

Flexible steel cable photovoltaic support

What is cable-supported photovoltaic (PV)?

Cable-supported photovoltaic (PV) modules have been proposed to replace traditional beam-supported PV modules. The new system uses suspension cables to bear the loads of the PV modules and therefore has the characteristics of a long span, light weight, strong load capacity, and adaptability to complex terrains.

What is a flexible PV support structure?

The baseline, unreinforced flexible PV support structure is designated as F. The first reinforcement strategy involves increasing the diameter of the prestressed cables to 17.8 mm and 21.6 mm, respectively. These configurations are named F1-1 and F1-2 for ease of comparison.

What is a supporting cable structure for PV modules?

Czaloun (2018) proposed a supporting cable structure for PV modules, which reduces the foundation to only four columns and four fundamentals. These systems have the advantages of light weight, strong bearing capacity, large span, low cost, less steel consumption and applicability to complex terrain.

What are the characteristics of a cable-supported photovoltaic system?

Long span, light weight, strong load capacity, and adaptability to complex terrains. The nonlinear stiffness of the new cable-supported photovoltaic system is revealed. The failure mode of the new structure is discussed in detail. Dynamic characteristics and bearing capacity of the new structure are investigated.

Why do we need flexible PV support systems?

The traditional rigid PV support systems face several issues and limitations, such as the requirement for large land areas, which constrain their deployment and development, especially in eastern regions. In response to these challenges, flexible PV support systems have rapidly developed.

What is a flexible PV mounting structure?

Flexible PV Mounting Structure Geometric Model The constructed flexible PV support model consists of six spans, each with a span of 2 m. The spans are connected by struts, with the support cables having a height of 4.75 m, directly supporting the PV panels. The wind-resistant cables are 4 m high and are connected to the lower ends of the struts.

The pre-stressed flexible cable-supported photovoltaic (PV) systems (FCSPSs) are gradually becoming the preferred PV structure for large-span and mountain photovoltaic power plants. ... Fig. 4 illustrates the equivalence of the photovoltaic module and steel cables before and after transformation. The irregular cross-section of the photovoltaic ...

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The wind-induced response and vibration modes of the flexible photovoltaic (PV) modules support structures with different parameters were investigated by using wind tunnel based on elastic test model. The results show that 180° is the most unfavourable wind direction for the flexible PV support structure. For double-cable flexible PV supports,

Kim et al. (2018, 2020) studied the effect of the PV module shape on wind-induced vibrations of the flexible PV modules support structures under four wind environments through conducting a series of wind tunnel tests. He et al. (2020) proposed a new type of flexible PV modules support structure with three cables.

In recent years, the proportion of flexible photovoltaic (PV) support structures (FPSS) in PV power generation has gradually increased, and the wind-induced response of FPSS has gradually been noticed. In this study, the wind-induced responses of a FPSS with a single row and a single span were investigated by aeroelastic model wind tunnel tests.

Flexible photovoltaic support with different types of horizontal load-bearing components is calculated. The mechanical characteristics of three types of horizontal load-bearing components are compared with each other, the mechanical effect of component horizontal angle θ is investigated. ... The results show that: for the structure types with ...

Wind-induced response and critical wind velocity of a 33-m-span flexible PV modules support structure was investigated by using wind tunnel tests based on elastic test model, and the effectiveness ...

The initial morphology of the double-layer cable truss flexible photovoltaic support is optimized, and the optimization results of different deflection deformation limits and ...

Taking a three-cable flexible photovoltaic (PV) support structure as the research subject, a finite element model was established. ... Wang H, Zhang H, et al. Application of overset grid technology in identification of aerodynamic parameters of flat steel box girder of suspension bridge[J]. Journal of Southeast University (Natural Science Edition) ...

However, PV flexible system, formed by prestressed flexible cable structure is a large-span PV module support with spans of 10-40 m and has gained popularity in recent years. The modules can be installed 2-10 m above the ground, providing high ...

The present study contributes to the evaluation of the deformation and robustness of photovoltaic module under ocean wind load according to the standard of IEC 61215 using the computational fluid dynamics (CFD) method.

Tension and Deformation Analysis of Suspension Cable of Flexible Photovoltaic Support under Concentrated

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Flexible photovoltaic (PV) support structure offers benefits such as low construction costs, large span length, high clearance, and high adaptability to complex terrains. However, due to the high flexibility and low damping of the cable system, wind load becomes the primary control factor for structural safety and the key consideration in the design.

The cable models are made of steel wire ropes with diameters of 1.5 mm and 2 mm. It is worth noting that the thickness of the model is greater than the design value, the diameter and consequently axial stiffness of the cable models are larger than the design value due to mass requirements and material restrictions.

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4 · The flexible photovoltaic module support system, which can be used in complex and long-span environments, has been widely studied and applied in recent years. In this study, ...

Wei BS, Zhang GP, Miao GW, Li YR, Guo H. Analysis of mechanical properties of fixed photovoltaic mounts during support settlement. *Solar Energy*. 2019(3): 6. Google Scholar [2] Jiang H. Optimizing design solutions to reduce project cost. *Engineering Cost Management*. 2007(3): 3. Google Scholar [3]

Flexible photovoltaic mounting system is installed on rows of steel cables to install modules, the two ends of the steel cables are connected by rigid support. In order to reduce the moment of ...

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Flexible photovoltaic (PV) support [1] is a flexible support system composed of PV panels, flexible prestressed cables and steel rods, and so on. Compared with fixed PV support, it has the advantages of high headroom, large span, low cost and flexible site, etc. ... Each span of PV panels is supported by two component cables and one load ...

The lower load-bearing cables of the double-layer cable truss flexible photovoltaic support are highly susceptible to relaxation under wind suction loads, and, by ...

Tension and Deformation Analysis of Suspension Cable of Flexible Photovoltaic Support under Concentrated Load with Small Rise-span Ratio Fangxin Jiang 1, Renjie Shang* 2, Yue Sun1 ... reducing the amount of support steel and the number of support foundations, and greatly lowering the cost. Moreover, with a large

span and less foundation, it can ...

The fatigue life of the cable structure of the base steel wire material and the composite material proved the applicability of the composite material in the flexible PV support structure. ... Ma, C. A study on distribution coefficient of a flexible photovoltaic support cable based on an eccentric moment wind load distribution model. J. Vib ...

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2. Flexible support structure system for photovoltaic power generation This project adopts a double-layer cable flexible support structure, with a single span of 35832mm. The lower chord cable is the load-bearing cable, and the upper chord cable is the stable cable. The ultimate strength standard value of the steel strand is 1960N/mm². The ...

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