

Can autonomous monitoring and analysis improve the reliability of PV plants?

Therefore, the main contribution of this article is to provide an in-depth multidisciplinary review on autonomous monitoring and analysis of PV plants, which is an emerging field that utilizes advanced technologies such as AI and UAVs to improve the durability and reliability of PV systems.

What is autonomous PV Monitoring?

Autonomous monitoring aims to automate the whole monitoring process of PV systems, such as automatically detecting faults, failures, and anomalies as well as their causes and roots, autonomously monitoring PV systems remaining useful life (RUL), etc. without manpower.

How can enabling technologies improve PV plant monitoring and performance analysis?

Additionally, leveraging new technologies can advance the concept of autonomous intelligent monitoring and performance analysis of PV systems. Some enabling technologies rarely covered in the literature on PV plant monitoring, such as the following, should be investigated further in future works:

How to improve PV plant reliability & service life?

To improve the PV plants reliability and service life, a combination of several monitoring methods is employed, referred to as "autonomous monitoring". It tries to provide early and automatic detection of faults and anomalies of different components in a PV system to make the remedial process easier and faster.

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Technical Terms Photovoltaic (PV) Panel: A device that converts sunlight into electricity using the photovoltaic effect. Quality Management: A systematic approach focused on ensuring that ...

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As standards for automated quality control become more established, manufacturers who embrace these innovations will gain a competitive edge in the market. Additionally, the integration of ...

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