

# High-efficiency photovoltaic module using polycrystalline silicon cells

#### **Performance**

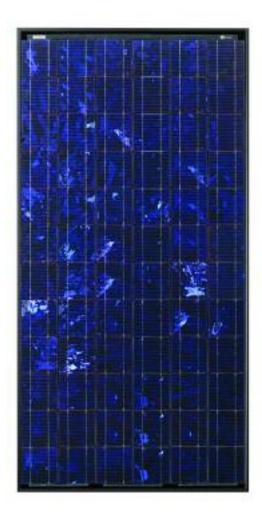
Rated power ( $P_{max}$ ) 175W Power Tolerance  $\pm 5\%$ Nominal voltage 24V Limited Warranty<sup>1</sup> 25 years

## Configuration

В

Bronze frame with output cables and polarized Multicontact (MC) connectors

Electrical Characteristics <sup>2</sup>	BP 175B
Maximum power (P <sub>max</sub> ) <sup>3</sup>	175W
Voltage at P <sub>max</sub> (V <sub>mp</sub> )	35.8V
Current at P <sub>max</sub> (I <sub>mp</sub> )	4.9A
Warranted minimum P <sub>max</sub>	166.3W
Short-circuit current (I <sub>sc</sub> )	5.47A
Open-circuit voltage (Voc)	43.6V
Temperature coefficient of I <sub>sc</sub>	(0.065±0.015)%/°C
Temperature coefficient of V <sub>oc</sub>	-(160±20)mV/°C
Temperature coefficient of power	$-(0.5\pm0.05)\%/^{\circ}C$
NOCT (Air 20°C; Sun 0.8kW/m²; wind 1m/s)	47±2°C
Maximum series fuse rating	15A
Maximum system voltage	600V (U.S. NEC rating)



## **Mechanical Characteristics**

Dimensions	Length: 1593mm (62.8") Width: 790mm (31.1") Depth: 50mm (1.97")	
Weight	15.4 kg (34 pounds)	
Solar Cells	72 cells (125mm x 125mm) in a 6x12 matrix connected in series	
Output Cables	RHW-2 AWG# 12 (4mm²), cable with polarized weatherproof DC rated Multicontact connectors; asymmetrical lengths — 1250mm(-) and 800mm(+)	
Diodes	IntegraBus <sup>™</sup> technology includes Schottky by-pass diodes integrated into the printed circuit board bus	
Construction	Front: High-transmission and anti-reflective 3mm (1/8th in) tempered glass; Back: Black Polyester; Encapsulant: EVA	
Frame	Anodized aluminum Universal frame; Color: Black	

<sup>1.</sup> Warranty: Power output for 25 years. Freedom from defects in materials and workmanship for 5 years. See our website for full terms of these warranties.

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<sup>2.</sup> This data represents the performance of typical BP Solar products, and are based on measurements made in accordance with ASTM E1036 corrected to SRC (STC.)

<sup>3.</sup> During the stabilization process that occurs during the first few months of deployment, module power may decrease by approximately 1% from typical P<sub>max</sub>.

#### **Quality and Safety**

**ESTI** 

Module power measurements calibrated to World Radiometric Reference through ESTI (European Solar Test Installation at Ispra, Italy)



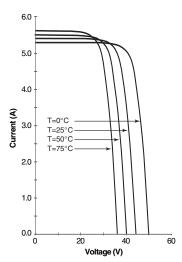
Listed by Underwriter's Laboratories for electrical and fire safety (Class C fire rating)

# **Qualification Test Parameters**

Temperature cycling range -40°C to +85°C (-40°F to 185°F)
Humidity freeze, damp heat 85% RH

Static load front and back (e.g. wind) 45psf (2160Pa)

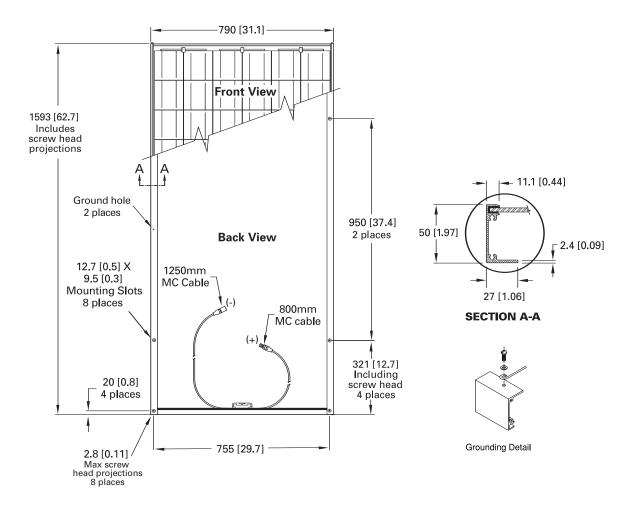
Hailstone impact 25mm (1 inch) at 23 m/s (52 mph)



**BP 175B I-V Curves** 

#### **Module Diagram**

Dimensions in brackets are in inches. Un-bracketed dimensions are in millimeters. Overall tolerances ±3mm (1/8").



Included with each module: self-tapping grounding screw, instruction sheet and warranty documents.

**Note:** This publication summarizes product warranty and specifications, which are subject to change without notice. Additional information may be found on our web site: **www.bpsolar.us** 



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