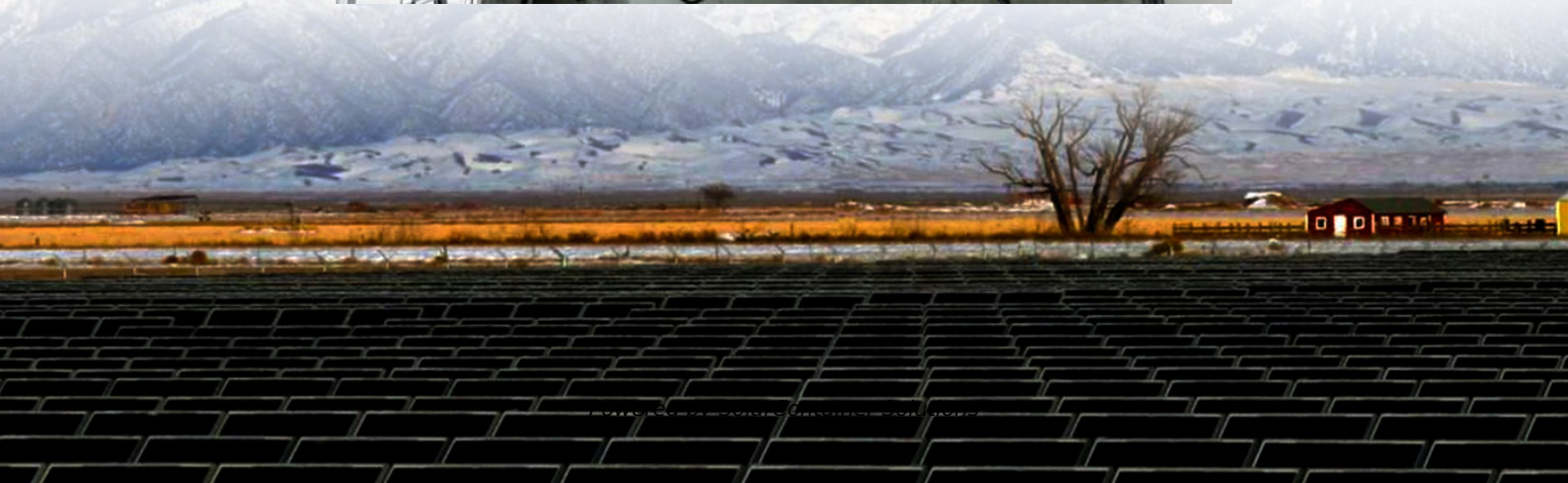


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Overview

Can solar PV/fuel cell hybrid system power telecom base stations in Ghana?

This study investigates the viability of deploying solar PV/fuel cell hybrid system to power telecom base stations in Ghana. Furthermore, the study tests the proposed power system resilience by comparing its technical, economic, and environmental performance to PV/diesel and diesel power systems.

Can a PV/fuel hybrid system replace existing diesel power systems in Ghana?

Presently in Ghana, base stations located in remote communities, islands, and hilly sites isolated from the utility grid mainly depend on diesel generators for their source of power. This study presents an analysis on deploying a PV/fuel hybrid system as a possible substitute for existing diesel power systems and even grid-connected base stations.

How much does a PV system cost in Ghana?

These suppliers and installers have been granted a permit from the Energy Commission of Ghana to supply and install PV systems. Per the data obtained in , the average cost of PV panels with accessories was estimated at 745 USD/kW. A 10% margin for installation was added, increasing PV capital cost to 820 USD/kW.

How does diesel genset affect the environment in Ghana?

In Ghana, telecom base stations located in remote communities, islands, and hilly sites with no access to grid electricity mainly depend on diesel genset for their source of power. The combustion of diesel emits GHG, pollutes the environment, and negatively affects the climate.

What is a low voltage electricity tariff in Ghana?

In Ghana, the Public Utilities Regulatory Commission (PURC) categorizes telecom base stations connected to the national grid under the special load tariff—low voltage (SLT-LV) sector. The approved average electricity tariff for



this sector is about 0.25 USD/kWh as of October 2020 (PURC, 2020).

How important is Communication Technology in Ghana?

Information, Communication Technology (ICT) contributed about 2.4% to Ghana's Gross Domestic Product (GDP) for the year 2018 (Ghana Statistical Service, 2019). Presently, there is swift attention to enhancing the energy efficiency of communication networks.



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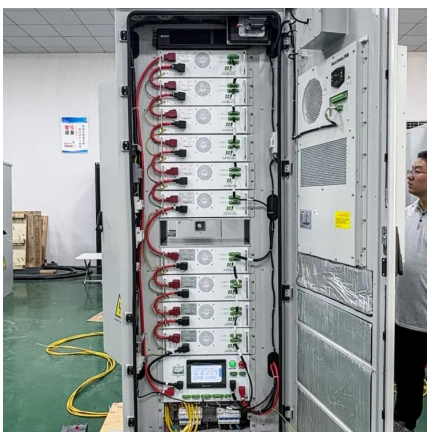
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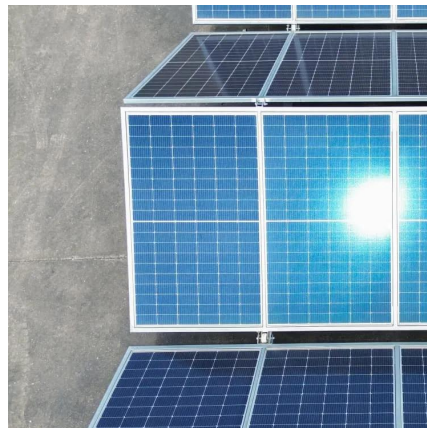
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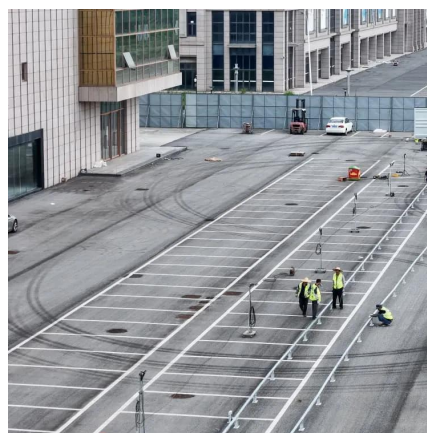
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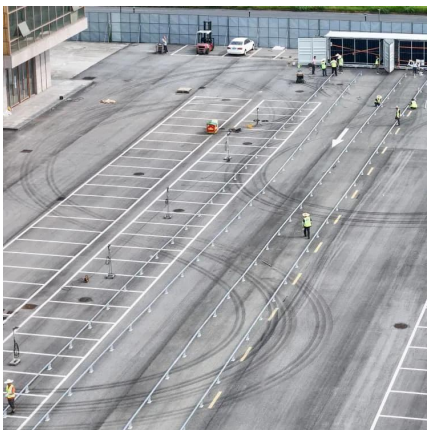
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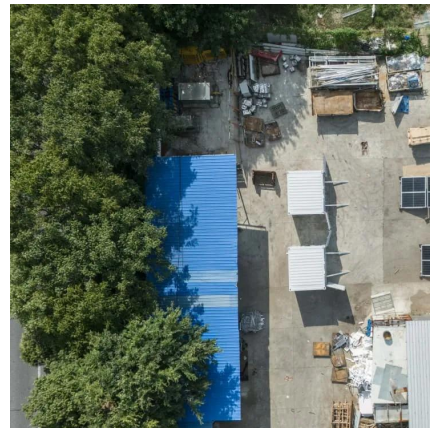
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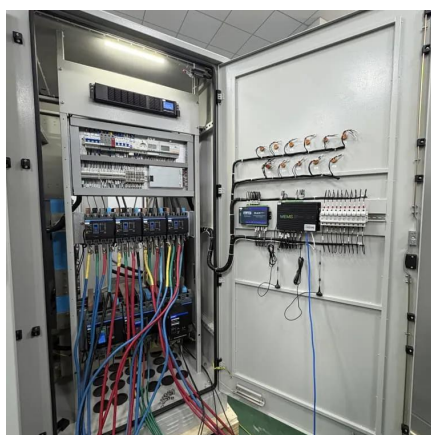
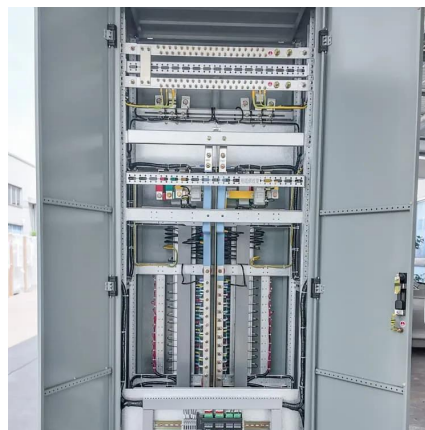




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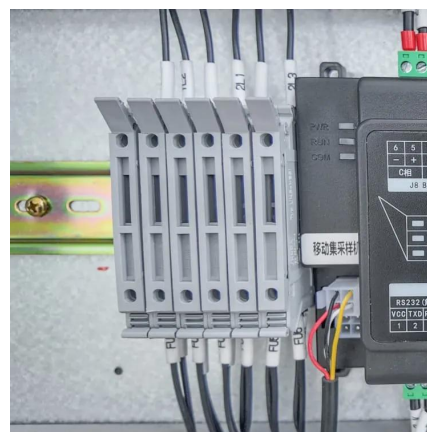
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