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OG-300 Solar Water Heating System Certification

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CERTIFICATION HOLDER:	**EVALUATION SUBJECT**	
SunEarth, Inc. 8425 Almeria Avenue Fontana, CA 92335 USA **www.sunearthinc.com**	**BRAND:**	Cascade 2
	MODEL:	C2-26T-40-TLG
	TYPE:	Pumped, Indirect, Drainback

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.

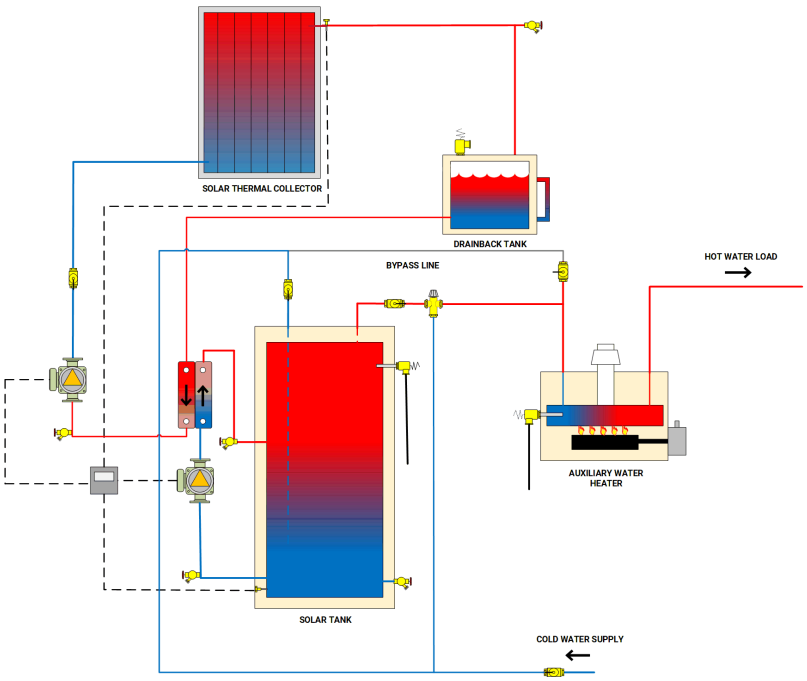
COMPLIANCE WITH THE FOLLOWING STANDARD(S): *ICC 900/SRCC 300 – 2020, Solar Thermal System Standard*
ENERGY STAR® Residential Water Heater Specification (v.5)

SOLAR UNIFORM ENERGY FACTOR (SUEF): 3.3, Low Draw Profile

The Solar Uniform Energy Factor (SUEF) is determined through computer modeling 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 with the components configured as shown in the schematic below:



COMPONENT IDENTIFICATION			
Thermostatic Mixing Valve		Isolation Valve	
Pressure/Temp Valve		Pressure Relief Valve	
Drain Valve		Temperature Sensor	
Pump		Controller	

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PARTS LIST:

Part	Quantity	Component
Collector	1	SunEarth TRB-26 (OG-100 #10002071)
Solar Tank	1	AO Smith ProLine ENS-40 (151 L volume)
Drainback Tank	1	SunEarth DBT 10 SS (38 L volume)
Auxiliary Water Heater	1	Generic Tankless Gas Water Heater

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 codes.
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 (243.3 L) per day at a setpoint of 125°F (52°C) for comparison. Performance is given using the following values:

Annual Solar Fraction (SF_A): 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 Nort 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.

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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)**	**Annual Solar Fraction (SF_A)**	**Annual Energy Savings (kWh)**
AK – Anchorage	7	0.38	3010
AZ - Phoenix	2B	0.78	4230
CO – Denver	5B	0.60	4140
FL – Tampa	2A	0.71	3780
GA - Atlanta	3A	0.62	3800
MA – Boston	5A	0.52	3550
MO – St. Louis	4A	0.56	3660
MT - Helena	6B	0.51	3770
TX – Dallas-Fort Worth	3A	0.66	3840
WA - Seattle	4C	0.48	3240
WI - Milwaukee	6A	0.50	3550

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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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)**	**Annual Solar Fraction (SF_A)**	**Annual Energy Savings (kWh)**
CCZ 1- Arcata	7	0.51	3450
CCZ 2 – Santa Rosa	6B	0.63	4050
CCZ 3 - Oakland	3C	0.62	4040
CCZ 4 – Sunnyvale	4C	0.65	4140
CCZ 5 – Santa Maria	5C	0.66	4250
CCZ 6 – Los Angeles	3B	0.68	4060
CCZ 7 – San Diego	3B	0.68	4060
CCZ 8 – El Toro	3B	0.70	4200
CCZ 9 – Burbank	3B	0.69	4210
CCZ 10 – Riverside	3B	0.71	4240
CCZ 11 – Red Bluff	3B	0.66	3950
CCZ 12 – Sacramento	3B	0.66	4080
CCZ 13 - Fresno	3B	0.69	4150
CCZ 14 – China Lake	3B	0.74	4280
CCZ 15 – El Centro	3B	0.79	4150
CCZ 16 – Mt. Shasta	7	0.59	4030

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

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HAWAIIAN ISLANDS

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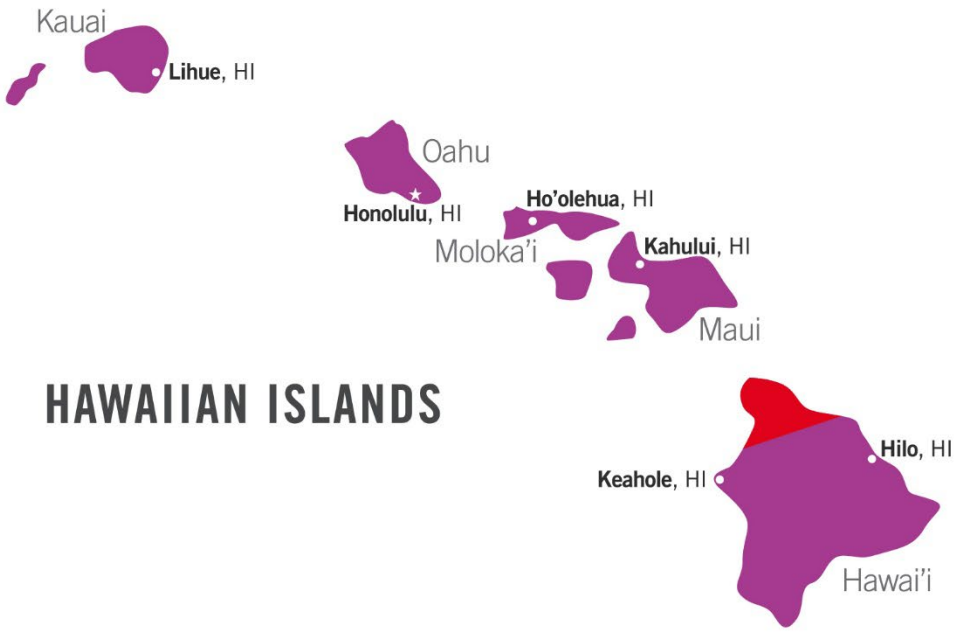

State of Hawaii				
Location		**Climate Zone (ASHRAE 169)**	**Annual Solar Fraction (SF_A)**	**Annual Energy Savings (kWh)**
Hilo	Hawaii Island	1	0.66	3430
Honolulu	Oahu Island	1	0.76	3760
Kahului	Maui Island	1	0.76	3770
Keahole	Hawaii Island	1	0.74	3850
Lihue	Kaua'i Island	1	0.72	3660
Ho'olehua	Moloka'i Island	1	0.76	3770

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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. OG-30 annual ratings are based on a 243 L (64.3 gal) per day hot water load.

Canada			
Location	**Climate Zone (ASHRAE 169)**	**Annual Solar Fraction (SF_A)**	**Annual Energy Savings (kWh)**
AB - Edmonton	5	0.48	3790
NS - Halifax	7A	0.46	3280
ON – Toronto	7A	0.50	3580
QC – Quebec City	5	0.47	3590
MB – Winnipeg	7A	0.48	3780
AB - Calgary	7A	0.50	3890
BC - Vancouver	7	0.48	3320

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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)**	**Annual Solar Fraction (SF_A)**	**Annual Energy Savings (kWh)**
Barbados – Christ Church	1	0.82	3960
Costa Rica – San Jose	1	0.71	4860
Jamaica - Kingston	1	0.84	4050
Mexico - Monterrey	2	0.59	3390
Mexico – Mexico City	2	0.60	4110
Belize – Belize City	1	0.73	3530
Puerto Rico – San Juan	1	0.77	3740

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