Solar Monitoring for PV Weather Services and Research Climatology



# **Fast Response Spectrally Flat Class A Pyranometer**

For accurate all-weather solar irradiance measurement

Reports solar irradiance, internal humidity and temperature, tilt angle ISO 9060:2018 and IEC 61724-1:2021 Class A compliant

Dome heating to prevent dew and frost

Best-in-class surge protection conforms to EN 61000-6-2 Industrial standard Maintenance-free operation – no moving parts that can wear out

Easy system integration – RS-485 and Modbus® RTU compatible

#### **Fully Class A compliant**

The SMP12 is fully ISO 9060:2018 and IEC 61724:2021 compliant with built-in dome heating to prevent dew and frost. Built on strong foundations of SMP10 to achieve reliable all-weather performance.

#### Very low Zero offset A

The new micro-thermopile, diffuser and filter combine to give a spectrally flat response with extremely low zero offsets; improving the accuracy of the measurements even further.

## Remote tilt angle monitoring

Long-term correct POA tilt angle is crucial for reliable and accurate measurements. The SMP12 offers  $\pm 0.5^{\circ}$  tilt angle measurement accuracy with long-term stability without recalibration.

#### **Easy system integration**

Industry standard RS-485 connectivity and the Modbus® RTU protocol make it easy to integrate the SMP12 with data loggers and SCADA systems.

## Dome heating for untouchable precision

Integrated dome heating with no moving parts maintains a slightly higher temperature than the surrounding air, mitigating the effects of morning dew and frost on the accuracy of your measurements.

## **Best-in-class surge protection**

To protect the instrument in installations with poor grounding, less reliable power sources, or more lightning the SMP12 offers surge protection that conforms to EN 61000-6-2 Industrial standard for Measurement, Control and Laboratory Use. This greatly reduces the risk of failure and the need for expensive onsite replacements.



·	SMP12
ISO 9060:2018	Fast Response Spectrally Flat Class A
IEC 61724-1:2021	
Spectral range (20% points)	Class A monitoring 280 to 3000 nm
Spectral range (50% points)	285 to 2750 nm
Spectral error clear sky GHI	< ±0.1%
Spectral selectivity 350 to 1500 nm	<±3%
Response time (63%)	<0.15 s
Response time (95%)	< 0.5 s
Zero offset A	<±1 W/m²
Zero offset B	<±1.5 W/m <sup>2</sup>
Total zero off-set including A&B	<±3 W/m <sup>2</sup>
Non-stability (percentage change in responsivity per year)	<±0.5%
Non-linearity (100 to 1000 W/m²)	<±0.2%
Directional response (up to 80° with 1000 W/m² beam)	<±10 W/m²
Temperature response (-10 °C to +40 °C)	< ±1%
Temperature response (-40 °C to +70 °C)	< ±2%
Operating humidity range	0 to 100%
Accuracy of bubble level	< ±0.1°
Tilt response due to change in tilt	< ±0.1%
from 0° to 180° at 1000 W/m² irradiance	
Operating temperature range	-40 °C to +70 °C
Storage temperature range	-40 °C to +80 °C
Digital tilt measurement	
Tilt range	0° to 360°
Tilt accuracy	<±0.5°
Pitch range	-180° to 180°
Roll range	-180° to 180°
Internal humidity measurement	
Range	0 to 100% RH
Accuracy	<±3%
Resolution	1%
Communication	Modbus® RTU over 2-wire RS-485
Power supply	10 to 30 VDC
Power consumption	Maximum 3.5 W
Inrush current	1.5 A for 10 µs
Surge protection class	EN 61000-6-2 Industrial standard for measurement, control and laboratory use
Ingress Protection (IP) Rating	67
Weight	500 g
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