AS4777.1 and AS 4777.2

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Begin reading AS.

Noted on AS website, AS4777.3 is superseded by AS4777.2 (2005). Do not need to read AS4777.3 as a result. (Yay)

AS4777.1:

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Must be read in accordance with AS/NZS 5033: Installation and safety requirements for photovoltaic arrays

1.1.1: Applies to IES up to 200kVA

2.3:

Rating limit is 5kVA at max for single phase. If multi-phase, unbalance between phases must be max of 5kVA. This refers to the output of the inverter connected to the grid, not the PV array.

If 'domestic dwelling' - no point must exceed 600V. For all systems, if point exceeds 600V, the entire installation must have 'restricted access'. Restricted access if: calbling is in 'heavy duty conduit'. Equivalently, may enclose cable, from the point of excess up to and including the inverter, in a casing that cannot be opened without the use of a 'tool' - Think this just means a tool of any kind. RCD: Residual Current Device == Residual Current Circuit breaker

SECTION 3: CONNECTING IES TO MAIN SWITCHBOARD

3.1:

Vague overview of IES requirements

All switchgear must be 'enclosed against external influences' - AKA put in box

3.2.1:

IES must connect to a dedicated circuit on a switchboard. Must connect via 'fixed installation wiring' OR coupling arrangement using flexible cord (more on flex cord later).

May connect IES 'Auxillary equipment' to the main switch (Inverter supply).

3.2.2:

IES should connect directly to the main switchboard.

3.2.3:

Info about the use of 'flexible cable' - I will likely use 'fixed installation' cable - meaning it is not freely displaced without disassembly.

If the inverter has a 'connecter' - I think this is where I must make the connection between the wire and inverter - it must comply with IEC 60309-1. Inverter connections must follow rules set by manufacturer.

Inverter connection must have NO accessible live parts, under any conditions.

3.3.1:

Wires must have a current carrying capacity at minimum that which is max supplied by the IES when: Inverter provides power given input voltage not outside 'maximum input limits' of the inverter.

> - This is the maximum current suppliable by the inverter, when voltage in is within the inverter limits - this should be specified on the inverter info sheet.

If Inverter is multi-mode - it is installed to function when grid tied AND when off-grid - current capactity of wires must at min be the max of the generating output and the load input.

3.3.2:

Cables may not lie on roofs or floors without an enclosure or conduit. Must not obstruct natural water draing paths or cause accumulatino of debris. Must protect cable from wear and tear throughout its lifetime. All conduit and 'ducting' - ducting is an enclosure of anykind - shall be of a UV resistant type - defined in AS2053.1 AND AS61386.1.

All cable supports must have a lifetime greater than or equal to the expected life of the IES

3.3.3: Voltage Rise

Voltage rise between supply point and IES must not exceed 2% of the supply point voltage (EG: 257V (ish) at grid). This is calculated by using the rated current of the IES. Equations for calculating this are included Appendix C, page 58 of the standard - use these when confirming acceptablity of wire.

3.4: CONTROL AND PROTECTION

3.4.1:

Switchboard must have a main switch where the inverter supply is connected. Main switch must function according to the rated current of the IES.

3.4.2: Overcurrent

cables must protect against overcurrent following AS/NZS 3000. If no other over current protection provided, the main switch MUST be a circuit breaker. CB rating must match fault currents caused by IES output OR the supply IP. Supply IP fault currents - I think ask SAPN. Inverter fault currents - read inverter documentation.

3.4.3: Isolation Switches

Must be able to be secured in the open position. Must be able to break the rated current of the IES. Must isolate the IES from the switchboaord. Must be labelled as specified in section 6. Must be installed in accordance with AS/NZS 3000

The overcurrent AND isolation requirements may be satisfied by a single circuit breaker capable of being fixed in the OPEN position.

If the inverter is not 'adjacent' (within 3 meters, visible from each) to the switchboard, an additional isolating switch must be adjacent to the inverter, capable of being secured in the OPEN position.

The isolating device shall not be located within inverter - the inverter must be able to be disconnected while having the switch independently in OPEN. There are conditions where 3.4.3 does not need to apply - if looking to cut costs potentially look into this.

3.4.4: Central ProtectionMust have islanding protection for the grid.

Protection must be as close to the main switch as possible.

This is in addition to the Inverter protection.

Central protection settings must only be adjustable by use of a tool AND special instructions which are controlled (only by request). NOTE: 'Special interface devices' and passwords are regarded as tools. Me: perhaps a lock and key is then also ? would save on expense. Maybe electronic password is not expensive anyway..

Protection required is summarised in a table, based on the rated power of the combined IES.

If <= 5kVA per phase:

- Use AS/NZS 4777.2 for requirements.

If 5kVA < Power < 15KVA:

- Must also have Phase balance protection

If >15kVA:

- Must also have central voltage and frequency protection

3.4.4.2: Phase balance protection

3.4.4.3: Central Voltage and Frequency Protection

3.4.4.4: Connection and Reconnection Procedure

- Voltage must be maintained within the limits of AS60038 for at least 60s

- Frequency has been maintained within 47.5 to 50.15 Hz for at least 60s

- The IES and the grid are synchronised and in-phase with each other

- No external disconnect signal is present or DRM 0

NOTE: Voltages for reconnection in Australia may be in the range 205V to 255V

3.4.5: Residual Current Devices (RCDs) An RCD may be used to meet the requirements of AS/NZS 3000, in place between the switch board and the IES.

RCD must:

- disconnect all live conductors (including the actives and neutral)

- Be in accordance with the requirements specified by the inverter.

- NOTE: If inverter manufacturer requires protection GREATER than 30mA other forms of protection must be used, NOT RCDs - see AS3000

3.4.6: Demand Response Mode (DRM)

I may have a 'Demand Response Enabling Device' (DRED) - This device provides input to the inverter affecting its function, namely the output power.

Must connect it to the DRM port of the inverter.

3.4.7: IES Operational Settings Inverter Protection is covered in 4777.2

Additional changes to the IES required by SAPN must be recorded in the system manual - ME: presumably this is a logbook kept with the Inverter.

3.4.8: Export Control of IES

Export Control function may be interanl OR external to the Inverter.

Changes to Export Control Settings must require a tool.

There are:

- Hard limits: exceed max export limit

- Soft Limit: approach max export limit

3.4.8.2: Hard Limit

If net export limit is exceeded for greater than OR EQUAL TO 2 seconds, the disconnection devices (islanding switch, circuit breaker etc) must be activated.

If the IES loses connection with a component required for export control, the IES must operate the disconnection devices.

If the export control function has a hard limit set, it must detect fault of the ECF and operate the diconnection devices.

3.4.8.3: Soft Limit

If Soft Limit is exceeded, export must be adjusted within 15 seconds.

If disconnection with export control occurs, export must be reduced to soft limit (as a maximum). Connection must be stable for at least 60 seconds before reconnection to the export control function.

If export control function is required to have a soft limit, it must detect any fault or loss of operability and reduce IES active power output to zero.

SECTION 4: CONNECTION OF INVERTER TO ENERGY SOURCE

4.2:

If using flexible cable coniditons apply, listed here.

If inverters port connections meet the requirements of pluggable equipment type B, then I MUST use connectors satisfying pluggable equipment type B specs

Connectors must follow Inverter manufacturers specifications.

From a PV array connectors must follow AS5033.

4.3.1: Cabling

Cabling must follow AS3008.1 and AS3000

Positive and negative cables of individual circuits should be bundled together (I will do this) - so have positive and negative cables run back in tandem, tied together with a plastic restrainer.

4.3.2: Cable LabelsMust have a label at least every 2m.

Must state: This is an energy source cable - AND the type of energy source. Examle AS provides is 'SOLAR' Must be: permanent, legible, indelible.

If cables are enclosed, the enclosure must have labelling every 2m.

4.5: Isolation Devices

Must be installed between Energy System and Inverter.

Must be able to be secured in the OPEN position.

Must follow AS3000.

Isolation device must be adjacent to the energy system.

Semi-conductor devices ARE NOT PERMITTED for isolation purposes.

Isolating device must not be internal to the inverter.

SECTION 5: ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

5.1.1:

Inverter must have earth leakage and insulation monitoring - or have instructions on how to achieve this.

5.1.2:

Must have insulation monitoring - more in AS4777.2

5.1.3:

Residual Current Detection must follow AS5033 and manufactureres instructions.

5.2: Segregation of Circuits

If a casing has both AC and DC wires, extra coniditons apply, listed here.

All AC and DC wires must be at least 5cm away from each other or extra conditions apply, listed here.

5.3: Inverter Installation

5.3.1:

Inverter must be placed so dust, insects, water etc cannot accumulate around it as would damage the long term function of the inverter.

Should be installed in accordance with the IP rating of the Inverter. IP is a rating provided by IEC stating the extent of protection required for a given installation.

5.3.2: Equipment Weatherproofing

Protect equipment against the accumulation of rain water and condensation.

5.5: Multiple IES

5.5.1:

Where multiple inverters connect to a single main switchboard:

- There must be only one main switch

- Each IES must have its own isolating switch

Each portion foreseeable for independant testing and work must be able to be seperated by isolating switches. - Me: pretty much put isolating switches on every new wire segment.

5.5.2: Multiple inverters with <5kVA per phaseMay use a single isolating switch for all three inverters, positioned adjacent to the inverters.Addtional clauses apply, read here for more info:

If Inverters not adjacent each must have its own isolating switch.

The cabling from the inverters AC isolator to the connected inverters must

be protected against over current.

5.5.3: Inverters on the Same Switchboard

For clauses regarding multiple inverters on the same switchboard read here.

5.5.3: Inverters on different distribution switchboards

For info about mutliple inverters connected to individual switchboards read here.

SECTION 6: SIGNS AND LABELS

6.1:

All signs must have lifetime >= to that of the IES.

Must be indelible.

Clearly visible.

6.2: Signs for Main Switchboard

Must place labels on the cover of the switchboard.

Follow the instructions here when at this stage.

6.6: Demand response mode Labelling

Must label the demand response modes of the Inverter. Place label on top of

the inverter.

6.7: Signs for Shutdown Procedure

A sign detailing shutdown instructions must be positioned adjacent to the switch which provides shutdown functionality.

Required text is given herein.

6.8: Signs locatd adjacent to InvertersIsolating switches adjacent to the inverters must be labelled. Text given herein.

6.9: Signs for multiple IES

For multiple IES are present must label such that it is clear which labels apply to which equipment.

6.10: Signs for Multiple Energy SourcesIf multiple energy sources (EG: many PVs), must plce a label stating:"All energy sources shall be turned off to achieve complete isolation".

SECTION 7: SYSTEM DOCUMENTATION AND COMMISSIONING

7.2: Manual

A manual must be present on site with info about the IES. It's contents are listed herein

7.3: Verification

Must follow AS3000.

Must also record details about the inspection, conducted in accordance with AS3000. These details must be added to the manual. Read the list to know what to record prior to the inspection. This list includes the inspectors SIGNATURE

7.3.2: Initial Verification Must follow AS3000.

Must record all programmable set points and the requirements which have led to these set points.

Must include:

- person responsible for the design

- recommendation of period before subsequent verifications.

Initial verification report must be included in the manual prvided with the IES.

7.3.3: Periodic VerificationMust be performed matching the requirements of the equipment manufacturers.Must abide by AS3019

7.4: Visual Inspection Must follow AS3000 Must also follow:

- All of the requirements of AS4777 and everything else I have read.

7.5: Testing

Must follow AS3000.

Must also test export limit function, if one is installed.

7.6: Commissioning

After inspection and testing are completed the IES may be commissioned (turned on).

After commissioning, tests that must be performed are listed herein.

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5.1:

Inverters must comply with the appropriate parts of IEC 62109-1 AND 62109-2.

5.2:

Inverter must be fixed - not able to be moved.

All inverter ports must either have:

- pluggable type B connections.

OR:

- permanently connected cables.

Pluggable type B connectors must have:

- Non detachable cord

OR:

- An inlet requiring a matching connector for connection

Pluggable type B connector must NOT have:

- a type as shown in dimension sheets of AS60320.1

- A plug (defined in AS 3112). Me: presumably this is a standard socket plug

- hazardous voltages accessible by the standard test finger (defined in

IEC 62109-1)

5.3: Earth Fault / Earth Leakage Detection

If earth fault detection or residual current detection is required, it must be declared in accordance with IEC 62109-1 AND IEC 62109-2.

If a Residual Current Device is required, it will be specified in the Inverter manufacturers installation instructions. This will also specify the rating, type and required circuit location. THIS WILL BE CHECKED BY INSPECTION. 'Functionally Earthed PV Array Detection' may be necessary by AS 5033 - if so, this detection feature must, before start up of the system:
Open circuit the functional earth connection to the PV array
measure the resistance to earth of each conductor of the PV array
If the earth resistance is above that specified in table 1, the system must reconnect the functional earth and power on the system
If the resistance is equal to or below the limit, the inverter must shut down and issue an earth fault alarm in accordance with IEC 62109-2.

Table 1:

If Inverter rating is <= 20kVA:

- Resistance limit is 30 Ohms

5.4:

f and V of inverter must follow AS 60038

5.5: Displacement Power Factor Displacement Power Factor of the Inverter, when current is 25%<I<100% of the rated current output, must operate at unity power factor within the range 0.95 leading to 0.95 lagging

Operation at power factor other than unity is acceptable where the inverter is in 'power quality response mode'.

This will be tested using the 'Power Factor Test' BY AN INSPECTOR. Test is specified in appendix B.

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5.6: Harmonic Currents

Odd and Even harmonic allowable percentages are specified in the table listed within this clause.

The 'Harmonic Current Limit Test' will be applied to test this.

Inverter must also not radiate or sink frequencies for ripple control by SAPN - I must ask SAPN what these frequenices are and cross check with the inverter manufacturer.

5.7: Voltage Fluctuations and Flicker

Must abide by AS 61000.3.3: Voltage Fluctuations and Flicker limits for equipment with rated current less than or equal to 16A/phase.

If the rated current output is greater than 16A/phase (AC), if the inverter cannot meet the limits specified in AS 61000.3.3, the impedance at the connection point must be set to meet the limits. The impedence is calculated using the method specified in AS 61000.3.11. Note: P_st, P_It, Z_max or Z_ref must be included in the Inverter documentation.

Inverter must remain connected during the test and the automatic disconnection device must not activate.

5.8: Transient Voltage Limits

When the Inverter is disconnected from the grid, the transient voltages present must not exceed the values listed in Table 4 herein.

The 'Transient Voltage Test' in Appendix D will be used to test this. NOTE: The vertical line diode in diamond symbol is a full wave rectifier. It converts an AC signal into a purely DC signal. The magnitude of the DC is equal to half the amplitude of the AC. - AC negative is flipped, then all bumps are averaged, giving 1/2 the amplitude.

The 'voltage-duration' curve (a plot of voltage vs time) may be calculated by taking measurements using the 'grid interactive' port of the inverter.

Me: as a summary: Use the grid interactive port to measure voltages per time, these must lay below the limits of the table in this clause.

5.9: DC current Injection

DC offset at AC Inverter ports must not be greater than 0.5% of the rated O/P current, OR 5mA, whichever is greater. Each phase must be measured separately.

If the Inverter does not incorporate a mains frequency isolating tranformer OR does not have a dedicated external isolation transformer, the limits above must be tested FOR ALL OUPUT CURRENT LEVELS.

NOTE: I think by 'ALL', this referes to the three test voltages outlined in appendix E. Presumably, if the transformer is included, the test need not be carried out. I am not sure of this. Therefore, I recommend to carry out the test in A:E regardless.

Test is the 'D.C current Injection Test' in Appendix E.

5.10: Current balance for three-phase inverters

When the Inverter three phase output is connected the grid, each wire must be within 5% of one another. measurements must be taken at the rated current.

This is tested by simulating a connection to the grid and measuring. There are no further 'test' instructions in the appendix.

If the inverter has a voltage balance mode (6.3.2.4) this clause does not apply.

6.1: All following clauses in section 6. pertain to the grid interactive port of the inverter only, unless otherwise stated.

6.2.1: Demand Response Mode

The inverter must have DRMO : Operate the disconnection devices. It must respond to this setting within 2s of the setting being activated.

The DRM may be provided by an internal or external component of the Inverter.

While in DRMO state, the inverter must continue to abide by all of the previous and future clauses (5 - 7).

The tests required to be satisfied are outlined in Appendix I. This involves the construction of numerious circuits and taking measurements which must be within specified bounds.

(Must read all of Appendix I to note what I need to do in preparation)

6.2.2: Interaction with Demand Response Enabling Device.

Summary on DREDs: Given an input 'ripple' detected at the grid, a DRED recognises the ripple and converts it to a signal the Inverter is able to act upon, according to the setting of the DRED for that particular ripple.

The Inverter must have a means of connecting to a DRED. This can either be from a terminal block or a RJ45 socket. Either method must have the I, V, Dielectric and resistance limits specified in the table herein:

I: >= 1.5A V (r.m.s): >= 125V Dielectric strength (V r.m.s, 50Hz, 1min): >= 1000V Insulation Resistance

These are the minimum values the RJ45 socket or terminal block must be rated as being able to withstand.

The DRED will internally short together terminals (terminal block) or pins (RJ45 socket) to simulate the DRMs.

The inverter must not inject more than 30mA (DC or AC) into:

- terminals DRM1/5, DRM2/6, DRM3/7, DRM4/8 for a terminal block
- Pins 1,2,3,4 for an RJ45 socket

The voltage drop over the DRED and associated wiring must not exceed 1.6V when 'nominally shorted' - Me: I think this means when any shorting occurs in line with DRMs

The inverter must not supply more than 34.5V to any DRM connection at any time

If the impedeance between pins 5 and 6 is above 20kOhm, DRM0 must be activated.

The DRED may activate multiple DRM simultaneously, in which case all modes must be satisfied. If a combination shorts terminals 5 and 6, DRM0 must activate.

If DRM3 or DRM7 are supported, the reactive power set-point must be default set to operate at unity power factor. The reactive power set point must be adjustable up to a minimum of 60% of the Inverters kVA rating.

The inverter may provide a power supply for the DRED. If so, it must be DC and of a voltage less than 34.5V

If an RJ45 socket is used, pins 7 and 8 may be used as the power supply. They must be able to provide a minimum of 0.5A at 6V. If not, the inverter must short together pins 7 and 8.

NOTE: ONLY DRMO IS REQUIRED, ALL OTHERS ARE OPTIONAL - I CAN IGNORE THEM.

6.3: Power Quality Response Modes

6.3.1:

The inverter may have settings which enable:

- Volt response modes
- Fixed Power Factor or Reactive Power Mode
- Power Response Mode
- Power Rate Limit

IF these settings are adjustable, the setting set must follow all the clauses in this document.

Compliance must be tested by using Appendix I tests.

6.4: Multiple-Mode Inverter Requirements

6.5: Security of operational settings

All demand response and power quality response mode settings must only be adjustable by use of a tool - note: a password is a tool.

COMPLIANCE WILL BE DETERMINED BY INSPECTION.

7: Protective functions for connection to electrical instillations and grid

7.1:

An automatic disconnection device must activate when connection with the grid is lost. It must prevent injection of energy into the 'point of supply' presumably this is the PV array. It must prevent islanding.

Disconnection must activate if:

- supply from the grid is lost
- grid goes outside of required parameters
- if DRM0 is asserted

7.2: Automatic disconnection

When activated the ADD must prevent energy flow into the grid. The ADD does not need to disconnect sensing equipment.

The ADD must:

- Be able to withstand an impulse voltage likely to occur at the point of installation, or have an appropriate contact gap.

- With a fault applied to the inverter or the ADD the ADD must disconnect.

The ADD must be able to interupt AT LEAST the rated current.

The settings of the ADD must not exceed the capability of the inverter.

ADD cannot be a semiconductor.

7.3: Active anti-islanding

The ADD must have AT LEAST one method of active anti-islanding. Examples of possible methods are:

- frequency shift
- frequency instability
- power variation
- current injection

All these methods attempt to detect a zero input power from the grid.

The active anti-islanding system must operate the ADD if island detected within 2s.

Compliance with the above is by the test specified in appendix F.

7.4: Passive Anti-islanding Protection

The ADD must include:

- Under/Over voltage protection
- Under/Over frequency protection

If voltage or frequency falls outside the limits set in table 13 herein, the ADD must activate AFTER x and BEFORE y seconds (in table). If conditions fall back inside the limits the ADD need not be activated. The inverter O/P may be stopped independently before the minimum time. Test for this is in Appendix G.

7.5: Limits for sustained operation

7.5.2: Sustained operation for voltage variations

Inverter must activate the ADD within 3s if the average voltage for a 10min period falls outside 'V_{nom_max}'. V_nm is between 244 and 258V.

This disconnection must not interfere with the operaion of anti-islanding requirements discussed previously.

The default set point for V_nm in Australia is 255V.

The 10min average value of V must be compared with V_nm AT LEAST every 3s determine when to disconnect

Test is listed in Appendix H.

7.5.3: Sustained operation for frequency variations

7.5.3.1: Response to an increase in frequency

Limits of frequency are between 47Hz and 50.25Hz.

If f is greater than 50.25Hz, the Power output must decrease lineaerly with frequency. until f_stop is reached. f_stop is between 51 and 52Hz.Default set point for f_stop must be 52Hz. There is an equation for the required power output as a function of frequency included herein.

When the grid frequency drops below 50.15Hz or less for at least 60s the power level must be increased at a rate no greater than the 'power rate limit' (specified in clause 6.3.5 - I have not read this yet as it is covered in the Power Response Mode section), until the maximum power output is reached.

Unconstrained power operation may recommence 6min after the frequency drops below and remains below 50.15Hz.

Test is covered in Appendix H.

7.5.3.2: Response to a decrease in Grid Frequency

This requirement applies only to inverters with energy storage.

7.6: Disconnection on External Signal

If an 'external signal' or DRMO condition is asserted, the ADD must operate within 2s.

'External signal' summary : Me: There is an outline of how to ensure this condition is satisfied in the test, what the signal is I am not sure but it is sufficient to check compliance.

Test is covered in Appendix I.

7.7: Connection and Reconnection Procedure

Reconnection must only occur after:

- Voltage of the grid has been maintained within the limits of AS60038 for AT

LEAST 60s

- Frequency of the grid has been maintained within 47.5Hz and 50.15Hz for at least 60s

- the inverter and the grid are synchronized and in-phase with each other

- No external signal is present or DRMO asserted requiring disconnection.

After reconnection, the power increase rate must be limited as in clause 6.3.5. Unconstrained power output may resume once the rated power output of the inverter is reached OR the limit of the power supply is reached.

Test is covered in Appendix F and G.

7.8: Security of Protection Settings

Internal settings of the ADD must require the use of a tool for adjustment.

The manufacturer settings of Clause 7.4 must not be adjustable after installation

Compliance will be determined BY INSPECTION.

8: Multiple Inverter Systems

8.2: Current balance across phases

Applies to 3 single phase inverters providing a 3-phase output.

8.3: Grid disconnection

When any inverter disconnects, all inverters must disconnect within 2s after the first.

8.4: Grid connection and reconnection

All the conditions of Clause 7.7 must be met on all phases before ANY reconnection occurs.

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Summary of AS4777.1

Cables:

- Min Capacity is max I out for max V in of Inverter
 - Read inverter info sheet
- Wires on ground must be enclosed
- Wire casing must follow AS2053.1 AND AS61386.1
- Cables must protect against over-current
 - Read AS3000
- If no overcurrent protection in wires mains switch must be a CB rated for
- fault currents in Inverter and grid supply
 - Read Inverter info sheet
 - Ask SAPN about grid fault currents (AS4777.1:3.4.2)
- CB must be able to:
 - Break rated current of IES
 - Be secured in OPEN position
 - Installed following AS3000
- Must limit voltage rise from grid to Inverter to <2% of grid V.
- PV to Inverter cables must follow AS3008.1 and AS3000
 - Read AS3008.1
- Pos and Neg cables must run together
- Cables between Inverter and PV array must be protected against overcurrent

Connections

- Must use 'pluggable equipment type B' as in IEC60309-1

- Read IEC60309-1: pluggable equipment type B

- PV connections must follow AS5033

- Read AS5033

Positioning

- Inverter must be within 3m of main switch board

Reconnection

- Must maintain V within limits of AS60038 for 60secs

Protection

- May need RCD if AS3000 says so

- Read AS3000

- Isolation device must be between PV and Inverter. Must follow AS3000, AND

able to secure in OPEN position

- Read AS3000

- Inverter must have earth leakage and insulation monitoring

- Read Inverter info sheet

- If RCD's, they must follow AS5033

- Read AS5033

- Inverter must be setup following it's IP rating from IEC 60529

- Read IEC 60529

Manual

- List additional changes enforced by SAPN in the logbook

- Must follow AS3000 and AS4777.1:6

- Read AS3000

Labelling

- Label cable with "ENERGY SOURCE CABLE","SOLAR"

Mains

- If 5kWA < IES < 30kWA the mains switch must be a 3-pole main switch

Inspection

- Periodic inspection following AS3019

- Read AS3019

Testing

- Perform tests at the end of 4777.1

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NEXT STEPS

- 1. Read all remaining AS and IEC documents
- Summarise Inverter requirements and ask retailers about inverters which satisfy these specs. Asking for AS4777.2 compliant inverters may expedite this process.
- 3. Summarise requirements for cabling and look for cable satisfying these requirements
- 4. Read AS4777.2 Tests and summarise what testing equipment I need
- 5. Summarise needed safety specs and use these to design circuit. Using the template provided in AS4777.1 may expedite this process.
- 6. Search for safety parts (CBs, DREDs, Isolators etc) required and their costs
- 7. Inquire about cost of electrical licence and timeline to attain
- 8. Inquire about cost of CEC licence and timeline to attain.