

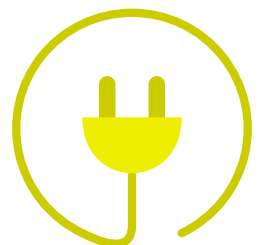
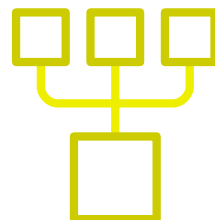
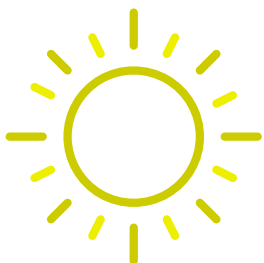


## Ricky Chadwick

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# Roof Layout

Roof 1



# Component list

Item	Quantity	
	*HIB* Longi HiMo5 405W All Black Mono solar panel	16
	Solis 5kw Hybrid inverter	1
	**NET** Emlite Bi-directional Meter ECA2.nv	1
	Label sheet	1
	AC isolator - KN 25A 3-pole	2
	Puredrive 5kw battery	2
	Pair of MC4 connectors	4
	100m reel of 6mm <sup>2</sup> solar cable	1
	50m reel of 10mm <sup>2</sup> solar cable	2



# Inverter checks

## Solis 5kw Hybrid

### Panels

PV power **6240** Rated AC output **5000**

Input 1: 8 Trina Vertex S 390W All Black Mono solar panels in 1 strings

### Panels

### Inverter

PV power	<b>3120 W</b>		
Open circuit voltage at -10° C	<b>356 V</b>	Max DC voltage	<b>520 V</b>
V <sub>mpp</sub> at 40° C	<b>260 V</b>	V <sub>mpp</sub> lower limit	<b>90 V</b>
V <sub>mpp</sub> at -10° C	<b>295 V</b>	V <sub>mpp</sub> upper limit	<b>520 V</b>
I <sub>mpp</sub> at 40° C	<b>12 A</b>	Max DC input current	<b>17.2 A</b>

#### Max voltage

The open circuit voltage of the solar panels never exceeds the voltage limit of the inverter.



#### Max power point range

The maximum power point voltage of the solar panels is always above the lower limit of the inverter MPPT tracker. The maximum power point voltage of the solar panels is always below the upper limit of the inverter MPPT tracker.



### Max Current

The maximum power point current of the solar panels is always below the maximum current for the inverter MPPT tracker.



Input 2: 8 Trina Vertex S 390W All Black Mono solar panels in 1 strings

Panels		Inverter	
PV power	<b>3120 W</b>		
Open circuit voltage at -10° C	<b>356 V</b>	Max DC voltage	<b>520 V</b>
V <sub>mpp</sub> at 40° C	<b>260 V</b>	V <sub>mpp</sub> lower limit	<b>90 V</b>
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### Max voltage

The open circuit voltage of the solar panels never exceeds the voltage limit of the inverter.



### Max power point range

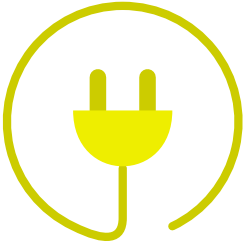
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# Electrical

## Solis 5kw Hybrid



### AC Isolator

A AC isolator - KN 25A 3-pole has been specified for this input

#### Current

The rated isolator current (25A) is greater than the rated inverter current (23A)



#### Phases

The isolator is suitable for use on a single phase inverter.



## Input 1



### DC Isolator

#### Integrated isolator

This inverter contains an integrated DC Isolator.





## Cable

30m of 6mm<sup>2</sup> solar cable has been specified

### Voltage drop

Voltage drop at maximum power point at 40°C will be around **2.09 V (0.80 percent)**



## Input 2



## DC Isolator

### Integrated isolator

This inverter contains an integrated DC Isolator.



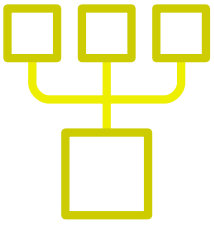
## Cable

40m of 10mm<sup>2</sup> solar cable has been specified

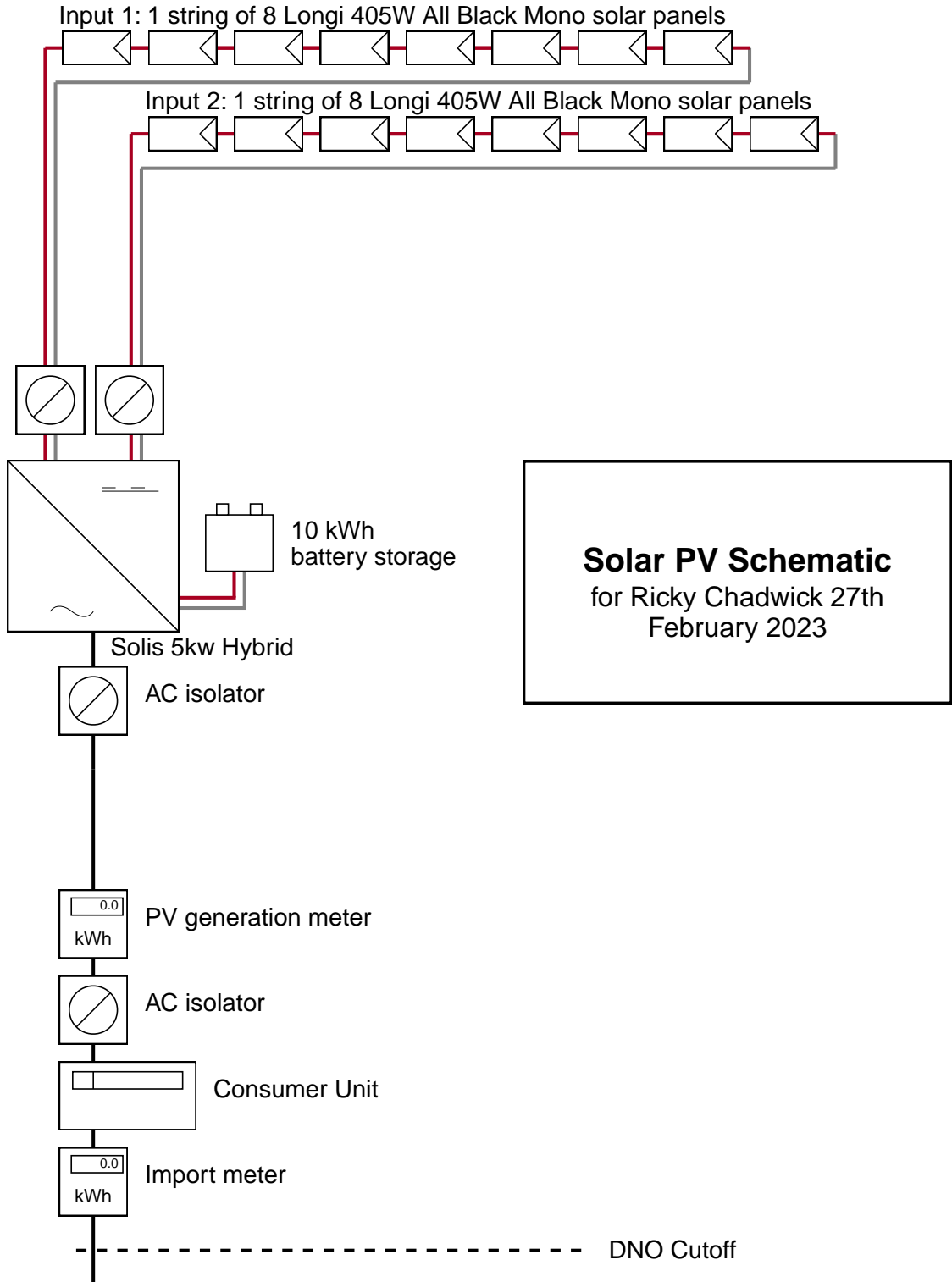
### Voltage drop

Voltage drop at maximum power point at 40°C will be around **1.76 V (0.68 percent)**

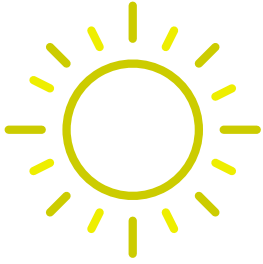




# Schematic diagram







# Performance Estimate

## Site details

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**Client**

Ricky Chadwick

**Address**

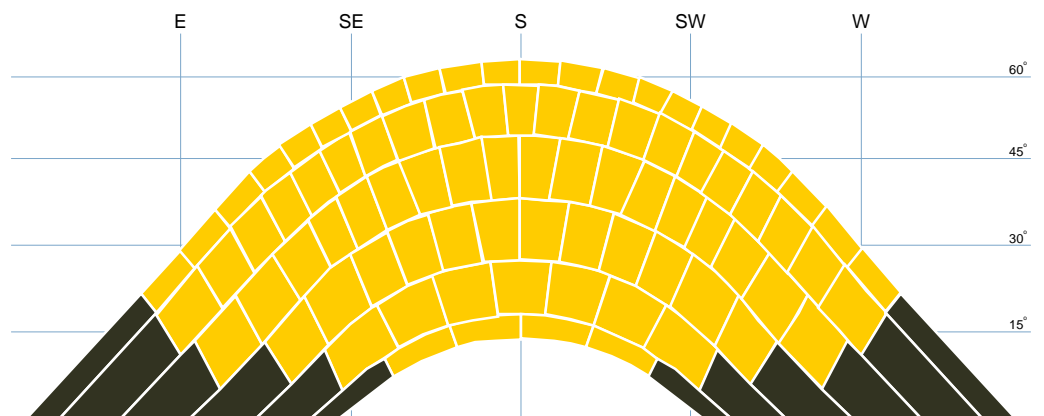
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The sunpath diagram shows the arcs of the sky that the sun passes through at different times of the day and year as yellow blocks. The shaded area indicates the horizon as seen from the location of the solar array. Where objects on the horizon are within 10m of the array, an added semi-circle is drawn to represent the increased shading. Blocks of the sky that are shaded by objects on the horizon are coloured red, and a shading factor is calculated from the number of red blocks. The performance of the solar array is calculated by multiplying the size of the array (kWp) by the shading factor (sf) and a site correction factor (kk), taken from tables which take account of the geographical location, orientation and inclination of the array.

# Inverter 1

Solis 5kw Hybrid

## Input 1



### A. Installation data

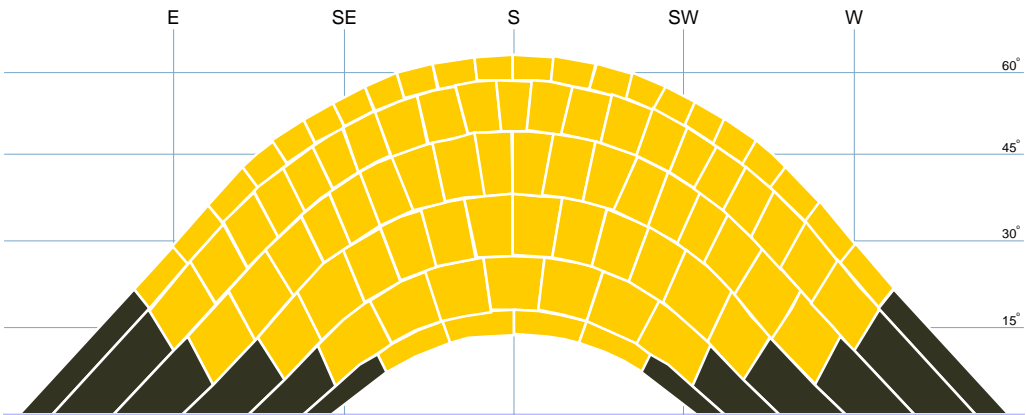
Installed capacity of PV system - kWp (stc)	3.120	kWp
Orientation of the PV system - degrees from South	0	°
Inclination of system - degrees from horizontal	30	°
Postcode region	12	



### B. Performance calculations

kWh/kWp (Kk)	953	kWh/kWp
Shade factor (SF)	1.00	
Estimated output (kWp x Kk x SF)	2973	kWh

# Input 2



## A. Installation data

Installed capacity of PV system - kWp (stc)	3.120	kWp
Orientation of the PV system - degrees from South	0	°
Inclination of system - degrees from horizontal	30	°
Postcode region	12	



## B. Performance calculations

kWh/kWp (Kk)	953	kWh/kWp
Shade factor (SF)	1.00	
Estimated output (kWp x Kk x SF)	2973	kWh

# Performance Summary

<b>A. Installation data</b>		
Installed capacity of PV system - kWp (stc)	6.24	kWp
Orientation of the PV system - degrees from South	See individual inputs	
Inclination of system - degrees from horizontal	See individual inputs	
Postcode region	12	
<b>B. Performance calculations</b>		
kWh/kWp (Kk)	See individual inputs	
Shade factor (SF)	See individual inputs	
Estimated output (kWp x Kk x SF)	5946	kWh
<b>C. Estimated PV self-consumption - PV Only</b>		
Assumed occupancy archetype	home all day	
Assumed annual electricity consumption, kWh	3500	kWh
Assumed annual electricity generation from solar PV system, kWh	5946	kWh
Expected solar PV self-consumption (PV Only)	1367.58	kWh
Grid electricity independence / Self-sufficiency (PV Only)	39.07	%
<b>D. Estimated PV self-consumption - with EESS</b>		
Assumed usable capacity of electrical energy storage device, which is used for self-consumption, kWh	9	kWh
Expected solar PV self-consumption (with EESS)	3210.84	kWh
Grid electricity independence / Self-sufficiency (with EESS)	91.74	%

**Important Note:** The performance of solar PV systems is impossible to predict with certainty due to the variability in the amount of solar radiation (sunlight) from location to location and from year to year. This estimate is based upon the standard MCS procedure is given as guidance only for the first year of generation. It should not be considered as a guarantee of performance.

The solar PV self-consumption has been calculated in accordance with the most relevant methodology for your system. There are a number of external factors that can have a significant effect on the amount of energy that is self-consumed so this figure should not be considered as a guarantee of the amount of energy that will be self-consumed



# Equipment and Services

## Equipment Costs

16x *HIB* Longi HiMo5 405W All Black Mono solar panel	£3,380.00
Solis 5kw Hybrid inverter	£1,560.00
**NET** Emlite Bi-directional Meter ECA2.nv	£58.31
Label sheet	£3.28
2x AC isolator - KN 25A 3-pole	£63.23
2 x Puredrive 5kw battery	£5,500.00
4x Pair of MC4 connectors	£13.52
DC cabling to PV array including isolators	£354.90
<b>Total equipment cost</b>	<b>£10,933.23</b>

## Services Costs

Installation of solar pv and electrical side at house	£2,200.00
Paperwork, mcs sign off etc	£500.00
Ground mount system rail and fixings for panels (not including ground works)	£2,550.00
<b>Total services cost</b>	<b>£5,250.00</b>

## Totals

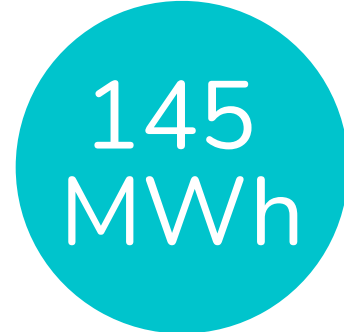
<b>Total before tax</b>	<b>£16,183.23</b>
<b>VAT at 0%</b>	<b>£0.00</b>
<b>Total including tax</b>	<b>£16,183.23</b>



# Financial

## Generation

The system is expected to generate 5946 kWh per year initially, decreasing gradually as the solar cells degrade. Over the 25 year term of this financial projection the total generation is expected to be 144991 kWh, of which 130492 kWh will be consumed on site and 14499 kWh exported.



## Payback

After adjusting projected costs and benefits for inflation, and applying a discount rate of 4%, the initial system cost of £16,183.23 is expected to be recouped after 10 years.



## Net Present Value

The total present value of future benefits and costs, using a discount rate of 4% per year, is £35,610.63. The cost of the PV system is £16,183.23. The net present value of the project is therefore £19,427.40. A positive net present value is a good indication that the project is financially worthwhile.



## IRR

The Internal Rate of Return is a useful measure for comparing the relative profitability of investments.



## Disclaimer

Our financial model calculates the benefits of a solar PV installation (such as savings in electricity, or payments for exported electricity) and costs (the initial purchase cost, and any future maintenance costs if entered), over the projected lifespan of the system. Values are corrected for inflation, system degradation, and discount rate - a measure that accounts for the fact that a promise of a monetary sum in the distant future is usually considered less valuable than the promise of the same sum in the near future.

A model is only as accurate as the assumptions it makes. You should consider whether the values chosen are appropriate for your situation. There are many variables that dictate the financial return of a solar installation and we cannot forecast how they may change in the future. This financial projection shows a likely scenario for future financial returns. Actual returns may vary significantly from this forecast.

## Assumptions

Inflation rate	2%
Cost of electricity	£0.35 /kWh <small>increases with inflation</small>
System size	6.24 kWp <small>degrades at 0.2% per year</small>
Discount rate	4%
Projection length	25 years

## Income and savings

The projected income from the system over the project lifetime in payments for generated and exported electricity, along with electricity savings, are shown in the table and graph below.

These figures assume an inflation rate of 2 percent.

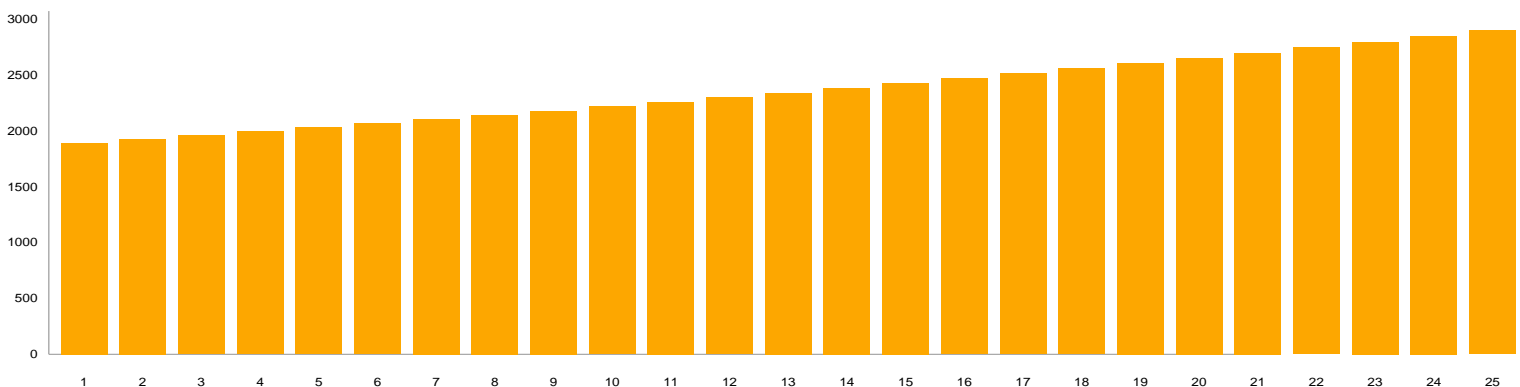
	Export payments	Electricity savings	Total
Year 1	0	1890	<b>1890</b>
Year 2	0	1924	<b>1924</b>
Year 3	0	1958	<b>1958</b>
Year 4	0	1993	<b>1993</b>
Year 5	0	2029	<b>2029</b>
Year 6	0	2066	<b>2066</b>
Year 7	0	2103	<b>2103</b>
Year 8	0	2141	<b>2141</b>
Year 9	0	2179	<b>2179</b>
Year 10	0	2218	<b>2218</b>
Year 11	0	2258	<b>2258</b>
Year 12	0	2299	<b>2299</b>
Year 13	0	2340	<b>2340</b>
Year 14	0	2382	<b>2382</b>
Year 15	0	2425	<b>2425</b>
Year 16	0	2468	<b>2468</b>
Year 17	0	2513	<b>2513</b>
Year 18	0	2558	<b>2558</b>
Year 19	0	2604	<b>2604</b>
Year 20	0	2650	<b>2650</b>
Year 21	0	2698	<b>2698</b>
Year 22	0	2746	<b>2746</b>
Year 23	0	2796	<b>2796</b>
Year 24	0	2846	<b>2846</b>
Year 25	0	2897	<b>2897</b>



**Total Export Payments**  
over 25 years



**Electricity savings**  
over 25 years



## The bottom line

The table and graph below show the discounted costs for the project (including the initial capital required for the installation), against the total discounted benefits from income and savings on electricity bills.

The system pays for itself in 10 years.

	Discounted benefits	Cumulative benefits	Discounted costs	Cumulative costs	Cashflow
Year 1	1852	1852	0	16183	<b>-14331</b>
Year 2	1810	3662	0	16183	<b>-12521</b>
Year 3	1769	5431	0	16183	<b>-10753</b>
Year 4	1728	7159	0	16183	<b>-9024</b>
Year 5	1689	8848	0	16183	<b>-7335</b>
Year 6	1651	10499	0	16183	<b>-5684</b>
Year 7	1613	12112	0	16183	<b>-4071</b>
Year 8	1576	13688	0	16183	<b>-2495</b>
Year 9	1541	15229	0	16183	<b>-954</b>
Year 10	1505	16734	0	16183	<b>551</b>
Year 11	1471	18205	0	16183	<b>2022</b>
Year 12	1438	19643	0	16183	<b>3460</b>
Year 13	1405	21048	0	16183	<b>4865</b>
Year 14	1373	22421	0	16183	<b>6238</b>
Year 15	1342	23763	0	16183	<b>7580</b>
Year 16	1311	25074	0	16183	<b>8891</b>
Year 17	1281	26356	0	16183	<b>10172</b>
Year 18	1252	27608	0	16183	<b>11424</b>
Year 19	1224	28831	0	16183	<b>12648</b>
Year 20	1196	30027	0	16183	<b>13844</b>
Year 21	1169	31196	0	16183	<b>15013</b>
Year 22	1142	32338	0	16183	<b>16155</b>
Year 23	1116	33454	0	16183	<b>17271</b>
Year 24	1091	34545	0	16183	<b>18362</b>
Year 25	1066	35611	0	16183	<b>19427</b>

