



# **ZIM Float**

## the large-scale floating PV system

- Solid steel mounting structure with a unique, long-term, and environmentally friendly corrosion protection coating
- System based on high density polyethylene floats
- System includes inverter boats, gangways and maintenance walkways, cable ducts and wave barriers
- All cables are protected from long-term water contact and direct sunlight which ensures the best conditions for cable strings and connectors
- High cooling effect of modules by air permeability, chimney effect and close range to the cooling water
- Easy, fast and space-saving assembly process for the solar boats

ZIM Float Floating PV System – Technical Data	
Design life	25+ years
Orientation of system	<ul> <li>East-west with tilt of 5° to 15°</li> <li>South orientation with tilt of 5°</li> </ul>
Wind speed	<ul> <li>Average wind speed of 160 km/h with possible local gusts of 220 km/h</li> <li>Option for higher wind loads by project-specific design</li> </ul>
Wave height	<ul> <li>0.8 m – with standard wave barrier</li> <li>With special wave barrier more possible</li> </ul>
Snow load	<ul> <li>0.48 kN/m² to 1.00 kN/m²</li> <li>Option for higher snow loads by project-specific design</li> </ul>
Material of floats	HDPE with high UV protection additive
Material of substructure	<ul> <li>Steel with a unique, long-term, and environmentally friendly corrosion protection coating</li> </ul>
Floats per solar boat	<ul> <li>4 – 12 - depending on snow load and design</li> </ul>

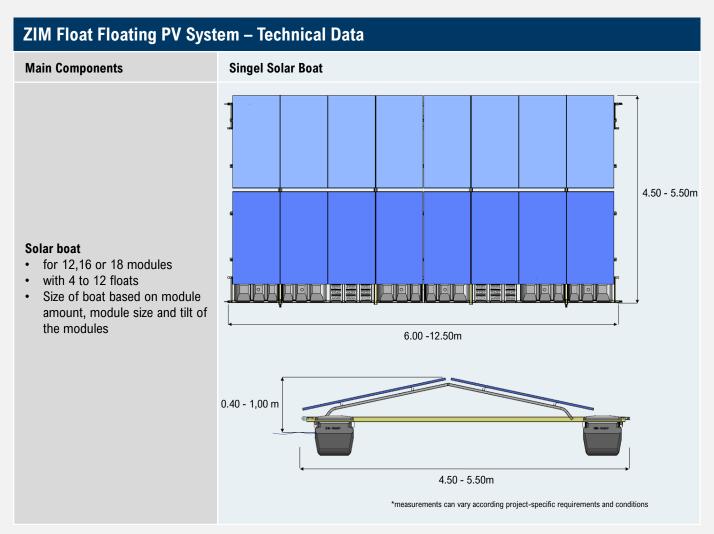




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Field of application	Fresh water (no saltwater, brackish water depending on water analysis)
Modules per solar boat	<ul> <li>12,16 or 18 panels portrait (32 or 36 with double boats)</li> </ul>
Size of panels	<ul> <li>Up to 2500x1350mm</li> <li>Option for specific modules by project-specific design</li> </ul>
Risk assessment	Risk assessment for health and safety by DNV
Warranty statement	Standard warranty 6 years with option to extend
Walk- and maintenanceways	<ul> <li>Integrated in solar- and inverter boats</li> </ul>
Integration of inverters or electrical components	Installation on integrated inverter boats possible
Integration of transformers	<ul> <li>Integration of floating transformer station possible</li> </ul>
Cabeling	Integrated cable routing for AC and DC
Land consuption	<ul> <li>Up to 2.0 MW per hectare (dep. on modules)</li> </ul>
Direct occupation of water	<ul> <li>20 % (high light transmission under panels by glass-glass modules possible)</li> </ul>
Variation of waterlevel	Depending on mooring system until minimum water level of 0,8m
Tests / Certification	<ul> <li>Risk Assessment for health and safety for assembling and operation/maintenance</li> <li>Wind tunnel test</li> <li>Dynamic analysis for static calculation of substructure</li> <li>Tests according to recommended practice DNV-RP-0584 design, development and operation of floating solar photovoltaic systems</li> </ul>
Mooring design and calculation	Project-specific economic solutions with bottom or shore anchoring









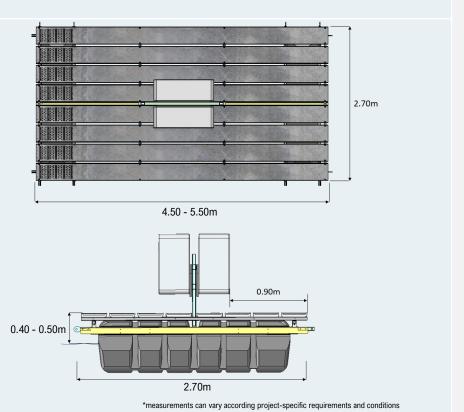


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#### **Main Components**

#### **Inverter boat**

- for inverters or other electrical components
- with 90cm wide stable walkway





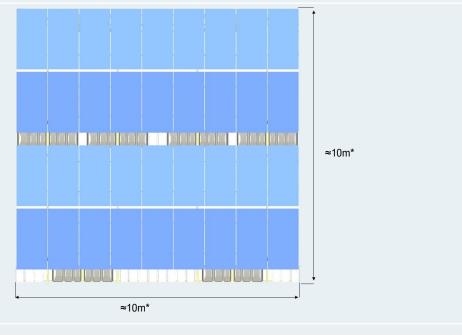


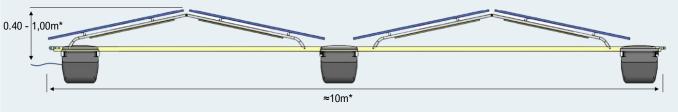
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#### **Double solar boat**

- · for 34 or 36 modules
- with 8 to 12 floats
- Size of boat based on module amount, module size and tilt of the modules
- The implementation of double solar boats is only possible in special conditions (snow and wind loads, working area etc.)





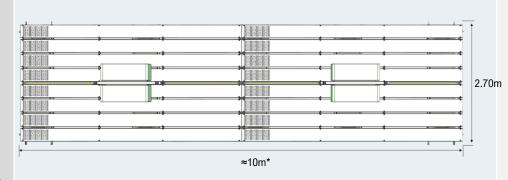
\*measurements can vary according project-specific requirements and conditions





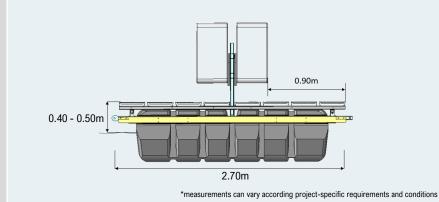
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#### Inverter boat for double boat

- for inverters or other electrical components
- with 90cm wide stable walkway



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