

# SBIM

## Intelligent Charger

Developed and manufactured by MicroStep-MIS, SBIM is a low-cost intelligent solar charger and power supply provider combined into one compact unit.





SBIM charges the 12 V or 24 V lead-acid batteries and provides power supply to the connected devices. Solar charger SBIM is suitable for majority of powering systems where battery backup is needed or precise information about power supply is required.

Charging control is performed by using powerful microcontroller and overall power consumption of charger is very low. The intelligent charger supports connection of external temperature sensor DS18S20 for measuring battery temperature. SBIM features SDI-12 interface for parameters configuration and data access. Actual status is shown by four

status LEDs and interface button brings additional features as turning off output, showing status and other. Useful multifunctional input-output terminal enlarges possibilities of SBIM with extra safety functions. Solar charger SBIM also supports PV panel stealing detection which detects manipulation with panel even at night.

Solar charger SBIM is made of durable hardware components housed in enclosure which complies with DIN 43880, thus guaranteeing problem-free operation in all common distribution boards.





#### **Electrical specification**

Number of lead-acid cells	6 (nom. 12 V) or 12 (nom. 24 V), automatic recognition		
Charging current from PV panel	up to 16 A		
Output current	up to 5 A		
Solar panel input voltage range	15 to 50 V		
Output voltage range	10.5 to 16 V (nom. 12 V battery), 21 to 28 V (nom. 24 V battery)		
Load disconnection voltage	1.75 V/CELL		
End charge voltage	2.3 to 2.45 V/CELL (adjustable) regulation error < 0.5 %		
Temperature compensation	-3 mV/°C/CELL		
Power consumption	0.7 mA (@12 V)		
Communication interface	SDI-12		

#### **Environmental specification**

Heat dissipation	passive
Operating temperature range	-50 °C to +60 °C
Storage temperature range	-60 °C to +80 °C
Humidity (non-condensing)	0 to 100 %RH

### **Mechanical specification**

Housing classification	IP 20
Housing material	polyamide
Type of connection	terminal block 16 A
Dimensions (h x w x d)	98 x 17.5 x 57 mm
Weight	52 g



BIM comparison table	SBIM	BIM103	BIM163	BIM205
12 V operation	yes	yes	yes	yes
24 V operation	yes	no	no	yes
PV panel input voltage	15 to 50 V	12 to 28 V	12 to 28 V	14 to 50 V
Charging from PV panel	up to 16 A	up to 10 A	up to 16 A	up to 20 A
Supplying from PV panel	no	no	no	yes
MPPT algorithm	no	no	no	yes
PV panel stealing detection	yes	no	no	yes
AC power source input voltage	no	15 to 25 V AC	15 to 25 V AC	15 to 40 V AC
DC power source input voltage	no	±20 to ±30 V DC	±20 to ±30 V DC	±14 to ±50 V DC
Charging from AC or DC power source	no	up to 3 A	up to 3 A	up to 10 A
Supplying from AC or DC power source	no	yes	yes	yes
Power output	up to 5 A	up to 2 A	up to 2.5 A	up to 5 A
Battery temperature compensation	yes	yes	yes	yes
SDI-12 communication interface	yes	yes	yes	yes
RS-232 communication interface	no	no	no	yes (optional)
Power consumption	0.7 mA (@12 V)	1.1 mA (@12 V)	1.1 mA (@12 V)	1.3 mA (@12 V)

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