

# Factory Limited Warranty for Inverter System (For Europe)

# **Limited Product Warranty**

Sigenergy Technology Co., Ltd. and its affiliates ("SIGENERGY") warrants that the hardware of electronics and enclosure will be free of defects caused by improper workmanship or defective materials. This Limited Product Warranty is valid only for the duration of the applicable "Warranty Period" defined in the table below and is subject to the following terms and conditions:

Covered Product*	Warranty Period (years)
Sigen Hybrid Inverter	10
Sigen PV Inverter	10
Sigen Power Sensor	2
Sigen Communication Module	2
Sigen Gateway	5

<sup>\*</sup>Installed on or after November 1st, 2023

The warranty period shall commence on the earlier of the following dates (the "Start Date"):

- (i) The date when the product is installed, activated, and registered on site.
- (ii) If the product has not been installed, activated, and registered on site within 180 calendar days after the date of shipment from Sigenergy's designated factory (as evidenced by the Bill of Lading or factory dispatch records), then the Start Date shall be the 180th calendar day after the date of shipment.
- (iii) The Sigen Gateway is warranted for proper functionality under normal operating conditions. However, the following wear-prone components are covered for only **two (2)**years from the start date: circuit breakers, contactors, auxiliary contacts, Indicator lights, changeover switch contacts, lock components, and similar consumable components (not exhaustive).

# **Precondition For Warranty**

This Warranty is subject to the following conditions:

- (i) If the equipment is not to be installed or used immediately, the storage environment needs to meet the following conditions
  - a. Storage temperature: -40°C ~70°C
  - b. Storage humidity: 0%RH~95%RH (no condensation).
  - c. Place the equipment in a cool place where away from direct sunlight and rain
  - d. Keep the equipment away from inflammable, explosive, and corrosive matters
- (ii) The ambient temperature during the operation of the products shall not fall below -30°C or exceed 60°C.
- (iii) The inverter system shall be installed by a skilled and trained installer.



- (iv) The inverter system installation location must be ventilated in accordance with the requirements of User Manual and Installation Guide.
- (v) To provide a ten-year (10-year) limited warranty on the inverter, SIGENERGY will update your equipment with a remote firmware upgrade from time to time. These remote upgrades may briefly disrupt the operation of the appliance. By connecting your equipment to the internet, you agree that SIGENERGY may update the firmware of your equipment's features without further notice. If your equipment has not been connected to the Internet for a month, we will notify you to connect your equipment to the Internet. If the equipment continues to be disconnected for an extended period of time. In this case, we may not be able to honor the full ten-year warranty commitment. However, we always provide a five-year warranty from the start date.

#### **Claim Process**

The claimant can make service request by creating and submitting service ticket to SIGENERGY via APP. Please follow the instructions and steps in "support" menu of mySigen APP. Generally, the mySigen APP will automatically collect the following information before claimant submit service ticket:

- (i) Contact information of claimant, including name of the person, phone number, email and address.
- (ii) Information regarding all defective system, including model No., serial number, installation date and failure date.
- (iii) Error message on APP screen and additional information regarding the fault/error.
- (iv) Description of trouble shooting actions before the failure and detailed information of previous problems.

Please make the claim within 30 days from the failure date, otherwise SIGENERGY will treat it as you have abandoned the right to make a warranty claim.

If this way is not available, please have above information to hand as it may be required when contacting the local installer or SIGENERGY's national office.

In order to deliver a friendly and timely service, SIGENERGY is cooperating with many of distributors, installers and third-party service company all over the world. As such, please treat them as the default service channel of SIGENERGY; SIGENERGY will support and audit them to ensure they deliver a good service to customers.

SIGENERGY shall at its own discretion, remote diagnosis, modify and update software by Internet. Each time a warranty claim is made against the Products that have no internet connection, claimant is obliged to conduct an on-site inspection and data collection under the instruction of SIGENERGY. When there is hardware need to repair, SIGENERGY shall arrange an on-site replacement / exchange of hardware. The claimant is responsible for granting access, making time, and ensuring the safety of technician from SIGENERGY's service partner.



## **Warranty Obligations**

Upon validation of a covered defect during the warranty period, SIGENERGY shall determine and implement one of the following remedies at its sole discretion:

- (i) Fix the issue through configuration changes, software updates, and part replacements when required.
- (ii) The inverter system shall be replaced with a new unit. Alternatively, a factory-refurbished unit matching the original functional specifications may be supplied. Where applicable, an upgraded model demonstrating equivalent performance is also permissible.

  If SIGENERGY repairs or replaces a product part, its warranty continues for the remaining portion of the Warranty Period or 6 Months from the date of the repair or replacement, whichever is greater. In case of replacement, the product removed shall become the property of SIGENERGY. If the system is found not to be covered by this Limited Warranty, SIGENERGY reserves the right to charge a handling fee. The warranty can only be transferred

from the original owner to next owner in case the equipment is still installed in the initial

### **Warranty Cover Range**

location.

Unless a special/unique agreement exists between SIGENERGY and customer, the limited warranty covers:

- (i) Hardware materials costs for necessary to reestablish trouble-free operation of the covered product.
- (ii) Shipment cost which is normal ground transportation and customs duties for spare parts replaced as well as the cost of sending allegedly defective unit back.

Travel and accommodation fee of service on site as well as costs related to claimant's employees, unless otherwise agreed in writing in advance by SIGENERGY, are NOT covered by the limited warranty.

All other costs including but not limited to compensation from direct or indirect damages arising from the defective product, or loss of electrical power generated during the product downtime are NOT covered by the limited warranty.

#### **General Exclusions**

This Limited Warranty does not apply to circumstances from the following,

- (i) Damage caused by improper installment by the installer not following the installation instructions.
- (ii) Damage caused by improper use by the end user not following the user manual.
- (iii) Damage caused by willful conduct of users, authorized installers and certified third parties.
- (iv) Disassembly, repairs and replacement of parts by third -party/personnel not authorized by SIGENERGY.
- (v) Force majeure (storm damage, lightning strike, fire, thunderstorm, flooding, pests, etc.)



- (vi) Cosmetic issues, wear and tear, which will not adversely affect the proper functioning of the product.
- (vii) Damaged by software, interfacing, parts, supplies or other products not supplied by SIGENERGY.
- (viii) Damage caused during transport, exceeding of temperature and humidity range during use,improper environment such as load bearing, heat dissipation, and air tightness.
- (ix) Any rust that appears on the equipment's enclosure caused by harsh environmental conditions, accidents and external influences.
- (x) Vandalism, engraving, labels, irreversible marking or contamination or theft.
- (xi) Damage caused by external power parameters that cannot meet the standard requirements of equipment operation, such as voltage imbalance, over-voltage, voltage drop or surge, etc

# **Limitation of Liability**

It is the end user's sole and exclusive remedy against SIGENERGY and SIGENERGY's sole and exclusive liability in respect of defects in inverter system. This limited warranty\*\* replaces all other SIGENERGY warranties and liabilities, whether oral, written, (non-mandatory) statutory, contractual, in tort or otherwise, including, without limitation, and where permitted by applicable law, any implied conditions, warranties or other terms as regards satisfactory quality or fitness for purpose. However, this limited warranty shall neither exclude nor limit any of your legal (statutory) rights under the applicable national laws. To the extent permitted by applicable law(s), SIGENERGY does not assume any liability for any loss of, damage to or corruption of data, for any loss of profit, loss of use of inverter systems or functionality, loss of business, loss of contracts, loss of revenue or loss of anticipated savings, increased costs or expenses or for any indirect loss or damage, consequential loss or damage or special loss or damage, or punitive loss or damage. To the extent permitted by applicable law, SIGENERGY's liability shall be limited to the purchase value of the inverter system. The above limitations shall not apply in case of gross negligence or intentional misconduct of SIGENERGY or in case of death or personal injury resulting from SIGENERGY's proven negligence.

\*\* In some countries/districts, end users may receive an additional warranty promise (should be at least equivalent to the manufacturer's warranty) which is provided by SIGENERGY's local distributor; should any claims arise in this respect, please direct them to the local distributor. Please note this SIGENERGY limited warranty statement may NOT be the latest version, please refer to the latest version of the SIGENERGY limited warranty by visiting global website.