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Schneider Electric puts new PV Box ST in the picture at Xperience Efficiency, Johannesburg

JOHANNESBURG – August 26, 2014 – Schneider Electric, a global specialist in energy management, is proud to inform delegates, attending its Xperience Efficiency event in Johannesburg on 26 and 27 August 2014, about the organisation's new PV Box ST.

The New PV Box ST is a containerised plug and play conversion system designed for centralised photovoltaic (PV) power plants and commercial applications. The PV Box has undergone extensive safety, quality and reliability risk mitigation so that it is safe and can be installed in many harsh environment conditions.

The new PV Box ST features include:

- Standard 40 feet ISO shipping container for ease of shipment worldwide.
- Configurable to withstand severe weather conditions: continental, tropical, seashore and desert.
- Type-tested solution according to IEC-62271-202 including Arch Flash
 Testing (IAC-A).
- Proven robust design through rigorous customer reliability testing.
- Compressed construction lead-times through factory-integrated solutions.

- All equipment and integration made in Schneider Electric factories.
- Convenient and safe enclosure design for maintenance purposes.

Schneider Electric also has a PV Box RT version, which is specifically designed for road transportation, and has an integrated concrete basement for minimal civil work on site.

The PV Box ST and PV Box RT are a part of Schneider Electric's comprehensive solution package with the Context Control monitoring and control system as well as its global services offering.

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