



Solar Inverter PVS-10/12.5/15-TL

Quick Installation Guide

In addition to what is explained in this quick installation guide, the safety and installation information provided in the product manual must be read and followed. The technical documentation for the product is available at the website.

The device must be used in the manner described in the manual. If this is not the case the safety devices guaranteed by the inverter might be ineffective.

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1. Inverter models and components

This Quick Installation Guide is related to the following inverter models:

Inverter model	Input MPPTs	DC switch	DC SPD	DC connection	AC SPD	AC connection
PVS-10-TL-SX PVS-12.5-TL-SX PVS-15-TL-SX	2	Yes	Type 2	4 input strings	Туре 2	AC quick fit connector
PVS-10-TL-SY PVS-12.5-TL-SY PVS-15-TL-SY	2	Yes	Type 1+2	4 input strings	Type 2	AC quick fit connector

The -SX inverter models can be equipped with the following options:

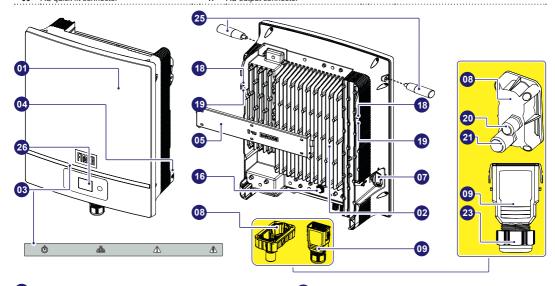
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Option	Description
;APD inverter model suffix	Inverter equipped with PID recovery functionality
;AFD inverter model suffix	Inverter equipped with Arc Fault Detection functionality
;DISPLAY inverter model suffix	Inverter equipped with display on the front cover

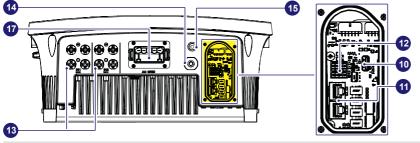
🗈 READ THE MANUAL — For the inverter with ";APD", ";AFD" and ";DISPLAY" suffixes refer to the manual for settings and safety related information

NOTE - The inverter model should be chosen by a specialized technician who has a good knowledge of the installation conditions, the devices that will be installed externally, and whether it will eventually be integrated into an existing system.

1.1 Main inverter components

	Inve	nverter external view				
	01	Inverter	10	USB connector for accessories board	18	Side bracket screws
	02	Heatsink	11	Ethernet 1/2 connectors	19	Padlock hole
	03	Synoptic (LED icons)	12	Digital input and RS485 connector	20	Digital input and RS485 cable gland (M20)
	04	Protective earth (PE) external connection point	13	Quick fit input connectors	21	Ethernet 1/2 cable gland (M25)
•	05	Mounting bracket	14	Wi-Fi antenna connector	23	AC cable gland
•	07	DC disconnect switch	15	Smart button	25	Handles (optional)
	80	Signals connection box	16	Anti-condensation valve	26	Display
•••	09	AC quick fit connector	17	AC output connector		•••••••••••





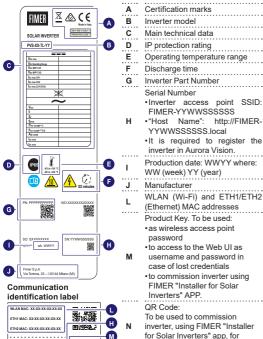
2. Labels and Symbols

The labels on the inverter show the conformity marking, main technical data and identification of the equipment and manufacturer.

NOTE - The below labels are intended as an example only.

Regulatory and identification Label

on the Quick



⚠ ATTENTION – The labels placed on the equipment absolutely MUST NOT be removed, damaged, dirtied, hidden, etc.

claiming process.

In the manual and/or in some cases on the equipment, the danger or caution areas are indicated with signs, labels, symbols, icons.

Simbol	Descriprion
ф	Always refer to instruction manual
<u> </u>	General warning - Important safety information
<u>/</u>	Dangerous voltage
<u> </u>	Hot surfaces
<u> </u>	Protection rating of equipment
Ū <u></u> ₽	Temperature range
-Ø-	Without insulation transformer
 ∼	Direct and alternating current, respectively
⊕ ⊝	Positive and negative pole of the input voltage (DC)
	Obligation to use protective clothing and/or personal protective equipment
	Point of connection of the protective ground
XX (T)	Risk of electric shock. The discharge time (quantified in the figure by the number XX) of the stored energy after de-

energizing of the Inverter from both DC side and AC side.

3. Lifting and transporting

Transportation and relocation

The transportation of the device, in particular via land transportation, must be made with adequate means and ways to protect the parts from violent impacts, humidity, vibrations, etc.

⚠ ATTENTION – If the package is stored correctly, it can withstand a maximum load of 5 stacked pallet (2 units each pallet).

Lifting

The means used for lifting must be suitable to bear the weight of the equipment.

Weight of the equipment

Model	Weight
All models	29.6 Kg / 65lb



Unpacking and inspection

The packaging components must be removed and disposed according to the applicable regulations of the country where the device is installed. Upon opening the packaging, check the integrity of the equipment and verify that all the components are present.

If you notice defects or deterioration, stop the operations and call the carrier, as well as inform FIMER Service immediately.

Please keep the packaging in the event it has to be returned; the use of inadequate packaging will void the warranty.

Always store the Quick Installation Guide, all the supplied accessories in a safe place.

4. Installation planning

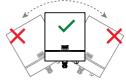
General recommendation on installation position

- Refer to Technical data table to check the required environmental conditions (protection rating, temperature, humidity, altitude, etc.).
- •The installation location shall be easily accessible.
- Installation of the unit in a location exposed to direct sunlight is NOT acceptable. (Add awning in case of direct sunlight installation).
- Final installation of the device must not compromise access to any disconnection devices that may be located externally.
- Do not install in small closed rooms where air cannot circulate freely.
- Always ensure that the flow of air around the inverter is not blocked so as to prevent overheating.
- Do not install in locations where flammable substances or gases may be present (minimum distance 3 m).
- Do not install on wooden walls or other flammable supports.
- Install on a wall or strong structure suitable to bear the weight.
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- •Do not install in rooms where people live or where the prolonged presence of people or animals is expected, because of the high noise that the inverter produces during operation. The level of the sound emission is heavily influenced by where the appliance is installed (for example: the type of surface around the inverter, the general properties of the room, etc.) and the quality of the electricity supply.
- All installations over 6561 ft (2,000 meters) must be valued taking in consideration the derating reported in the datasheet.

Tilting admittance

The unit can be installed in vertical with a maximum inclination as indicated in the figures below.



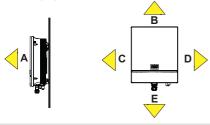


Distances

- Maintenance operations from FIMER service could entails removing the front cover. Always observe the required installation safety distances in order to allow routine check and maintenance operations.
- Provide a sufficient working space in front of the inverter that allows to removing the front cover (FIMER service only) and to allow wiring connections.
- Install at a height which takes into consideration the weight of the unit and
 in a position which is suitable for servicing, unless suitable means will be
 provided to carry out these mentioned operations.
- •If possible, install at eye-level so to allow to easily check the: -synoptic (03).
- display (26). Only in inverter model with ;DISPLAY suffix.
- Do not install any object (e.g. AC or DC cables) that could be damaged by overheating from outgoing hot air flow coming from top side. In case of this kind of installation needs, please evaluate the installation of a proper air deflector. Always respect the minimum distances required.
- Respect the minimum distances from surrounding objects that could prevent the inverter installation and restrict or block the air flow:

A = 70cm (27")

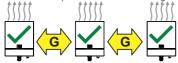
- B = 50cm (20")
- C = 20cm (8")
- D = 20cm (8")
- E = 50cm (20")



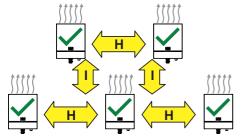
 ${ { \mathbb A } }$ ATTENTION – Please check the manual for some particular scenarios that may vary the minimum clearance distances.

Installation of multiple units

 In case of installation of multiple units in the same place, position the inverter side by side paying attention to keep the minimum clearance distance G of 30cm/12" (measured from the outer edge of units).



If the space available does not allow this arrangement, position the inverters in a staggered arrangement so that heat dissipation is not affected by other inverters below. Respect the following minimum clearance distances H of 100cm/39" and I of 30cm/12".



- ⚠ ATTENTION Please check the product manual for "Wireless signal environmental checks", "Installations at high altitudes" and "Installations with a high level of humidity".
- MOTE The final installation of the inverter must not compromise the access to any disconnection devices located outside.
- NOTE Refer to the warranty conditions to evaluate the possible exclusions related to an improper installation.

5. Supplied Component list

Component		Q.ty
	Vertical mounting bracket (05)	1
	AC quick fit connector (09) + locking clip	1+1
O	Two-hole gasket (6mm Ø) for M20 Digital input and RS485 cable gland (20) and cap	1+1
	Three-hole gasket (6mm Ø) for M25 Ethernet 1/2 cable gland (21) and caps	1+2
9	Three-hole gasket (7mm Ø) for M25 Ethernet 1/2 cable gland (21) and caps	1+2
	M6 screw + M6 serrated lock washers to clamp the earth cable on the Protective Earth (PE) external connection point (04)	1+2
J.	Eyelet cable lug (16mm² wire) for Protective earth (PE) external connection point (04)	1
	Digital input and RS485 counterpart (12)	1
	Wireless antenna (14)	1
	M5 screws (with washers) for mechanically securing the inverter to the bracket (18)	2
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	Technical documentation	1

6. Assembly instructions

Bracket installation

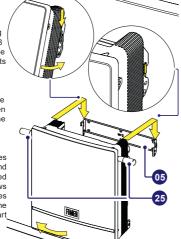
The mounting bracket can be used to install the inverter on a vertical support.

- Position the mounting bracket (05) perfectly level on the support and use it as drilling template.
 - NOTE It is the installer's responsibility to choose an appropriate number and distribution of attachment points. The choice must be based on the type of support (wall, frame or other support), the type of anchors to be used, and their ability to support 4 times the inverter's weight (4x29.6Kg/65lbs=118.4Kg/260lbs for all models). Depending on the type of anchor chosen, drill the required holes (4 minimum) to mount the bracket. Put at least 2 screws in the upper side and at least 2 in the lower side.
- · Attach the bracket (05) to the support.

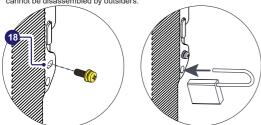


Assembly the Inverter to the bracket

- ⚠ **ATTENTION** It is recommended to use the handles (that have to be ordered separately) to handle and safety install the inverter.
- ⚠ ATTENTION Risk of injury due to the heavy weight of the equipment. Always consider the center of gravity of the enclosures while lifting.
- Lift the inverter up to the bracket (05) (using the handles (25) or M8 eyebolts) and insert the two sides anchor points (placed on sides of the wall bracket) into the two slots on the inverter. Check that the anchor points has been correctly inserted in the slots before releasing the inverter.
- •Remove the handles (25) or eyebolts and tighten the supplied two side bracket screws (18) (Tightening torques 3.5 Nm) to avoid the tilting of the bottom part of the inverter.



•A padlock can be installed to lock the inverter to the bracket so that it cannot be disassembled by outsiders.



•Remove the protective cover from the connector of the wireless antenna located on the bottom side of the inverter.

Install the wireless antenna by screwing it into the specific connector (14).

⚠ ATTENTION – For connection to the network in South Africa: according to NRS097-2-1 requirements, at the end of installation it is mandatory to apply the label (supplied with the inverter) near to regulatory label.

7. AC grid output connection

7.1 Characteristics and sizing of the protective grounding cable

⚠ ATTENTION – Any failure of the inverter when it is not connected to earth through the appropriate connection point is not covered by the warranty.

The earth connection can be made:

- •On the Protective Earth (PE) external connection point (04).
- ▲ WARNING The cross section of the protective earthing conductor must have same cross section as the phases cables and its minimum must be 10 mm² (Copper wire).
- On both Protective Earth (PE) external connection point (04) and on the AC quick fit connector (09) using cables having same cross section as the phases cables
- ⚠ ATTENTION Installation of a second protective earth cable is also required by regulations in force in certain countries of installation.

7.2 Characteristics and sizing of the line cable

The AC cables must be connected to the AC output connector (17) using the specific AC quick fit connector (09) supplied.

AC conductor cable

Cable diameter	•1119 mm or 1926mm based on the type of
range	seals installed
Conductor cross section	•6mm²16mm² (with plastic collar ferrule) accepted by the AC quick fit connector.
Conductor material	copper

7.3 Protection switch under load (AC switch) and differential protection

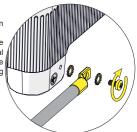
To protect the AC connection line of the inverter, it is recommended to install a protection device against overcurrent and earth leakages with the following features:

Load protection breaker	PVS-10-TL	PVS-12.5-TL	PVS-15-TL
Туре	Automatic magnetic p	circuit breaker rotection	with thermal-
Voltage/current rating	400Vac min25A (*)	400Vac min32A (*)	400Vac min32A (*)
Magnetic protection	Magnetic co	urve B/C	
Number of poles			
Differential protection type	A/AC		
Differential sensitivity	300 mA		
(*): please consider thermal a	umber of poles 3W (3 phases without neutral wire) or 4W (3 phases with neutral wire).		

(*): please consider thermal and other derating when selecting the current rating of the protection equipment for your application.

7.4 Connection on the Protective earth (PE) cable

- Strip the cable.
- Install the supplied M6 cable lug on the earth cable.
- •Install the earth wire on the Protective earth (PE) external connection point (04) following the installation sequence (Tightening torque 4 Nm):
- Serrated washer
- Earth cable
- Serrated washer
- M6 screw



7.5 AC output cables connection

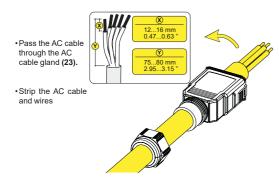
The connection of the AC cable must be made on the AC output connector (17), located on the bottom side of the inverter, using the AC quick fit connector (09).

 Unscrew the AC cable gland (23) installed on the AC quick fit connector (09).

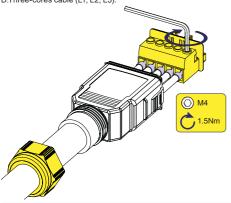
• Remove the internal screw terminal block.

Press the 2 retain clips and pull out the screw terminal block.

- ATTENTION On the connector cable gland 2 gasket are installed that can be used in combination to accept a 11...26mm diameter cable.
- Cable diameter 11...19mm. Default configuration (both gasket installed).
 - Cable diameter 19...26mm. Remove the reducing clamping range gasket.



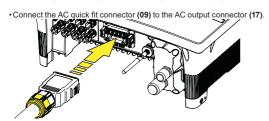
- · Install ferrule with plastic collar on the wires.
- Install the wires (based on the AC connection type) respecting the connections as indicated on the screw terminal block (L1=R; L2=S; 13=T).
- A.Five-cores cable (L1, L2, L3, N and PE).
- B.Four-cores cable (L1, L2, L3 and N)
- C.Four-cores cable (L1, L2, L3 and PE).
- D.Three-cores cable (L1, L2, L3).



- ${\underline{\mathbb{A}}}$ ATTENTION In case of a wrong phase sequence the inverter will not connect to the grid and it will provide an error state.
- Re-install the screw terminal block inside the AC quick fit connector.
- ⚠ ATTENTION Push the screw terminal block till a double "click" will be heared.
- Tighten the cable gland ring (7.5Nm).
- ⚠ ATTENTION Make sure the cable glands are properly sealed to ensure to keep IP65 protection degree.

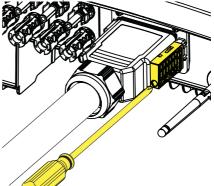
7.5.1 Connection of AC quick fit connector to the inverter

• Pull out the protective cap from the AC output connector (17).



ATTENTION - Push the connector till a double "click" will be heared.

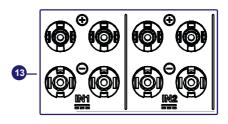
• Secure the AC quick fit connector. Install and screw the holding clip.



⚠ ATTENTION – The AC quick fit connector must not be subject to tensile forces (examples: do not connect weights to the AC cable, do not leave excess cable windings hanging, etc).

8. Input connection (DC)

For the strings connections it is necessary to use the DC input quick fit connectors (13), located on the bottom side of the inverter.



The input connectors are divided into 2 groups (one group for each input MPPT). For each MPPT 2 pairs of quick fit connectors are available. Respect the Maximum DC input power for each MPPT as follow:

MPPT	PVS-10-TL	PVS-12.5-TL	PVS-15-TL
IN1	17A / 7.8kW	18A / 8.3kW	22A / 10kW
IN2	17A / 7.8kW	18A / 8.3kW	22A / 10kW

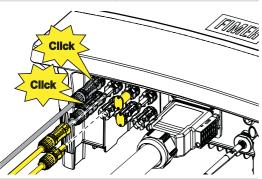
8.1 Preliminary operations to the connection of the PV generator

- · Checking the correct polarity of the strings
- · Checking of leakage to ground of the photovoltaic generator
- Checking of strings voltage
- · Installation of quick-fit connectors

8.2 Connection of the input strings

- Connect all the strings required by the system by pushing the quick fit connectors in the right position.
- A ATTENTION Using coupling parts that are not compliant with the quick fit connector models on the inverter could cause serious damage to the unit and lead to invalidation of the warranty.

ATTENTION - Refer to document "String inverters - Product manual appendix" available at www.fimer.com to find out the manufacturer and model of quick fit connector used on the inverter.



- ATTENTION Check that protective caps are installed on unused connectors. This is necessary for the inverter seal and to avoid any damage to the unused connectors which may be used at a later time.
- ▲ ATTENTION The quick fit connectors must be properly installed. After the installation make sure the connectors are correctly locked through the clips.

9. Instruments

The synoptic (03) allows to view inverter status conditions to be analyzed in greater depth by consulting the manual.



POWER

Solid when the inverter is working correctly. Flashes when checking the grid or if there is insufficient sunlight.



WLAN

Indicates the status of the Wi-Fi or Ethernet communication lines.



ALARM

The inverter has detected an anomaly. The anomaly is shown on the "EVENTS" section of the internal webserver.



GFI

Ground fault on the DC side of the PV generator. The error is shown on the "EVENTS" section of the internal webserver.

NOTE - The icons, in various combinations, can indicate multiple conditions other than the original single condition; see the various descriptions on the product manual

10. Commissioning

The inverter can be commissioned in a simple and intuitive way through the Installer for solar inverters APP for mobile devices.

NOTE - The commissioning can be done also via WebUI Once powered, the inverter will create a Wi-Fi network (SSID: FIMER-YYWWSSSSS). Connect to this Wi-Fi and use the Product Key as password (digit also the dash "-" characters) and open an internet browser. Enter the IP 192.168.117.1 and the commissiong page will be showed.

Subsequently is possible to access the WebUI use the admin password 0010

For complete description refer to product manual at www.fimer.com · Supply the inverter with DC input voltage from the photovoltaic generator and via AC grid voltage.

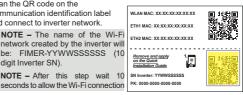
- ♠ ATTENTION The inverter configuration can be also performed with only one supply source (DC or AC).
- ATTENTION With DC supply, make sure that the irradiation is stable and adequate for the inverter commissioning procedure to be
- Open the "Installer for solar inverters" APP.

- · Login or Sign-In to Aurora vision account.
- Tap on "Commissioning wizard". A QR code scanner will be opened.

·Scan the QR code on the Communication identification label and connect to inverter network

D NOTE - The name of the Wi-Fi network created by the inverter will

be: FIMER-YYWWSSSSS (10 digit Inverter SN). NOTE - After this step wait 10



Once connected, the commissioning wizard will start.

10.1 COMMISSIONING WIZARD

10.1.1 Network configuration.

· Choose the connection type (ethernet or wireless) and set the related parameters.

DOTE - This step can be skipped and performed later (via WebUI).





· Once network parameters were setted, tap on "Next".

10.1.2 Date and Time.

- ·Set the Date. Time and Time zone (The inverter will propose these fields if connected to internet).
- ·Once date and time were setted, tap on "Next".



10.1.3 Inverter configuration.

Country standard

·Set the grid standard of the country in which the inverter is installed. Some Country standards have different grid voltage that should be setted during this step.



· Confirm the settings by clicking "Save". The configuration wizard is complete and the inverter will reboot



- · If the outcome of the preliminary checks on the grid parallel is positive, the inverter connects to the grid and starts to export power to the grid. The "Power" LED remains fixed on while the "Alarm" and "GFI" LEDs are off.
- DNOTE To address any problems that may occur during the initial stages of operation of the system and to ensure the inverter remains fully functional, you are advised to check for any firmware updates in the download area of the website www.fimer.com or at https://registration.solar.fimer.com (instructions for registering on the website and updating the firmware are given in the product manual).

11. Features and Technical Data

must olde	PVS-10-TL	PVS-12.5-TL	PVS-15-TL
nput side Absolute maximum DC input voltage (Vmax,abs)		1100 V	1 1
Start-up DC input voltage (Vstart)		250500V (default 3	360V)
Operating DC input voltage range (VdcminVdcmax)		2001000 V	
lated DC input voltage (Vdcr)		620V	
ated DC input power (Pdcr)	10200 W	12760 W	15300 W
lumber of independent MPPT		2	
ecommended maximum PV array power (PPV, max)	14500 Wp	18125 Wp	21750 Wp
Maximum DC input power for each MPPT (PMPPT.max)	7800W	8300W	10000W
IPPT DC voltage range (VMPPTmin VMPPTmax) at Pacr		460-850V	
laximum DC input current (Idcmax) for each MPPT	17A	18A	22A
laximum input short circuit current for each MPPT		30 A	
laximum return current (AC side vs DC side)	N	legligible in normal operatin	g conditions (6)
umber of DC inputs pairs for each MPPT		2	
C connection type		PV quick fit connec	tor ⁽³⁾
ype of PV panels that can be connected according to IEC 61730		Class A	
nput protection			
Reverse polarity protection		Yes, from current limite	
put over voltage protection for each MPPT		SPD Type 2 / Type 1+2	(optional)
hotovoltaic array isolation control	Yes, accor	ding to IEC 62109-2 or acco	ording to local regulation
Residual current monitoring Unit (leakage current protection)		Yes, according to IEC	62109-2
C switch rating for each MPPT (version with DC switch)	Rating DC-	PV1. 50A@600Vdc, 40A@	800Vdc, 30A@1000Vdc
String Fuse		Fuseless	
nput current monitoring		String level	
Dutput side			
C Grid connection type		Three phase (3W+PE or	r 4W+PE)
arthing system		TN-S, TN-C, TN-C	5, 11
Rated AC power (Pacr @cosf=1)	10000 W	12500 W	15000 W
/laximum AC output power (Pacmax @cosf=1)	10000 W	12500 W	15000 W
Maximum apparent power (Smax)	10000 VA	12500 VA	15000 VA
Rated apparent power (Sr)	10000 VA	12500 VA	15000 VA
Maximum reactive power (Qmax)	6000 VAR	7500 VAR	9000 VAR
Nominal power factor and adjustable range		> 0.995; 01 inductive /	capacitive
Rated AC grid voltage (Vac,r)		380V, 400V ⁽¹⁾	
Rated Output Current (lac nom)	14.5 A	18.1 A	21.7 A
Maximum AC output current (lac,max)	16 A	20 A	23 A
Contributory fault current		lac,max x 1,15	
Rated output frequency (fr)		50 Hz / 60 Hz	11-21
Dutput frequency range (fminfmax)		4753 Hz / 5763	HZ (-)
Max DC Current Injection (% of lac,max) Maximum AC cable		< 0.5%*lac,max 16 mm² copper	<u> </u>
AC connection type		AC quick fit conne	otor
Output protection		AC quick ill conne	GIOI
Anti-islanding Protection		According to local sta	andard
Maximum external AC overcurrent protection	25 A	32 A	32 A
Dutput overvoltage protection	23 A	SPD Type 2	32 A
Operating performance		3FD Type 2	
Maximum Efficiency (ηmax)	98.4%	98.5%	98.5%
Neighted Efficiency (EURO)	98.1%	98.2%	98.2%
invironmental	30.170	30.270	30.2 /0
Operating ambient temperature range	-25 ±60°	C (-13140 °F) with derating	ig above 45 °C (113 °F)
Storage temperature	20100	-40°C+85°C / -40°F.	185°F
Relative Humidity		4100 % with conde	nsation
Sound pressure level, typical	40 dB(A) @ 1m	45 dB(A) @ 1m	45 dB(A) @ 1m
	4000 m	13123 ft) with output power	[Pout I linear derating
Maximum operating altitude	.000111	above 2000m (6561	
nvironmental pollution degree classification for external environments		3	19
nvironmental class		Outdoor	
Physical		Guidon	
nverter typology	- Crie	d connected, Double stage,	Transformerless
nvironmental Protection Rating	Gild	IP65	114113/01111011033
Cooling System		Natural	
	H = 568 2 mr	n / 22.37" (644mm / 25.35" w	ith AC quick fit connector)
Dimension (H x W x D)	11 - 300.2111	N = 472 6 mm / 10 64" · D = 1	207 mm / 9 15"
Veight	V	V = 473.6 mm / 18,64"; D = 2 29.6 Kg / 65lb II (DC input) III (AC	201 111111 1 0,13
Overvoltage rating as per IEC 62109-1		29.0 Ng / 6010	output)
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Safety Class			
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- 1. The AC voltage range may vary depending on specific country grid standards.
- 2. The Frequency range may vary depending on specific country grid standards.
- Please refer to the document "String inverters Product manual appendix" available at www.fimer.com for information on the quick-fit connector brand and model used in the inverter.

4. Hereby, FIMER S.p.A. declares that the radio equipments (radio module combined with

6. In the event of a fault, limited by the external protection envisaged on the AC circuit.

Features not specifically mentioned in this data sheet are not included in the product.



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