### SOLAR-REGISTER

SOLAR-SPECIALIST ONLINE

including registrati**on** on www.solar-register.nl



## **SOLAR-SPECIALIST ONLINE** The foundation for designer and consultant

The course consists of the following modules:

Solar-Allround E-learning	Solar-Design	
Exam Sola	ar-Specialist	
(€) 1895,- per	person ex. VAT	
<ul><li>Theory course</li><li>Online and self-study</li></ul>	<ul> <li>4 live 2-hour online lessons, E-learn and self-study</li> <li>Study materials included, access to online learning environm diploma and registration</li> </ul>	0

# **SOLAR-ALLROUND E-LEARNING**

### **FOR WHO**

All (new) employees and entrepreneurs in the installation industry dealing with solar energy and wanting to **know the** 'sense and nonsense' about solar energy.

## LEVEL

You do not need any prior knowledge to take this course. The course is at Senior secondary vocational level (MBO+). You complete the E-learning Solar-Allround (English) at your own pace and at your own convenience.

## CONTENT

- Basic concepts of energy
- The law of conservation of energy
- Energy and power
- Efficiency
- The capacity factor
- Voltage and current
- How do solar panels work
- Standard test conditions (STC)
- Yield calculation
- Business cases and economy
- The E-learning is concluded with a test. After passing the test, you will receive the Solar-Allround certificate.

### ADVANTAGES SWITCH2SOLAR SOLAR-ALLROUND E-LEARNING (ENGLISH)

- Stay flexible, you decide the time, place and pace
- Save travel time and travel costs
- Make a kick-start in the solar industry

### **HOW DOES IT WORK?**

After we have received your registration and payment, we will send you an e-mail with a login code for your online learning environment, where you can follow the E-learning Solar-All-round. You can use the E-learning for 2 months and study at any time. Study load is approx. 8 hours total.

### **FOLLOW-UP TRAINING**

After completing Solar-Allround, you will participate in the scheduled online classes of Solar-Design.

During this course, you will go through the design of a solar power system: from sunlight to connection to the power grid.



# **SOLAR-DESIGN ONLINE**

### **FOR WHO**

Installers, consultants and designers of solar power systems. After attending the course you will understand exactly how a PV system works and are able to independently design a high-yielding system.

## LEVEL

Intensive training at Senior secondary vocational level (MBO+) / higher education level (HBO) level, for participants with technical affinity also possible without experience (after Solar-Allround). For this course, it is important that you have basic maths skills.

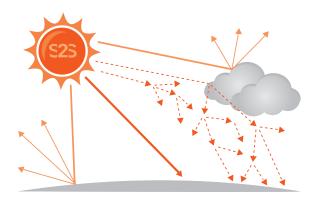
During the online lessons (English) there is room for asking questions. The pace is high in the online lessons.

Solar-Design online is covered during 4 live 2-hour online classes. These online classes are recorded and can be watched at a later time. Check our website for the dates of these online classes.

# CONTENT

### PROPERTIES OF LIGHT AND SHADOW

- Direct and diffuse light, albedo
- Irradiance sum: variations between years
- Typical Meteorological Year
- Shade types and implications for solar power system

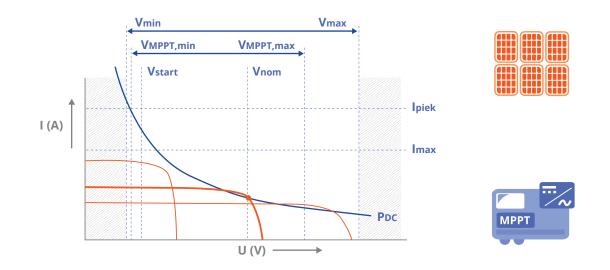


### PROPERTIES OF SOLAR CELLS AND PANELS

- Cell and panel technologies
- Electrical properties of solar cells and panels
- IV curve at STC (Standard Test Conditions) and deviations from STC
- Fill factor
- Quality testing and degradation
- Temperature coefficients
- Read datasheets
- Exercise with comparison of (electrical) properties of different solar panels



# **SOLAR-DESIGN ONLINE**



### **INVERTERS**

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- Functions
- System types
- Electrical properties (AC and DC)
- Read datasheets
- Problem with electrical properties inverters Arrays of poly-strings
- IV curves for arrays for series and parallel, at STC and NOCT
- Layout plans and string plans
- Designing optimally functioning solar power systems:
- Matching arrays to inverters based on electrical properties
- Design rules
- Issue with design options for arrays

### **OTHER COMPONENTS**

- DC cable losses
- Substructures
- Basic rules meter box connection

### **DESIGN DOCUMENTATION**

#### **DESIGN SOFTWARE**

- Features
- Recognise and use design parameters from training





The Solar Specialist online course consists of the modules Solar-Allround E-learning and Solar-Design and can be completed with an exam:

### SOLAR-SPECIALIST EXAM

With the Solar Specialist exam, you show that you have mastered the material well and that you really understand solar power systems.

The exam consists of 2 parts. The first part consists of both multiple-choice and openended questions to demonstrate your understanding and mastery of the material.

The second part of the exam tests your ability to apply your knowledge using a practical case study. You have 3 hours for the total theory exam. The exam will be administered for participants from the Netherlands and Flanders by Switch2Solar in the middle of the Netherlands (Lexmond). Other participants can contact Switch2Solar to discuss the possibilities.

