

### Lighting Global Product Testing Verification Solar Power System

Expiration Date: April 30, 2024<sup>1</sup> Verify here: https://data.verasol.org/products/sek/st-s4b

This verifies that the Solar 4 Bulbs Home Lighting and Charging System was tested according to the Quality Test Method stipulated in edition 4 of IEC 62257-9-5<sup>2</sup> and complied with the Lighting Global Pico PV Quality Standards.<sup>3</sup> StarTimes Software Technology Co., Ltd also distributes the Solar 4 Bulbs Home Lighting and Charging System under its own product name, Solar Power System. These are the same product with a different brand name.



#### Testing Details:

| Testing Details.           |   |
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| Product Name:              | Solar Power System  |
| Model Number:              | S35E  |
| Company Name:              | StarTimes Software Technology Co., Ltd                                |
| Country of Origin:         | China   |
| Company Contact:           | wuxm@startimes.com.cn   |
| Co-Brand of:               | Solar Home Lighting System and Charging System Family, ShenZhen Solar |
|                            | Run Energy Co., Ltd.  |
| Original QTM Sample Size:  | n=6   |
| Renewal Test Conducted:    | n/a   |
| Sample Procurement Method: | Random warehouse sampling   |
| Testing Laboratory:        | Shenzhen Academy of Metrology and Quality Inspection, Shenzhen, China |
| Documentation:             |   |

Specifications sheet with verified test results and original version of this verification: https://data.verasol.org/products/sek/st-s4b

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Lighting Global requires re-testing every two years or upon major product revisions, and in special cases reserves the right to grant an extension on results validity.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> www.lightingglobal.org/quality-assurance-program/

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> www.lightingglobal.org/quality-assurance-program/our-standards/

# Type Approval Solar Power System

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| Category                           | Quality Standard   | Verdict |
|------------------------------------|--|---------|
| Truth In Advertising               | Manufacturer, Product Name and Model Number accurately specified   | Pass    |
|                                    | Performance and Component Ratings accurately specified.<br>Any description of the product that appears on the<br>packaging, inside the package and in any media shall be<br>truthful and accurate. No statements mislead buyers or<br>end users about the utility of the product. Numeric ratings<br>deviate no more than 15% from actual performance (note<br>that it is acceptable for actual performance to exceed<br>advertised performance).  | Pass    |
|                                    | Port voltage and current specifications, if provided, are<br>accurate. Included appliances function when connected<br>to ports. Power output of ports is sufficient to power<br>appliances that are advertised but not included. Ports that<br>are intended for a function other than providing power,<br>such as data ports, are not required to meet this standard.  | Pass    |
| Lumen Maintenance                  | Average relative light output $\geq 85\%$ of initial light output<br>at 2,000 hours with only one sample allowed to fall below<br>75% OR All 6 samples maintain $\geq 95\%$ of initial light<br>output at 1,000 hours  | Pass    |
| Circuit and Overload<br>Protection | Products include a current limiting mechanism to prevent<br>irreversible damage to the system. The mechanism is easily<br>resettable or replaceable by the user, or automatically<br>resets. If replaceable fuses are used for circuit protection,<br>sizes are labeled on the product and listed in the user<br>manual, and, if fuses are replaceable by the user, at least<br>one spare fuse is included with the product. Included<br>appliances are not required to meet this standard unless<br>they have ports that are intended to provide power. | Pass    |
| AC-DC Charger Safety               | Any included AC-DC charger carries approval from a recognized consumer electronics safety regulator  | n/a     |
| Hazardous<br>Substances Ban        | No battery may contain cadmium or mercury at levels<br>greater than trace amounts  | Pass    |

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| Category                                   | Quality Standard   | Verdict |
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| Battery Protection                         | <ul> <li>Protected by an appropriate charge controller that</li> <li>prolongs battery life and protects the safety of the user.</li> <li>5 out of 6 samples meet the requirements outlined in</li> <li>Lighting Global Quality Standards.</li> <li>Lithium batteries carry IEC 62281, IEC 62133-2, UL 1642</li> <li>or UN 38.3 certification and have overcharge protection</li> <li>for individual cells or sets of parallel-connected cells.</li> <li>Batteries of included appliances must also meet this</li> <li>standard.</li> </ul> | Pass    |
| Battery Durability                         | The average capacity loss of 6 samples does not exceed 25% and only one sample may have a capacity loss greater than 35% following the battery durability storage test as defined in IEC/TS 62257-9-5 Annex BB   | Pass    |
| PV Overvoltage<br>Protection               | If the battery is disconnected or isolated, the system is not<br>damaged and the load terminals maintain a voltage that is<br>safe for their intended uses.  | Pass    |
| Miswiring Protection                       | The user interface is designed to minimize the likelihood<br>of making improper connections. If improper or reversed<br>connections can easily be made, they cause no damage to<br>the system or harm to the user.   | Pass    |
| Physical Ingress<br>Protection             | IP2X for all products, IP3X (or 2X + circuit protection)<br>for PV modules, IP5X for fixed outdoor products  | Pass    |
| Water Ingress<br>Protection                | Degree of protection required is based on product type:<br>Fixed separate (indoor): No protection required<br>Portable separate: Occasional exposure to rain<br>Portable integrated: Frequent exposure to rain<br>Fixed integrated (outdoor): Permanent outdoor exposure<br>PV modules: Outdoor rooftop installation   | Pass    |
| Drop Test                                  | Fixed separate (indoor): No requirement<br>All other products: 5 out of 6 samples are functional after<br>drop test; none result in dangerous failures.  | Pass    |
| Soldering and Elec-<br>tronics Workmanship | The system and any included appliances are rated "Good"<br>or Fair" for workmanship quality as defined in Annex F<br>of IEC/TS 62257-9-5. At most, one sample may fail to<br>function when initially evaluated.  | Pass    |
| Mechanical Durability                      | All samples and included appliances are functional after<br>Switch, Connector, Gooseneck and Strain Relief tests;<br>none result in dangerous failures.  | Pass    |

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| Category                  | Quality Standard   | Verdict |
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| Minimum Warranty<br>Terms | Accurately specified and consumer-facing; minimum<br>coverage of at least one year on manufacturing defects<br>under normal use, including the battery and included<br>appliances. | Pass    |
| Performance Reporting     | Light output and the corresponding solar run time<br>are reported on the product packaging for at least the<br>brightest setting.  | Pass    |
|                           | Impact of mobile phone charging on product performance is described on packaging.  | pass    |

Additional details on the requirements listed above are provided in the Lighting Global Quality Standards, available here:

www.lightingglobal.org/quality-assurance-program/our-standards/

Products are tested according to the test methods described in edition 4 of IEC/TS 62257-9-5 and meet the Lighting Global Pico-PV Quality Standards.