

# Power Optimizer

S440, S500



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## PV power optimization at the module level

- Specifically designed to work with SolarEdge residential inverters
- Superior efficiency (99.5%)
- Mitigates all types of module mismatch loss, from manufacturing tolerance to partial shading
- Faster installations with simplified cable management and easy assembly using a single bolt
- Detects abnormal PV connector behavior, preventing potential safety issues\*
- Module-level voltage shutdown for installer and firefighter safety
- Flexible system design for maximum space utilization
- Compatible with bifacial PV modules

\* Functionality subject to inverter model and firmware version

# / Power Optimizer

## S440, S500

	S440	S500	UNIT
<b>INPUT</b>			
Rated Input DC Power <sup>(1)</sup>	440	500	W
Absolute Maximum Input Voltage (Voc)		60	Vdc
MPPT Operating Range		8 - 60	Vdc
Maximum Short Circuit Current (Isc) of Connected PV Module		14.5	Adc
Maximum Efficiency		99.5	%
Weighted Efficiency		98.6	%
Overvoltage Category		II	
<b>OUTPUT DURING OPERATION</b>			
Maximum Output Current		15	Adc
Maximum Output Voltage		60	Vdc
<b>OUTPUT DURING STANDBY (POWER OPTIMIZER DISCONNECTED FROM INVERTER OR INVERTER OFF)</b>			
Safety Output Voltage per Power Optimizer		1	Vdc
<b>STANDARD COMPLIANCE</b>			
EMC	FCC Part 15 Class B, IEC61000-6-2, IEC61000-6-3, CISPR11, EN-55011		
Safety	IEC62109-1 (class II safety), UL1741		
Material	UL94 V-0, UV Resistant		
RoHS	Yes		
Fire Safety	VDE-AR-E 2100-712:2013-05		
<b>INSTALLATION SPECIFICATIONS</b>			
Maximum Allowed System Voltage		1000	Vdc
Dimensions (W x L x H)		129 x 153 x 30	mm
Weight (including cables)		655 / 1.5	gr / lb
Input Connector		MC4 <sup>(2)</sup>	
Input Wire Length		0.1	m
Output Connector		MC4	
Output Wire Length		(+) 2.3, (-) 0.10	m
Operating Temperature Range <sup>(3)</sup>		-40 to +85	°C
Protection Rating		IP68 / NEMA6P	
Relative Humidity		0 - 100	%

(1) Rated power of the module at STC will not exceed the power optimizer Rated Input DC Power. Modules with up to +5% power tolerance are allowed

(2) For other connector types please contact SolarEdge

(3) For ambient temperature above +70°C / +158°F power de-rating is applied. Refer to Power Optimizers Temperature De-Rating Technical Note for more details

PV System Design Using a SolarEdge Inverter		Single Phase HD-Wave	Single Phase	Three Phase	Three Phase for 277/480V grid	
Minimum String Length (Power Optimizers)	S440, S500	8		16	18	
Maximum String Length (Power Optimizers)		25		50		
Maximum Nominal Power per String <sup>(4)</sup>		5700	5250	11250 <sup>(5)</sup>	12750 <sup>(6)</sup>	W
Parallel Strings of Different Lengths or Orientations		Yes				

(4) If the inverters rated AC power  $\leq$  maximum nominal power per string, then the maximum power per string will be able to reach up to the inverters maximum input DC power

Refer to: <https://www.solaredge.com/sites/default/files/se-power-optimizer-single-string-design-application-note.pdf>

(5) For the 230/400V grid: it is allowed to install up to 13,500W per string when the maximum power difference between each string is 2,000W

(6) For the 277/480V grid: it is allowed to install up to 15,000W per string when the maximum power difference between each string is 2,000W

(7) It is not allowed to mix S-series and P-series power optimizers in new installations

