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# **TiltUp Vento System** ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS



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# Tools overview





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# General safety information

Please note that our general mounting instructions must be followed at all times and can be viewed online at k2-systems.com/en/technical-information

- The equipment may only be installed and operated by qualified and adequately trained installers.
- Prior to installation, ensure that the product complies with on-site static loading requirements.
   For roof-mounted systems, the roof load-bearing capacity must always be checked.
- National and local building regulations and environmental requirements must be adhered to.
- Compliance with health and safety regulations, accident prevention guidelines and applicable standards is required.
  - Protective equipment such as safety helmet, boots and gloves must be worn.
  - Roofing works must be in accordance with roofing regulations utilising fall protection safeguards when eaves height exceeds 3 m.
  - At least two people must be present for the duration of the installation work in order to provide rapid assistance in the event of an emergency.
- K2 mounting systems are continuously developed and improved and the installation process may thereby change at any time. Prior to installation consult our website at

www.k2-systems.com/en/technical-information for up-to-date instructions.

We can send you the latest version on request.

• The assembly instructions of the module manufacturer must be adhered to.

- Equipotential bonding/grounding/earthing between individual parts is to be performed according to country specific standards, as well as national laws and regulations.
- At least one copy of the assembly instructions should be available on site throughout the duration of the installation.
- Failure to adhere to our general safety and assembly instructions and not using all system components,
   K2 is not liable for any resulting defects or damages. We do not accept liability for any damage resulting in the use of competitor's parts. Warranty is excluded in such cases.
- K2 Systems GmbH reserves the right to exclude liability in case of disregard of our General Safety Instructions as well as in case of installation or mounting of components of a competitor.
- If all safety instructions are adhered to and the system is correctly installed, there is a product warranty entitlement of 12 years! We strongly recommend reviewing our terms of guarantee, which can be viewed at www.k2-systems.com/en/technical-information We will also send this information on request.
- Dismantling of the system is performed in reverse order to the assembly.
- K2 stainless steel components are available in different corrosion resistance classes. Each structure or component must be carefully checked for possible corrosion exposure.

# The following guidelines apply



The TiltUp Vento system can be installed as standard under the following conditions. Even if the system is capable of meeting higher demands through the integration of safety standards, please get in touch with your contact at K2 Systems if the specified values are exceeded.



# Planning with K2 Base

We recommend our free online software K2 Base for the planning. In five steps, you can plan the right assembly system and get a construction recommendation, parts list and the structural analysis report. Simply register and start planning: base.k2-systems.com



## **Roof requirements**

This system can be positioned on all common flat roofs with a pressure-resistant base and a roof pitch of  $\leq 3^{\circ}$  with ballast or fixed with MultiMonti screws directly on the roof. In second case the concrete requirements must be checked.



## Static requirements

- It is essential to check that the roof structure has sufficient residual load capacity and that the pressure capacity of the roof insulation (where present) is not exceeded.
- Suitable for framed modules with a frame height 30 - 50 mm
- Permissible module dimensions: length 1386 2293 mm, width 950 – 1135 mm



# Important mounting instructions

#### Mounting system

- The inclination of the TiltUp Vento system is either 20, 25 or 30°.
- A minimum quantity of triangles is two
- A minimum distance to the roof edge of 600 mm must be observed.

- Ensure a thermal separation (distance between module arrays) after a maximum of 15 m in the module row direction and in the direction of the base rail.
- In the event of exceptional circumstances (such as storms, heavy rain, earthquakes, etc.), the system should be checked by a specialist. Should an inspection find damage or plastic deformation (such as in the module clamp area) the components must be replaced.

#### Modules and clamping

- Tightening torque of 14 Nm for all module clamps
- Adhere to module manufacturer recommendations for clamping area and module installation (see module manufacturer instructions).

#### **General information**

- External influences that act on this system are only reflected in the design of the ballast to a limited degree. For instance, unevenness, thermal elongation, moss, water accumulation and ageing of the sheeting cannot be considered, although these factors might also precipitate system displacement under certain circumstances. We recommend you check whether the system requires additional mechanical attachment, as the impact of these influences may be greater on slanted roofs.
- It is important to ensure that the rain water flow is not hindered.
- On-site general standards and regulations for lightning protection must be observed and consultation with a specialist to create a lightning protection concept is recommended (use lightning protection clamp if necessary).

# Components Basic and portrait components 10 9 6 В A annunch 0 Ô A+B E





### Item numbers Brace / Beam

Module width [mm]	Inclination	TiltUp Vei	nto Brace	TiltUp Ver	nto Beam				
	$\leq$	•							
		length [mm]	ltem No.	length [mm]	ltem No.				
	20°	446	2003269						
950 - 1,135	25°	558	2003268	1,300	2003263				
	30°	679	2003267						



## Item numbers Brace / Beam

Module width [mm]	Inclination	TiltUp Ver	nto Brace	TiltUp Vento Beam						
	$\leq 1$	•								
		ltem No.	length [mm]	ltem No.						
	20°	679	2003267							
950 - 1,135	25°	25° 856		2,360	2003261					
	30°	1,047	2003265							









**Middle Clamp** 

## Item numbers Brace / Beam

Module width [mm]	Inclination	TiltUp Ver	nto Brace	TiltUp Vento Beam							
	$\leq 1$	•									
		length [mm]	ltem No.	length [mm]	ltem No.						
	20°	679	2003267								
950 - 1,135	25°	856	2003266	2,360	2003261						
	30°	1,047	2003265								



C = Cantilever E = Span width





## Module orientation: Portrait



#### Space between ground and module under edge:

**h** = Variable; minimum value: 30 mm

#### M<sub>L</sub> = Module longest side (Module length)



Module length	Beam length	Inclination	M <sub>1</sub>	M	M <sub>3</sub> =		
		6		SingleRail 36	SingleRail 50		
		20°	1,164	(0.25 × M <sub>L</sub> ) - 261	(0.25 × M <sub>L</sub> ) - 299		
1,386 - 1,751	1,300	25°	1,207	[0.25 × M <sub>L</sub> ] - 202	[0.25 × M <sub>L</sub> ] - 232	(0.5 × M <sub>L</sub> ) - 39	
		30°	1,262	(0.25 × M <sub>L</sub> ) - 162	(0.25 × M <sub>L</sub> ) - 187		
		20°	1,491	(0.25 × M <sub>L</sub> ) - 261	(0.25 × M <sub>L</sub> ) - 299		
1,752 - 2,293	1,600	25°	1,488	[0.25 × M <sub>L</sub> ] - 202	[0.25 × M <sub>L</sub> ] - 232	(0.5 × M <sub>L</sub> ) - 39	
		30°	1,616	(0.25 × M <sub>L</sub> ) - 162	(0.25 × M <sub>L</sub> ) - 187		



# Module orientation: Landscape single row



# h = Space between ballast/ground and module under edge





Module width	Beam length	Inclination	M <sub>1</sub>	h	h = M <sub>3</sub> =					
		6		SingleRail 36	SingleRail 50					
		20°	1,164	335 - (0.17 × M <sub>w</sub> )	348 - [0.17 × M <sub>w</sub> ]					
950 - 1,135	1,300	25°	1,207	382 - (0.21 × M <sub>w</sub> )	395 - (0.21 × M <sub>w</sub> )	756 - (0.5 × M <sub>w</sub> )	M <sub>w</sub> - 289			
		30°	1,262	426 - (0.25 × M <sub>w</sub> )	436 - (0.25 × M <sub>w</sub> )					





# Module orientation: Landscape double row



# h = Space between ballast/ground and module under edge

#### M<sub>w</sub> = Module shortest side

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Module width	Beam length	Inclination	M <sub>1</sub>	h	M <sub>4</sub> =	M <sub>5</sub> =		
		6		SingleRail 36	SingleRail 50			
		20°	1,841	511 - (0.34 × M <sub>w</sub> )	511 - (0.34 × M <sub>w</sub> )			
950 - 1,135	2,360	25°	1,909	600 - (0.42 × M <sub>w</sub> )	600 - (0.42 × M <sub>w</sub> )	1,276 - M <sub>w</sub>	M <sub>w</sub> - 289	231
		30°	1,998	684 - (0.50 × M <sub>w</sub> )	684 - (0.50 × M <sub>w</sub> )			



# Module orientation: Landscape single row with AddOn



#### h = Space between ballast/ground and module under edge





Module width	Beam length	Inclination	M <sub>1</sub>	h	M <sub>4</sub> =		
		6		SingleRail 36	SingleRail 50		
		20°	1,164	335 - (0.17 × M <sub>w</sub> )	348 - [0.17 × M <sub>w</sub> ]		
950 - 1,135	1,300	25°	1,207	382 - (0.21 × M <sub>w</sub> )	395 - (0.21 × M <sub>w</sub> )	621 - (0.5 × M <sub>w</sub> )	M <sub>w</sub> - 19
		30°	1,262	426 - (0.25 × M <sub>w</sub> )	436 - (0.25 × M <sub>w</sub> )		





# Module orientation: Landscape double row with AddOn



#### h = Space between ballast/ground and module under edge

#### M<sub>w</sub> = Module shortest side



Module width	Beam length	Inclination	M <sub>1</sub>	h	=	M <sub>3</sub> =	M <sub>4</sub> =	M <sub>5</sub> =
		6		SingleRail 36	SingleRail 50			
		20°	1,841	517 - (0.34 × M <sub>w</sub> )	530 - (0.34 × M <sub>w</sub> )			
950 - 1,135	2,360	25°	1,909	605 - (0.42 × M <sub>w</sub> )	618 - [0.42 × M <sub>w</sub> ]	1,141 - M <sub>w</sub>	M <sub>w</sub> - 19	M <sub>w</sub> - 19
		30°	1,998	689 - (0.50 × M <sub>w</sub> )	701 - (0.50 × M <sub>w</sub> )			





## Report on the static calculation

You will receive a report from K2 Systems for each TiltUp Vento project. This includes a static analysis and tells you how the calculated ballastings are to be distributed in the module field and the individual module blocks.

The following table shows an example of ballast distribution. The row labels refer to the module rows and the columns to the respective ballast position.

# Example: Table ballast distribution from static calculation report

Weight per ballast element			М	odule ro	W		
	R1	R <sub>2</sub>	R₃	R <sub>4</sub>	R <sub>5</sub>	R <sub>6</sub>	R <sub>7</sub>
1	146.0	146.0	146.0	146.0	146.0	146.0	146.0
2	146.0	146.0	146.0	146.0	146.0	146.0	146.0
3	146.0	146.0	6.2	6.2	6.2	146.0	146.0
4	146.0	146.0	6.2	6.2	6.2	146.0	146.0
5	146.0	146.0	146.0	146.0	146.0	146.0	146.0
6	146.0	146.0	146.0	146.0	146.0	146.0	146.0

All figures in kilograms [kg]!

# Assembly

# Basic steps

















# Portrait assembly



# Landscape assembly, single row





Landscape assembly, single row with AddOn









# Notes

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## Thank you for choosing a K2 mounting system.

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