

CITY OF ENCINITAS DEVELOPMENT SERVICES DEPARTMENT 505 SOUTH VULCAN AVENUE ENCINITAS CA 92024





SCOPE: Use this plan ONLY for utility-interactive central/string inverter systems not exceeding a system AC inverter output rating of 10kW on the roof of a one- or two-family dwelling or accessory structure. The photovoltaic system must interconnect to the load side of a single-phase AC service panel of nominal 120/240Vac with a bus bar rating of 225A or less. This plan is not intended for bipolar systems, hybrid systems or systems that utilize storage batteries, charge controllers, trackers, more than two inverters or more than one DC combiner (noninverter-integrated) per inverter. Systems must be in compliance with current California Building Standards Codes and local amendments of the authority having jurisdiction (AHJ). Other Articles of the California Electrical Code (CEC) shall apply as specified in 690.3.

MANUFACTURER'S SPECIFICATION SHEETS MUST BE PROVIDED for proposed inverter, modules, combiner/junction boxes and racking systems. Installation instructions for bonding and grounding equipment shall be provided, and local AHJs may require additional details. Listed and labeled equipment shall be installed and used in accordance with any instructions included in the listing or labeling (CEC 110.3). Equipment intended for use with PV system shall be identified and listed for the application (CEC 690.4[D]).

Job Address:	Permit #:								
Contractor/ Engineer Name:	License # and Class:								
Phone Number:	_ Email:								
Total # of Inverters installed: (If more the Calculation Sheets" and the "Load Center Calculations"	if a new load center is to be used.)								
Inverter 1 AC Output Power Rating:	Watts								
Inverter 2 AC Output Power Rating (if applicable): Watts									
Combined Inverter Output Power Rating:	≤ 10,000 Watts								
Location Ambient Temperatures (Check box next to wh	Location Ambient Temperatures (Check box next to which lowest expected temperature is used):								
1) $\square$ Lowest expected ambient temperature for the lo	cation (T <sub>L</sub> ) = <b>Between -1 to -5 °C</b>								
$\square$ Lowest expected ambient temperature for the lo	cation $(T_L)$ = <b>Between -6 to -10 °C</b>								
Average ambient high temperature $(T_H) = 47  ^{\circ}\text{C}$									
Note: For a lower $T_L$ or a higher $T_H$ , use the Compreh	nensive Standard Plan								
DC Information:									
Module Manufacturer:	Model:								
2) Module V <sub>oc</sub> (from module nameplate):Volts	3) Module I <sub>sc</sub> (from module nameplate):Amps								
4) Module DC output power under standard test conditions (STC) = Watts (STC)									

5) DC Module Layo	out																	
Identify each source circuit (string) for inverter 1 shown on the roof plan with a Tag (e.g., A, B, C)  Number of modules per source circuit for inverter 1									Identify, by tag, which source circuits on the roof are to be paralleled (if none, put N/A)									
									Combine	er 1:								
											-							
								C	ombine	er 2:								
Total number of sou	ırco ci	ircuitc	for inv	ortor 1														
Total number of source circuits for inverter 1:  6) Are DC/DC Converters used?																		
6) Are DC/DC Conv	verte	rs use	d? L	_ Yes	; <u> </u>	□NO	)	If No	, skip to	SIEP	/. If Ye	s, ent	er inf	o bei	ow.			
DC/DC Converter M	odel ‡	#:					-	[	C/DC Co	nverter	Max D	C Inpu	ıt Volt	age:		Volts		
Max DC Output Curr	rent: _						_ Amps	.   1	lax DC C	utput \	oltage:	·				_Volts		
Max # of DC/DC Cor	iverte	ers in a	n Input	Circui	t:			_   [	C/DC Co	nverter	Max D	C Inpu	it Pow	/er:		Watts		
7) Max. System D	C Vol	ltage -	- Use A	1 or A2	2 for sy	/stem	ns with	out D	C/DC con	verters	, and B	1 or B2	2 with	DC/D	C conve	erters.		
□ A1. Module $V_{OC}$ (STEP 2) = x # in series (STEP 5) x 1.12 (If -1≤T <sub>L</sub> ≤-5°C, STEP 1) = V																		
□ A2. Module $V_{OC}$ (STEP 2) = x # in series (STEP 5) x 1.14 (If -6≤ $T_L$ ≤-10°C, STEP 1) = V																		
Table 1 Maximum Number of DV Medules in Series Pased on Medule Pated VOC for 500 Vds Pated Equipment (CEC 500.7)																		
Table 1. Maximum Number of PV Modules in Series Based on Module Rated VOC for 600 Vdc Rated Equipment (CEC 690.7)  Max. Rated Module																		
VOC (*1.1	12)	29.76	31.51	33.48	35.7	71 3	38.27	41.21	44.64	48.70	53.57	59.5	52 6	6.96	76.53	89.29		
(Vol																		
VOC (*1.1 (Vol		29.24	30.96	32.89	35.0	09   3	37.59	40.49	43.86	47.85	52.63	58.4	18 6	5.79	75.19	87.72		
Max # of Modules	for	18	17	16	15	5	14	13	12	11	10	9		8	7	6		
600 V	/ac																	
Use for DC/DC conv	erters	s. The v	value ca	alculate	ed belo	ow m	ust be	less tl	nan DC/E	C conv	erter m	ax DC	input	volta	ge (STE	P #6).		
☐ B1. Module V <sub>0</sub>																		
☐ B2. Module V <sub>0</sub>						•			,		•							
Table 2. Largest	Modu	ule VOC	for <u>Sin</u> g	gle-Mod	<u>dule</u> DC	:/DC C	Converte	er Con	iguration	s (With 8	30V AFC	I Cap) (	CEC 69	90.7 aı	nd 690.1	1)		
	30.4	33.0	35.7	38.4	41.1	43.8	3 46.4	49.	1 51.8	54.5	57.1	59.8	62.5	65.2	67.9	70.5		
(*1.12) (Volts) Max. Rated																		
(*1.14) (Volts)	29.8	32.5	35.1	37.7	40.4	43.0	45.6	5 48.	2 50.9	53.5	56.1	58.8	61.4	64.0	66.7	69.3		
DC/DC Converter  Max DC Input	34	37	40	43	46	49	52	55	58	61	64	67	70	73	76	79		
(STEP #6) (Volts)														1				
8) Maximum System DC Voltage from DC/DC Converters to Inverter – Only required if Yes in STEP 6  Maximum System DC Voltage = Volts																		
9) Maximum Source	9) Maximum Source Circuit Current																	
Is Module I <sub>sc</sub> be	elow 9	9.6 An	nps (S7	TEP 3)	? 🗌	Yes		No (if	No, use	Comp	rehens	ive St	anda	rd Pla	an)			

10) Sizing Source Circuit Conductors  Source Circuit Conductor Size = Min. #10 AWG copper conductor, 90°C wet (USE-2, PV Wire, XHHW-2, FHWN-2, RHW-2)									
For up to 8 conductors in roof-mounted conduit exposed to sunlight at least ½" from the roof covering (CEC 310)  Note: For over 8 conductors in the conduit or mounting height of lower than ½"from the roof, use Comprehensive Plan.									
11) Are PV source circuits combined prior to the inverter? )?									
12) Sizing PV Output Circuit Conductors – If a com Output Circuit Conductor Size = Min. #6 AWG				e used	from [S	STEP 11	],		
13) Inverter DC Disconnect  Does the inverter have an integrated DC disconnect?   Yes  No If yes, proceed to STEP 14.  If no, the external DC disconnect to be installed is rated for Amps (DC) andVolts (DC)									
14) Inverter information  Manufacturer:									
AC Information:									
15) Sizing Inverter Output Circuit Conductors and OCPD Inverter Output OCPD rating = Amps (Table 3) Inverter Output Circuit Conductor Size = AWG (Table 3)									
Table 3. Minimum Inverter Output OCPD and Circuit Conductor Size									
Inverter Continuous Output Current Rating (Amps) (STEP#14)	12	16	20	24	28	32	36	40	48
Minimum OCPD Size (Amps)	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	60
Minimum Conductor Size (AWG, 75°C, Copper)	14	12	10	10	8	8	6	6	6
Integrated DC Arc-Fault Circuit Protection?									

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#### 16) Point of Connection to Utility

Only load side connections are permitted with this plan. Otherwise, use Comprehensive Standard Plan.

Is the PV OCPD positioned at the opposite end from input feeder location or main OCPD location? 

Yes No If Yes, circle the Max Combined PV System OCPD(s) at 120% value as determined from STEP 15 (or STEP S20), bus bar Rating, and Main OCPD as shown in Table 4.

If No, circle the Max Combined PV System OCPD(s) at 100% value as determined from STEP 15 (or STEP S20), bus bar Rating, and Main OCPD as shown in Table 4.

Per 705.12(D)(2): [Inverter output OCPD size [STEP #15 or S20] + Main OCPD Size]≤[bus size × (100% or 120%)]

Table 4. Maximum Combined Supply OCPDs Based on Bus Bar Rating (Amps) per CEC 705.12(D)(2)									
Bus bar Rating	100	125	125	200	200	200	225	225	225
Main OCPD	100	100	125	150	175	200	175	200	225
Max Combined PV System OCPD(s) at 120% of bus bar Rating	20	50	25	60*	60*	40	60*	60*	45
Max Combined PV System OCPD(s) at 100% of bus bar Rating	0	25	0	50	25	0	50	25	0

<sup>\*</sup>This value has been lowered to 60 A from the calculated value to reflect 10kW AC size maximum.

Reduction of the main breaker is not permitted with this plan. Otherwise, use Comprehensive Standard Plan.

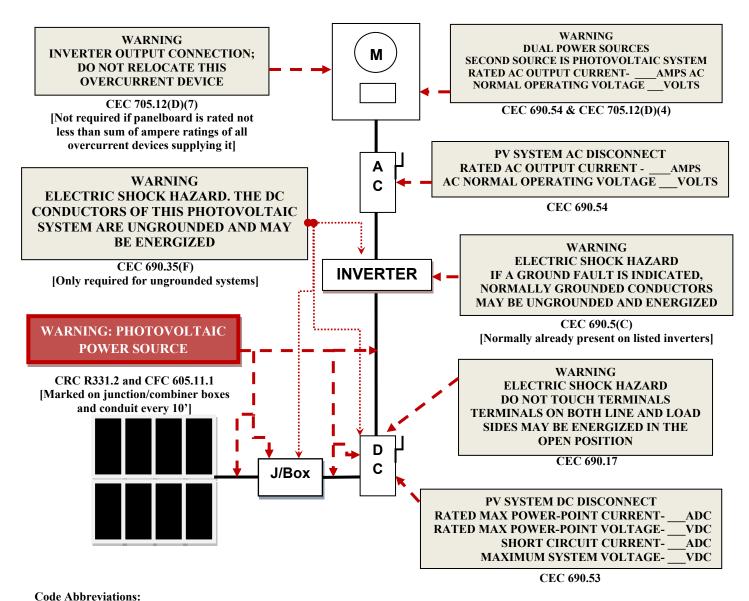
#### 17 & 18 & 19) Labels and Grounding and Bonding

This content is covered by the labels on Page 4 and the Single Line Diagram(s). For background information, refer to the Comprehensive Standard Plan.

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#### **Markings**

CEC Articles 690 and 705 and CRC Section R331 require the following labels or markings be installed at these components of the photovoltaic system:



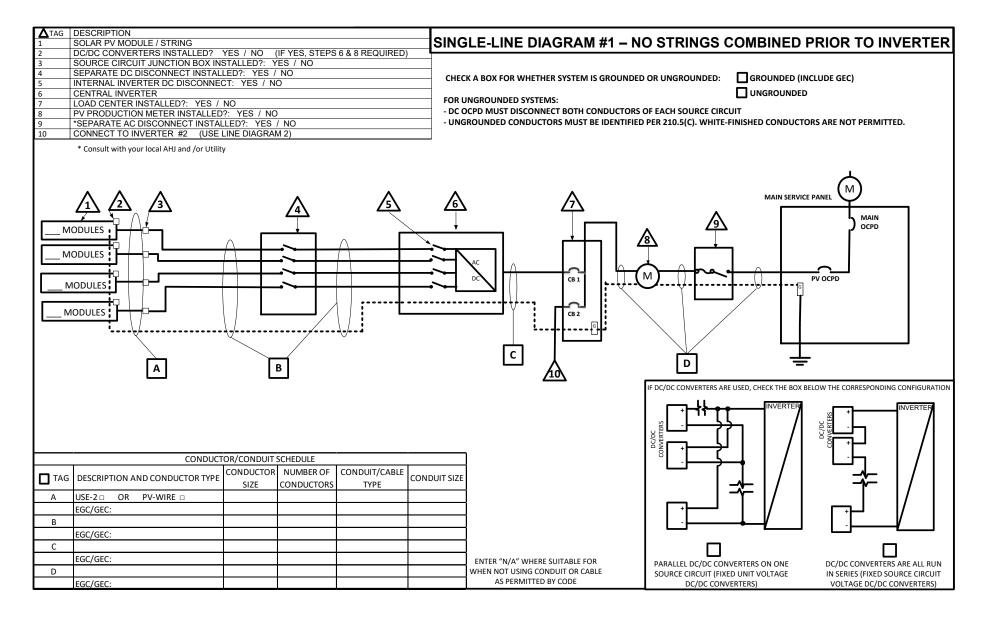
California Electrical Code (CEC)
California Residential Code (CRC)

California Fire Code (CFC)

Informational note: ANSI Z535.4 provides guidelines for the design of safety signs and labels for application to products. A phenolic plaque with contrasting colors between the text and background would meet the intent of the code for permanency. No type size is specified, but 20 point (3/8") should be considered the minimum.

CEC 705.12 requires a permanent plaque or directory denoting all electric power sources on or in the premises.

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MAIN OCPD  PV OCPD
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IF DC/DC CONVERTERS ARE USED, THEY ARE RUN IN SERIES (FIXED SOURCE
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### Supplemental Calculation Sheets for Inverter #2 (Only include if <u>second</u> inverter is used)

#### DC Information:

Module Manufacturer:		Model:
S2) Module V <sub>oc</sub> (from module namep	olate):Volts	S3) Module I <sub>sc</sub> (from module nameplate):Amps
S4) Module DC output power under s	standard test condi	ions (STC) = Watts (STC)
S5) DC Module Layout		
Identify each source circuit (string) for inverter 1 shown on the roof plan with a Tag (e.g., A, B, C)	Number of modul per source circuit inverter 1	Identify by tag which source circuits on the roof are to
		Combiner 1:
		Combiner 2:
Total number of source circuits for in	verter 1:	
S6) Are DC/DC Converters used?	Yes No	If No, skip to STEP#S7. If Yes, enter info below.
DC/DC Converter Model #: Max DC Output Current: Max # of DC/DC Converters in a source c	Amps	DC/DC Converter Max DC Input Voltage:Volts Max DC Output Voltage:Volts DC/DC Converter Max DC Input Power:Watts

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S7) Max. System DC Voltage – Use A1 or A2 for systems without DC/DC converters, and B1 or B2 with DC/DC converters.																
☐ A1. Module $V_{OC}$ (STEP S2) = x # in series (STEP S5) x 1.12 (If -1≤ $T_L$ ≤-5°C, STEP S1) = V									V							
A2. Module $V_{OC}$ (STEP S2) = x # in series (STEP S5) x 1.14 (If -6≤T <sub>L</sub> ≤-10°C, STEP S1) = V									V							
Table 1. Maximum Num	nber o	f PV N	1odules	in Serie	es Base	d on N	Modu	ule Rate	d VOC	for 600	Vdc R	ated E	quipm	ent (C	EC 690	.7)
Max. Rated Module VOC (*1. (Vo		29.76	31.51	33.48	35.71	38.2	27	41.21	44.64	48.70	53.57	59.52	2 66	.96	76.53	89.29
Max. Rated Module VOC (*1.		29.24	30.96	32.89	35.09	37.5	59	40.49	43.86	47.85	52.63	58.48	3 65	.79	75.19	87.72
Max # of Modules for 600 \	<b>V</b> dc	18	17	16	15	14	1	13	12	11	10	9		3	7	6
Use for DC/DC converters. The value calculated below must be less than DC/DC converter max DC input voltage (STEP #S6).  B1. Module $V_{OC}$ (STEP#S2) x # of modules per converter (STEP S6) x 1.12 (If -1 $\leq$ T <sub>L</sub> $\leq$ -5°C, STEP S1) = V  B2. Module $V_{OC}$ (STEP#S2) x # of modules per converter (STEP S6) x 1.14 (If -6 $\leq$ T <sub>L</sub> $\leq$ -10°C, STEP S1) = V																
Table 2. Largest Modu	le VOC	C for Si	ngle-Mc	dule D0	C/DC Cc	nverte	er Co	nfigurati	ions (V	Vith 80V	AFCI C	ap) (CE	C 690	.7 and	690.11	)
Max. Rated Module VOC (*1.12) (Volts)	30.4	33.0	35.7	38.4	41.1	43.8	46.4	49.1	51.8	54.5	57.1	59.8	62.5	65.2	67.9	70.5
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S8) Maximum System DC Voltage from DC/DC Converters to Inverter – Only required if Yes in STEP S6  Maximum System DC Voltage = Volts																
S9) Maximum Source Ci Is Module ISC below 9.6				? [	] Yes		No	0	(if N	lo, use	Comp	orehei	nsive	Stan	dard P	lan)
S10) Sizing Source Circu Source Circuit Conducto RHW-2)	r Size	e = Mi	in. #10													
For up to 8 conductors i Note: For over 8 conduc Comprehensive Plan.								_							g (CEC	310)
S11) Are PV source circuits combined prior to the inverter?																
S12) Sizing PV Output Circuit Conductors – If a Combiner box will NOT be used from [STEP#S11], Output Circuit Conductor Size = Min. #6 AWG copper conductor																
S13) Inverter DC Discon Does the inverter h If No, the extern	nave a		_					☐ Ye ed for _		□ No _ Amp	•				TEP S1 olts (D	

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S14) Inverter information:  Manufacturer:		Mode	l:						
Max. Continuous AC Output Current Rating: Amps Integrated DC Arc-Fault Circuit Protection?									
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AC Information:									
S15) Sizing Inverter Output Circuit Conductors and Inverter Output OCPD rating = Amps (									
Inverter Output Circuit Conductor Size =	AW	G (Tabl	e 3)						
Table 3. Minimum Inverter	Outpu	ut OCPI	and C	ircuit C	onduct	or Size			
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Minimum Conductor Size (AWG, 75°C, Copper)	14	12	10	10	8	8	6	6	6
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Load Co				_					
(Omit if a load center v	vill no	ot be	instal	led fo	r PV (	OCPD:	s)		
S20) Load Center Output:									
Calculate the sum of the maximum AC ou	tputs f	rom ea	ch inve	rter.					
Inverter #1 Max Continuous AC Output Co									
Inverter #2 Max Continuous AC Output Cu					×				
Total inverter currents connected to load center (sum of above) = Amps									
Conductor Size: AWG									
Overcurrent Protection Device: Amns									

The sum of the ampere ratings of overcurrent devices in circuits supplying power to a bus bar or conductor shall

Load center bus bar rating: \_\_\_\_\_ Amps

not exceed 120 percent of the rating of the bus bar or conductor.

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	DESCRIPTION				NOLE LINE BLACEASS "A	ADDITIONS	INVEDITE:	FOR BLACKAM "4
1	SOLAR PV MODULE / STRING	/EQ / NO //E //EQ OTES	C C R O DECLUDES;	_  SII	NGLE-LINE DIAGRAM #3 –	ADDITIONAL	_ INVERTER	TOR DIAGRAM #1
2	DC/DC CONVERTERS INSTALLED? Y		S 6 & 8 REQUIRED)		JEDTED # 2			
3	SEPARATE DC DISCONNECT INSTALL			IN\	VERTER # 2			
5	INTERNAL INVERTER DC DISCONNEC			-				
6	CENTRAL INVERTER DC DISCONNEC	71. TES / NO					_	
7	*SEPARATE AC DISCONNECT INSTAL	I ED2: VES / NO		CHEC	CK A BOX FOR WHETHER SYSTEM IS GROUNDED	OR UNGROUNDED:	GROUNDED (IN	CLUDE GEC)
8	TO LOAD CENTER ON LINE DIAGRAM			_			UNGROUNDED	
[	* Consult with your local AHJ and /or Utility  MODULES  MODULES  MODULES  A	<b>A B</b>	\$	- DC (	UNGROUNDED SYSTEMS: DOCPD MUST DISCONNECT BOTH CONDUCTORS OF GROUNDED CONDUCTORS MUST BE IDENTIFIED  AC DC C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C	PER 210.5(C). WHITE-F	UIT IINISHED CONDUCTO	
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	EGC/EGC:				PERMITTED BY CODE	DC/DC CONV		VOLTAGE DC/DC CONVERTERS)

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1	DESCRIPTION SOLAR PV MODULE / STRING		075000000000000000000000000000000000000	UDED)	SING	GLE-LINE DIAGE	RAM #4	– ADDITI	ONAL IN	VERTER I	FOR DIAGRAM #2
2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	DC/DC CONVERTERS INSTAL SOURCE CIRCUIT JUNCTION COMBINER BOX (STEPS 11 & SEPARATE DC DISCONNECT INTERNAL INVERTER DC DISC CENTRAL INVERTER *SEPARATE AC DISCONNECT TO LOAD CENTER ON LINE D  * Consult with your local AHJ and /	BOX INSTALLED?: YES / N 12 REQUIRED) INSTALLED?: YES / NO CONNECT: YES / NO INSTALLED?: YES / NO AGRAM 3		JIRED)	FOR UNG	RTER # 2  A BOX FOR WHETHER SYSTEM  GROUNDED SYSTEMS:  DO MUST DISCONNECT BOTH  DUNDED CONDUCTORS MUST	CONDUCTOR	RS OF EACH SOU	IRCE CIRCUIT	GROUNDED (INCLUDINGROUNDED) ED CONDUCTOR:	·
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		CONDUCTOR/CONDUIT SCHED				NON-COMBINED STRINGS					`L-b-   /
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A1	USE-2 □ OR PV-WIRE □				A2	USE-2 □ OR PV-WIRE □					_    /
B1	EGC/GEC:				B2	EGC/GEC:				+	
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D	EGC/GEC:				ENTER "N/	A" WHERE SUITABLE FOR WHEN	NOT USING CO	ONDUIT OR CABLE	AS PERMITTED B	Y CODE	ARE RUN IN SERIES (FIXED SOURCE CIRCUIT VOLTAGE DC/DC CONVERTERS)

SOLAR PV STANDARD PLAN	Items required: roof layout of all panels, modules, clear
Roof Layout Diagram for One- and Two-Family Dwellings	access pathways and approximate locations of electrical disconnecting means and roof access points.

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