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Recent Advances in Hybrid Photovoltaic/Thermal (PV/T) Solar Systems

Message from the Guest Editor

Renewable energy systems (RES) will play a decisive role on the path towards meeting the energy demands of a growing global population and the economic needs of all countries. Nowadays, solar thermal systems (STS) and photovoltaics (PV) contribute globally over 470 GW_{th} and 400 GW_{el}, respectively, with significant growth rates. Hybrid photovoltaic/thermal (PV/T) systems combine STS and PV in one single unit, maximizing the total efficiency of solar energy conversion into heat and electricity. This Special Issue seeks to contribute to the knowledge of recent advances in hybrid PV/T systems. We therefore invite papers on innovative technical developments, reviews, case studies, experimental, analytical, as well as computational studies, which are relevant to hybrid PV/T systems.

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