



## **PVM-1020**

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# Probably the world's most handy meters for photovoltaic systems

#### Features

#### PVM-1020

- It can be used for category 1 measurements according to IEC 62446-1.
- AUTO mode for performing a sequence of measurements after one press of the START button.
- It converts measured parameters into STC conditions according to IEC 60891 by cooperation with the IRM-1 solar radiation and temperature meter.
- reSYNC function automatic completion of results with environmental parameters and their conversion to STC conditions after restoring connection with IRM-1.
- The built-in LoRa radio interface ensures cooperation with the IRM-1 meter over long distances.
- Built-in Bluetooth module for communication with a computer.
- Large measurement memory: 100 objects with 40 cells each.
- Backlit display and buttons.

#### IRM-1

- Measurement of solar radiation and temperature.
- The LoRa interface for communication with a master meter offers a larger range than the Bluetooth technology!
- Automatic data synchronization with a master meter with reSYNC function.
- Built-in compass and inclination sensor.
- Built-in recorder that can be used to record solar radiation before constructing PV systems, as well as to measure the shading of existing systems.
- Large measurement memory: 999 cache memory cells and 5000 recorder records available (one-time recording) with the option
  of overwriting them (continuous recording).







### **Measured parameters**

#### PVM-1020

- The open circuit voltage of the PV panel or a chain of panels, up to 1000V DC.
- RMS voltage of the AC network up to 600 V with frequency measurement.
- Short circuit current of a PV panel or chain of panels up to 20 A DC.
- Insulation resistance of PV panels measuring voltage of 250, 500 or 1000 V, simultaneous measurement of two values: R<sub>150+</sub> and R<sub>150-</sub>
- Insulation resistance of AC circuits measuring voltage 250, 500 or 1000 V.
- Resistance of protective conductors and equipotential bonding with ± 200 mA current. Low-current resistance measurement, audible and visual signalling.
- Measurement of PV panels operating current and AC current all with external clamp.
- AC/DC power Measurement.
- Diode test with 200 mA current, automatic polarity detection. Test of blocking diodes with 1000V DC voltage.

#### IRM-1

- Solar radiation intensity (irradiance) in W/m<sup>2</sup> or BTU/ft<sup>2</sup>h.
- PV panel temperature in °C or °F.
- Ambient temperature in °C or °F.
- Inclination angle of panels
- Orientation of the panels with the built-in compass.

### PVM-1020: great capabilities in a small casing

PVM-1020 meter is probably the world's smallest photovoltaic system meter with such a substantial number of measurement functions. The functions are selected with a rotary switch. Additional parameters are set with buttons located on the housing. All buttons and the graphic display are backlit, which greatly facilitates operation in shaded places, e.g. when taking measurements under ground-mounted PV systems. Large memory significantly shortens preparation of documents after the measurement.

### IRM-1: simple and compact

IRM-1, small, but indispensable for testing PV systems. By measuring solar radiation values, as well as panel and ambient temperatures, it provides the necessary data to convert the results into STC conditions. A built-in recorder with a memory of 5000 records enables the instrument to be used as a tool in the PV plant design process, as well as to diagnose panel shading problems.

## Tightness and durability

Light meters perform well in harsh environmental conditions. Protection against the ingress of dust and water is provided by the housing rated at **IP65**. This is especially important for measurements on photovoltaic systems, which are outdoor installations.

#### **Communication and software**

Measurement data from the IRM-1 can be transferred to a computer via the USB port. In addition, the device has a built-in wireless **LoRa interface** (Long Range) for automatic data exchange with the master meter – even over long distances.

Measurement data from the PVM-1020 can be transferred to a computer via Bluetooth wireless communication. Saving the downloaded data to popular formats and printing ensured by **Sonel Reader**. In order to generate a report on electric shock protection use the optional software: **Sonel Reports PLUS**.



### PVM-1020: trouble? reSYNC!

It may happen that in the course of measurements the master meter moves away from the IRM-1 so far, that communication between them is lost. If the measurements are continued, then after the connection is restored, the results will be automatically **supplemented with environmental parameters**, which in the meantime were recorded by the IRM-1 in its **temporary memory**, and converted into STC conditions.



## Specifications

Parameter	Measurement range	Display range	Resolution	Accuracy ±(% m.v. + digits)
Voltage				
AC voltage	0.0 V600.0 V	0.0 V600.0 V	0.1 V	±(2% m.v. + 2 digits)
DC voltage	0.0 V1000.0 V	0.0 V1000.0 V	0.1 V	±(0.5% m.v. + 2 digits)
Short circuit current I <sub>sc</sub>	0.0020.00 A	0.0020.00 A	0.01 A	±(1% m.v. + 2 digits)
Insulation resistance				
Insulation resistance at AC side				
Measuring voltage 250 V	<b>250 kΩ2.000 GΩ</b> acc. to IEC 61557-2	0.0 kΩ2.000 GΩ	from 0.1 kΩ	±(3% m.v. + 8 digits)
Measuring voltage 500 V	<b>250 kΩ5.000 GΩ</b> acc. to IEC 61557-2	0.0 kΩ5.000 GΩ	from 0.1 kΩ	±(3% m.v. + 8 digits)
Measuring voltage 1000 V	<b>500 kΩ9.999 GΩ</b> acc. to IEC 61557-2	0.0 kΩ9.999 GΩ	from 0.1 kΩ	±(3% m.v. + 8 digits)
Insulation resistance at DC side				
Measuring voltage 250 V / 500 V / 1000 V	<b>250 kΩ1.000 GΩ</b> acc. to IEC 61557-2	0.0 kΩ1.000 GΩ	from 0.1 kΩ	±(8% m.v. + 8 digits)
Resistance of protective conductors and equipotential bondings				
Measurement of resistance of protective conductors and equipotential bondings with ±200 mA current	<b>0.10 Ω1999 Ω</b> acc. to IEC 61557-4	0.00 Ω1999 Ω	from 0.01 Ω	±(2% m.v. + 3 digits)
Measurement of resistance with low current	0.0 Ω1999 Ω	0.0 Ω1999 Ω	from 0.1 Ω	±(3% m.v. + 3 digits)
Current measurement	0.0 A400.0 A	0.0 A400.0 A	0.1 A	±(5% m.v. + 2 digits)
Power measurement	0.0 kW100.0 kW	0.0 kW100.0 kW	0.1 kW	±(6% m.v. + 5 digits)

## Other technical data

Safety and work conditions		
Measuring category according to EN 61010	IV 300 V, III 600 V, II 1000 V DC	
Ingress protection	IP65	
Type of insulation according to EN 61010-1 and IEC 61557	double	
Power supply	4x Ni-MH AA 1.2 V rechargeable battery 4x AA 1.5 V battery	
Dimensions	228 x 102 x 60 mm	
Weight	ca. 1.0 kg	
Operating temperature	-10+40°C	
Storage temperature	-20+60°C	
Humidity	2080%	
Nominal temperature	23 ± 2°C	
Reference humidity	40%60%	
Memory and communication		
Memory of measurement results	4 059 records	
Data transmission	Bluetooth	
Communication with IRM-1	LoRa	
Other information		
The product meets the EMC (emission for industrial environment) requirements according to standards	IEC 61326-1 IEC 61326-2-2	
'm.v." – measured value		

## Standard accessories

		PVM-1020 KIT	PVM-1020
		WMGBPVM1020KIT	WMGBPVM1020
	PVM-1020 photovoltaic meter WMGBPVM1020	1	1
Ē	IRM-1 solar radiation and temperature meter WMGBIRM1	1	
<b>&gt;&gt;</b>	Solar radiation meter mounting kit for PV panels + probe for measur- ing the temperature of PV panels and the ambient temperature WASONTPVCKPL	1	
	Test lead 1.2 m (banana plugs) black / blue / yellow WAPRZ1X2BLBB / WAPRZ1X2REBB / WAPRZ1X2YEBB	1/1/1	1/1/1
	Crocodile clip 1 kV 20 A black / red / yellow WAKROBL20K01 / WAKRORE20K02 / WAKROYE20K02	1/1/1	1/1/1
	Pin probe 1 kV (banana socket) red WASONREOGB1	1	1
<b>N</b>	MC4-banana sockets adapter (set of 2 pcs.) WAADAMC4	1	1
	C-PV clamp WACEGCPVOKR	1	1
<i>\$90</i>	5 V power supply with USB 2.0 output and a detachable micro-USB cable WAZASZ24	1	
A	M1 hanging straps WAPOZSZE4	1	1
	M6 carrying case WAFUTM6		1
	L4 carrying case WAFUTL4	1	
	AA 1.5 V battery	4	4
/	AAA 1.5 V battery	2	2
() ()	Factory calibration certificate - PVM-1020	1	1
	Factory calibration certificate - IRM-1	1	

#### **PVM-1020 KIT | Optional accessories**



Solar radiation meter mounting kit for PV panels WAPOZUCHPV

Pin probe 1 kV (banana socket)

black / yellow

WASONBLOGB1

WASONYEOGB1



Clamp for mounting the solar radiation meter to the solar panels





Probe for measuring the temperature of PV panels and the ambient temperature

WASONTPVC

Three-phase socket adapter 16 A / 32 A WAADAAGT16P WAADAAGT32P

Three-phase socket adapter 63 A WAADAAGT63P

- Calibration certificate without accreditation - PVM-1020
- Calibration certificate without accreditation - IRM-1



M1 hanging hook straps WAPOZUCH1



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MC4 splitter for

power measure-

(set of 2 pcs.)

WAADAMC4SKPL

. ment in PV systems





#### **PVM-1020** | Optional accessories



MC4 splitter for power measurement in PV systems (set of 2 pcs.) WAADAMC45KPL



M1 hanging hook straps for PVM-1020 WAPOZUCH1



Pin probe 1 kV (banana socket) black / yellow

WASONBLOGB1 WASONYEOGB1



Three-phase socket adapter 16 A / 32 A WAADAAGT16P WAADAAGT32P

Three-phase socket adapter 63 A WAADAAGT63P



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