

Solar Energy South Africa

Solar power generation probability



Overview

Why is PV power generation uncertain?

PV power generation is uncertain in nature and can vary with both the solar irradiance and temperature variations as elaborated earlier. In the literature, several researchers tried to model the uncertainty in PV power generation.

How to create probabilistic PV power forecasts using model chains?

The basic method of creating probabilistic PV power forecasts using model chains is a model ensemble, where the predictive distribution is represented by ensemble members calculated from the same NWP data by different model chains. This is analogous to the poor man's ensemble used by weather forecasters.

What is the economic value of a solar energy generating facility?

The economic value of a solar energy generating facility depends on the availability of the solar resource. The solar radiation, and to a lesser extent, temperature, humidity, atmospheric pressure, and wind speed determine the timing and quantity of energy the facility generates.

How can a solar energy Generation project be financed?

To secure competitive financing for a solar energy generation project, the economic risk associated with inter-annual solar resource variability must be quantified. One way to quantify this risk is to calculate exceedance probabilities representing the amount of energy expected to be produced by a plant.

What is a probabilistic beta solar irradiance distribution?

In summary, a probabilistic beta solar irradiance distribution is suitable for estimating PV power independently of temperature when the solar energy is a function of both the surface area (m^2) and the solar irradiance (W/m^2) [11].

What is the prediction error of solar energy?

The overall prediction error of solar energy is smaller than that of wind energy, ranging from 3.9 to 10.0%, and the largest provincial prediction error is observed in Shanghai (SH), while the smallest provincial prediction error comes from Xinjiang (XJ).

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Improved Probability Prediction Method Research for ...

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To capture the tremendous uncertainty associated with small-scale solar generations, conditional probability density can be estimated. In this paper, training makes the training process robust to high uncertainties and ...



Short-Term Forecasting and Uncertainty Analysis of Photovoltaic Power ...

When the inner resolution of photovoltaic power generation is 15 min, it can be divided into ultra-short-term prediction (15 min-4 h), short-term prediction (4 h-3 days), and ...

Probabilistic Solar Power Forecasting: Long Short-Term Memory ...

quantile with a probability $2(0;1)$ of a future value $P[k+ H]$ at a forecast horizon $H2N >0$. For instance, a quantile regression that takes autoregressive $0:99$ of the next 24 hours of solar ...

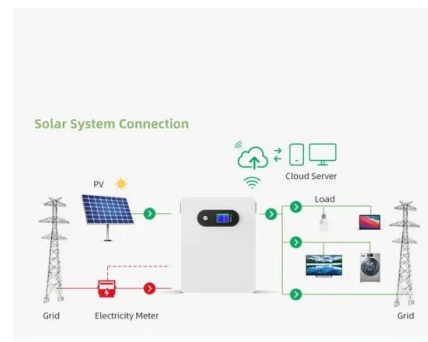


Solar Uncertainty Analysis (P90, P95 etc.) - Edward Bodmer - ...

On this webpage I address uncertainty estimates in predicting the solar energy using P90, P99, P75 etc. I have tried to take the mystery out of computing the different probabilities by ...

Improved Probability Prediction Method Research for Photovoltaic Power ...

The probabilistic prediction of solar power generation expands the connotations of solar power generation prediction, and can provide the probability distribution of PV power generation.



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Stochastic PV model for power system planning ...

Given the importance of the variant factors influencing the PV power generation, this section will provide an overview of literature work focusing on the probabilistic modelling aspects of PV power and factors driving the ...



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