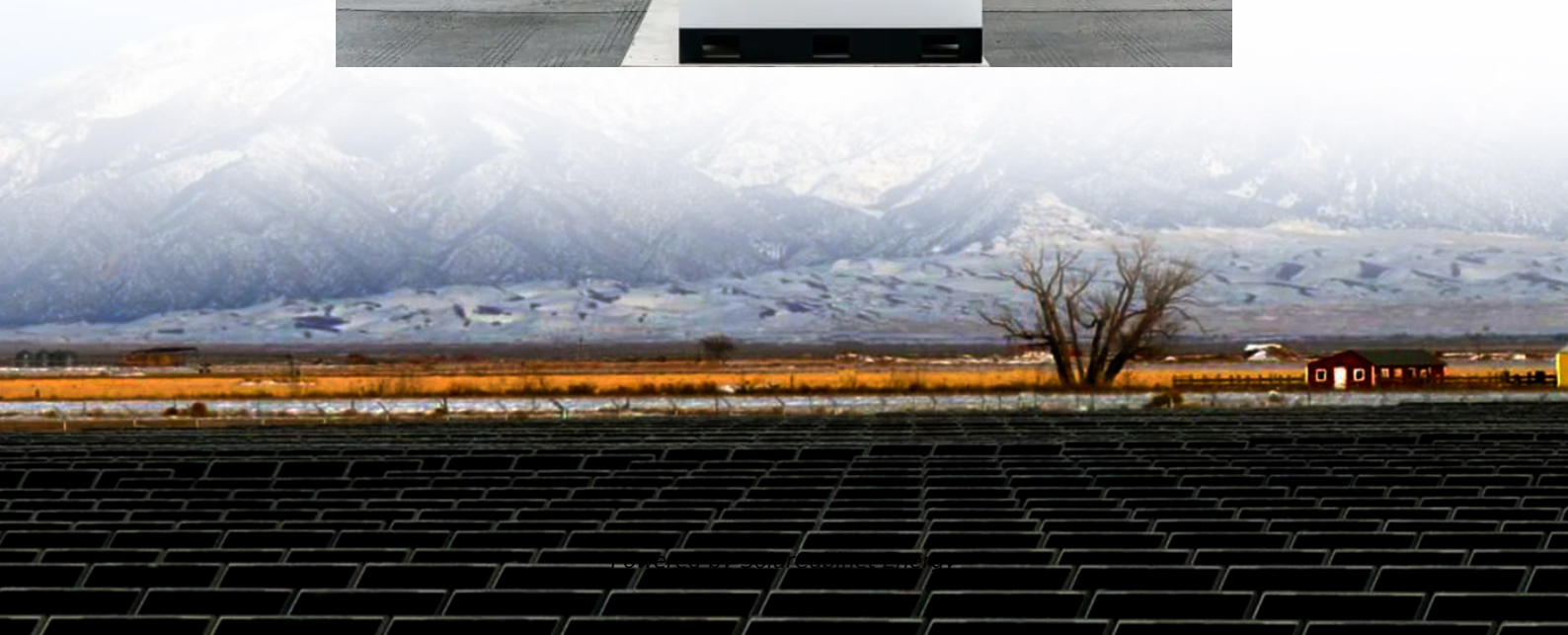


Photovoltaic bifacial module parameters





Overview

What are bifacial PV modules?

The global PV industry is experiencing a boom in bifacial PV modules. Coming with extra energy gain from the rear side, bifacial PV modules are finding themselves with versatile and promising application possibilities in many fields, from building-integrated photovoltaics to utility-scale power plants.

What is the status of bifacial photovoltaic (PV) module?

TABLE 2. Status of bifacial photovoltaic (PV) module. The bifacial modules were first conceived in the 1960s and were deployed in applications such as space exploration, telecommunication, and rural electrification [25, 30]. However, economic and technical barriers kept them out of the mainstream.

How bifacial PV modules can be characterized using a solar simulator?

In the process of characterizing the output power of bifacial PV modules using a solar simulator, three key steps are involved: establishing the bifaciality factor under standard test conditions (STC), assessing the power gain by examining the yield of rear-irradiance, and determining the output power at rear irradiances of 100 and 200 W/m².

What is the optical-electrical-thermal model for the bifacial PV module?

Gu et al. developed a comprehensive optical-electrical-thermal model for the bifacial PV module, in which the optical model calculates the global irradiances of the tilted front and rear surfaces, the thermal model accounts for cell temperature, and the electrical model calculates power output.

Why are bifacial modules used in large-scale photovoltaic systems?

Due to self-shading and the decrease in irradiance reflected by the ground, using bifacial modules in large-scale photovoltaic systems will result in less bifacial gain compared to smaller-scale systems. The optimum tilt angle for the south-facing module depends on location, elevation, and albedo.



Do bifacial PV modules need a power rating method?

In response to the strong demand for an appropriate power rating method for bifacial PV modules, the international standard IEC 60904-1-2 has been proposed, which describes the test methods and additional requirements for the I-V characterization.



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Furthermore, some suggestions are proposed to optimize the bifacial module by considering the effects of various installation and weather parameters on the PV generation.



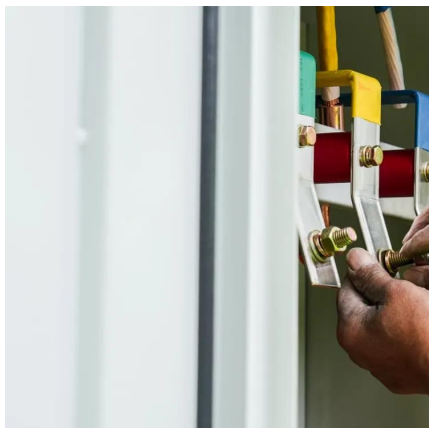
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