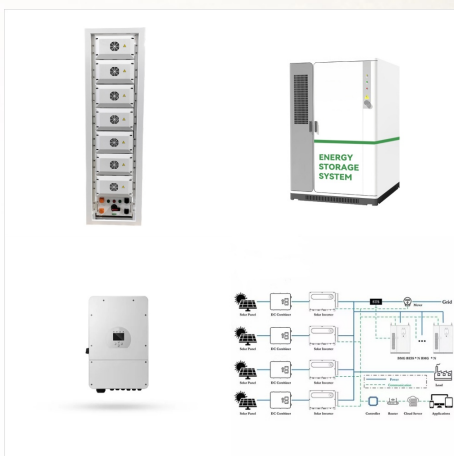


The available work (exergy) of thermal radiation is derived ab initio by using a simple statistical thermodynamic approach. A general upper bound for the efficiency of thermal radiation conversion into work is derived. This efficiency is different from the Carnot efficiency and generalizes the Petela efficiencylike factor appearing in the available work of blackbody ???



The voltage efficiency  $\eta_v = q V_{oc}/E_g$  is the relevant factor in a thermodynamic study of a solar cell. We discuss here, with a two-level system as a model of a quantum converter, a derivation of the Carnot factor through detailed-balance arguments. It is shown that in a 4?? -configuration, the thermodynamic limit can be reached in the case of purely radiative recombination. In the usual



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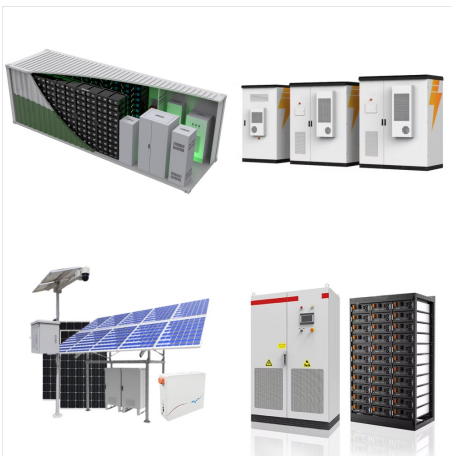
## 16 2 Photovoltaic Energy Conversion 2.1

### Fundamentals of Solar-Thermal Energy Conversion

2.1.1 The Solar Spectrum Every solar energy converter should be designed to optimally harvest the energy emitted by the sun. This energy is released through a nuclear fusion reaction of hydrogen into helium taking place in the core of the sun. It reaches the



The hotness of the sun and the coldness of the outer space are inexhaustible thermodynamic resources for human beings. From a thermodynamic point of view, any energy conversion systems that receive???



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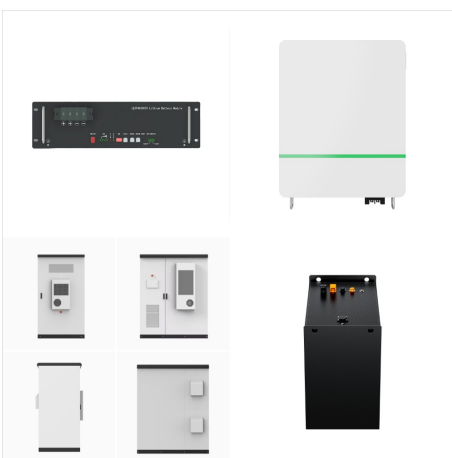
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However, the increase in the model's complexity is accompanied by more involved calculations. A generalized introduction to the fundamental principles of future solar energy systems, based on consistent physics is presented. In describing the various conversions, we make use of endoreversible thermodynamics - a subset of irreversible



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The photovoltaic thermal systems can concurrently produce electricity and thermal energy while maintaining a relatively low module temperature. The phase change material (PCM) can be utilized as an intermediate thermal energy storage medium in photovoltaic thermal systems. In this work, an investigation based on an experimental study on a hybrid ???



2 Introduction In their seminal paper, Shockley and Queisser (S& Q) established the limiting efficiency of a photovoltaic (PV) solar cell based on the equality in the number of excited and depleted electron- hole pairs, a principle known as detailed balance (DB) 1 .Alternatively, there is also a thermodynamic estimation of the maximal work that is available from the sun, which is ???



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To use the advantages of both TPV and TR systems, it is natural to consider a heated TR cell emitting to a cool PV cell and obtaining power from both devices. 52 In this article, we propose such a system for solar energy conversion: a solar TR-PV converter, as shown in Figure 1. We develop a detailed-balance model of the system and use this model to derive its ???



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This chapter provides an introduction to the basic principles of solar energy conversion including its thermodynamic limits. We discuss the optical and electrical requirements for an ideal photovoltaic device and show examples of possible realizations based on ???

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In thermodynamic terms this means that photons which form black-body radiation represent pure heat, and have no capacity to perform work in an isothermal process. This point will be taken up again in the sections Quantum Solar Energy Conversion, Thermodynamics of Photovoltaic Conversion, and Future Directions.



Energy storage is an effective way to overcome the inherently unstable disadvantage of solar energy [13]. One typical way for energy storage is to convert solar energy into chemical energy in fuels [14]. As one of the most promising secondary fuels, hydrogen is an ideal solar fuel for the advantages of simple molecular structure [15], easy production [16], ???



The possibility of creating a Carnot cycle for photovoltaic energy conversion is explored. The thermodynamic functions for an electron-hole gas are derived and they are used to show that a conventional Carnot cycle involving two heat reservoirs can be constructed. The additional problems which arise from radiative energy transfers are show to lead to the result ???

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As a result, PV-TE systems can extract more energy from the same amount of solar radiation, leading to higher energy conversion efficiencies compared to either PV or TE systems alone. For instance, a PV-TE system can attain an overall energy conversion efficiency of up to 30%, which is notably superior to traditional PV systems [ 181 ].



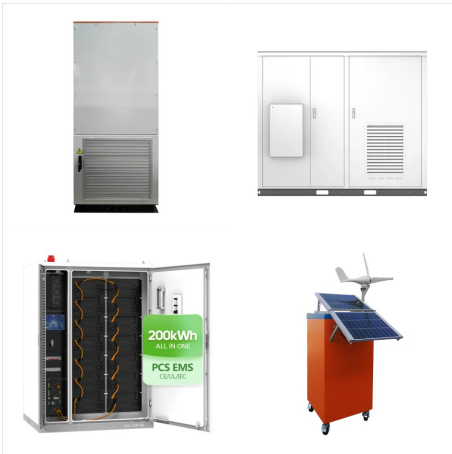
This concise primer on photovoltaic solar energy conversion invites readers to reflect on the conversion of solar light into energy at the most fundamental level and encourages newcomers to the field to help find meaningful answers on how photovoltaic solar energy conversion can ???



Throughout the years, nonrenewable sources of energy have been, and still remain, the world's number one source of energy. According to a BP review [1, 2], fossil fuels satisfy about 86% of the world's energy consumption as of 2014, with nuclear energy contributing 4.4%, leaving the shares of hydropower and other renewables at about 6.8% and 2.5%, respectively, i.e., less than 10% ???



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The sun's energy is getting considerable interest due to its numerous advantages. Photovoltaic cells or so-called solar cell is the heart of solar energy conversion to electrical energy (Kabir et al. 2018). Without any involvement in the thermal process, the photovoltaic cell can transform solar energy directly into electrical energy.

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A solar cell is a thermodynamic engine working between two heat reservoirs, one at high temperature  $T_1$  (= the temperature of the Sun = 5762 K) and one at low temperature  $T_2$  (= the temperature of???)



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3 Thermodynamic efficiencies of solar photovoltaic energy conversion The thermodynamic efficiency is the expression of ability of a PV module/system to transform the solar radiation into electrical energy and based on the first and second law of thermodynamic, it can be categorized into energetic and exergetic efficiencies.

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The thermodynamic process of converting solar radiation directly into electrical energy, i.e. solar PV energy conversion, has been established, which includes electrical power generation, optical



Spectra are commonly plotted also as a function of the (vacuum) wavelength ( $\lambda$ ) of light instead of as a function of energy. Such a plot of  $(dj_{\mathrm{E}}/d\lambda)$  of the solar spectrum as a function of the wavelength ( $\lambda = \{c\}/\{\nu\}$ ) with the vacuum velocity of light ( $c$ ) is shown in Fig. 2.2. Although the spectra in both figures are the same, the ???