battery: 548 Ah @C10 (2.1V)
- Capacity: 27 kWh (24 Batteries)

Equipment

- Sunny Boy 4000TL
- Sunny Island 8.0H
- Sunny Home Manager

Type overview

Capacities, dimensions and weights

Type	C ₁₀₀ /1.85 V Ah	C ₅₀ /1.85 V Ah	C ₂₄ /1.83 V Ah	C ₁₀ /1.80 V Ah	C ₅ /1.77 V Ah	max.* Weight kg	max.* Length L mm	max.* Width W mm	max.* Height H mm	Fig.
4 OPzV solar.power 250	287	264	243	204	189	18.3	105	208	420	A
5 OPzV solar.power 310	359	329	304	255	236	22.3	126	208	420	A
6 OPzV solar.power 370	430	395	365	306	283	26.5	147	208	420	A
5 OPzV solar.power 420	478	453	428	391	346	29.9	126	208	535	A
6 OPzV solar.power 520	574	543	513	470	415	35.1	147	208	535	A
7 OPzV solar.power 620	670	634	599	548	485	42.1	168	208	535	A
6 OPzV solar.power 750	847	802	762	682	595	48.7	147	208	710	A
8 OPzV solar.power 1000	1130	1070	1016	909	793	65.9	215	193	710	B
10 OPzV solar.power 1250	1412	1337	1270	1137	992	80.5	215	235	710	B
12 OPzV solar.power 1500	1695	1604	1524	1364	1190	94.6	215	277	710	B
12 OPzV solar.power 1700	1955	1870	1785	1545	1372	110.0	215	277	855	B
16 OPzV solar.power 2300	2607	2493	2380	2060	1829	152.9	215	400	815	C
20 OPzV solar.power 2900	3258	3117	2975	2574	2287	186.5	215	490	815	D
24 OPzV solar.power 3500	3910	3740	3570	3089	2744	222.3	215	580	815	D

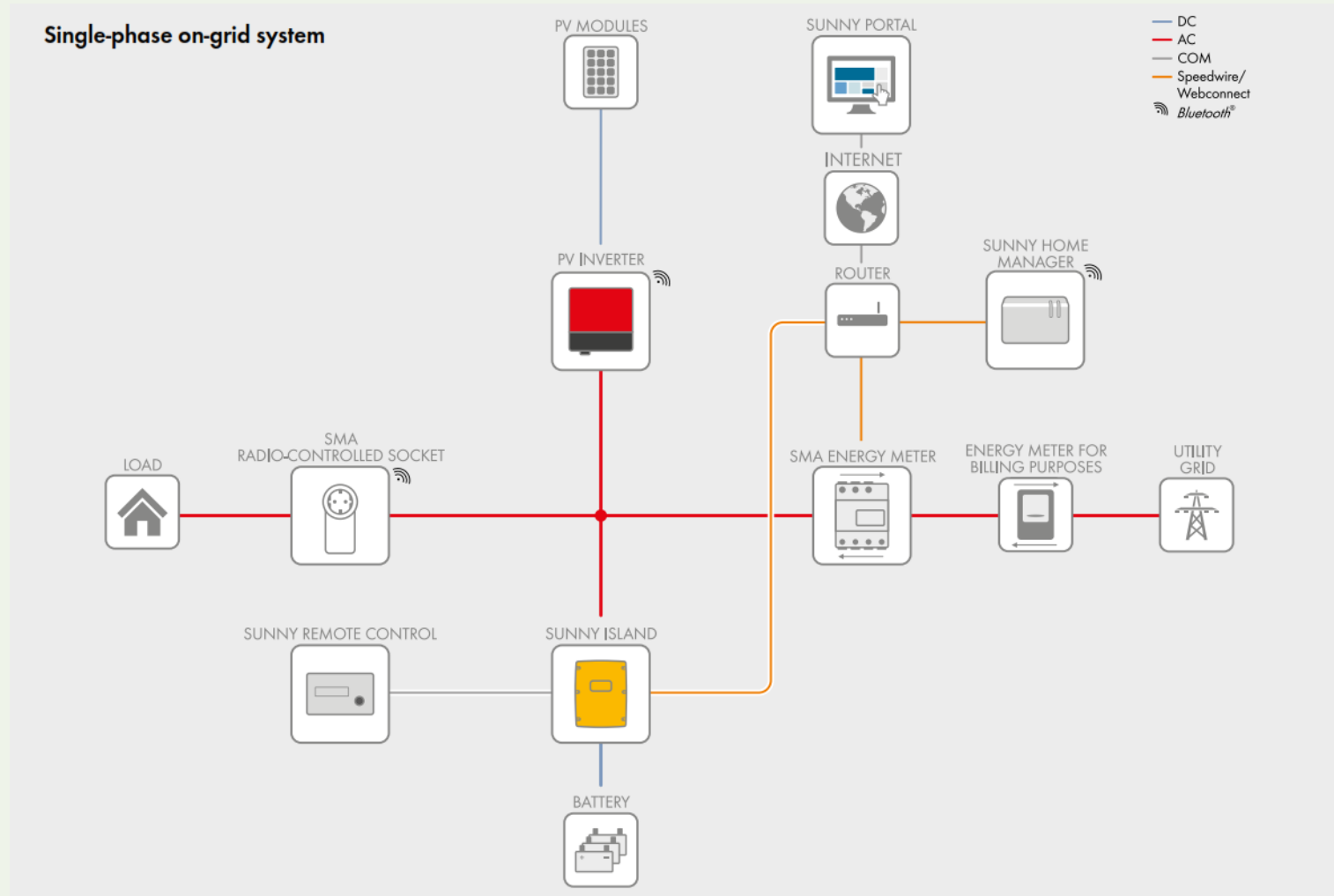
C₁₀₀, C₅₀, C₂₄, C₁₀ and C₅ = Capacity at 100 h, 50 h, 24 h, 10 h and 5 h discharge

* according to DIN 40742 data to be understood as maximum values

Components

- 1 pc. PV-Inverter, SMA Sunny Boy 4000 TL
- 1 pc. Battery Inverter, SMA Sunny Island 8.0
with Speedwire communication + CAN
- 1 pc. Communication, SMA Sunny Home Manager Set HM BT 10 Set
- 10 pcs. PV module, SW 150 WP R6A
- 2 Sets Roof Support Structure for 4 panels SW150;
incl. Profile, anchor bolts, middle and side clamps,
bolts, nuts etc.
- 1 pc. Smart TV, Samsung K5579 80cm (32")
- 100 m Cable H07 RN-F - 1 x25mm² flexible
- 200 m Cable H07 RN-F - 1x4mm² flexible

Components



Components

Solar Module

Sunmodule®
SW 150 POLY R6A

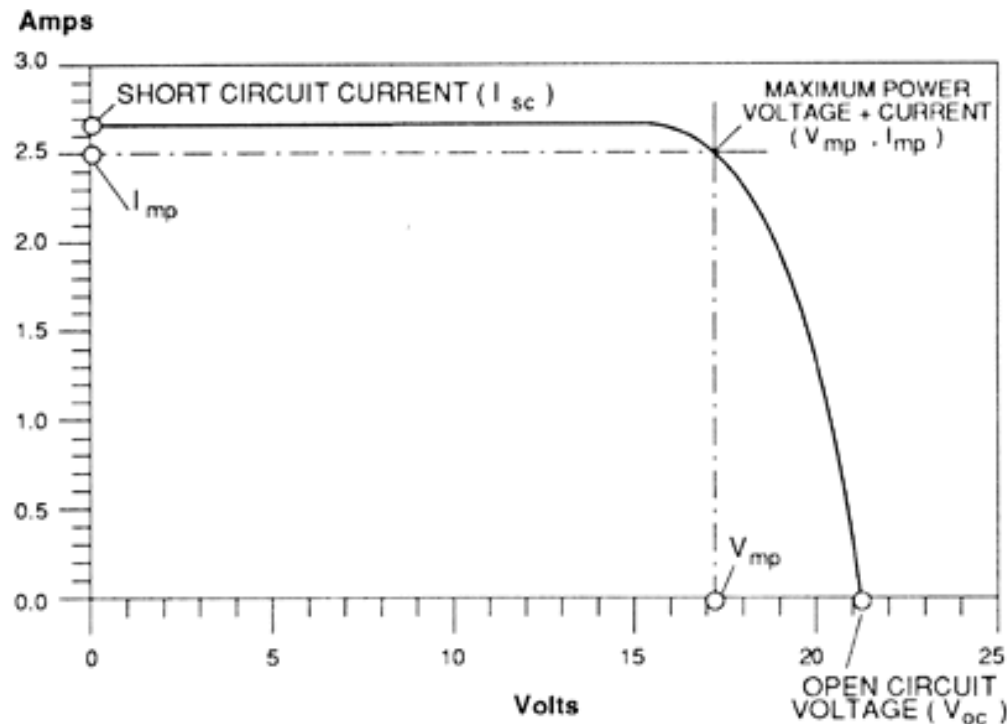
PDF:

<https://www.google.com/url?sa=t&rct=j&q=&esrc=s&source=web&cd=4&cad=rja&uact=8&ved=0ahUKewjlpIKL4obVAhVpIcAKHZDZBwgQFgg8MAM&url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.solarworld-usa.com%2F%2Fmedia%2Fwww%2Ffiles%2Fdatasheets%2Fsunmodule-off-grid%2Fsunmodule-off-grid-poly-solar-panel-150-r6a.pdf&usg=AFQjCNHjDt6OH7xWVD6MsqkJLUBJIM1FGw>

PERFORMANCE UNDER STAN

Maximum power
Open circuit voltage
Maximum power point voltage
Short circuit current
Maximum power point current
Module efficiency

*STC: 1000 W/m², 25 °C, AM 1.5
1) Measuring tolerance (P_{max}) trace

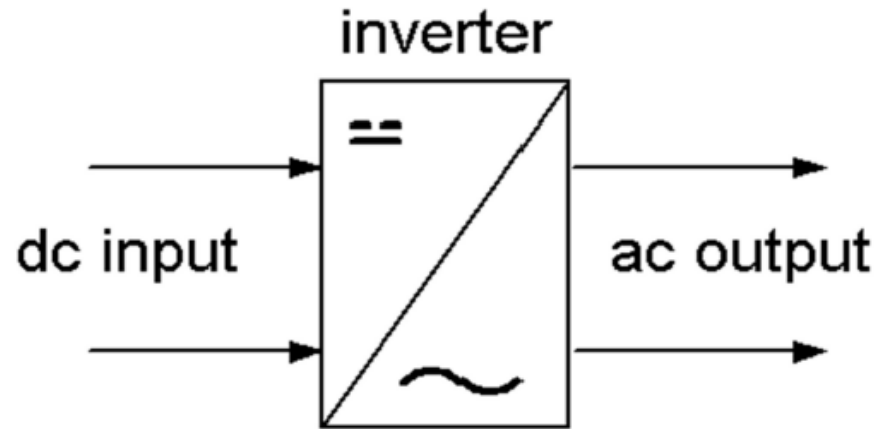


M1.5

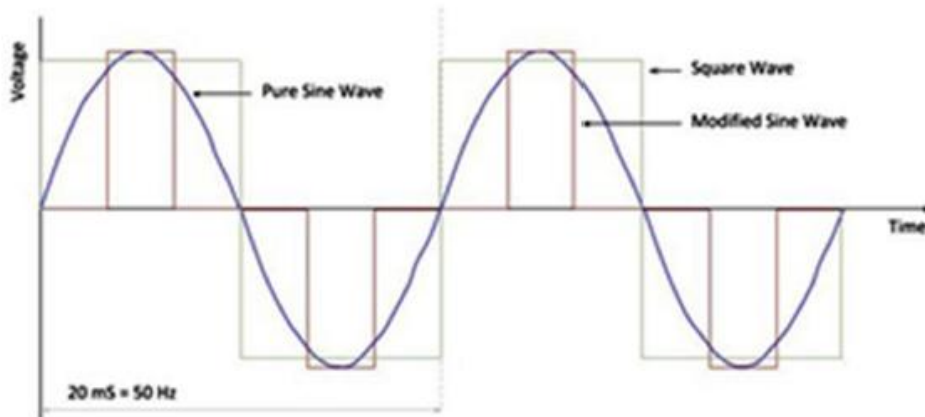
P_{max}	110.1 Wp
V_{oc}	20.5 V
V_{mpp}	16.6 V
I_{sc}	7.17 A
I_{mpp}	6.62 A

id conditions at 25 °C: at 200 W/m², 100%
hieved.

Inverter



Inverters have an input side and an output side



Types of output waveform

- Square wave (cheap simple)
- Modified sine wave (middle class)
- Pure sine wave (bst class)

Components

Sunny Boy 4000TL (Grid –tie inverter)

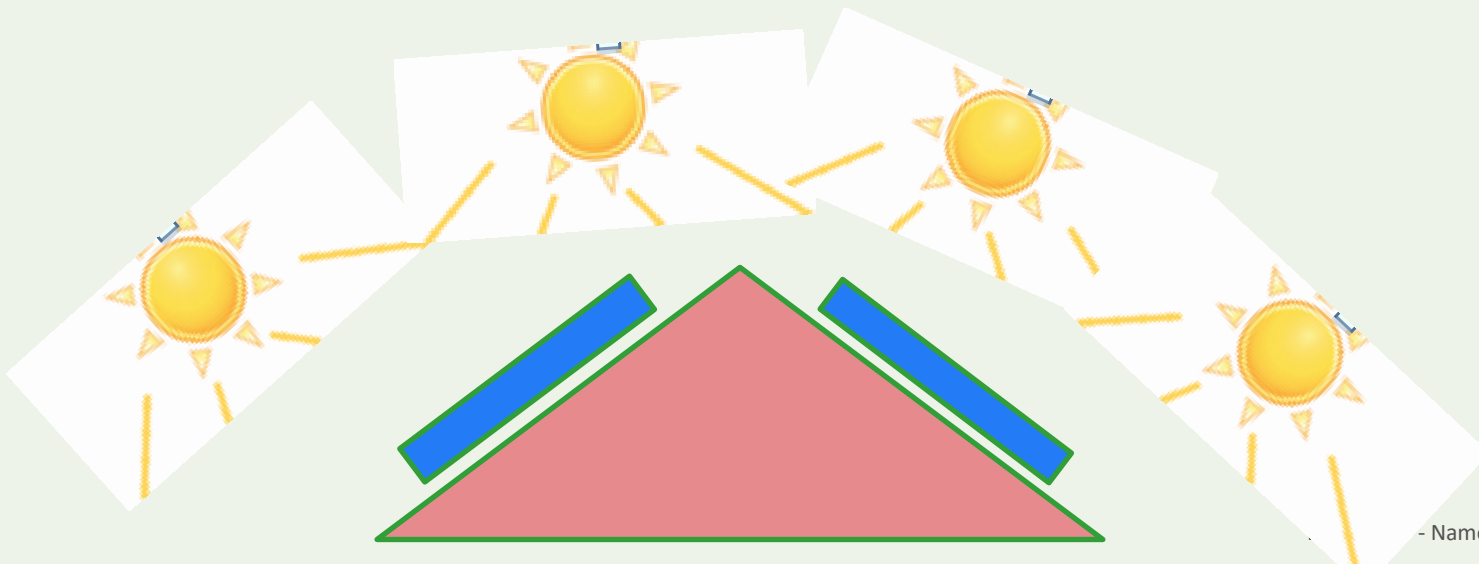
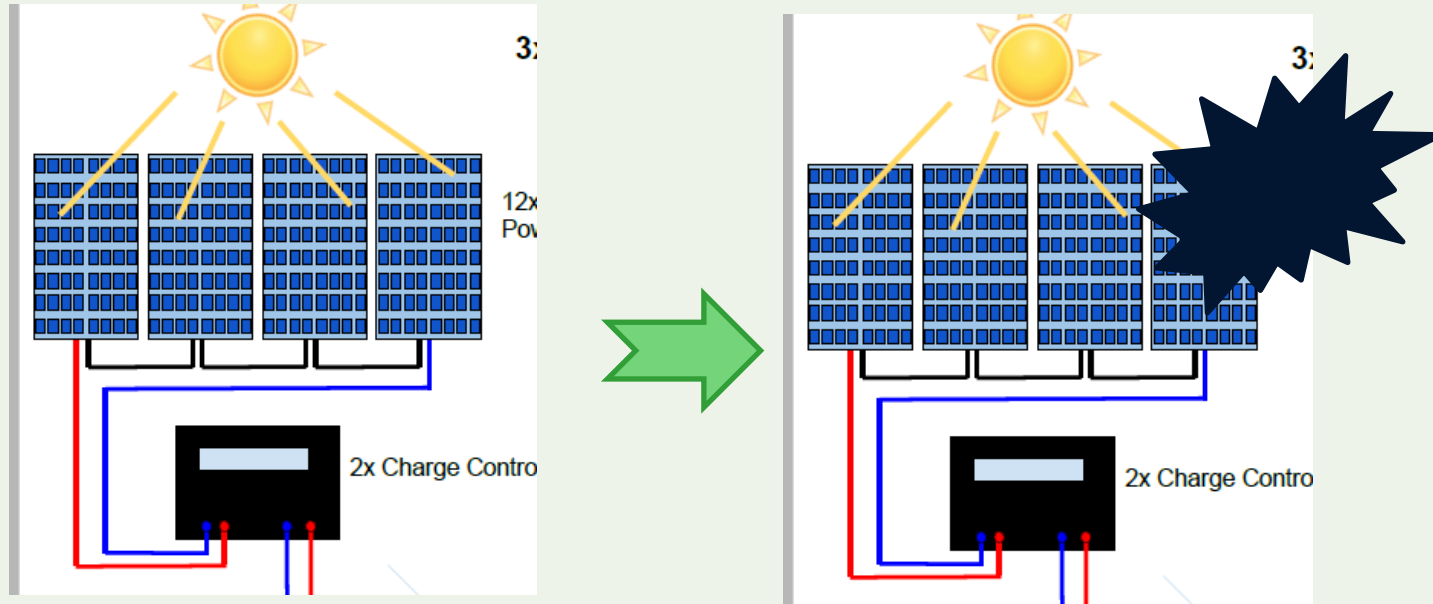
- What means 4000?
- How many strings we have?
- Why we havestrings?
- How I can connect the panels

Datasheet: <http://files.sma.de/dl/15330/SB5000TL-21-DEN1551-V20web.pdf>

Technical Data	Sunny Boy 4000TL
Input (DC)	
Max. DC power (at $\cos \varphi = 1$)	4200 W
Max. input voltage	750 V
MPP voltage range / rated input voltage	175 V to 500 V / 400 V
Min. input voltage / initial input voltage	125 V / 150 V
Max. input current input A / input B	15 A / 15 A
Max. input current per string input A / input B	15 A / 15 A
Number of independent MPP inputs / strings per MPP input	2 / A:2; B:2
Output (AC)	
Rated power (at 230 V, 50 Hz)	4000 W
Max. AC apparent power	4000 VA
Nominal AC voltage / range	220 V, 230 V, 240 V / 180 V to 280 V
AC power frequency / range	50 Hz, 60 Hz / -5 Hz to +5 Hz
Rated power frequency / rated grid voltage	50 Hz / 230 V
Max. output current	22 A
Power factor at rated power	1
Adjustable displacement power factor	0.8 lagging to 0.8 leading
Feed-in phases / connection phases	1 / 1
Efficiency	
Max. efficiency / European Efficiency	97 % / 96.4 %

Components

Why two strings?



Components

Combination of Panels and Sunny Boy 4000TL

How many Panels per String we should use? Have in mind we want to reach 3.9 kW

$$3.9 \text{ kW} / 150\text{W} = 26 \quad / \quad \text{Two Strings} \quad / \quad 26 \text{ Panels} / 2 = 13 \text{ Panels per String}$$

Maximum power	P _{max}	150 Wp
---------------	------------------	--------

How we can know that we have the right Inverter (Sunny Boy)

Maximum open circuit voltage from the string fits into the range of Inverter. ($22.5\text{V} \times 13 = 292,5\text{V}$) → This is for 25°C

Max. input voltage	750 V
MPP voltage range / rated input voltage	175 V to 500 V / 400 V
Min. input voltage / initial input voltage	125 V / 150 V

Components

Combination of Panels and Sunny Boy 4000TL

What is the minimum Voltage we have?

Panel

Maximum power point voltage	V_{mp}	18.3 V
-----------------------------	----------	--------

Inverter

MPP voltage range / rated input voltage	175 V to 500 V / 400 V
Min. input voltage / initial input voltage	125 V / 150 V

Maximum power point voltage from the string fits into the range of Inverter. ($18.3V \cdot 13 = 238V$) $\rightarrow$ This is for 25°C

Does the Temperature play a role?

Situation for 75°C

$50 \cdot 0,31\% = 15\% \rightarrow 238 / 1,15 = 207V$

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

NOCT	46 °C
$TK I_{sc}$	0,051 %/K
$TK U_{oc}$	-0,31 %/K
$TK P_{mp}$	-0,41 %/K

Batteries

- Lead-Acid Battery

vented



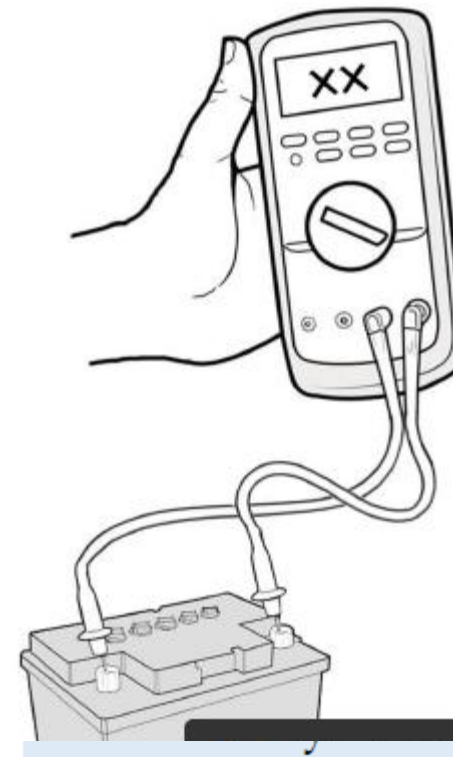
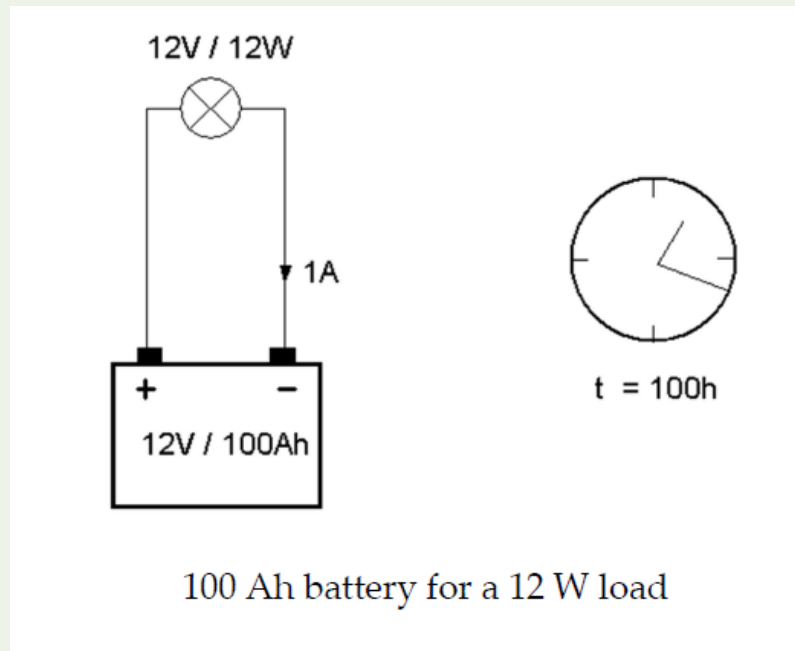
- Wet battery
- Liquid
- Maintenance needed
- Longer lifetime/cheaper

sealed



- Dry battery
- Gel or absorbed by a sponge
- No maintenance
- Less lifetime / bit more expensive

Battery



On a 12 V lead-acid battery, when you measure (at rest):

Voltage reading	SoC
12.9 V	100%
12.7 V	75%
12.5 V	50%
12.3 V	25%
12.1 V	0%

Lifetime Battery

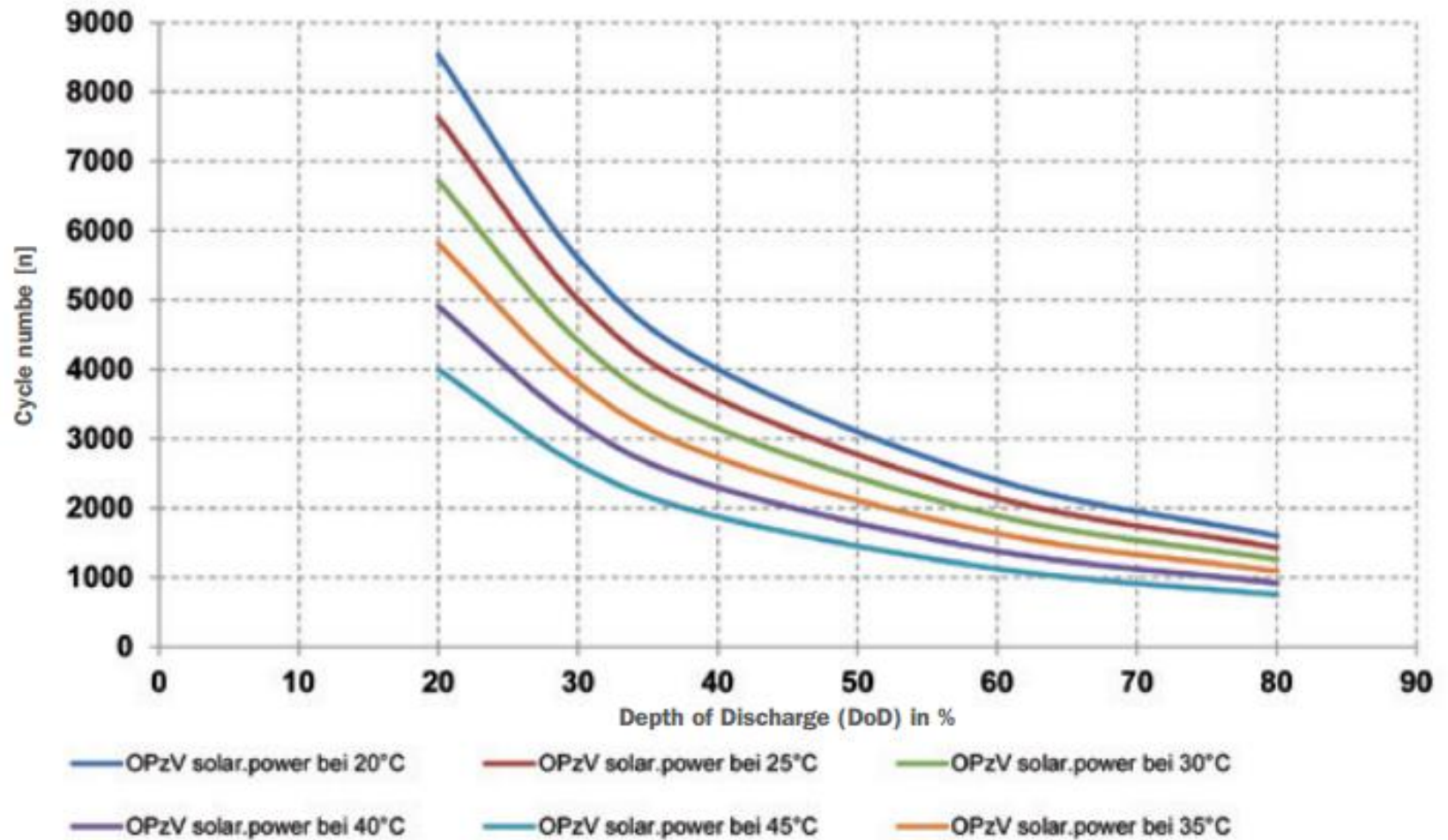


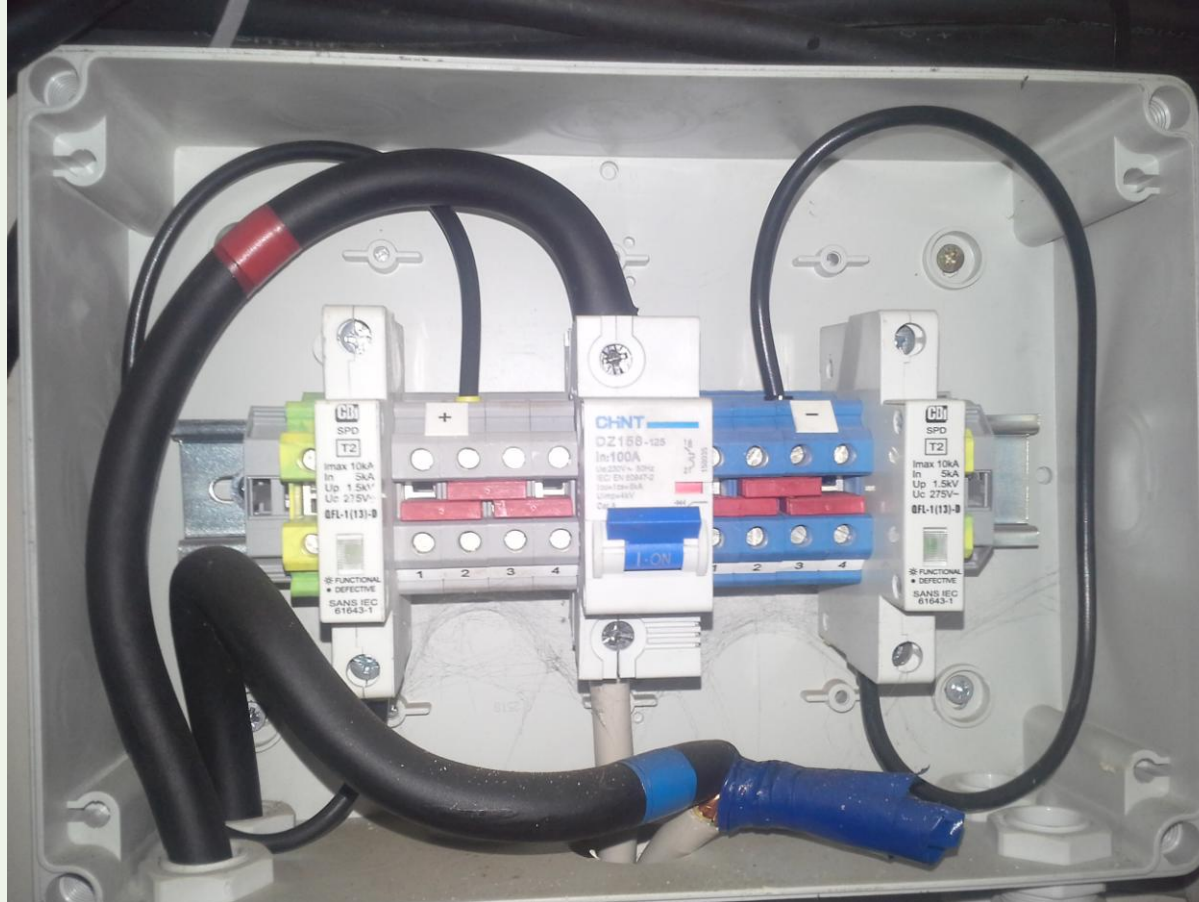
Fig. 7-10: Cycle lifetime of OPzV solar power depending on DoD and temperature

Sunny Island

Maximum power: 6590 Watt (With buffer: 7100Watt)

Technical data	Sunny Island 6.0H	Sunny Island 8.0H
AC output (loads / stand-alone grid)		
Rated grid voltage / AC voltage range	230 V / 202 V ... 253 V	230 V / 202 V ... 253 V
Rated frequency / frequency range (adjustable)	50 Hz / 45 Hz ... 65 Hz	50 Hz / 45 Hz ... 65 Hz
Rated power (for U_{nom} / f_{nom} / 25 °C / $\cos \varphi = 1$)	4600 W	6 000 W
AC power at 25 °C for 30 min / 5 min / 3 sec	6 000 W / 6 800 W / 11 000 W	8 000 W / 9 100 W / 11 000 W
Rated current / maximum output current (peak)	20 A / 120 A	26 A / 120 A
Total harmonic factor output voltage / power factor with rated power	< 4 % / -1 ... +1	< 4 % / -1 ... +1
AC input (PV array, grid or MC box)		
Rated input voltage / AC input voltage range	230 V / 172.5 V ... 264.5 V	230 V / 172.5 V ... 264.5 V
Rated input frequency / allowable input frequency range	50 Hz / 40 Hz ... 70 Hz	50 Hz / 40 Hz ... 70 Hz
Maximum AC input current	50 A	50 A
Maximum AC input power	11 500 W	11 500 W
Battery DC input		
Rated input voltage / DC voltage range	48 V / 41 V ... 63 V	48 V / 41 V ... 63 V
Maximum battery charging current	110 A	140 A
Rated DC charging current / DC discharging current	90 A / 103 A	115 A / 136 A
Battery type / battery capacity (range)	FLA, VRLA / 100 Ah ... 10 000 Ah	FLA, VRLA / 100 Ah ... 10 000 Ah
Charge control	IUoU charge procedure with automatic full charge and equalization charge.	IUoU charge procedure with automatic full charge and equalization charge
Efficiency / self-consumption		
Maximum efficiency	95 %	95 %
Self-consumption without load / standby	< 26 W / < 4 W	< 26 W / < 4 W

Electrical protection device



- SPD (Surge Protection device)

- Panel disconnection

Electrical protection device

- Fuses (BatFuse, for House installation)

How can I size it?



Grounding



Grounding



Connecting a solar system to the ground electrode

Next Week

- Batteries
- Sunny Boy
- Sunny Island
- Protection devices
- Cable size

Thank you for your attention.

Funded by:



Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the
Netherlands



Schweizerische Eidgenossenschaft
Confédération suisse
Confederazione Svizzera
Confederaziun svizra

Swiss Agency for Development
and Cooperation SDC



Coordinated by:



Netherlands Enterprise Agency

Calculation

- Actual energy demand: 4 kWh/day + 2 kWh/day

How much more energy per day do we have with the system extension?

- PV power: 3.9 kW (@STC)

4.5 Full Sunhours

-> 1000W/m² for 4.5 hours per day (in average)

$3.9 \text{ kW} * 4.5 \text{ H} = 17,55 \text{ kWh}$

30% losses

$17,55 \text{ kWh} / 1,3 = 13,5 \text{ kWh}$

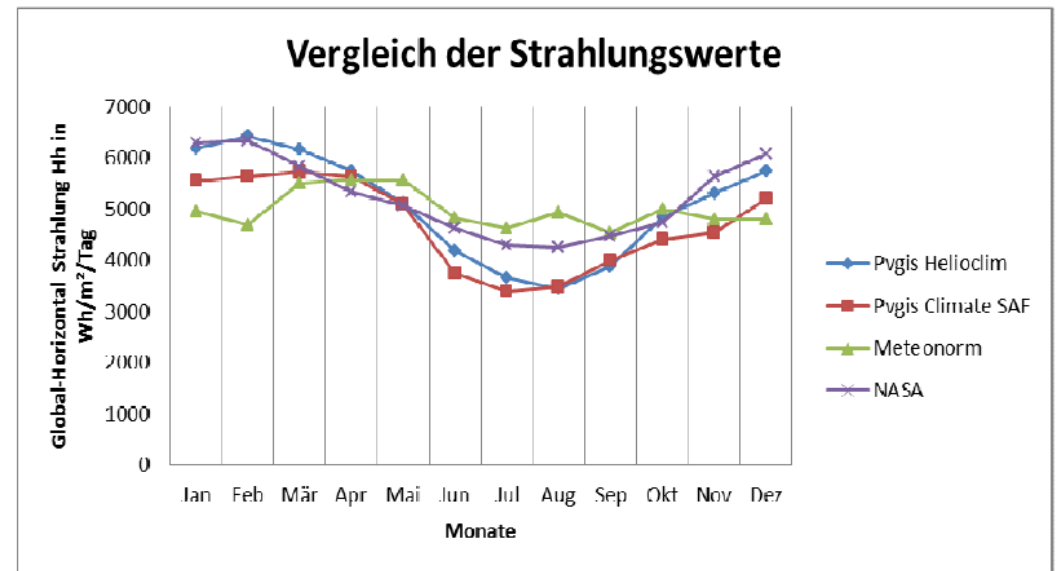


Abbildung 3.5: Vergleich der Strahlungswerte, Quelle: Eigene Grafik

Contact:
EnDev Liberia
www.endev.info

