



# OG-300 Solar Water Heating System Certification

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<p><b>CERTIFICATION HOLDER:</b>  <b>Solahart Industries</b>          101 Bell Road          Montgomery, AL 36117 USA  <a href="http://www.solahart.com.au">www.solahart.com.au</a></p>	<p><b>EVALUATION SUBJECT</b></p> <p><b>BRAND:</b> Solahart  <b>MODEL:</b> ASTG 181J &amp; ASTG 181J Free Heat  <b>TYPE:</b> Thermosiphon, Indirect</p>
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**PRODUCT CERTIFICATION SYSTEM:**

The ICC-SRCC OG-300 system certification program includes evaluation and performance ratings for solar water heating systems as established in the *ICC-SRCC Rules for Solar Heating & Cooling Product Listing Reports*. The program also includes periodic factory inspections and surveillance of the manufacturer’s quality management system.

**COMPLIANCE WITH THE FOLLOWING STANDARD(S):**

*ICC 900/SRCC 300 - 2020, Solar Thermal System Standard*  
*ENERGY STAR Residential Water Heater Specification (v.5.0)*

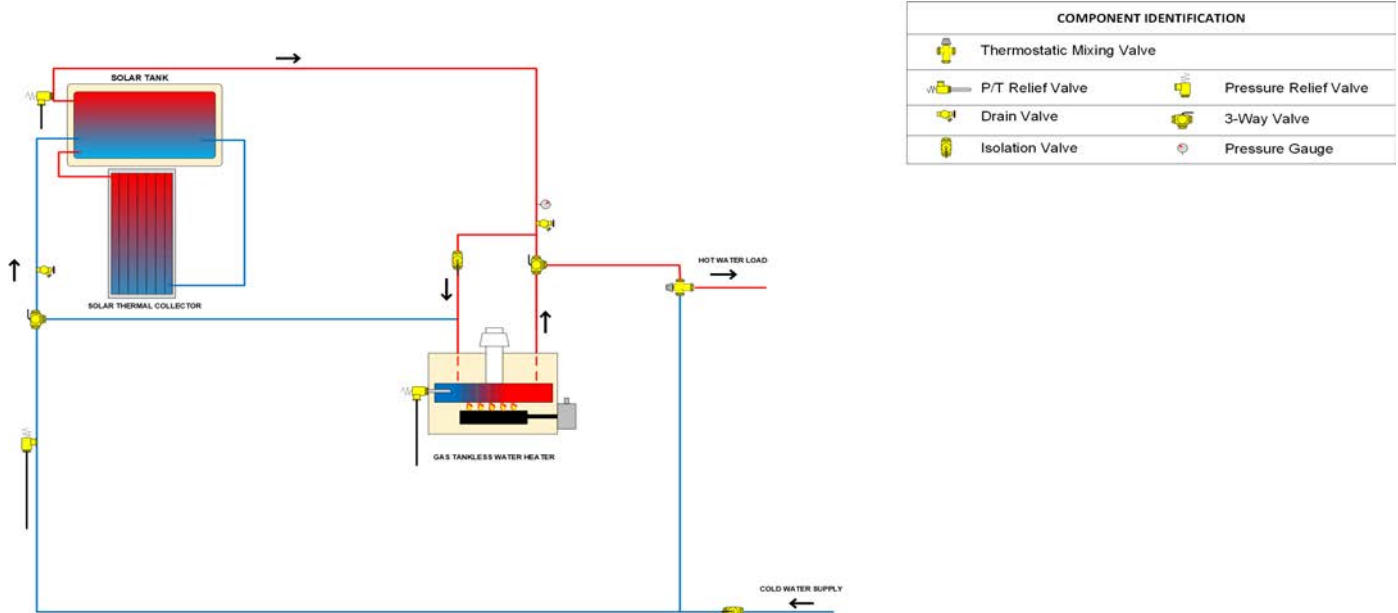
**SOLAR UNIFORM ENERGY FACTOR (SUEF):**

99.0, Very Small Draw Pattern

The Solar Uniform Energy Factor (SUEF) is determined through modeling using the TRNSYS software package per the specification established in *ICC 900/SRCC 300, Appendix B*.

**INSTALLATION:**

The solar water heating system must be installed in accordance with the manufacturer’s published installation instructions. Installation must conform to the requirements of the applicable code and is subject to approval by the code official having jurisdiction. This certification is valid only for a system composed of the components configured as shown in the schematic below:



**PARTS LIST:**

Part	Quantity	Evaluated Component
Collector Option 1	1	Solahart Industries Model J (OG-100 2012020A)
Solar Tank	1	Solahart Industries Model 180J & 180F (180 L volume)

**IDENTIFICATION:**

Certified systems must be identified with the OG-300 certification mark below in accordance with the *Rules for Certification Mark and Certificate Use* and labeled in with the information below per *ICC 900/SRCC 300*:



1. Manufacturer’s name and model number.
2. OG-300 system certification number
3. OG-100 collector certification number(s) and quantity.
4. Heat transfer fluid and concentration range.
5. Storage and expansion tank volumes.
6. Relief valve specification and setpoint.
7. Maximum water supply pressure.
8. Maximum solar loop pressure.
9. Flow rate range (where a flow meter is installed).
10. Backup energy rating. For electrical, phase/volts/amps. For gas, minimum pressure.
11. Installation date field (to be entered by the installer in the field).

**CONDITIONS:**

The certified solar water heating system must comply with the following conditions:

1. Systems must be installed and operated in accordance with the manufacturer’s instructions and local code.
2. Systems must include all components installed in the configuration shown in the schematic in the OG-300 certification document.
3. Systems must use one of the OG-100 certified solar collector options from the list above. Where more than one collector is installed in a system, all collectors must be the same model.
4. Systems must utilize heat transfer fluids approved by the manufacturer.
5. Certifications are not to be construed as representing aesthetics or any other attributes not specifically addressed, nor are they to be construed as an endorsement of the subject of the report or a recommendation for its use.
6. There is no warranty by ICC-SRCC express or implied, as to any finding or other matter in this certification, or as to any product covered by the certification.

**REGIONAL RATINGS:**

Thermal performance ratings are provided for the system based on computer modeling to standard OG-300 rating conditions and a hot water load of 64.3 gallons per day (243.4 litres per day) at a setpoint of 125°F (51.7°C) for comparison. Performance is given using the following values:

- Annual Solar Fraction (SF<sub>A</sub>): The portion of the total conventional hot water heating load (including tank standby losses) provided by solar energy averaged over one year.
- Annual Energy Savings (AES): The projected energy savings over a period of one year for the system compared to a baseline tank-type water heater using the same fuel source.

Results are given for several climate zones throughout North America. Climate zones are as established in *ANSI/ASHRAE 169, Climatic Data for Building Design Standard*. Actual thermal performance and energy savings for an installed system will vary with local conditions, installation details and hot water usage.

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## OG-300 LOCAL ANNUAL SOLAR WATER HEATING SYSTEM PERFORMANCE

System performance at several geographic locations in the United States corresponding to climate zones as established in ASHRAE 169 is provided below. Ratings are determined using weather data, solar irradiance and water supply temperature over a period of one year for the specific locations listed below. Ratings for locations in California and Hawaii are provided on separate state maps on the following pages.



USA			
Location	Climate Zone (ASHRAE 169)	Solar Fraction (SF <sub>A</sub> )	Annual Energy Savings (kWh)
AK - Anchorage	7	0.30	2350
AZ - Phoenix	2B	0.74	4040
CO - Denver	5B	0.51	3540
FL - Tampa	2A	0.64	3400
GA - Atlanta	3A	0.54	3320
MA - Boston	5A	0.43	2940
MO - St Louis	4A	0.48	3120
MT - Helena	6B	0.41	3050
TX - Dallas-Fort Worth	3A	0.59	3420
WA - Seattle	4C	0.39	2690
WI - Milwaukee	6A	0.40	2880

# STATE OF CALIFORNIA

## OG-300 LOCAL ANNUAL SOLAR WATER HEATING SYSTEM PERFORMANCE

System performance at several geographic locations in the state of California corresponding to building climate zones as established by the California Energy Commission (CEC) is provided below. Ratings are determined using weather data, solar irradiance and water supply temperature over a period of one year for the specific locations listed below.



State of California			
Location **	Climate Zone (ASHRAE 169)*	Solar Fraction (SF <sub>A</sub> )	Annual Energy Savings (kWh)
CCZ 1 - Arcata	7	0.42	2880
CCZ 2 - Santa Rosa	6B	0.54	3490
CCZ 3 - Oakland	3C	0.53	3450
CCZ 4 - Sunnyvale	4C	0.56	3580
CCZ 5 - Santa Maria	5C	0.57	3660
CCZ 6 - Los Angeles	3B	0.58	3460
CCZ 7 - San Diego	3B	0.58	3500
CCZ 8 - El Toro	3B	0.61	3670
CCZ 9 - Burbank	3B	0.61	3750
CCZ 10 - Riverside	3B	0.63	3770
CCZ 11 - Red Bluff	3B	0.58	3500
CCZ 12 - Sacramento	3B	0.58	3580
CCZ 13 - Fresno	3B	0.62	3760
CCZ 14 - China Lake	3B	0.65	3740
CCZ 15 - El Centro	3B	0.75	3940
CCZ 16 - Mt. Shasta	7	0.49	3360

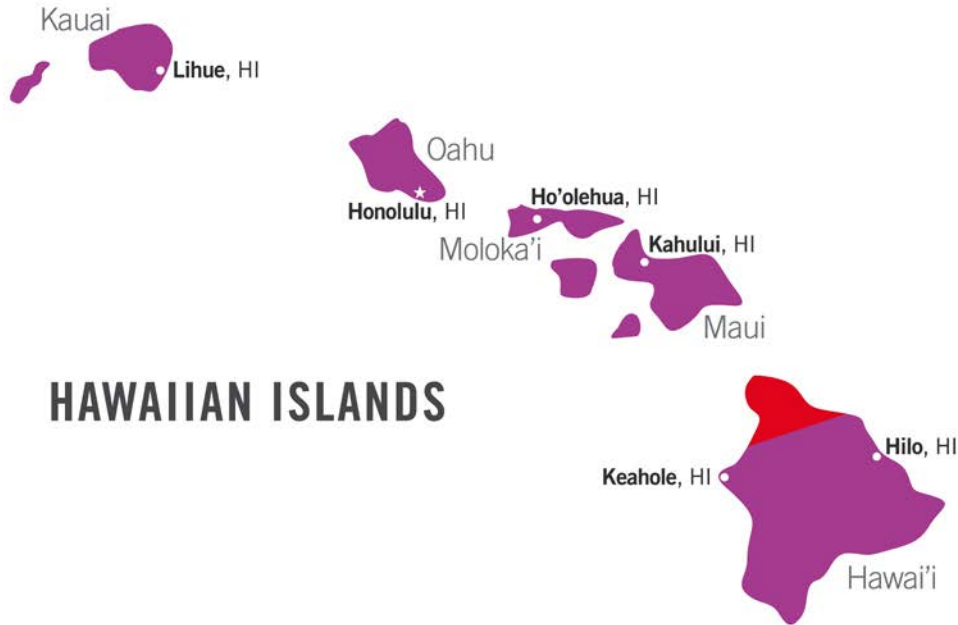
\* Climate zones are as established in ANSI/ASHRAE 169, Climatic Data for Building Design Standard.

\*\* California Building Climate Zones and representative cities are established by the California Energy Commission for use in the CA Title 24 Energy Efficiency Standards

# HAWAIIAN ISLANDS

## OG-300 LOCAL ANNUAL SOLAR WATER HEATING SYSTEM PERFORMANCE

System performance at several geographic locations in the Hawaiian Islands corresponding to climate zones as established in ASHRAE 169 is provided below. Ratings are determined using weather data, solar irradiance and water supply temperature over a period of one year for the specific locations listed below.



State of Hawaii			
Location	Climate Zone (ASHRAE 169)	Solar Fraction (SF <sub>A</sub> )	Annual Energy Savings (kWh)
Hawaii Island - Hilo	1	0.58	3020
Honolulu - Oahu Island	1	0.68	3370
Maui Island - Kahului	1	0.69	3440
Hawaii Island - Keahol	1	0.67	3530
Lihue - Kauai Island	1	0.65	3300
Ho'olehua - Molokai Island	1	0.69	3440

# CANADA

## OG-300 LOCAL ANNUAL SOLAR WATER HEATING SYSTEM PERFORMANCE

System performance at several geographic locations in Canada corresponding to climate zones as established in ASHRAE 169 is provided below. Ratings are determined using weather data, solar irradiance and water supply temperature over a period of one year for the specific locations listed below. The local annual ratings are provided for a 243 L/day (64.3 gal/day) hot water load.



Canada			
Location	Climate Zone (ASHRAE 169)	Solar Fraction (SF <sub>A</sub> )	Annual Energy Savings (kWh)
AB - Edmonton	5	0.38	2980
NS - Halifax	7A	0.36	2620
ON - Thunder Bay	7A	0.41	2990
QC - Quebec City	5	0.38	2890
MB - Winnipeg	7A	0.38	3020
AB - Calgary	7A	0.41	3180
BC - Vancouver	7	0.40	2750

# CENTRAL AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN REGION

## OG-300 LOCAL ANNUAL SOLAR WATER HEATING SYSTEM PERFORMANCE

System performance at several geographic locations in Central America and the Caribbean region corresponding to climate zones as established in ASHRAE 169 is provided below. Ratings are determined using weather data, solar irradiance and water supply temperature over a period of one year for the specific locations listed below.



Central America & Caribbean Region			
Location	Climate Zone (ASHRAE 169)	Solar Fraction (SF <sub>A</sub> )	Annual Energy Savings (kWh)
USVI - Charlotte Amalie	1	0.67	3600
Barbados - Christ Church	1	0.75	3640
Costa Rica - San Jose	1	0.67	4570
Jamaica - Kingston	1	0.80	3880
Mexico - Monterrey	2	0.55	3170
Mexico - Mexico City	2	0.54	3670
Belize - Belize City	1	0.66	3200
Puerto Rico - San Juan	1	0.72	3480