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PV Array Frame Engineering Certification

Installation of MRac Roof Mount Solar System on Tin and Tile Roof with MC Rails

Gamcorp (Melbourne) Pty Ltd, being Structural Engineers within the meaning of Australian Building Regulations, have carried out a structural design check of MRac Roof Mount Solar System installation on tin and tile roof within Australia. The design check is based on the information and test reports provided by Xiamen Mibet New Energy Co. LTD.

This certificate is **only valid** for the MRac Roof Mount Solar System itself. The roof structure or the building structure and PV panels shall be assessed separately and accordingly.

This certificate is **only valid** when fixing into minimum 1.9BMT steel or minimum JD4 seasoned timber. If the fixing condition is different from those conditions, interface spacing shall be reviewed and validated.

This certificate is **only valid** when the roof zone definition falls into D6 of AS1170.2-2011(R2016).

This certificate is **only valid** as a whole. Any information extracted from this certificate is not valid if standing alone.

We find the Installation of MRac Roof Mount Solar System on tin and tile roof for Australian use to be structurally sufficient based on the following conditions:

- Wind loads to AS/NZ1170.2:2011(R2016) Wind actions
- Wind region **A, B, C, D**
- Wind terrain category **2 & 3**
- Wind average recurrence interval of **200 years**
- Maximum building height **20m**
- The maximum assessed PV panel dimensions are **1670mm x 1000mm**
- Weight of the PV panel and array frame to be 15 kg/m²
- Rails to be **MC Rails**
- Refer to Note 1 for the assessed components and test reports provided

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- The spacings are determined based on fixings into minimum 1.9BMT steel or JD4 seasoned timber
- Each PV panel to be installed using 2 rails minimum in all circumstances
- No PV panel to be installed within 2xs from edges and ridge. "s" is the maximum gap between the underside of the panel and the roof surface when installed on the roof ($50\text{mm} \leq s \leq 300\text{mm}$)
- Installation of PV array to be done in accordance with the PV installation manual
- The certification **excludes** assessment of roof structure and PV panels

Refer to attached summary table for interface spacing

NOTES:

- **The recommended spacing nominated in this certification is based on the capacity of the array frame, not the roof structure and PV panel. It is the responsibility of the installer to adopt the most critical spacing.**
- **If any of the above conditions cannot be met, the structural engineer must be notified immediately.**
- **Standard Tile Interface is considered reaching its serviceability limit when 3° rotation of the middle plate is observed.**
- **The spacing shown in the interface tables shall be adjusted based on the assessment and requirement of the roof structures**

Construction is to be carried out strictly in accordance with the manufacturers instructions. This work was designed by **John Zhang** in accordance with the provisions of Australian Building Regulations and in accordance with sound, widely accepted engineering principles. This certificate is only valid till 30/06/2020. Gamcorp should be contacted for future validation.

Yours faithfully,
Gamcorp (Melbourne) Pty Ltd



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Structural Design Documentation

MRac L Feet System on Tin Roof Interface Spacing Table According to AS/NZS 1170.2-2011(R2016) with MC Rail within Australia Terrain Category 2 & 3

For: XIAMEN MIBET NEW ENERGY CO.LTD



Job Number: 5172
Date: 22 May 2018

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Australian Standards

- AS/NZS 1170 – Structural Design Actions
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 - Part 2 -2011(R2016) – Wind Actions
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- AS/NZS 1664 -1997 – Aluminium Structures
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Wind Terrain Category: WTC 2 & 3

Designed: JZ

Date: May-18

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General Notes

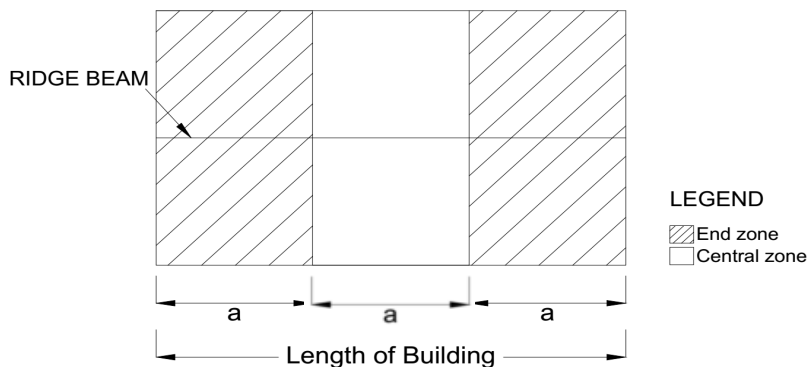
Note 1 Following components are satisfied to use according to AS/NZS 1170.2-2011(R2016)

Components	Part Number	Description
MC Rail	MC Rail	as per drawing provided by XIAMEN MIBET NEW ENERGY CO.LTD
Splice for MC Rail	Splice for MC Rail	as per drawing provided by XIAMEN MIBET NEW ENERGY CO.LTD
Inter Clamp Kit (MC)	Inter Clamp Kit (MC)	as per drawing provided by XIAMEN MIBET NEW ENERGY CO.LTD
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Standard Tile Interface	Standard Tile Interface	as per drawing provided by XIAMEN MIBET NEW ENERGY CO.LTD
L Feet Set	L Feet Set	as per drawing provided by XIAMEN MIBET NEW ENERGY CO.LTD

Note 2 Terrain category 2 (TC2) refers to open terrain, including grassland, with well-scattered obstructions having heights generally from 1.5 m to 5 m, with no more than two obstruction per obstructions per hectare.

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Note 3 For the definition of Downwind, Upwind end and central, refer figure D9 from AS/NZS 1170.2-2011(R2016).



Note 4 Screw embedment is minimum 35 mm into timber.

Note 5 Recommended Screws

Metal Purlin/Batten

Non-cyclonic Region

Cyclonic Region

Timber Rafter & Purlin/Batten

Softwood and Hardwood (35mm embedment depth or more)

Note: The spacing tables are only applicable to minimum 1.9mm BMT steel purlin and JD4 seasoned timber.

Fasteners to Use

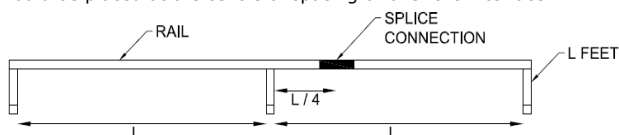
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Note 7 Number of Inter Clamp Kit (MC) required per panel

Wind Region	TC1.5	TC2	TC2.5	TC3
A	4	4	4	4
B	4	4	4	4
C	6	6	6	4
D	8	8	8	6



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MRac Tile Roof System on Tile Roof

Type of Rail: MC Rail
 Type of Interface: Standard Tile Interface
 Solar Panel Dimension: 1.67m x 1.0m
 Terrain category: **3**

Roof Angle (Φ) - $0^\circ \leq \Phi < 5^\circ$

Wind Region	Building Height - H (m)							
	H \leq 10		10<H \leq 15		15<H \leq 20			
	D.W & U.W	Central	D.W & U.W	Central	D.W & U.W	Central	D.W & U.W	Central
A	987	1242	841	1052	743	927		
B	874	1096	746	931	661	822		
C	586	727	503	622	448	552		
D	443	546	381	469	340	417		

Roof Angle (Φ) - $5^\circ \leq \Phi \leq 30^\circ$

Wind Region	Building Height - H (m)							
	H \leq 10		10<H \leq 15		15<H \leq 20			
	D.W & U.W	Central	D.W & U.W	Central	D.W & U.W	Central	D.W & U.W	Central
A	987	1501	841	1264	743	1110		
B	874	1318	746	1115	661	981		
C	586	865	503	739	448	654		
D	443	647	381	555	340	493		

D.W & U.W - Downwind and Upwind refer to note 3.

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MRac Tile Roof System on Tile Roof

Type of Rail: MC Rail
 Type of Interface: Standard Tile Interface
 Solar Panel Dimension: 1.67m x 1.0m
Terrain category: 2

Roof Angle (Φ) - $0^\circ \leq \Phi < 5^\circ$

Wind Region	Building Height - H (m)							
	H \leq 10		10<H \leq 15		15<H \leq 20			
	D.W & U.W	Central	D.W & U.W	Central	D.W & U.W	Central	D.W & U.W	Central
A	647	805	581	721	547	677		
B	576	715	518	641	488	603		
C	392	483	353	435	333	409		
D	298	366	269	330	254	311		

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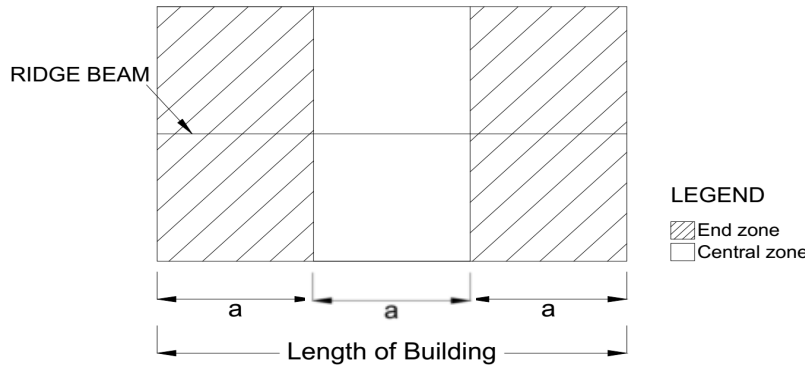
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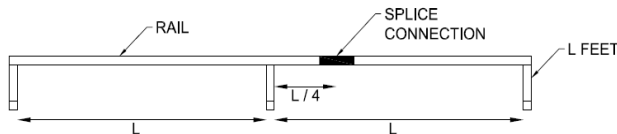
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