Environmental life cycle assessment of photovoltaic systems

Quantify the environmental profile of PV in comparison to other energy technologies; 2. Investigate ... M. Raugei, M. Stucki, 2020, Life Cycle Inventories and Life Cycle Assessment of Photovoltaic Systems, International Energy Agency (IEA) PVPS Task 12, Report T12-19:2020. ... Life cycle inventory of the battery management system Table 49: Life ...

This paper presents an environmental life-cycle assessment (LCA) of a solar-photovoltaic (PV) system and a solar-thermal system. Single crystalline Si solar cells are considered for the solar PV system and an evacuated glass tube collector is considered for the solar thermal system in this analysis. A life-cycle inventory (LCI) is developed ...

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This Special Issue on "Environmental Life-Cycle Assessment of Photovoltaic Systems" aims to unite the efforts of researchers from all over the world to expand and promote the environmental qualification of various photovoltaic systems through life cycle assessment. Dr. Onn Chiu Chuen Dr. Ahmad Faiz Abd Rashid Guest Editors

Using a life cycle assessment (LCA), the environmental impacts from generating 1 kWh of electricity for self-consumption via a photovoltaic-battery system are determined. ... The results show larger environmental impacts of PV-battery systems with increasing battery capacity; for capacities of 5, 10, ...

The life cycle impact assessment uses the inventories to quantify environmental impacts, which are typically resource and energy consumption or emissions. The main metrics considered for this LCA are CED and GHG emissions. For energy generation technologies, CED can assess how efficiently the system uses energy resources.

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Within the framework in this chapter, the environmental impact related to PV systems based on the life cycle thinking approach has been examined. The PV technologies were analyzed in detail and the LCA results from previous studies were grouped, described, and presented. ... Life cycle assessment of solar energy systems: comparison of ...

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The environmental advantages of the new system are mainly due to the recovery of glass and cadmium telluride (CdTe). The results are also presented after normalization. ... Fthenakis, VM, Alsema, EA, and Wild-Scholten, MJd., Life cycle assessment of photovoltaic: Perceptions, needs and challenges, in: Proceedings of the 31st IEEE photovoltaic ...

In this chapter, brief insights into the life cycle assessment (LCA) and environmental impacts of solar PV systems will be given. To begin with, the role of solar PV systems in the new energy sector will be highlighted, considering the global scenario. Then, the focus will be drawn onto the environmental impacts associated with solar PV systems.

Purpose Both the capital cost and levelized cost of electricity of utility-scale ground-mounted solar photovoltaic (PV) systems are less than those of representative residential-scale solar rooftop systems. There is no life cycle analysis (LCA) study comparing the environmental impact of rooftop PV system and large utility-scale solar PV system. This study ...

Vellini et al. (2017) assessed and compared the life cycle of two different PV technologies: CdTe and Si panels. They have examined two possible scenarios at the end of PV life: recycling and landfilling.

end of life management options for PV systems as deployment increases and older systems are decommissioned; 3. Define and address environmental health & safety and other sustainability ...

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This study employs a life cycle assessment (LCA) approach to investigate the environmental burden of photovoltaic power generation systems that use multi-crystalline silicon (multi-Si) modules in Pakistan. This study evaluates the energy payback time (EPBT) of this class of systems, and considers various environmental impacts, including climate change, ...

Environmental Life Cycle Assessment of Electricity from PV Systems. This fact sheet provides an overview of the environmental life cycle assessment (LCA) of photovoltaic (PV) systems. It outlines the stages from manufacturing to end-of-life management, focusing on an average residential PV system. The study compares four PV technologies and ...

For instance, the environmental impacts of electricity generation from distributed renewable energy systems (Li et al., 2019; Väisänen et al., 2016), and specifically from distributed solar PV systems, have been assessed (Ali et al., 2022).

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Life cycle assessment (LCA) is a method of compiling and evaluating the inputs, outputs, and environmental impacts of a product or service system throughout its life cycle (ISO14044, 2006). The earliest research on PV system from the life-cycle perspective can be traced to the 1970s, in which the energy use in the production of solar cells from ...

For the solar PV industry, a life cycle assessment system can be used to compare and analyze the carbon footprint of PV power generation throughout its life cycle at the level of the industry chain to address environmental and energy issues and to promote the sustainable development of the solar PV industry .

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The IEA Photovoltaic Power Systems Programme (IEA PVPS) is one of the TCP"s within the IEA and was established in 1993. The mission of the programme is to "enhance the international collaborative efforts which facilitate the role of photovoltaic solar energy as a cornerstone in the transition to sustainable energy systems."

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Processes in the life-cycle stages of PV systems include, but are not limited to, the following: Raw-material acquisition (eg, mining and concentrating the ores, extracting the fossil fuel, growing trees if wood is used in the system).

It is evident from the table that LCA is the most powerful environmental assessment tool based on the product perspective. It models the entire life cycle of a product, provides the assessment results across a range of

mid-point, end-point and single-score indicators and also incorporates many important features like the life cycle inventories of ...

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The results revealed that the negative environmental impacts of PV systems could be substantially mitigated using optimized design, development of novel materials, minimize ...

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2.1 Assessment Scope and Key Assumptions. The goal of the LCA study is to compare the global warming (GW) impact of PV systems with different PV module technologies taking into account the uncertainty sourced from the life cycle inventory (LCI) data used, considering 1 kWh as the functional unit.

The first objective of this task is well served by life cycle assessments (LCAs) that describe the energy-, material-, and emission-flows in all the stages of the life of PV. The second objective is addressed through analysis of including recycling and other circular economy pathways.

The photovoltaic (PV) sector has undergone both major expansion and evolution over the last decades, and currently, the technologies already marketed or still in the laboratory/research phase are numerous and very ...

Most the of applied perovskite research is focusing on the enhancement of PCEs and long-term stability for single junctions or tandems (7, 9, 14-19).However, a critical gap in the literature is a critical assessment of the energy use and environmental implications throughout the life cycle of a module, which will be integral to the sustainable development of such innovative technologies ().