

# Solar PV Module Performance





## Overview

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How does temperature affect the performance of a photovoltaic module?

The bandgap of the PV reduces as the temperature of the solar cell rises, increasing short-circuit current and a drop in open-circuit voltage. The performance of a photovoltaic module is mainly influenced by the cell's semiconductor material, irradiation intensity, operating temperature, and wind velocity.

Does solar PV module efficiency vary with ambient temperature?

The correlation coefficient (R) value for ambient temperature was 96 % with a confidence interval of 95 %, indicating that the module efficiency of the solar PV linearly varies with ambient temperature. Yadav and Bajpai evaluated the performance of a 5 kW rooftop solar PV plant located in Northern India.

How does dust affect the performance of a photovoltaic (PV) module?

Dust accumulation lowers the performance efficiency of the photovoltaic (PV) module by up to 40 %. The power and efficiency of the PV module are reduced by 0.5 % and 0.05 % for every 1 °C rise in ambient temperature. The optimum tilt angle of the module is determined by mathematical analysis and empirical correlations.

How are solar modules evaluated?

Solar modules are evaluated in the Renewable Energy Test Center annual PV Module Index. The Renewable Energy Test Center (RETC) released its 2025 PV Module Index report, evaluating the reliability, quality, and performance of solar panels. Solar modules are put through a variety of accelerated stress tests to evaluate these parameters.



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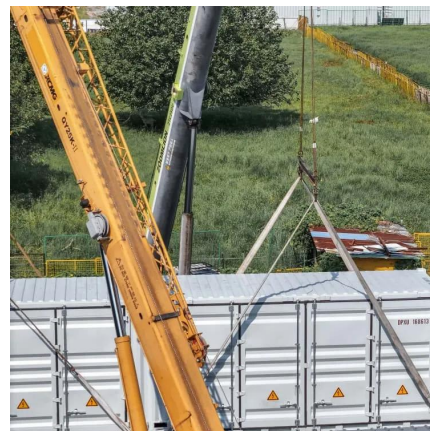
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