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To Whom It May Concern:

Re: Yaskawa Solectria XGI Inverter Series

Yaskawa Solectria Solar (YSS) is pleased to introduce its latest innovation in inverter technology with the XGI Inverter Series. The XGI 1000 Commercial String inverter and the XGI 1500 Utility-Scale Inverter meet the requirements and qualify under the Buy American Act, as further explained below.

XGI Series Inverters: Made in the USA with global components

YSS manufactures the XGI 1000 and XGI 1500 inverters at Yaskawa's state-of-the-art facility in Buffalo Grove, IL. The Federal Trade Commission provides guidance on qualifying with its **Made in USA Standard**, and the proper application and use of the term "Made in the USA" (<https://www.ftc.gov/system/files/documents/plain-language/bus03-complying-made-usa-standard.pdf>). The XGI Series Inverters meet the standard. The XGI Series Inverters are Made in the USA with global components.

XGI Series Inverters: Compliant with the Buy American Act of 1933 (BAA)

The XGI 1000 and XGI 1500 inverters are Made in the USA with global components, and meet the Federal Acquisition Regulations (FAR) definition of a Commercial Off-The-Shelf (COTS) item because they are commercial items that are sold in substantial quantities in the commercial marketplace and are offered to the Government without modification and in the same form that is sold or offered for sale to the general public. Thus the XGI Inverters qualify as a domestic end product and are compliant with the Buy American Act (BAA).



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