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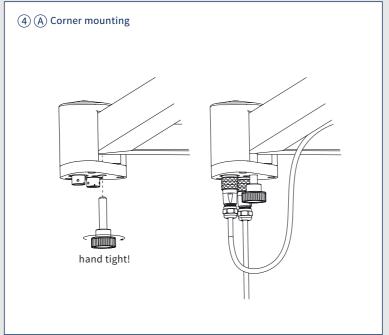
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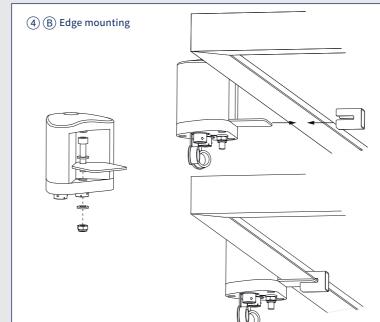
User Information

Read this document carefully before installation

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Electrical Connection

B/B`/+

A/A`/-

Ground *

Function

Yellow

Grey

Green

White

Shield

Black

Modbus® RS-485

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Power ground

Housing

* Connect to ground if radiometer not grounded

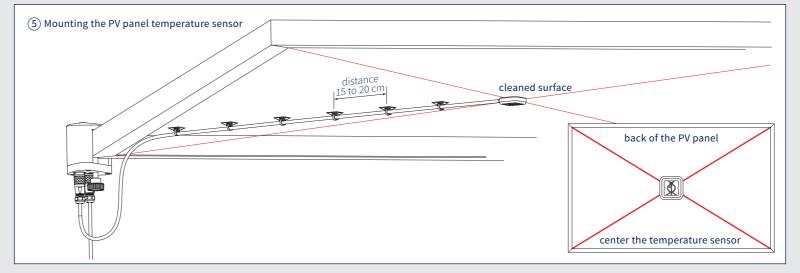
Modbus® common / Ground

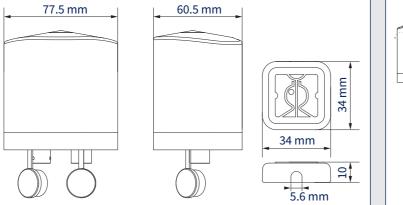
Power 5 to 30 VDC (12 V recommended) 60 mW max.

a RT1 housing b Two dust caps c Thumb screw d Side installation adapter e Side mounting nut, ring and M6x30 screw f Side mounting PowAR Cinch™ clamp g 2-pin plug with 3 m cable with temperature sensor h 5-pin plug with 20 m cable to host i 15x cable tie mount + binder, for mounting the cable of the temperature sensor j Alcohol wipes

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Keep original packaging for recalibratio







Mechanical Installation

- (1) Check delivery contents
- (2) Check if the standard RT1 communication parameters match your system (1): 2-wire RS-485 with Modbus® RTU protocol, 19200 baud, 8 databits, even parity, 1 stopbit (also known as 19200 - 8E1)
- (1) If the parameters do not match your system:
- Connect the RT1 to your PC with RS485-USB interface and run the Kipp & Zonen SmartExplorer software to change the parameters.
- (3) Determine a good spot on a solar panel in your solar rooftop park which is a location with the same amount of sun and shade as most of the PV panels
- (4) Mount the RT1 in one of the following ways:
 - A a corner of a solar panel (preference position)
 - Screw out the thumbscrew just enough for the RT1 to fit over the corner of the PV panel
 - Position the RT1 in such a way that it fits well and snugly to both sides of the PV panel, then turn in the thumb screw until it is hand tight and feels well secured
 - Do not plug in the cable to the host or Modbus® gateway unless the cable is properly installed
 - (B) Edge (if corner mount is no option) by using the side installation adapter
 - Remove and store the thumb screw
 - Put the adapter plate in the RT1 and secure with the nut and screw
 - Align the RT1 with the side of the PV panel and keep securely in place
 - Position the PowAR Cinch™ in front of the adapter plate
 - Push on the PowAR Cinch™ and make sure that it is fully engaged
- (5) Install the PV panel temperature sensor by the following steps:
 - From the RT1 sensor, pull off the black dust cap of the 2-pin connector
 - Insert the 2-pin plug in the 2-pin connector of the RT1 sensor
 - Clean the surfaces of the locations for the cable supports and for the PV panel temperature sensor (2) at the back of the PV panel
 - ⁽²⁾ The best location for the temperature sensor is the center of the PV panel
 - Stick the temperature sensor to the cleaned surface at back of the PV panel Place with care as the temperature sensor can not be removed once installed
 - Stick the cable tie mounts to the cleaned surfaces at the back of the PV panel
 - Secure the cable to the cable supports by using tie wraps
- (6) Connect the 5-wire cable to your data logger / SCADA / Modbus® gateway
- (7) Direct this cable to the RT1
- (8) From the RT1 sensor, pull off the black dust cap of the 5-pin connector
- (9) Insert the 5-pin plug in the 5-pin connector of the RT1 sensor
- (10) Secure the cable

Modbus® address

Communication

(11) Check the data in the Smart Explorer software or your monitoring software





50 to 120 W/m²





19200 baud, 8 bits, even parity, 1 stopbit (*)



500 to 1300 W/m2

Delivery Contents Dimensions Maintenance 120 to 500 W/m²