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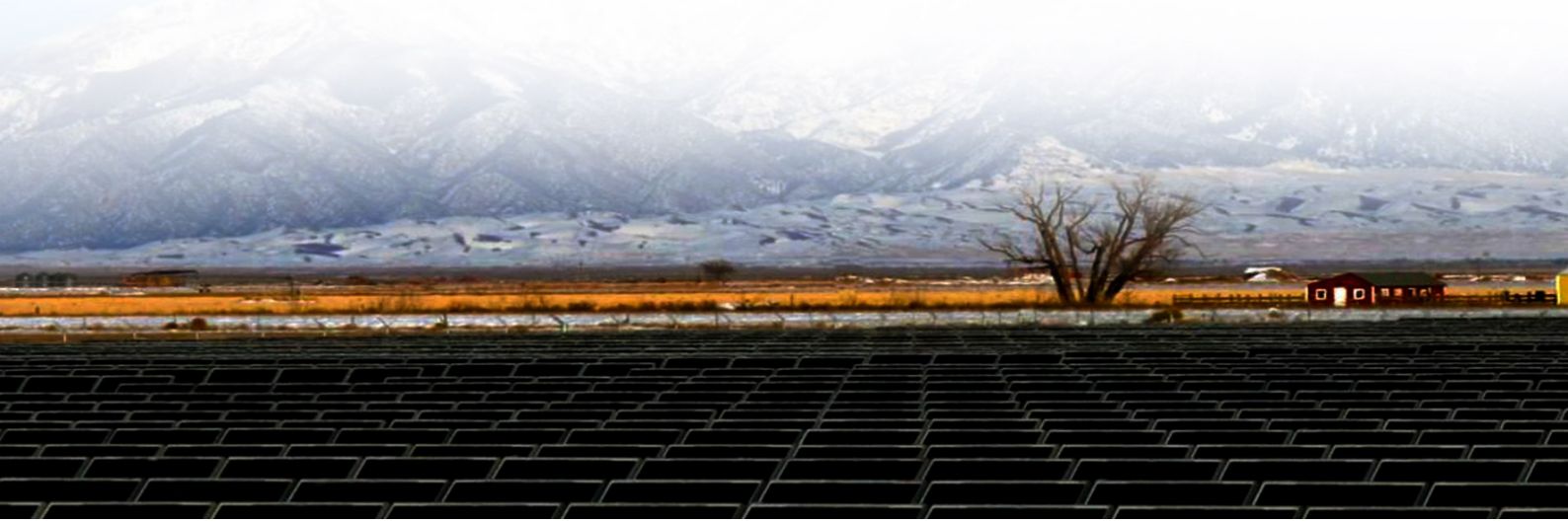

Overview

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Scientists and researchers at NREL, including Timothy Silverman and Elizabeth Palmiotti, are investigating early failure in dual-glass PV modules. Dual-glass PV modules are experiencing low-energy glass fracture at an alarming rate under expected conditions of use. In a feature article for PV Tech.

Modern PV modules often use thinner glass to reduce weight and material costs which lead to glass breakage. Glass breakage is a growing concern for the solar power plant operators. With the trend towards double glass sided modules as seen in Bifacials, or TOPCon with double glass sided.

Double-glass modules, with their performance in the face of salt mist, high temperatures and high humidity, have won the market’s favour. However, this trend is not without its risks. The concurrent trend towards higher power output and larger module sizes has introduced new concerns that demand.

There have been many changes to PV module design and materials in that time. Several changes have increased the risk of glass breakage. But there is probably no single change that is responsible for the problem. Here, we summarize our observations and thoughts on PV glass breakage in utility-scale.

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Double-glass bifacial solar panels present specific installation challenges primarily

due to their increased weight, mounting requirements, and the need to optimize light capture from both sides. 1. Increased Weight and Handling Difficulty Double-glass panels are heavier than traditional.

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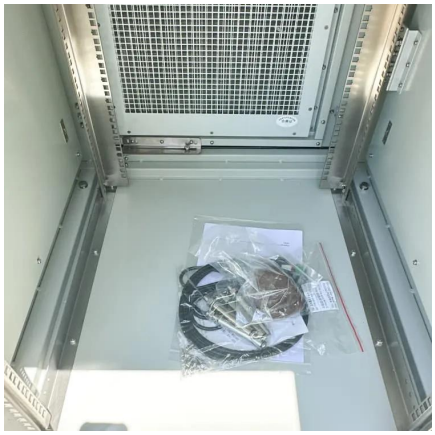

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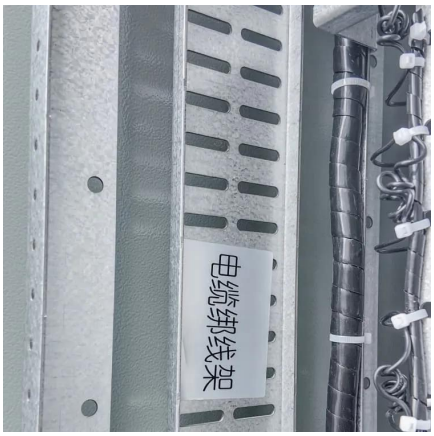

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