

Production Technology and Properties

The new photovoltaic frontier is called **BiSoN**, the **bifacial** high efficiency N-type monocrystalline silicon solar cell up to **20,4%** front efficiency (25,5% efficiency with 30% rear side contribution) developed in collaboration with the ISC Konstanz R&D Institute (Germany).



85% of bifaciality factor ($\varepsilon_{\text{ff rear}} = \varepsilon_{\text{ff front}} \times 0.85$)



High Efficiency

20,4% front efficiency, 25,5% total efficiency with 30% rear side contribution



N-type monocrystalline silicon solar cell



Low Insolation

Excellent performance at low insolation due to the high shunt resistance, measured on each cell



High Fill Factor and low series resistance to reduce the cell to module losses



Electrical Performance

Stable Electrical performance over time



LID near zero

It doesn't suffer LID-effect (Light Induced Degradation) that is near 0% instead of 2-3% occurring to all p-type cells



It doesn't suffer the harmful effects PID (Potential Induced Degradation)



Hot Spot Protect

100% measurement of insulation resistance in dark condition to prevent the Hot Spot



Fraunhofer ISE

Cells calibrated by Fraunhofer ISE



Made In Italy

Enginereed and produced in Italy



Certificates

ISO 9001:2008

Production and quality control

- 100% Quality control of the wafers used in production, performed at each step of the production process, from raw wafer acceptance test to the electrical testing of the cell. • Use of a MES System for total control, traceability and production improvement.
- Soft handling production to reduce the microcrack generation, breakage rate and mechanical stress.
- Innovative integrated treatment system with zero discharge capable to recover 97% of the waste process water.





High Efficiency Bifacial N-type Monocrystalline Silicon Solar Cell

Front STC* electrical characteristics

Efficiency** [%]	Pmpp [W]	Isc [A]	Voc [V]	Impp [A]	Vmpp [V]	FF
19,60%	4,684	9,29	0,646	8,775	0,534	0,781
19,70%	4,708	9,31	0,646	8,786	0,536	0,783
19,80%	4,732	9,33	0,647	8,797	0,538	0,784
19,90%	4,756	9,35	0,647	8,808	0,540	0,786
20,00%	4,780	9,37	0,649	8,819	0,542	0,786
20,10%	4,804	9,38	0,651	8,831	0,544	0,787
20,20%	4,828	9,39	0,652	8,857	0,545	0,788
20,30%	4,852	9,40	0,652	8,880	0,546	0,791
20,40%	4,876	9,40	0,652	8,914	0,547	0,796

^{*}STC (1000 W/m² , AM 1,5 - 25°C) IEC 60904-3 Ed.2

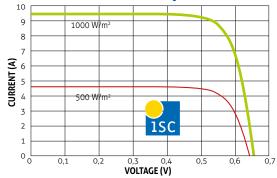
Typical rear side contribution at 20,30% front cell efficiency (Pmpp 4.82 W and Isc 9.37 A)

Additional irradiation from rear side (% of front side illumination)	10%	15%	20%	25%	30%
Bifacial gain	8,5%	12,8%	17,0%	21,3%	25,5%
Equivalent efficiency	22,0%	22,9%	23,8%	24,6%	25,5%
Pmpp	5,264	5,470	5,676	5,883	6,089
Isc	10,166	10,565	10,963	11,361	11,759

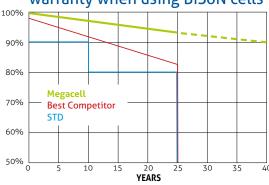
Physical Characteristics

	Front	Back		
Product	Monocrystalline Silicon Cell using N type wafer			
Dimensions	156 x 156 +/- 0,5 mm			
Materials	Alkaline texturized surface			
	Blue & Light Blue silicon nitride AR coating			
Bus bar	Positive pole (+),	Negative pole (-),		
	three bus bar 1,50 +/- 0,1mm	three bus bar 1,50 +/- 0,1 mm		
	Distance axis: 52 mm	Distance axis: 52 mm		
Thickness (Si)	180 - 200 +/-20 μm			

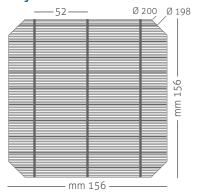
Typical I-V curve at 20,30% front efficiency



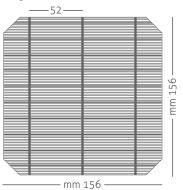
Expected glass-glass module warranty when using BiSoN cells



Layout front



Layout rear



Temperature coefficients

- Power 0.397 % / K
- Current + 0.041 % / K
- Voltage 0.280 % / K

Processing recommendation

Solder joint Copper ribbons coated with:

- 10 15 µm:
- 60 % Sn / 38 % Pb / 2 % Ag
- 60 % Sn / 40 % Pb

Cells per bypass diode:

 Maximum 24 cells per bypass diode.

Storage remarks

Keep the cells at room temperature and in a dry and clean atmosphere (25°C ± 5°C).

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^{**} Measurement tolerances: \pm 1.5 % rel. (P_{MPP}); \pm 5 % rel. ($I_{SC'}$ V_{OC})