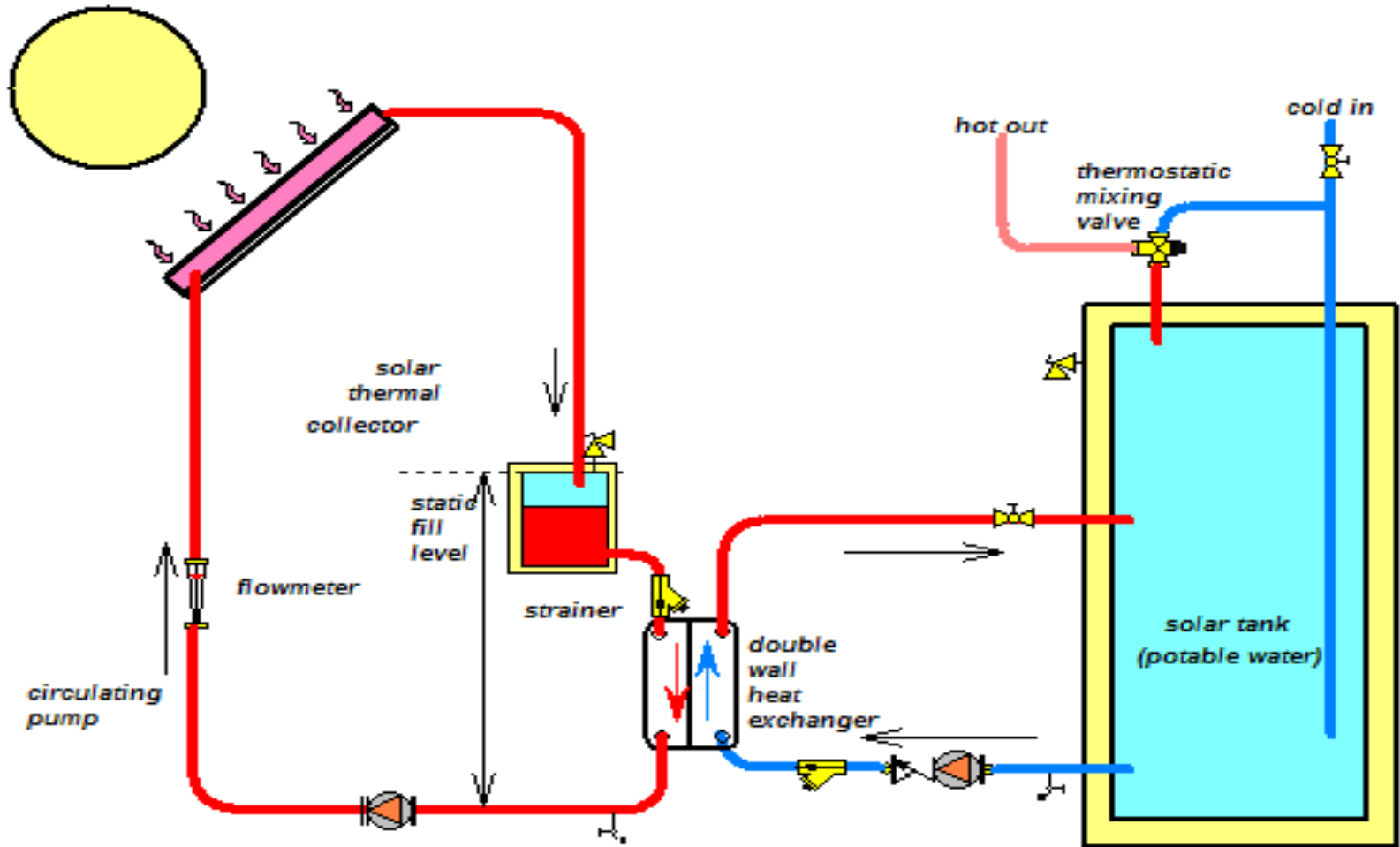
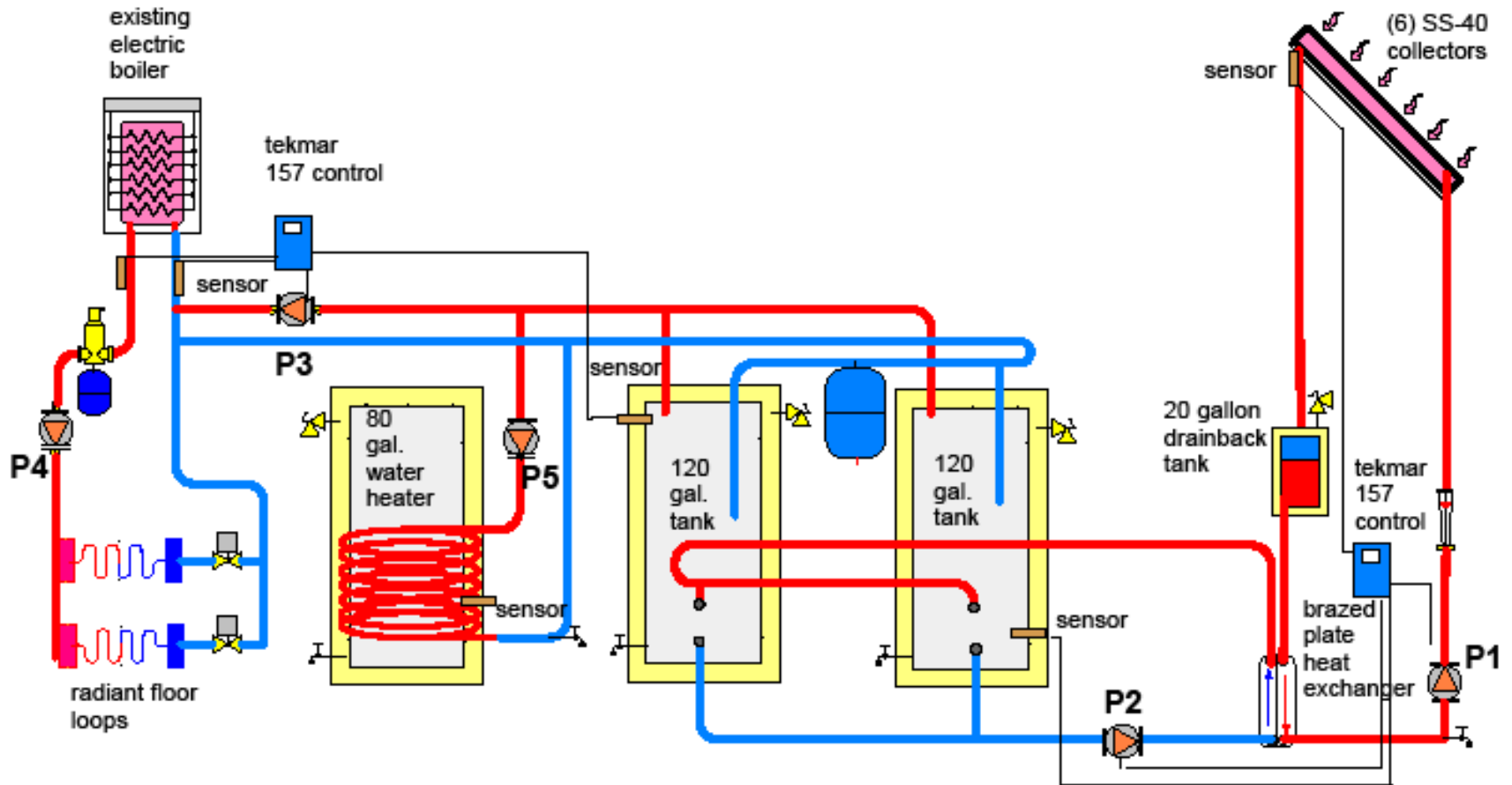


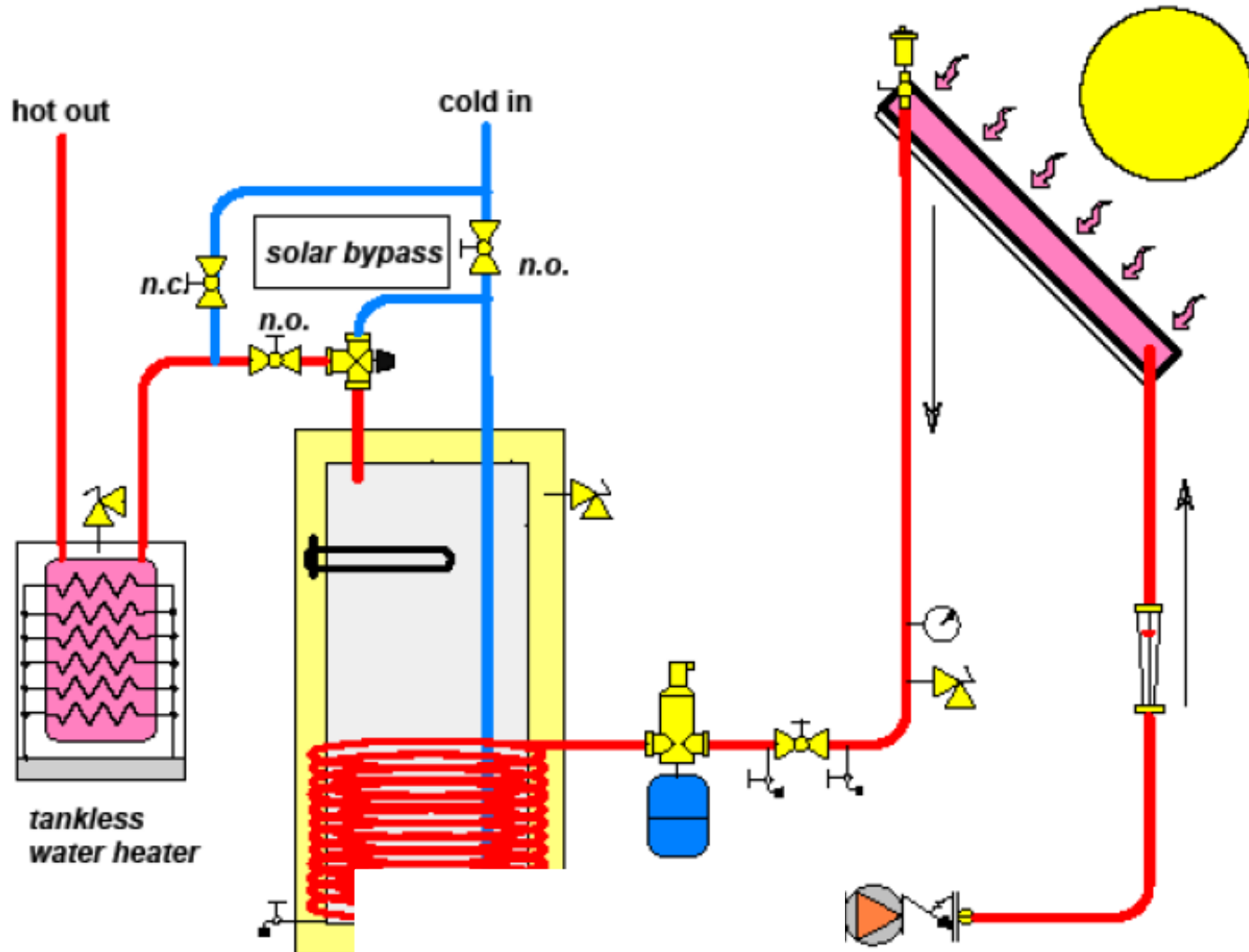
# **DRAINBACK CLOSED LOOP SYSTEM**



# **DRAINBACK HEAT and DOMESTIC HOT WATER**



# SOLAR TANK W/ WRAP AROUND HEAT EXCHANGER PRESSURIZED SYSTEM







# Solar Heat Sizing

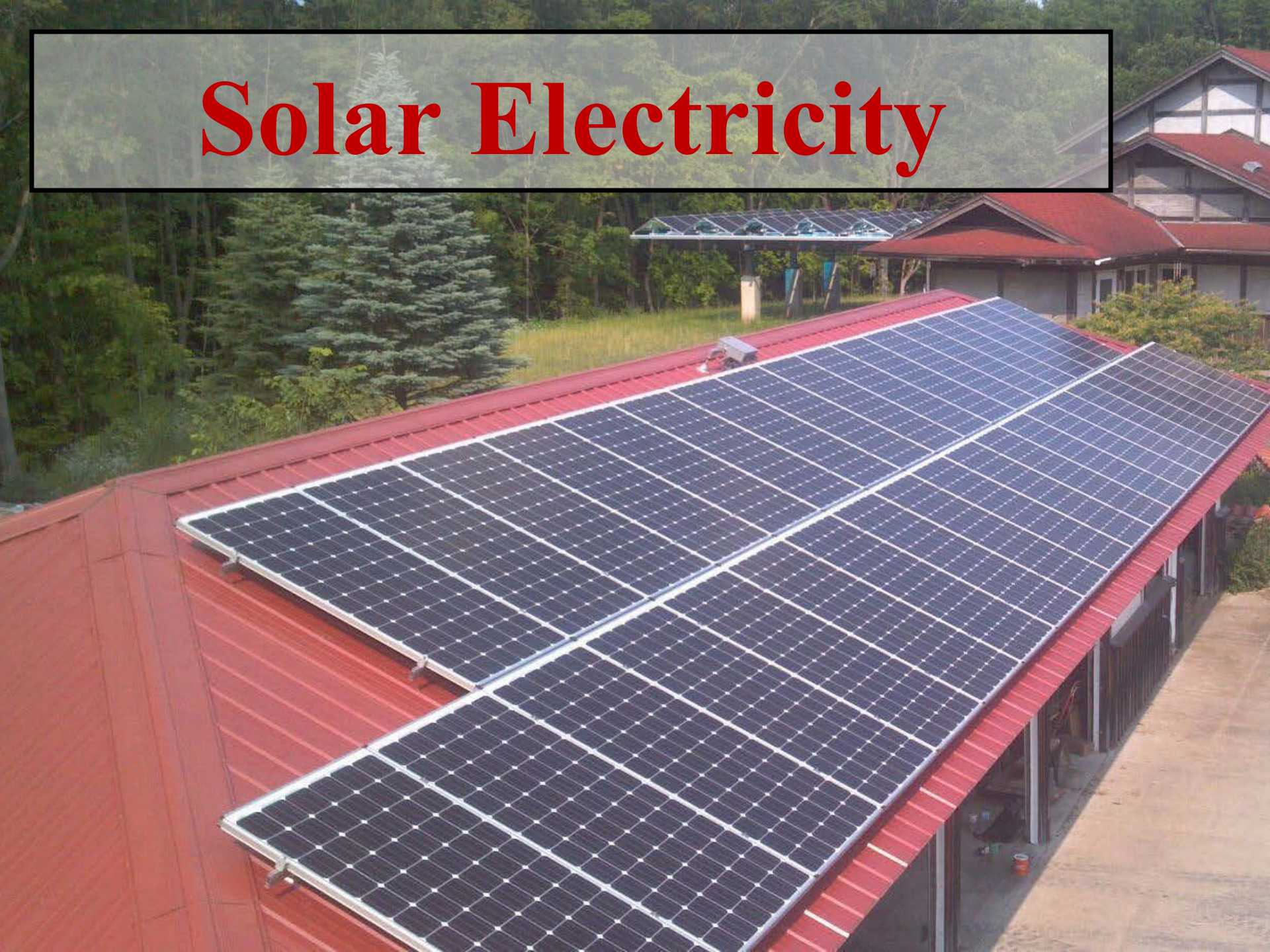
## Method 1

- **Load Analysis for SDHW - # of gallons hot water/ day**
- **.75-1.0 square foot collector surface area / gallon**

## Method 2

- **Load Analysis**
- **$(Wc) (Ts-Ti) (Cp) 8.33$**
- **$(65) (70) (1 \text{ BTU/lb. F}) 8.33 = 37901.5 \text{ btus}$**
- **Array Sizing**
- **$\text{PSH } (4.3) / 10.76 = .399 \text{ kWh} / \text{sq. ft.} / \text{day}$**
- **$.399 \times 3413 = 1361 \text{ BTUs} / \text{sq. ft.} / \text{day}$**
- **Match with thermal collector rating**

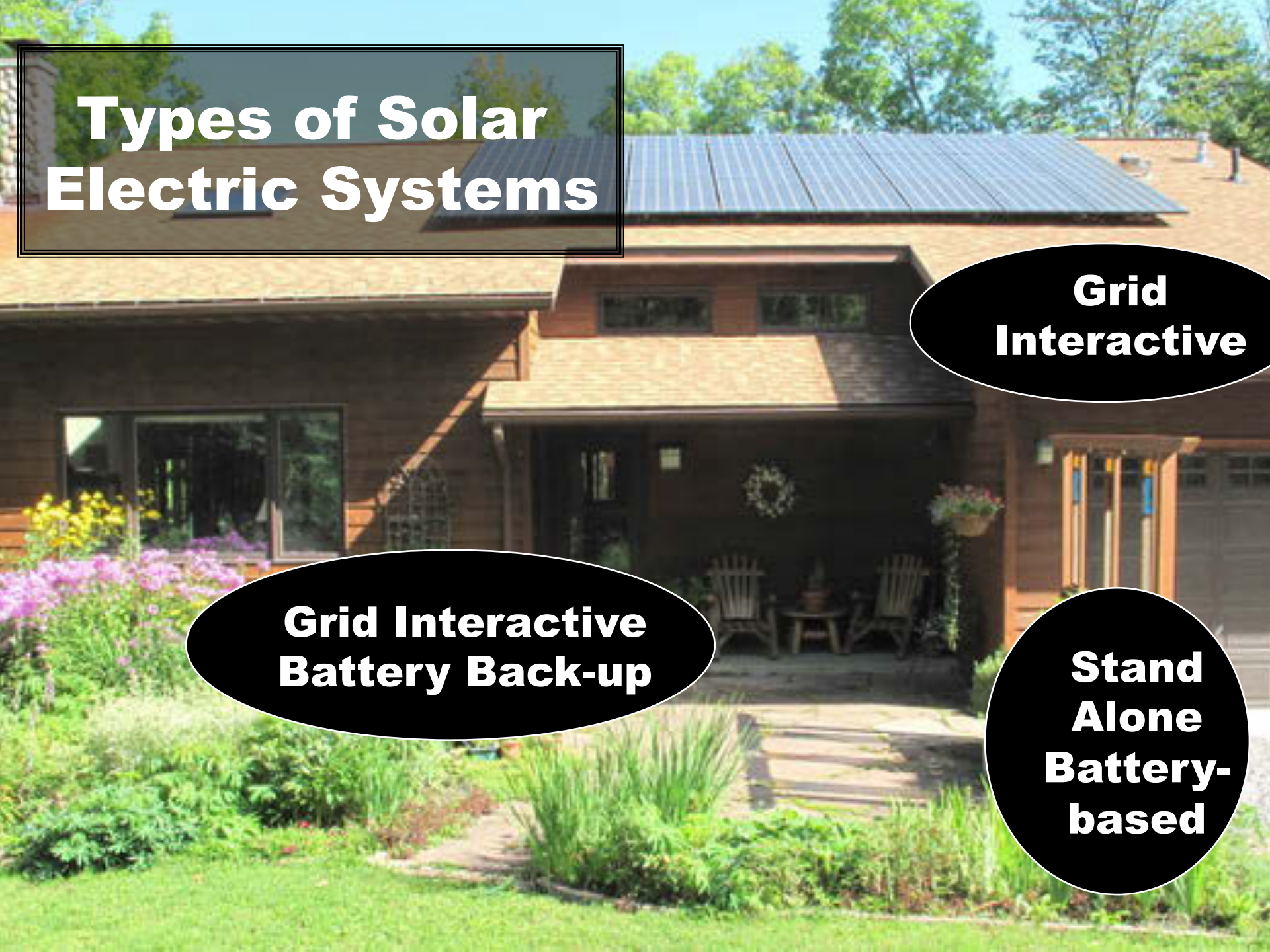
# Solar Electricity



# Types of PV Modules

- 1. Mono-crystalline Si**
- 2. Poly-crystalline Si**
- 3. Amorphous Si**
- 4. CIGS**
- 5. CdTe**



A two-story house with a brown shingled roof and dark wood siding. A large array of solar panels is installed on the roof. The house has a front porch with wooden chairs and a table. The foreground is a well-maintained lawn with various green plants and flowers.

# Types of Solar Electric Systems

**Grid  
Interactive**

**Grid Interactive  
Battery Back-up**

**Stand  
Alone  
Battery-  
based**

# Grid-Interactive Solar Electric System

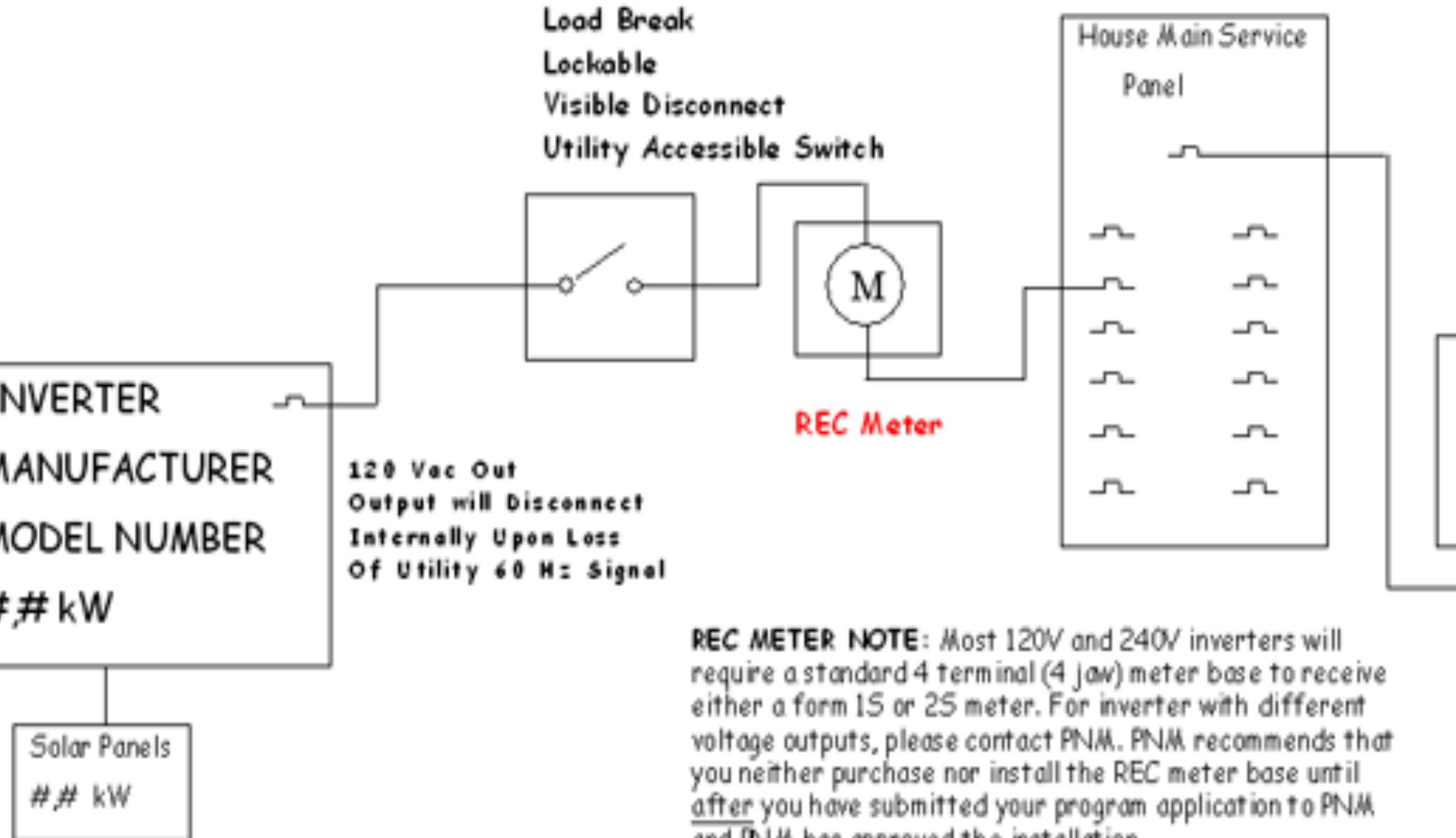
- **Rebates**
- **Battery Free**
- **Flexible budgeting**



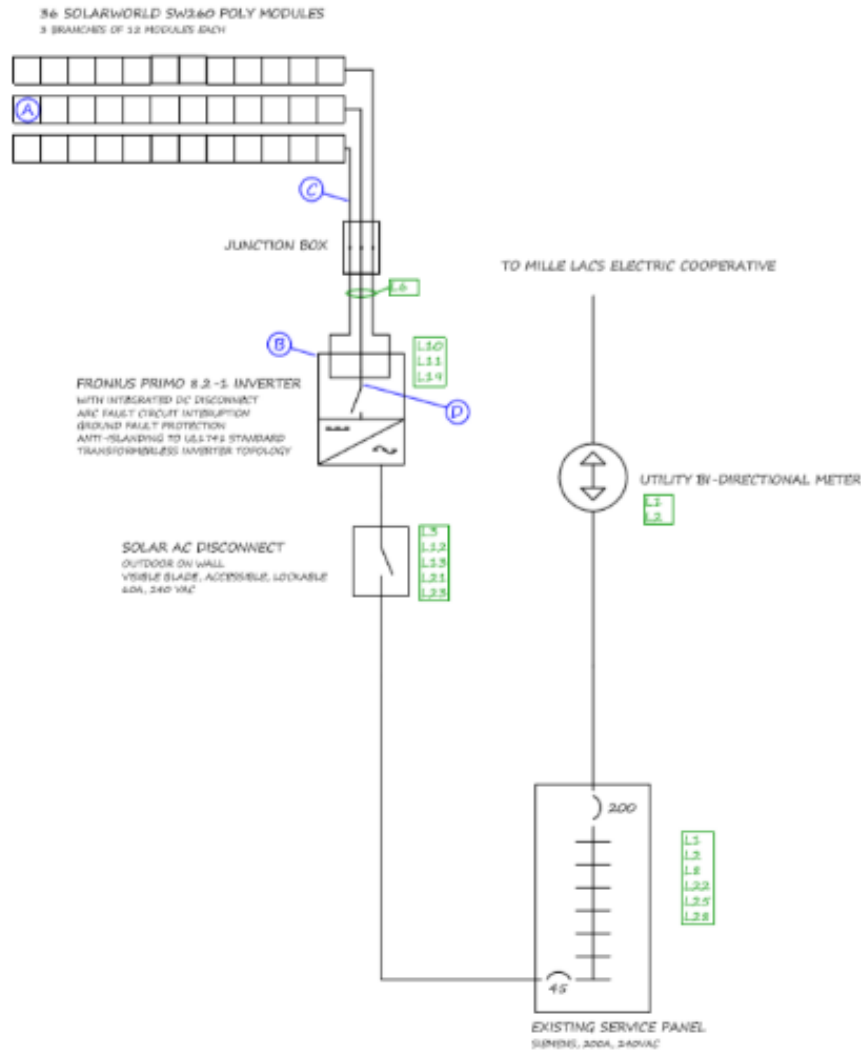
# SAMPLE ONE-LINE DIAGRAM: GRID-TIED SYSTEM

## Customer Generation Disconnect

- Load Break
- Lockable
- Visible Disconnect
- Utility Accessible Switch



# ONE LINE DIAGRAM



## NOTE:

- GROUND WIRE NOT SHOWN
- SEE SHEET L.1 FOR LIST OF NEC AND UTILITY REQUIRED LABELS
- NOT ALL EXISTING ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT SHOWN

## NEW EQUIPMENT

36 - 260W SOLARWORLD SW260POLY PHOTOVOLTAIC MODULES

## SPECIFICATIONS

A	MODULE			
	SOLARWORLD	P <sub>max</sub>	RATED	260 W
	SW260POLY	V <sub>mp</sub>	NAMEPLATE	31.4 VDC
	260W	I <sub>mp</sub>	NAMEPLATE	8.37 A
		V <sub>oc @ -40C</sub>	CALCULATED	44.14 VDC
		I <sub>sc</sub>	NAMEPLATE	8.94 A

-DC VOLTAGE MAY BE PRESENT WHEN SOLAR MODULES ARE EXPOSED TO SUNLIGHT

B	INVERTER			
	FRONIUS	WATTS, RATED	NOMINAL	8200 W
	PRIMO 8.2-1	OUTPUT VOLTAGE	NOMINAL	240 VAC
	50 KW	OUTPUT CURRENT	MAX	34.2 A
		MAX EFFICIENCY	RATED	47.0%

-INVERTER IS UL1741 LISTED  
-INVERTER HAS BUILT IN AFCI PER UL1998

C	STRING			
		P <sub>max</sub>	RATED	3120 W
		V <sub>mp</sub>	NAMEPLATE	376.8 VDC
		I <sub>mp</sub>	NAMEPLATE	8.37 A
		V <sub>oc @ -40C</sub>	CALCULATED	553.7 VDC
		I <sub>sc</sub>	NAMEPLATE	8.94 A

D ARRAY



**If the grid goes down,  
so do you!**



# Stand-alone Battery- Based System

## Pros

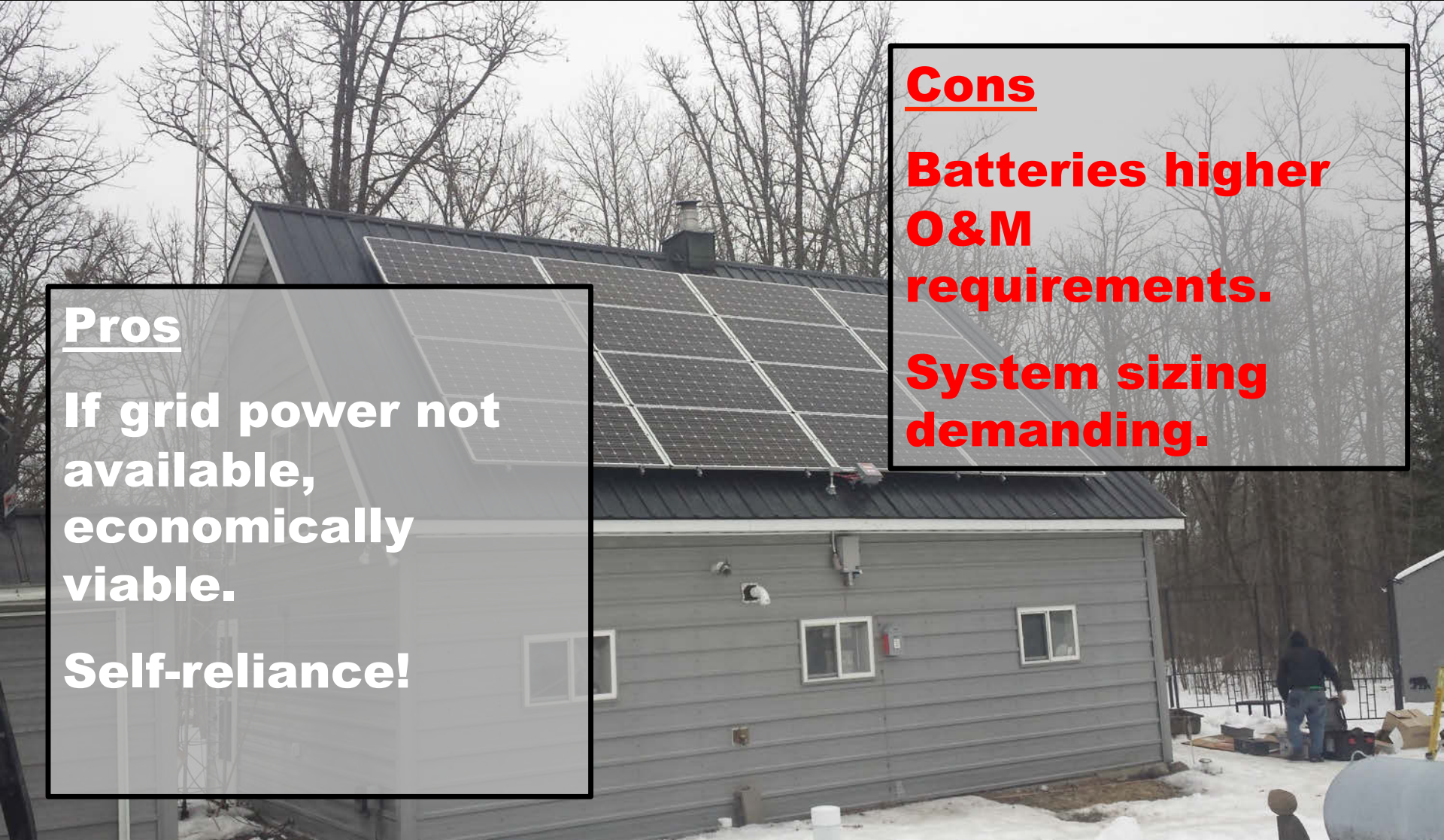
If grid power not available, economically viable.

Self-reliance!

## Cons

Batteries higher O&M requirements.

System sizing demanding.









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A photograph of a wooden building with a snow-covered roof. The building has a stone chimney on the left and several windows on the right. Large snowdrifts are piled up in front of the building, partially obscuring the base of the walls. The sky is clear and blue.

# Reality Check: Flush Mount and Snow



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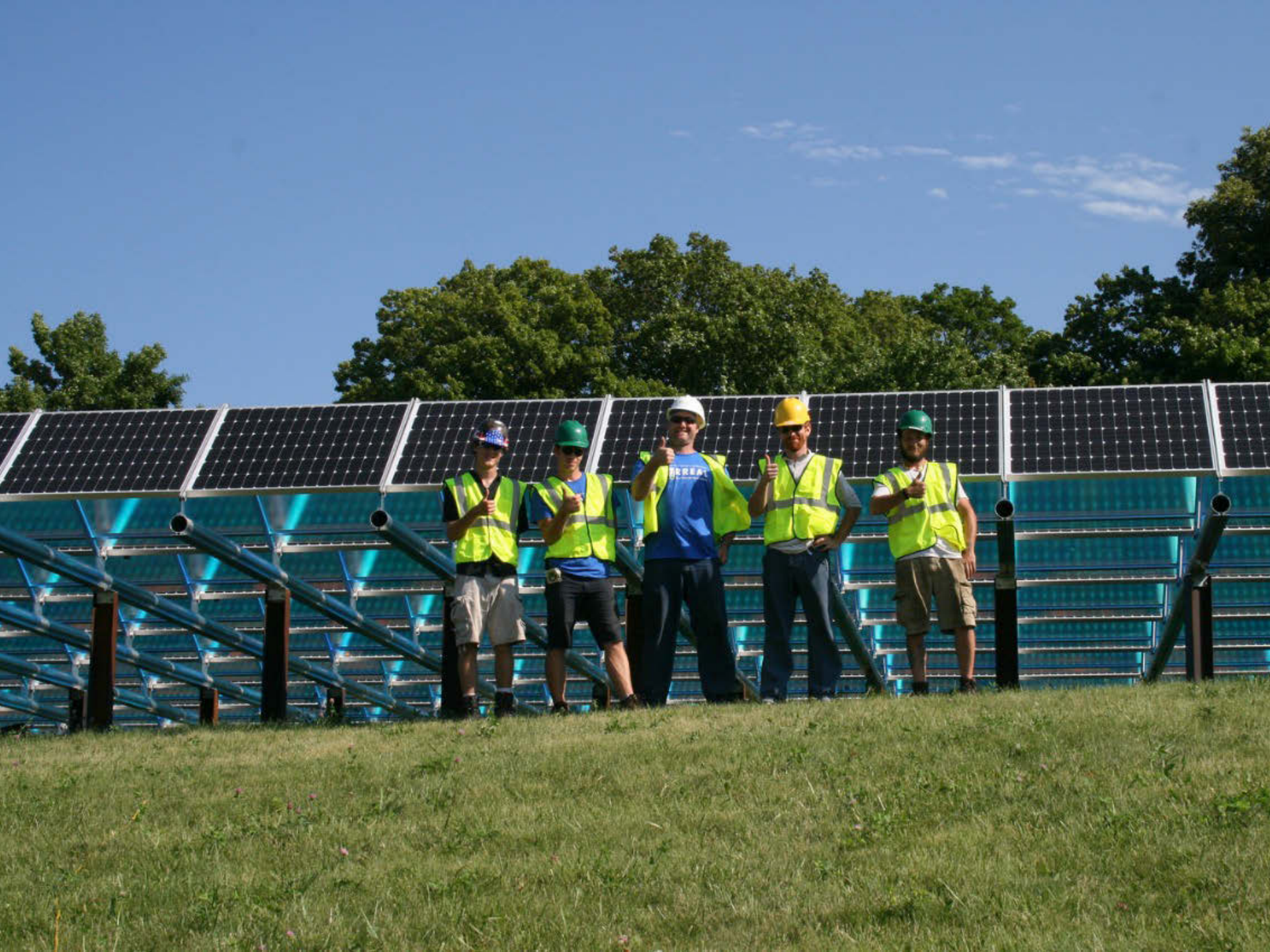














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# Solar Electric Sizing

- Load Analysis - Determine ADC (Average Daily Consumption)
- Site Analysis - Determine PSH (Peak Sun Hours)
- $ADC / PSH = PV \text{ Array Size}$
- Determine PV Make and Model
- De-rate PV module for real world application (.7 multiplier)
- Determine # of modules necessary to meet array size

# Incentives for Solar

**[http://mn.gov/commerce/energy/  
topics/resources/energy-  
legislation-initiatives/made-in-  
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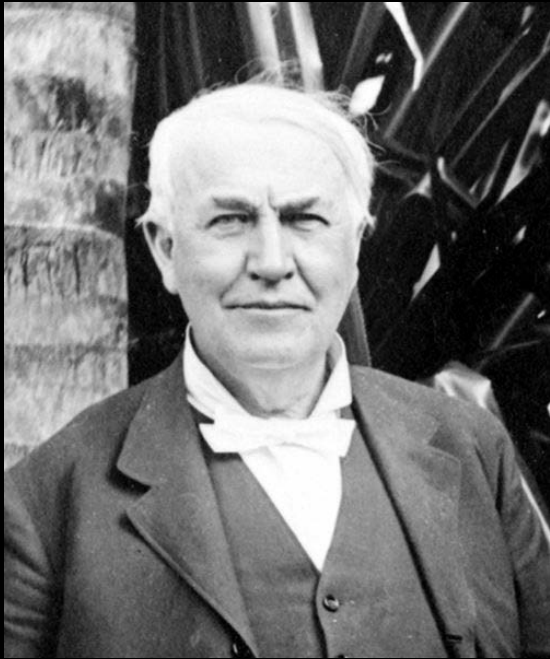
Incentives for Solar

**[www.dsireusa.org](http://www.dsireusa.org)**

**Database of State**

**Incentives for**

**Renewable Energy**



“I'd put my money on  
the sun and solar energy.  
What a source of power!  
I hope we don't have to  
wait until oil and coal  
run out before we tackle  
that.”

Thomas Edison 1931

**Thank you and  
sunny regards.**

