

Design and Analysis of Solar Water Pumping for Drip Irrigation in Iran

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Presentation Overview



Introduction



Load Analysis & System Sizing



Dynamic Modelling & Control System (MATLAB/Simulink)



IoT-based SCADA & Data Logging System



Conclusion & Contributions & Publications



Questions

Topic & Site Selection

- Reasoning >> Environmental Crises in Iran

1. Global Warming (Fossil fuels are the main source of energy generation)
2. Water Crisis (Mis-use of Water in Irrigation)



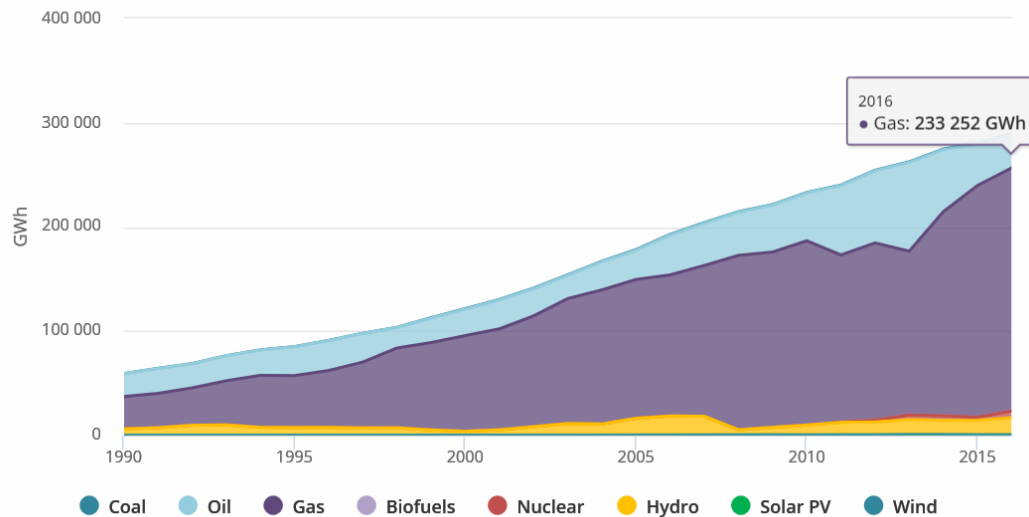
Site Selection

Global Warming

Iran

(Mainly from Fossil fuels)

Electricity generation by fuel
Iran, Islamic Republic of 1990 - 2016

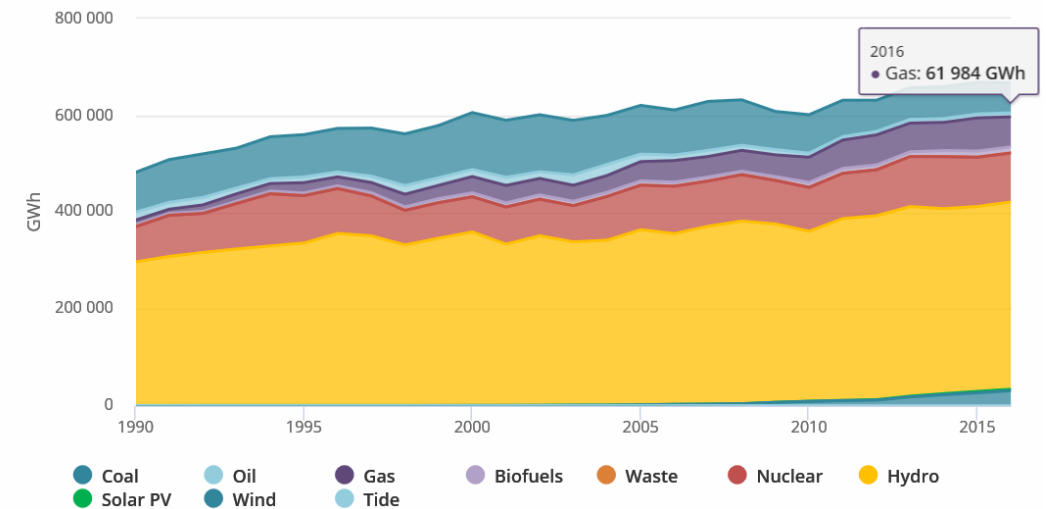


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Vs

Canada

Electricity generation by fuel
Canada 1990 - 2016

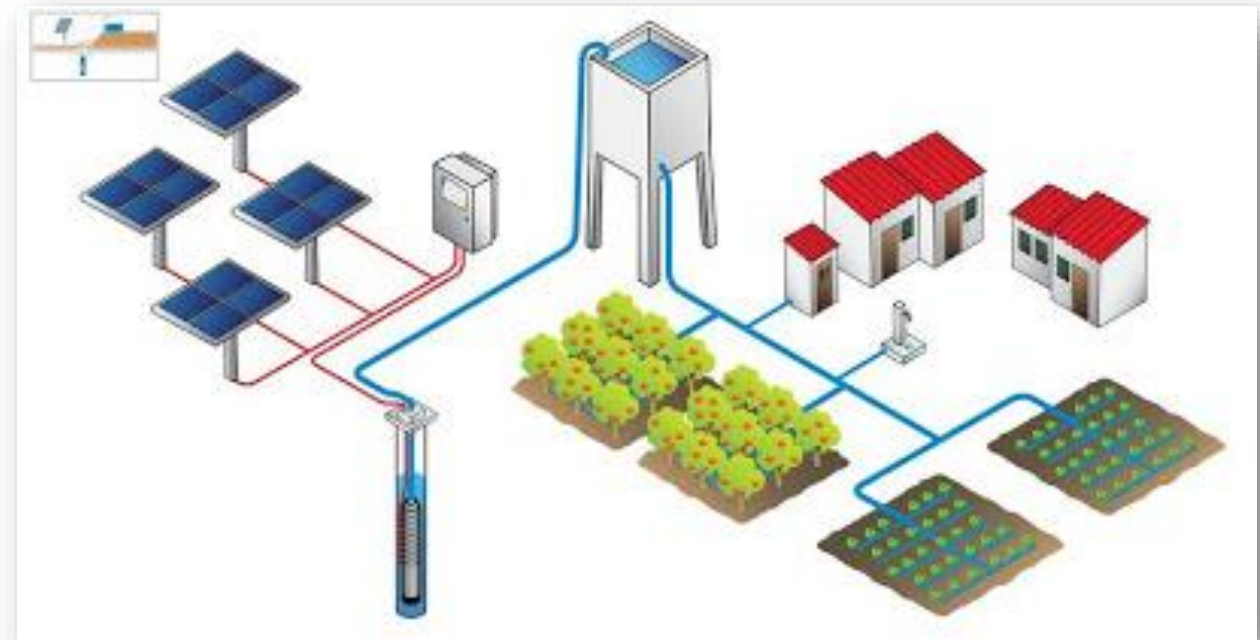


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Solar Water Pumping

Solar PV system offers:

- Causes no pollution
- Long life-cycle
- Unattended operation
- Low maintenance cost
- Easy installation

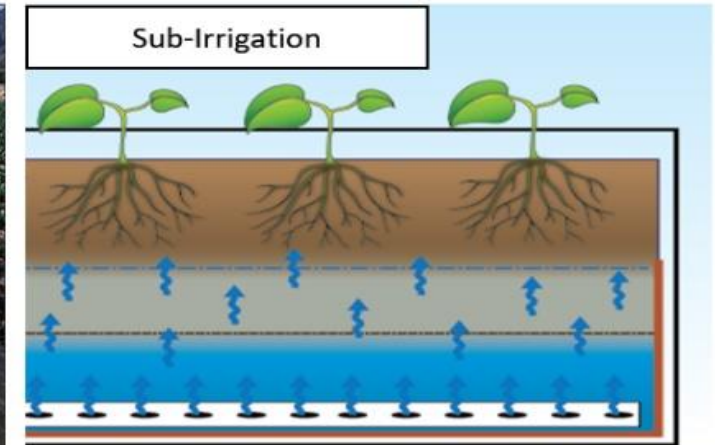
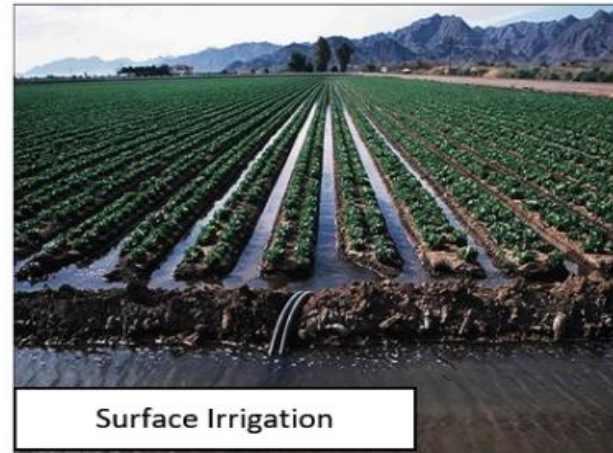


Designed for a 14.7 Hectare Grape Garden - Urmia, West Azerbaijan, Iran

Irrigation Methods

Solution for **Water Crisis**
in Iran

Irrigation Method	Water Efficiency
Surface Irrigation	50–65%
Level Basin	60–80%
Sub irrigation	50–75%
Overhead irrigation	60–80%
Sprinkler irrigation	60–85%
Drip irrigation	80–90%



Load Analysis & System Sizing

System Load Sizing



Food and Agriculture
Organization of the
United Nations

1. Flow rate:

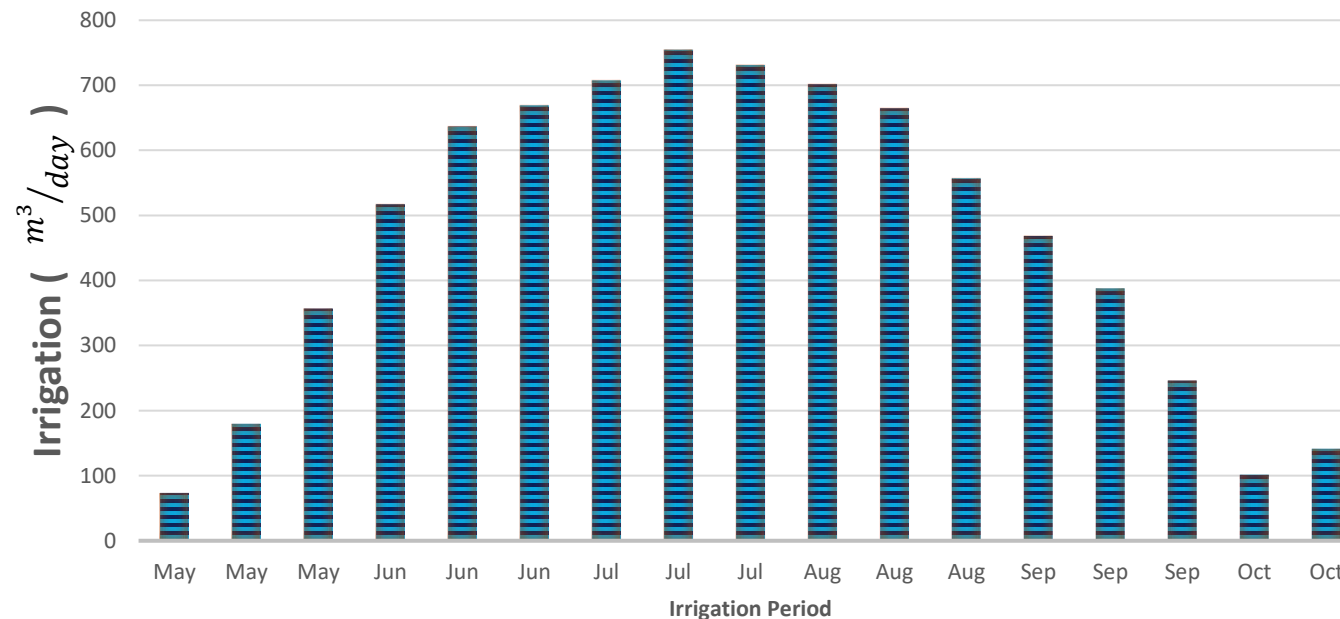
Tools:

- CropWat v8.1
- ClimWat for CropWat

2. Total Dynamic Head:

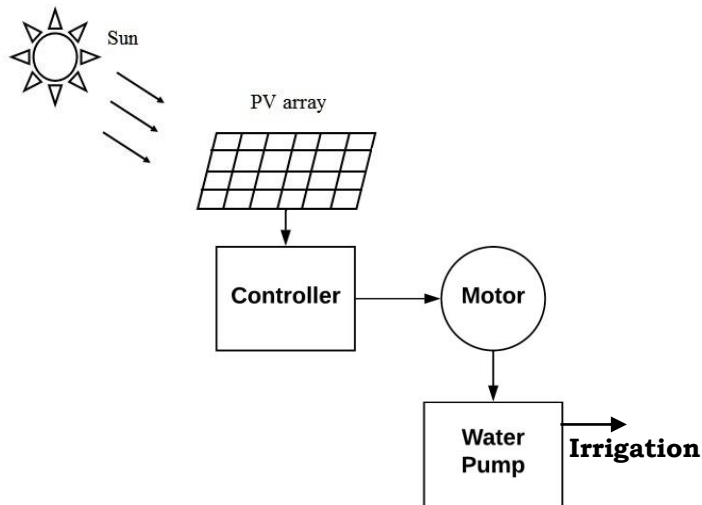
Ground water Level + Elevation

CROPWAT WATER ANALYSIS RESULTS

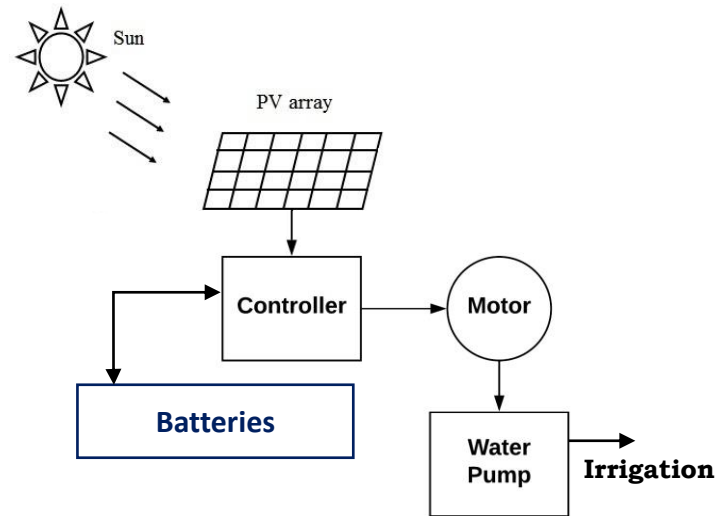


System Diagram

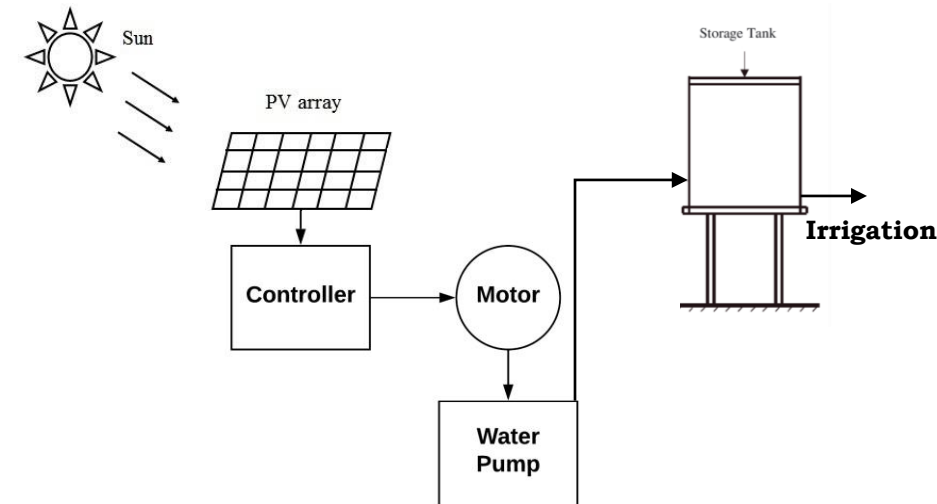
Without Storage System



With Battery Storage System



With Water Tank Storage

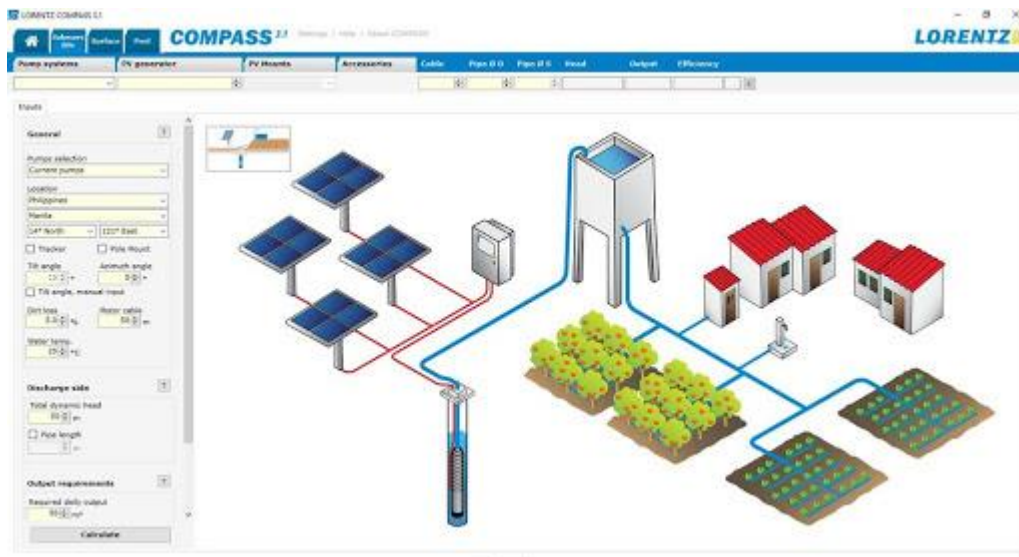


System Sizing without Storage System

Using Lorentz Compass3

Design Factors:

1. Flow rate (July): **755 m³/day**
2. Total Dynamic Head: **45m**



PSk2-25 C-SJ95-4

Solar Submersible Pump System for 8" wells

System Overview

Head max. 60 m
Flow rate max. 112 m³/h

Technical Data

Controller PSK2-25

- High efficiency solar pump controller
- Hybrid power (solar / grid / generator) support with LORENTZ SmartSolution
- Inputs for water meter, pressure sensors, digital switches
- Simple configuration with LORENTZ PumpScanner Android™ App
- Onboard data logging and system monitoring
- Inbuilt applications for constant pressure, constant flow and daily amount
- Integrated Sun Sensor
- Active temperature management
- Integrated MPPT (Maximum Power Point Tracking)

Power max. 25 kW
Input voltage max. 650 V
Optimum Vmp** > 575 V
Motor current max. 40 A
Efficiency max. 98 %
Ambient temp. -30... 50 °C
Enclosure class IP54

Motor AC DRIVE SUB 6" 18.5kW

- Highly efficient 3-phase AC motor
 - Frequency: 25... 52 Hz
 - Premium materials, stainless steel, AISI 304
 - No electronics in the motor
- Efficiency max. 84 %
Motor speed 1.400... 2.965 rpm
Power factor 0.87
Insulation class F
Enclosure class IP68
Submersion max. 150 m

Pump End PE C-SJ95-4

- Non-return valve
 - Premium materials, stainless steel, AISI 304
 - Centrifugal pump
- Efficiency max. 74 %

Pump Unit PUK2-25 C-SJ95-4 (Motor, Pump End)

Borehole diameter min. 8,0 in
Water temperature max. 30 °C****

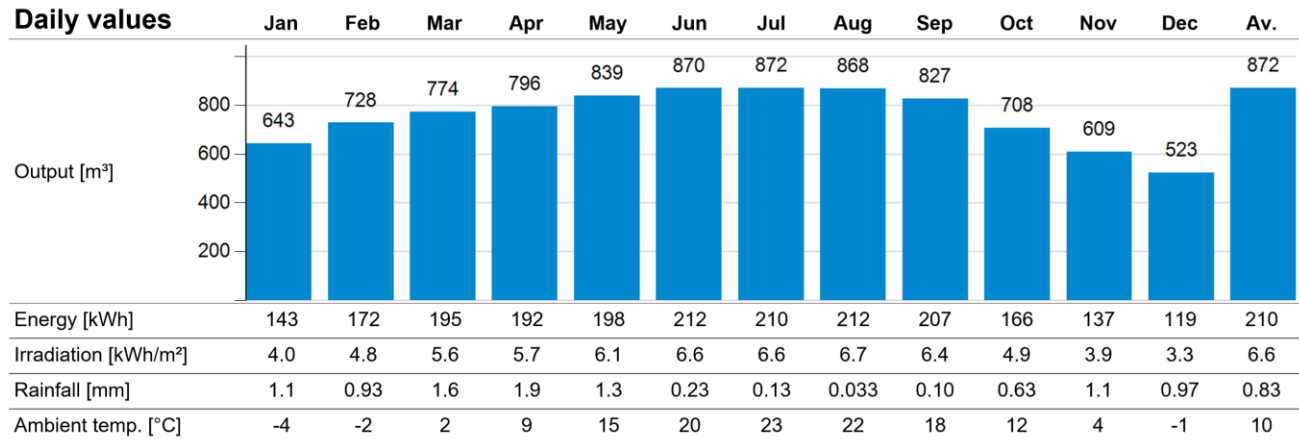
Standards

CE 2006/42/EC, 2004/108/EC, 2006/95/EC
IEC/EN 61702:1995, IEC/EN 62253 Ed.1

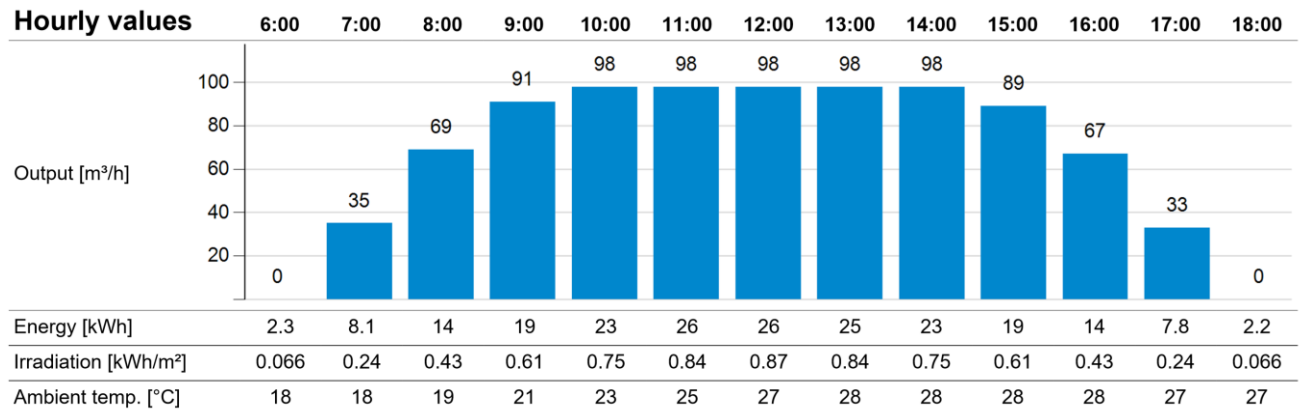
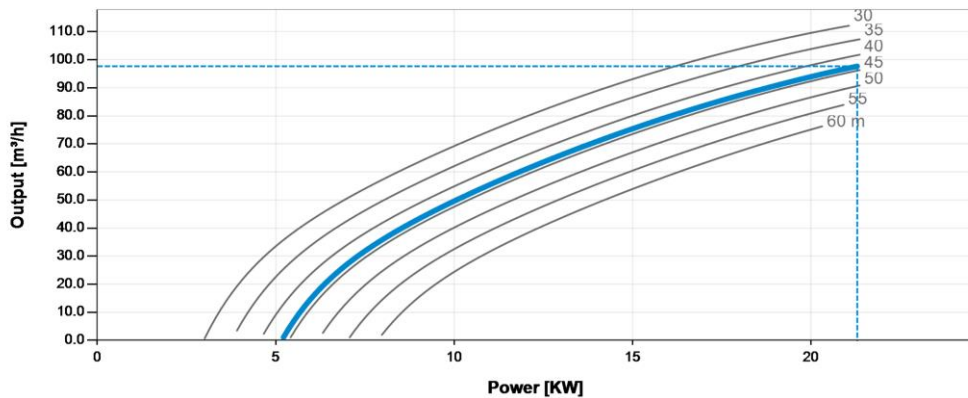


System Design without Storage System

Lorentz Compass3 Results:



Pump Chart



System Design without Storage System

System Costs:

Component	Model	Capital Cost (CAD)
Pump System	PS25K2 C-SJ95-4	19,934.99
Pump Controller	PS25k Controller-18.5kVA	10,826.51
PV Panels	Suntech Power315 (44.4kw)	24,937.25
Total		55,698.75

System Sizing with Storage System



1. Flow rate (Constant): **35 m³/h**
2. Total Dynamic Head: **45m**

PSk2-15 C-SJ42-6

Solar Submersible Pump System for 6" wells

System Overview

Head max. 50 m
Flow rate max. 65 m³/h

Technical Data

Controller PSk2-15

- High efficiency solar pump controller
- Hybrid power (solar / grid / generator) support with LORENTZ SmartSolution
- Inputs for water meter, pressure sensors, digital switches
- Simple configuration with LORENTZ PumpScanner Android™ App
- Onboard data logging and system monitoring
- Inbuilt applications for constant pressure, constant flow and daily amount
- Integrated Sun Sensor
- Active temperature management
- Integrated MPPT (Maximum Power Point Tracking)

Power max. 15 kW
Input voltage max. 850 V
Optimum Vmp** > 575 V
Motor current max. 24 A
Efficiency max. 98 %
Ambient temp. -30..50 °C
Enclosure class IP54

Motor AC DRIVE SUB 6" 11kW

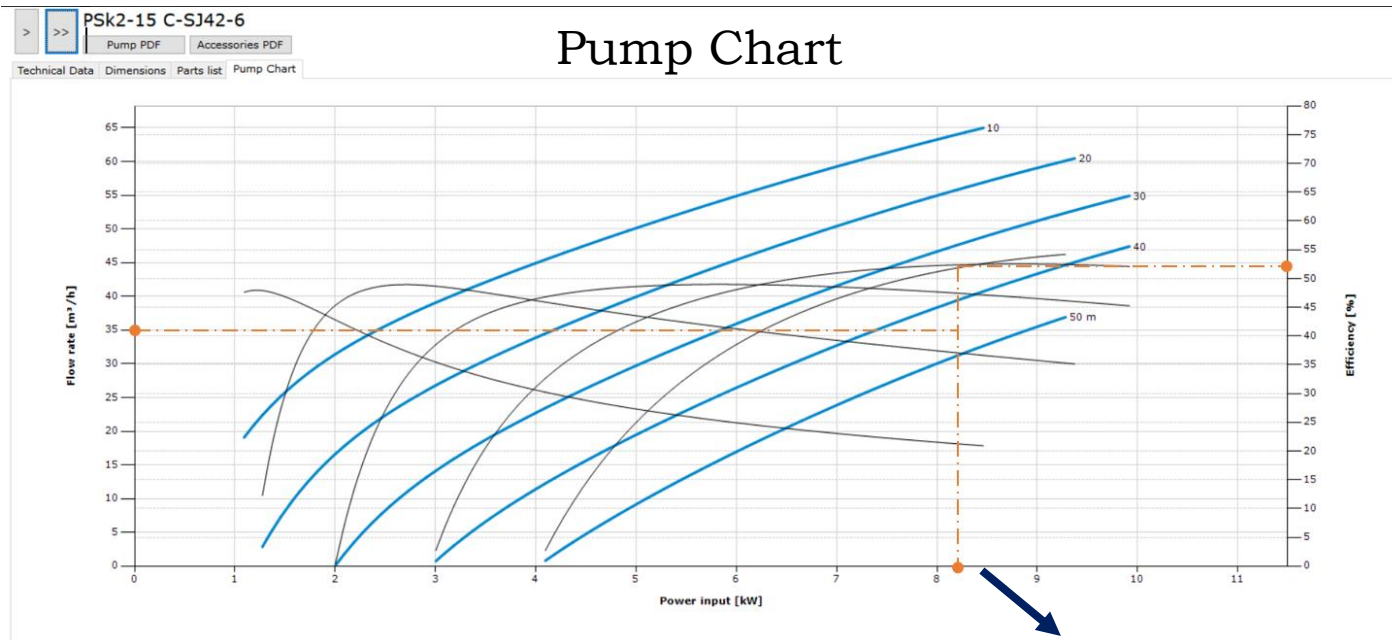
- Highly efficient 3-phase AC motor
 - Frequency: 25..50 Hz
 - Premium materials, stainless steel: AISI 304
 - No electronics in the motor
- Efficiency max. 80 %
Motor speed 1,400..2,850 rpm
Power factor 0.87
Insulation class F
Enclosure class IP68
Submersion max. 150 m

Pump End PE C-SJ42-6

- Non-return valve
 - Premium materials, stainless steel: AISI 304
 - Centrifugal pump
- Efficiency max. 69 %

Pump Unit PUK2-15 C-SJ42-6 (Motor, Pump End)

Borehole diameter min. 6.0 in
Water temperature max. 30 °C****



Load=8.2 KW

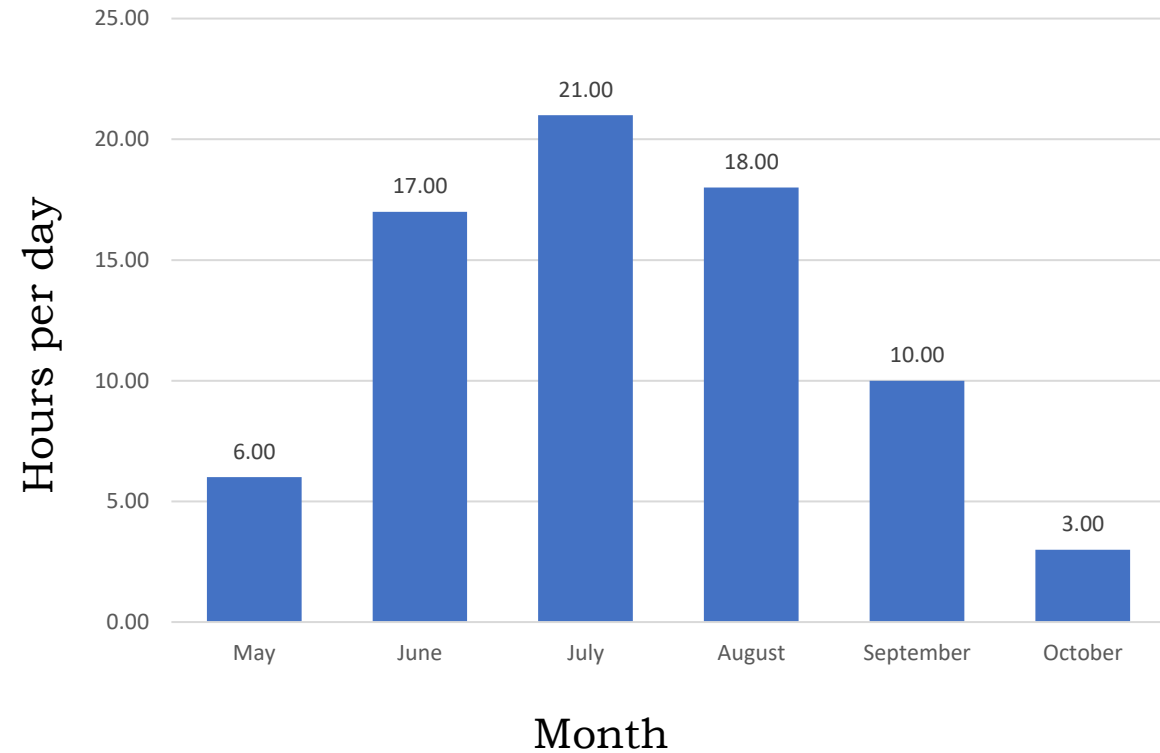
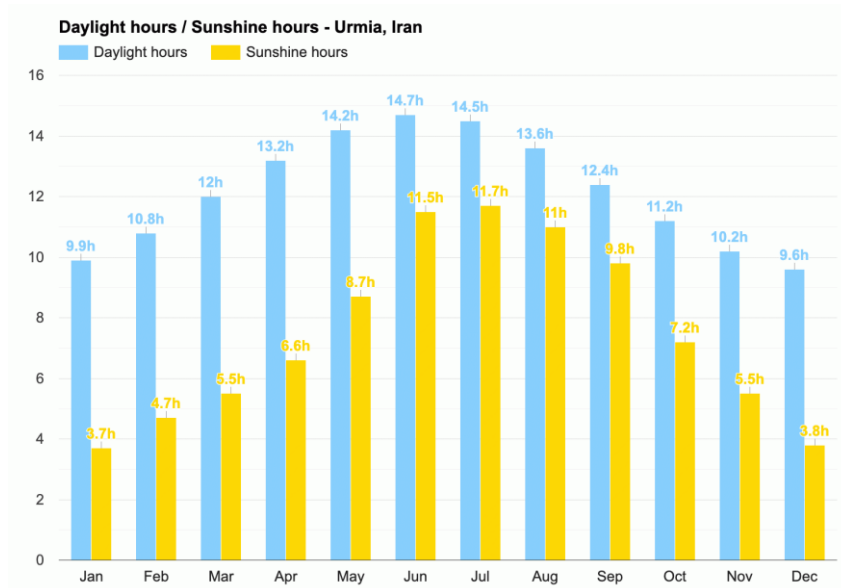
System Sizing with Storage System

Load Profile:

Note:

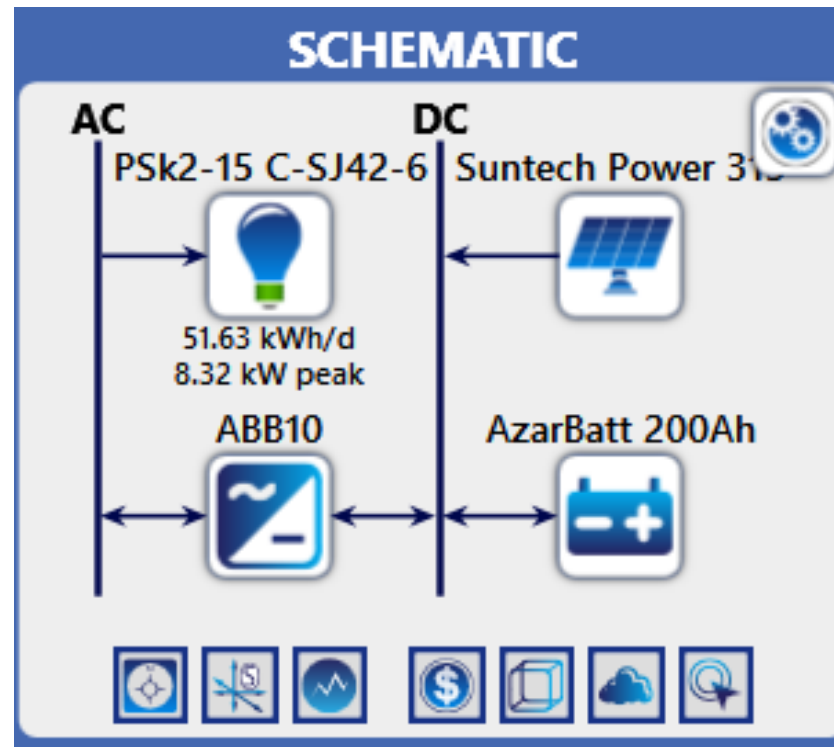
Flow rate is constant: $35 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$

Load=8.2 KW



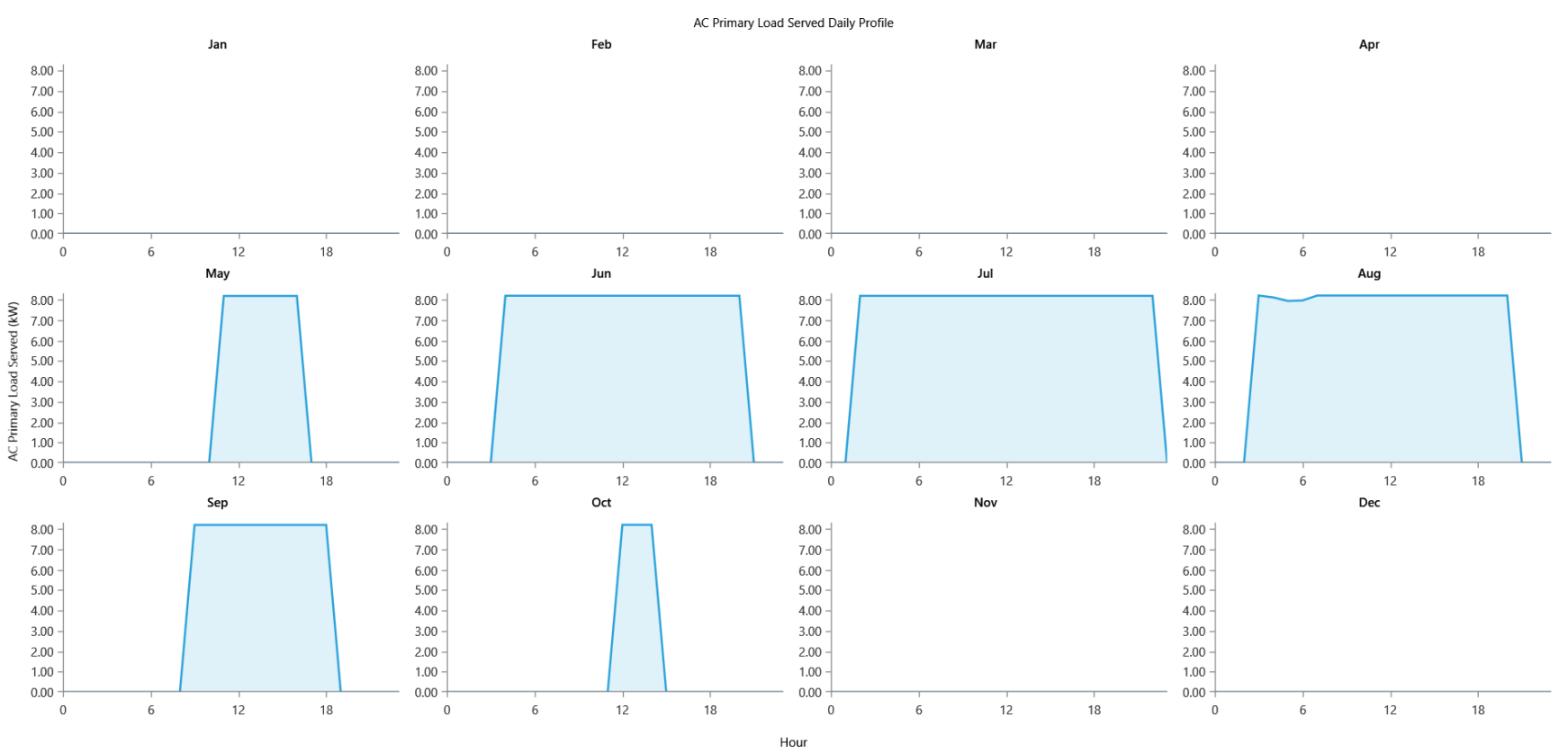
System Design with Battery Storage System

Optimization with HOMER Pro Micro Grid Analysis Tool:



System Design with Battery Storage System

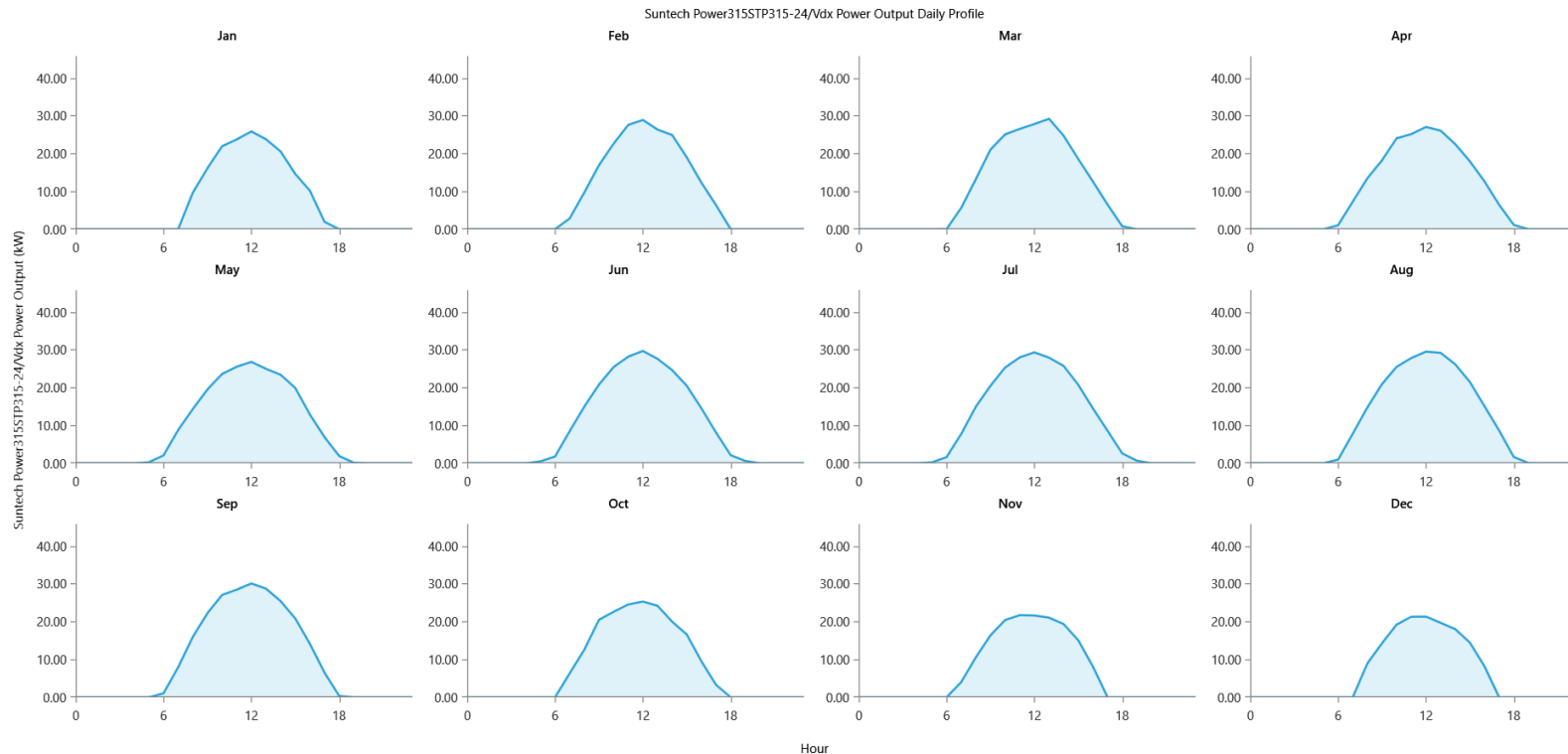
Results of the HOMER Optimization:



Daily profile: Primary Load Served (KW)

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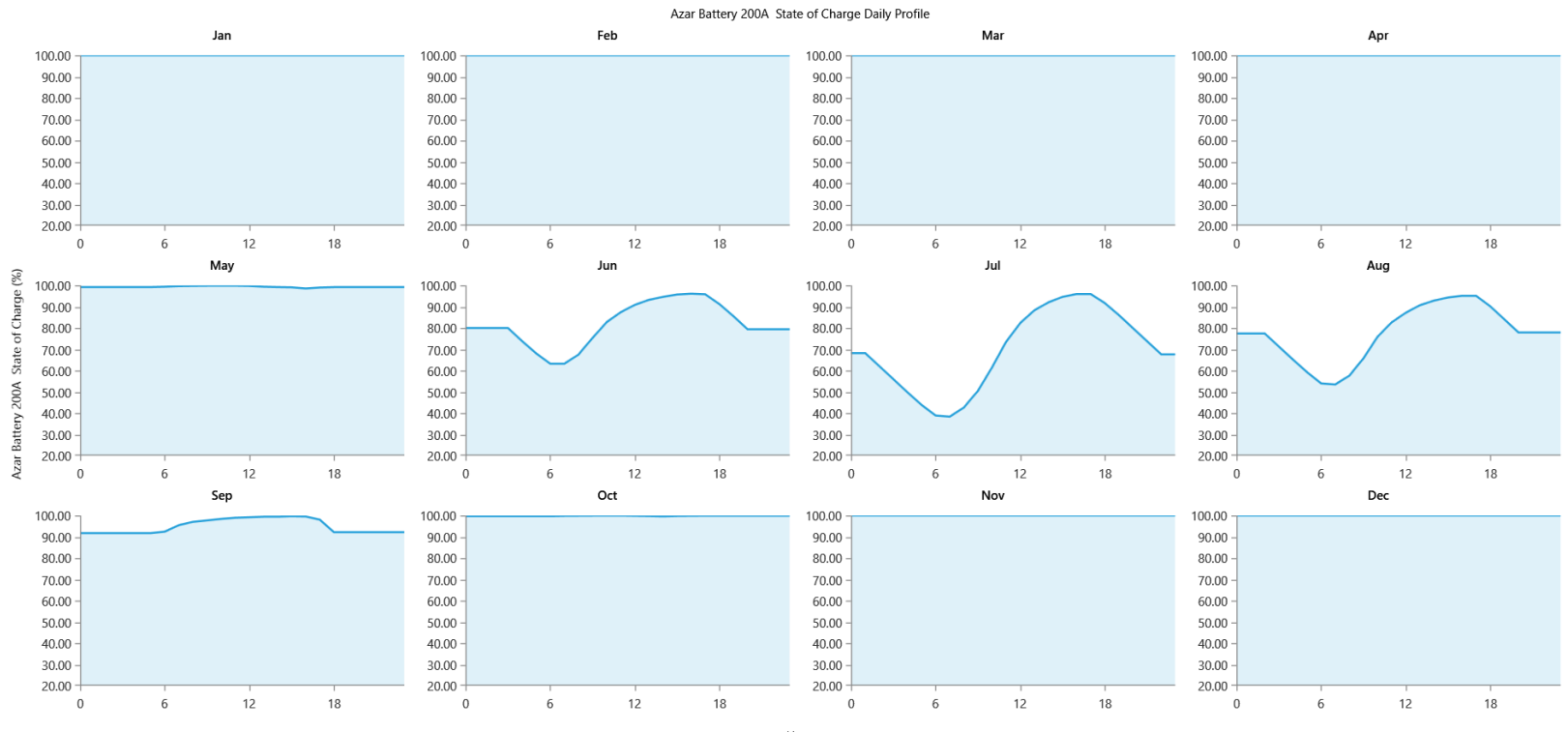
Results of the HOMER Optimization:



Daily profile: PV panels Power Output (KW)

System Design with Battery Storage System

Results of the HOMER Optimization:



Daily profile: BSS state of charge (%)

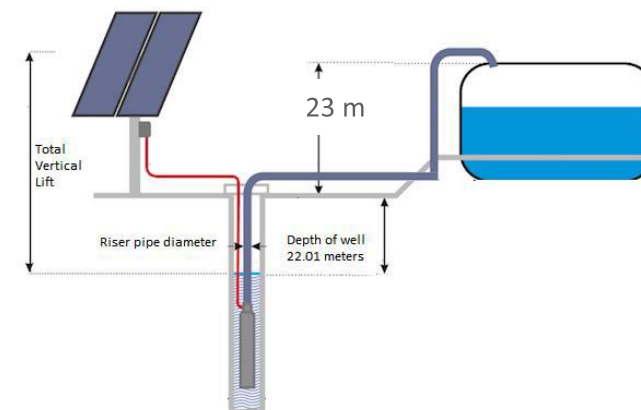
System Design with Battery Storage System

System Costs:

Component	Model	Capital Cost (CAD)
Pump System	PS15k2 - C-SJ42-6	15,284.68
Inverter	ABB PVI 10.0 I OUTD-x-US-480	5,096.00
PV Panels	Suntech Power 315w (44.4kw)	24,937.25
Battery Storage	Azar Battery 200Ah (x60)	4,860.00
Total		50,177.93

System Design with Water Tank Storage

1. Irrigation Flow rate (Constant): $35 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$
2. Total Dynamic Head: 45m



Water Reservoir for **Gravity fed Irrigation**:

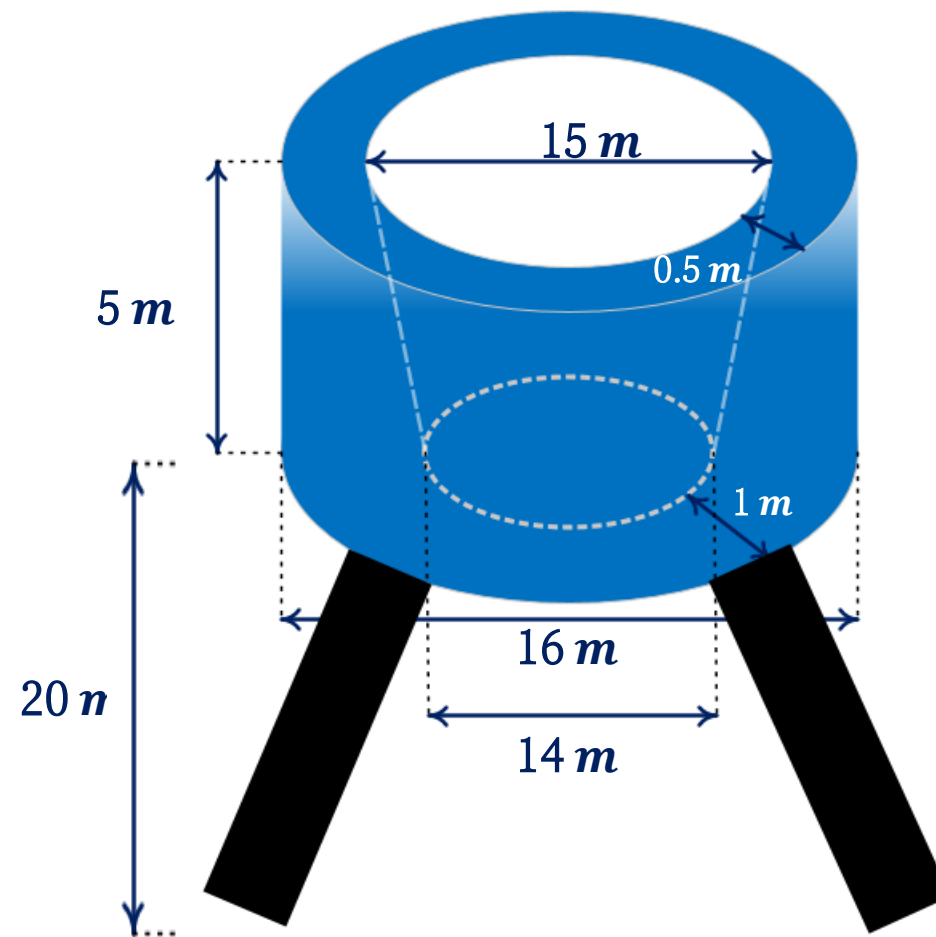
- Must be able to contain at least 1-day worth of water \Rightarrow Water Tank Capacity: about 800 m^3
- Must be elevated to add constant **pressure** in distribution line

1 meter of head = 1.42197 PSI
 Required pressure for Emitters= 15-30 PSI } \Rightarrow Tank Elevation: 20 m

System Design with Water Tank Storage

Cistern Design:

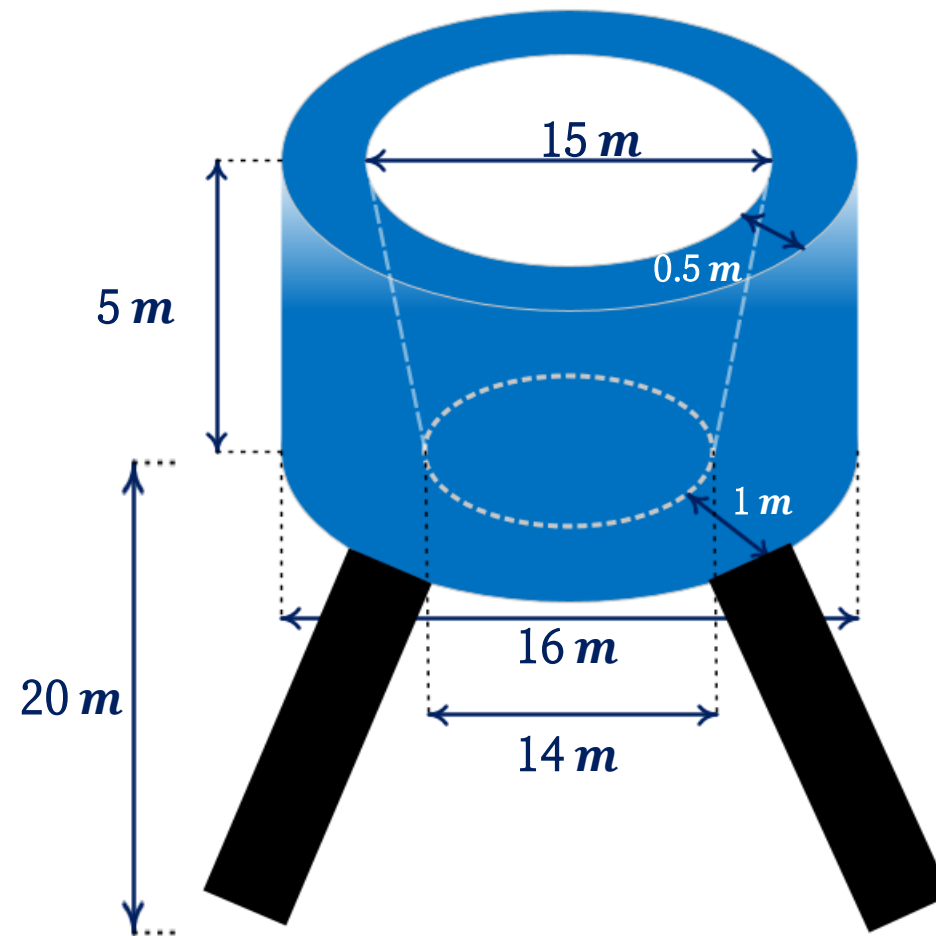
- ✓ Water Capacity of the Designed Tank = 826.63 m^3



System Design with Water Tank Storage

Cistern Design:

- ✓ Concrete used in the Designed Tank = 178.68 m^3
- ✓ Concrete Unit Price: 24 CAD/m^3
- ✓ Concrete **Total** Price only for cistern construction
 $24 \times 178.68 = 4,288.32 \text{ CAD}$

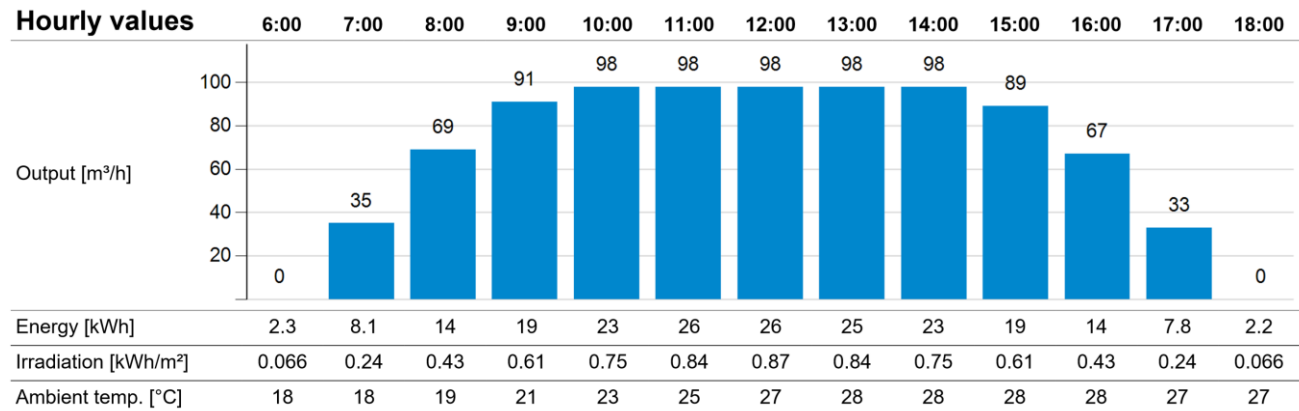
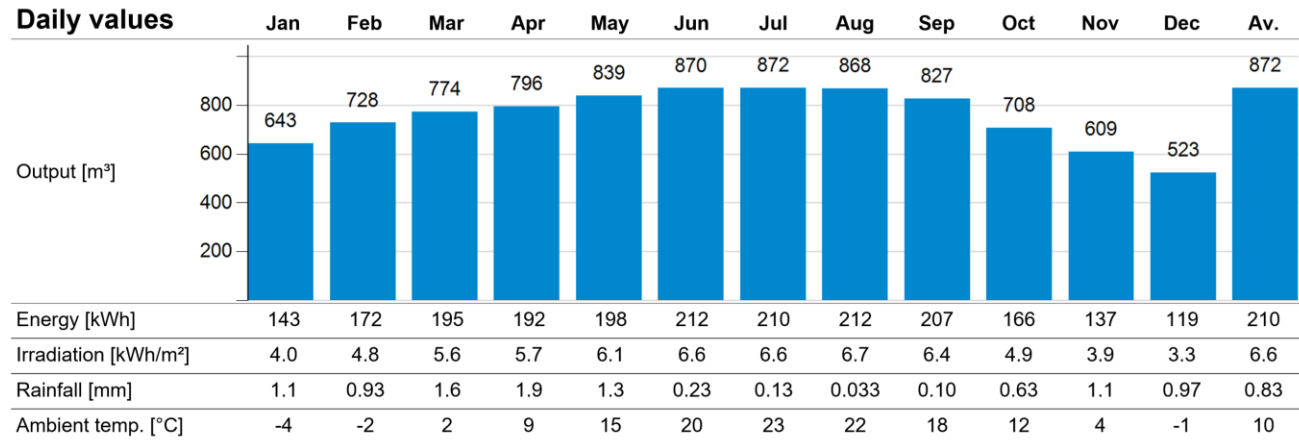


System Design with Water Tank Storage

Water Pump Output:

Same as without storage system

✓ However
Irrigation Flow rate can remain Constant: **35 m³/h**



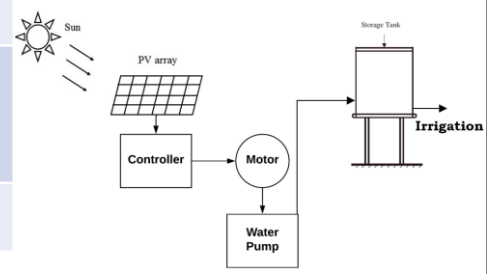
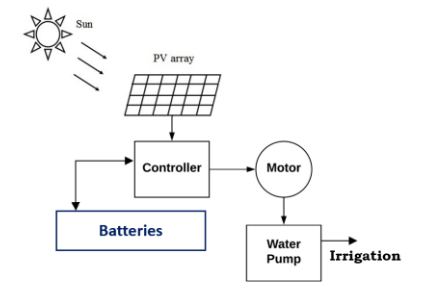
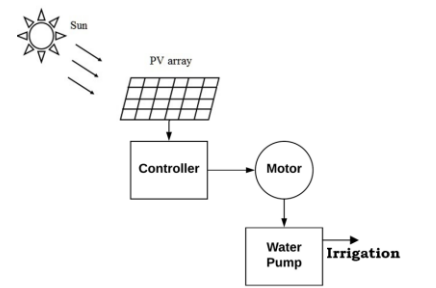
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Pump Controller	PS25k Controller-18.5kVA	10,826.51
PV Panels	Suntech Power 315w (44.4kw)	24,937.25
Cistern	Concrete C-35 (178.68 m ³)	4,288.32
Total		59,987.07

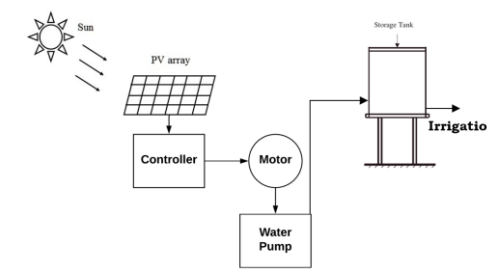
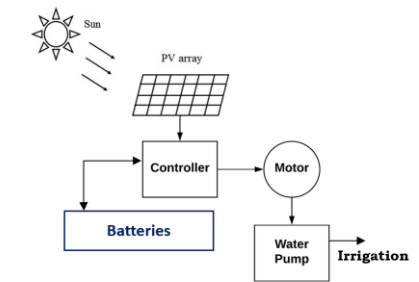
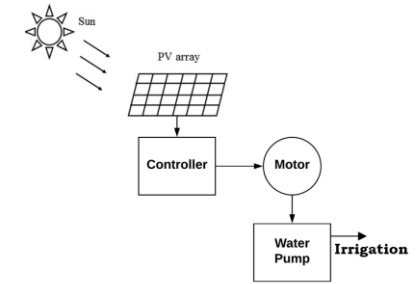
Comparison

Component*	Without Storage (A) (\$CAD)	With Battery Bank (B) (\$CAD)	With Water Tank (C) (\$CAD)
Pump system	19,934.99	15,284.68	19,934.99
Pump Controller	10,826.51	5,096.00	10,826.51
PV Panels	24,937.25	24,937.25	24,937.25
Battery Storage	N\A	4,860.00	N\A
Cistern (Concrete)	N\A	N\A	4,288.32
Total	55,698.75	50,177.93	59,987.07



Conclusion

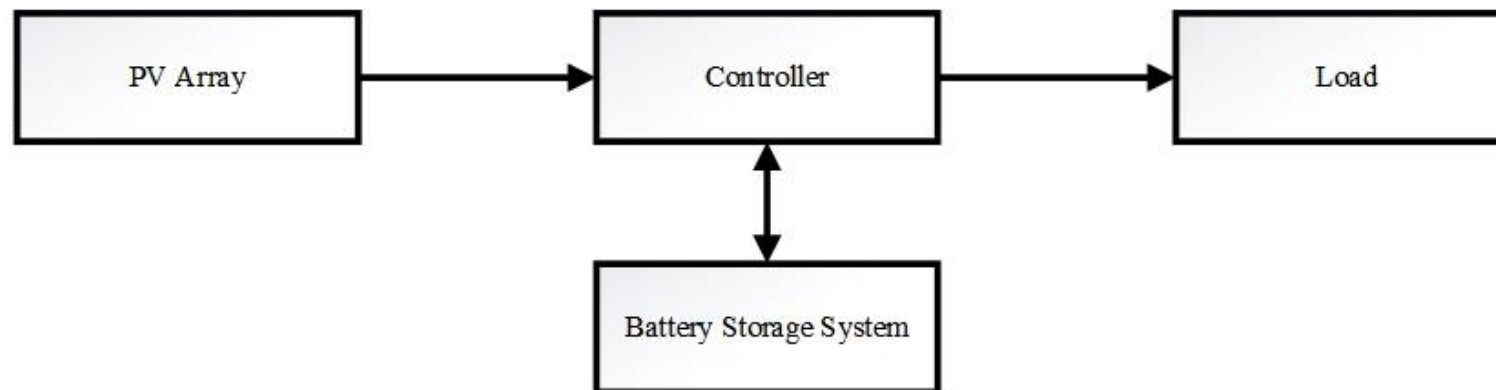
	Without Storage System	With Battery Storage System	With Water Tank Storage
Cost			
Pumping System	Medium	Low	High
Piping System	High	Low	Low
	Flowrate: up to 98 m ³ /h	Flowrate: 35 m ³ /h	Flowrate: 35 m ³ /h
Suggested System	Solar Pumping with Battery Storage System		



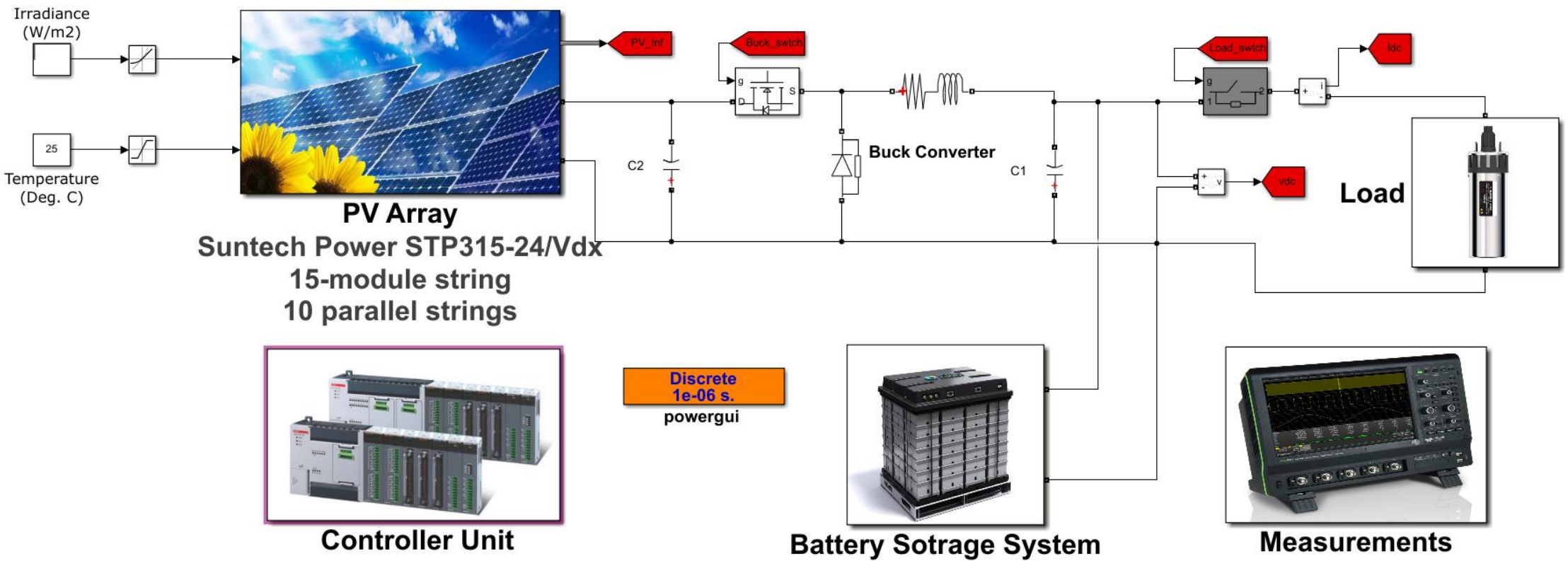
Dynamic Modelling & Control System

MATLAB/Simulink

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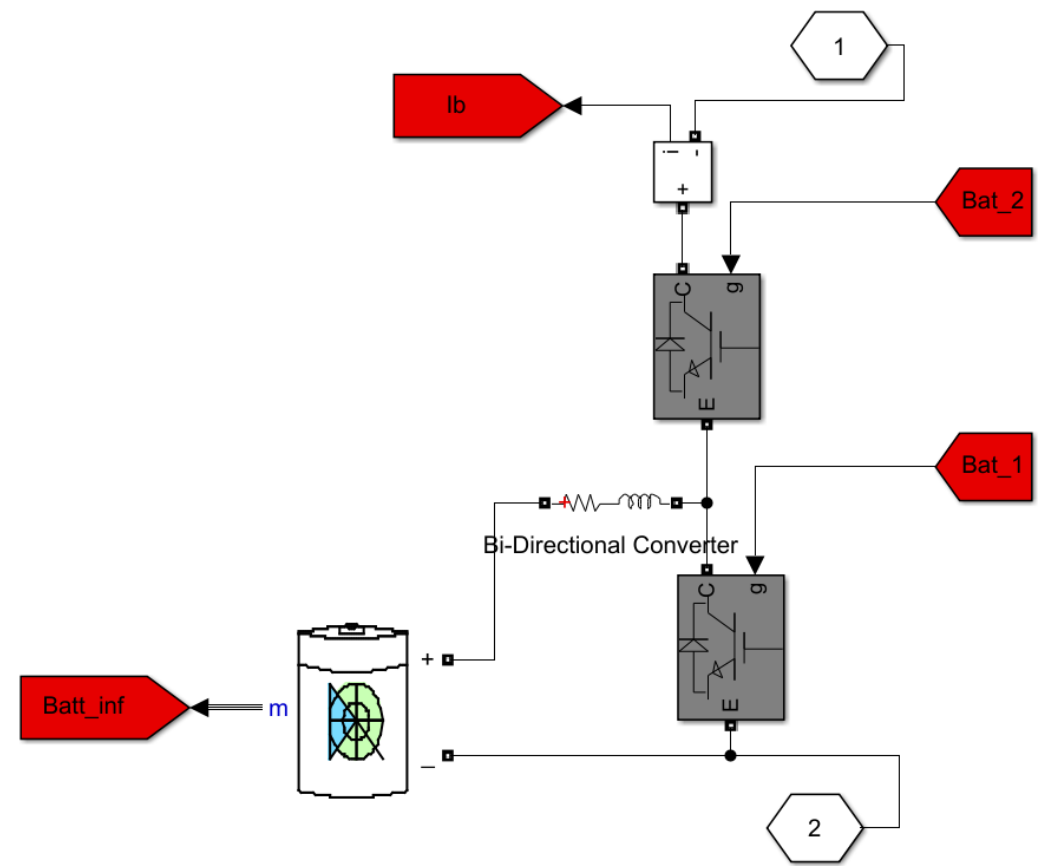


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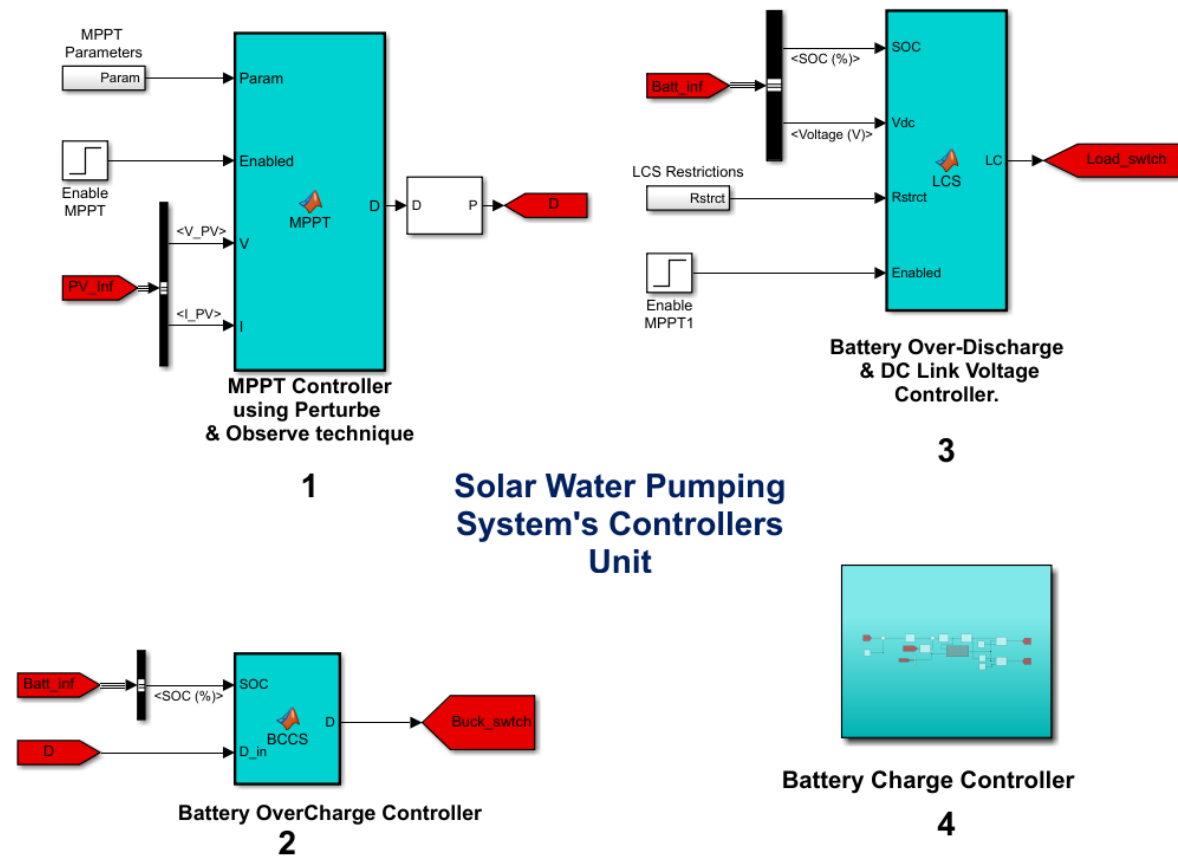
Dynamic Modelling & Control System

Battery Storage System



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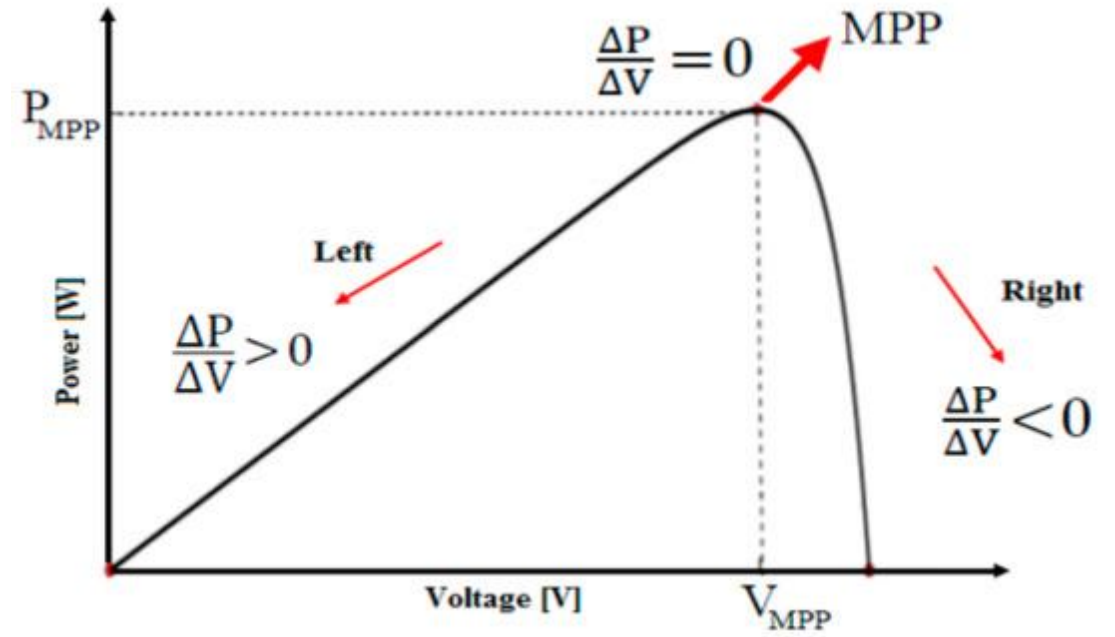
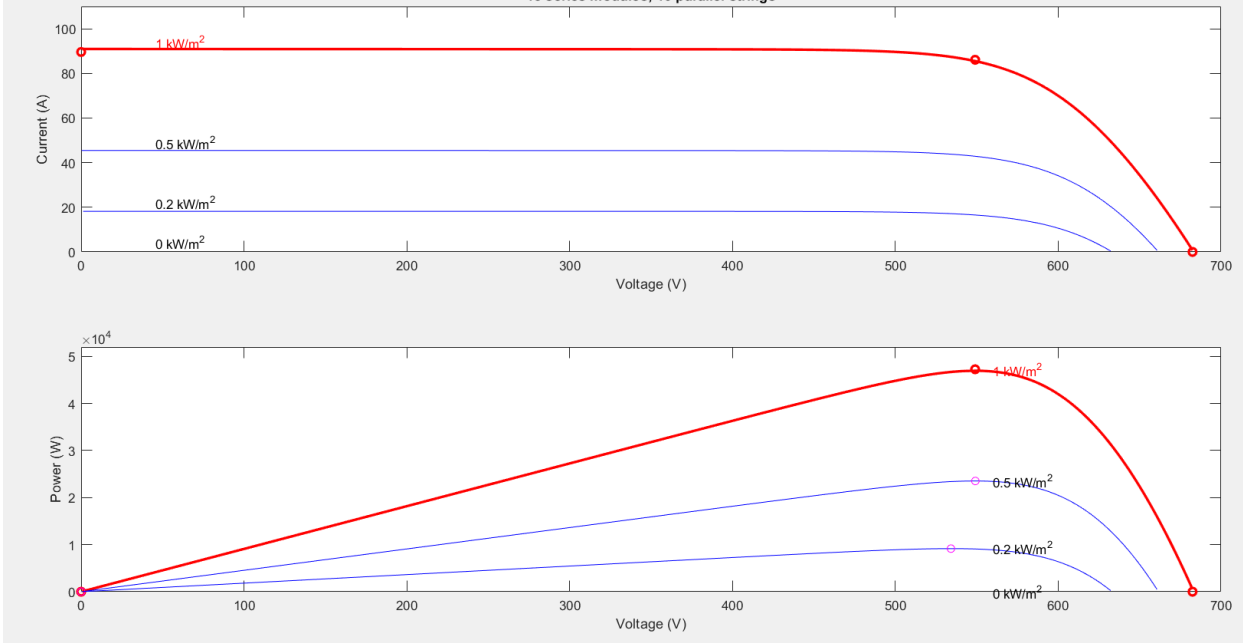
Controller Unit



Dynamic Modelling & Control System

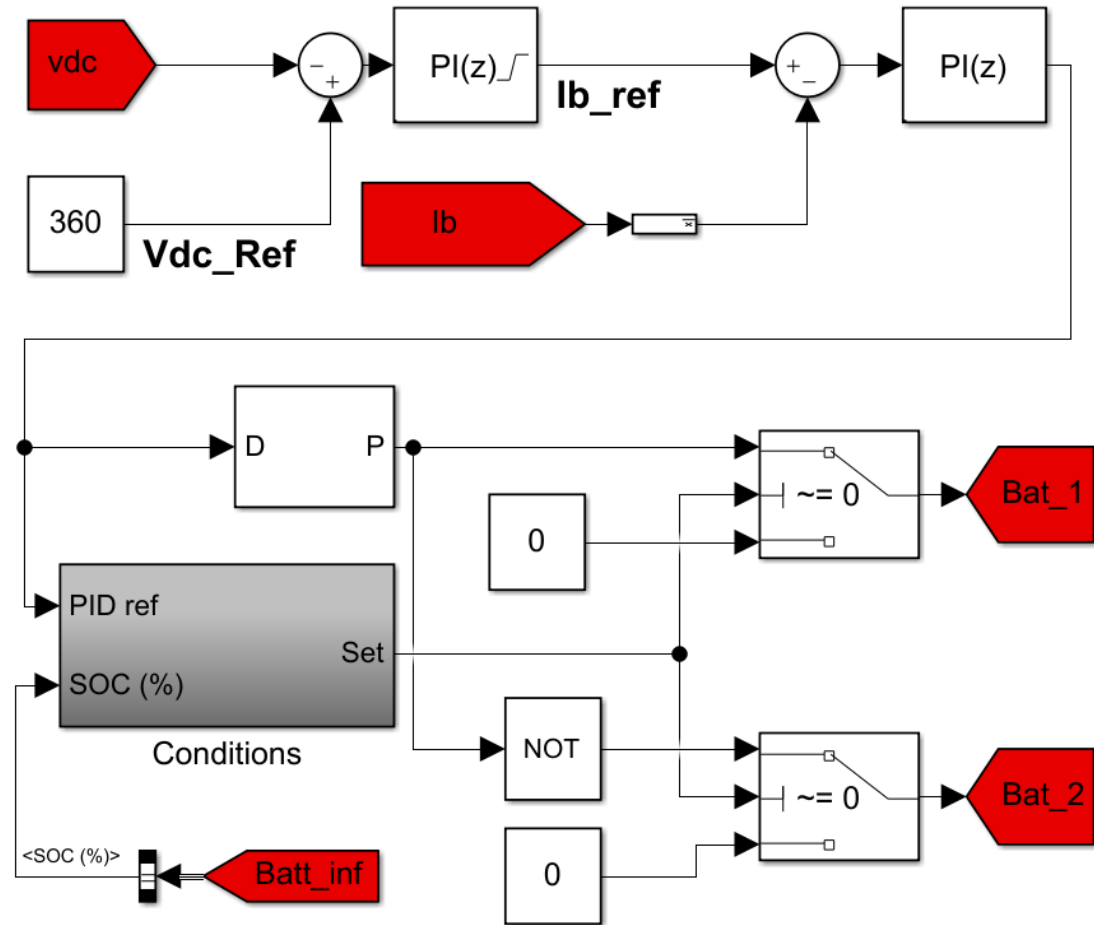
MPPT using P&O Method

Array type: Suntech Power STP315-24/Vdx;
15 series modules; 10 parallel strings



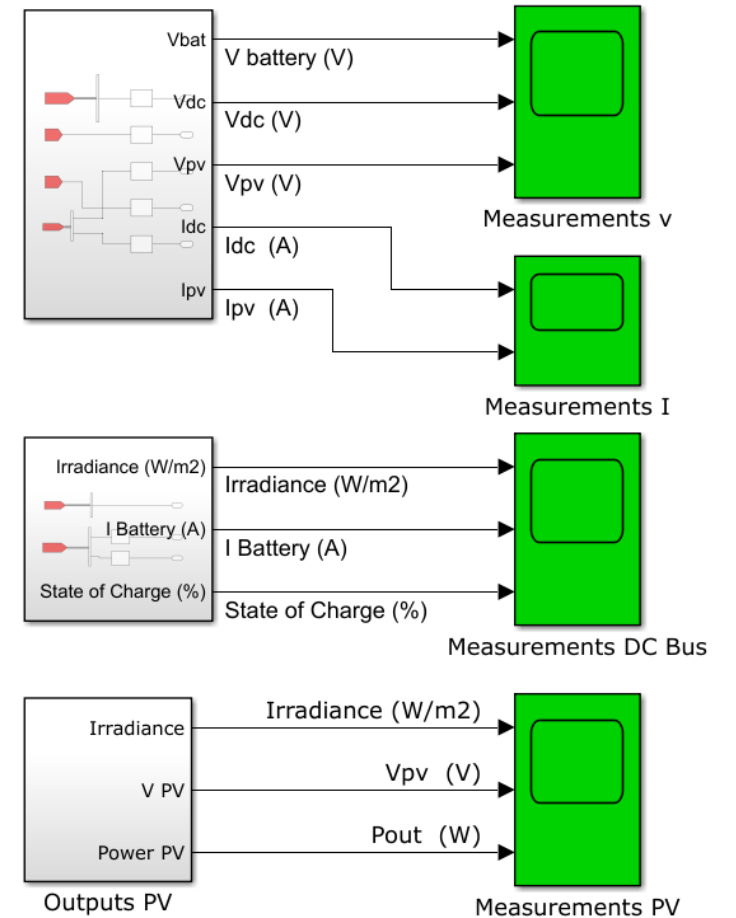
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Battery Charge Controller



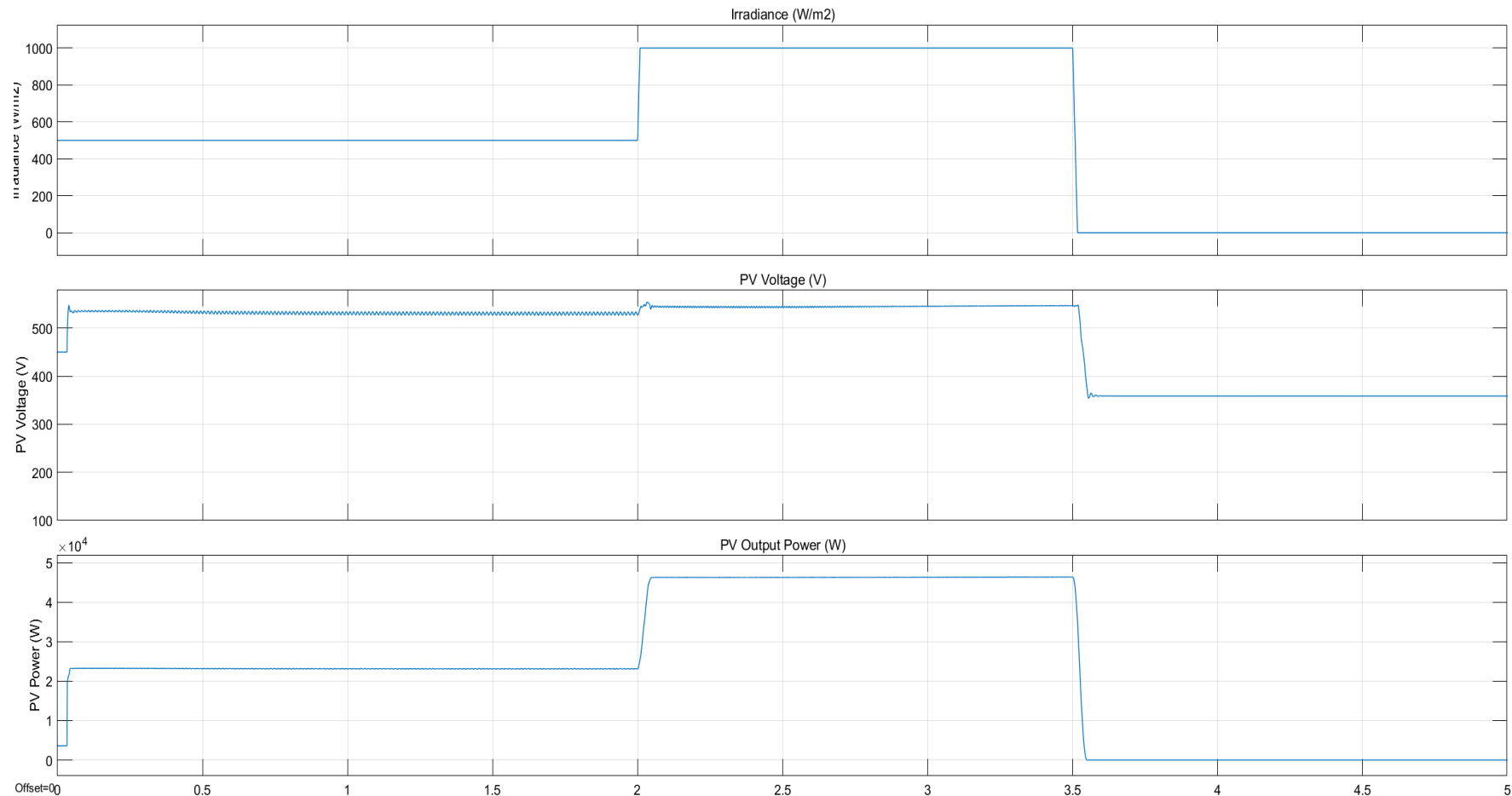
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Measurement Unit



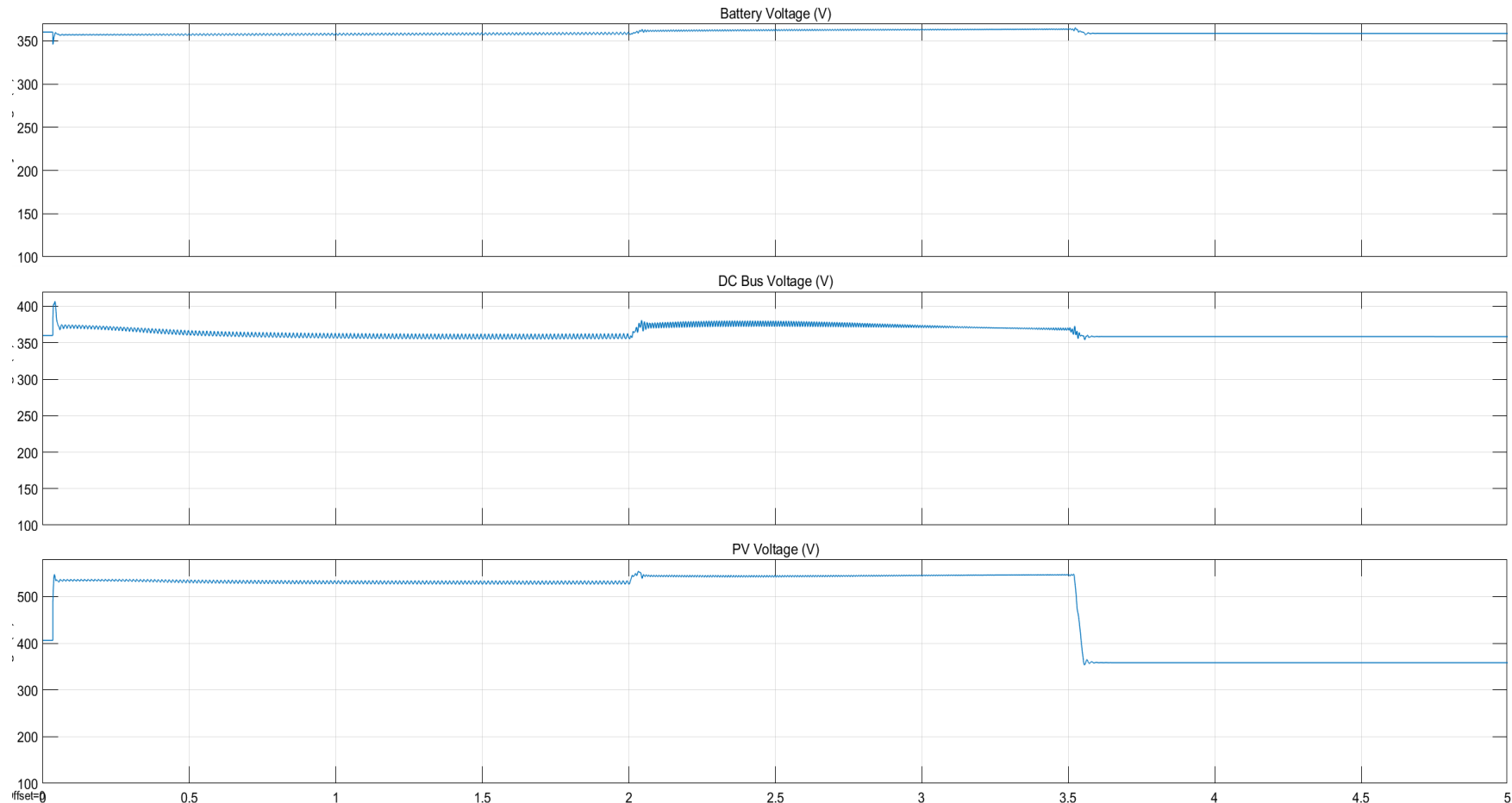
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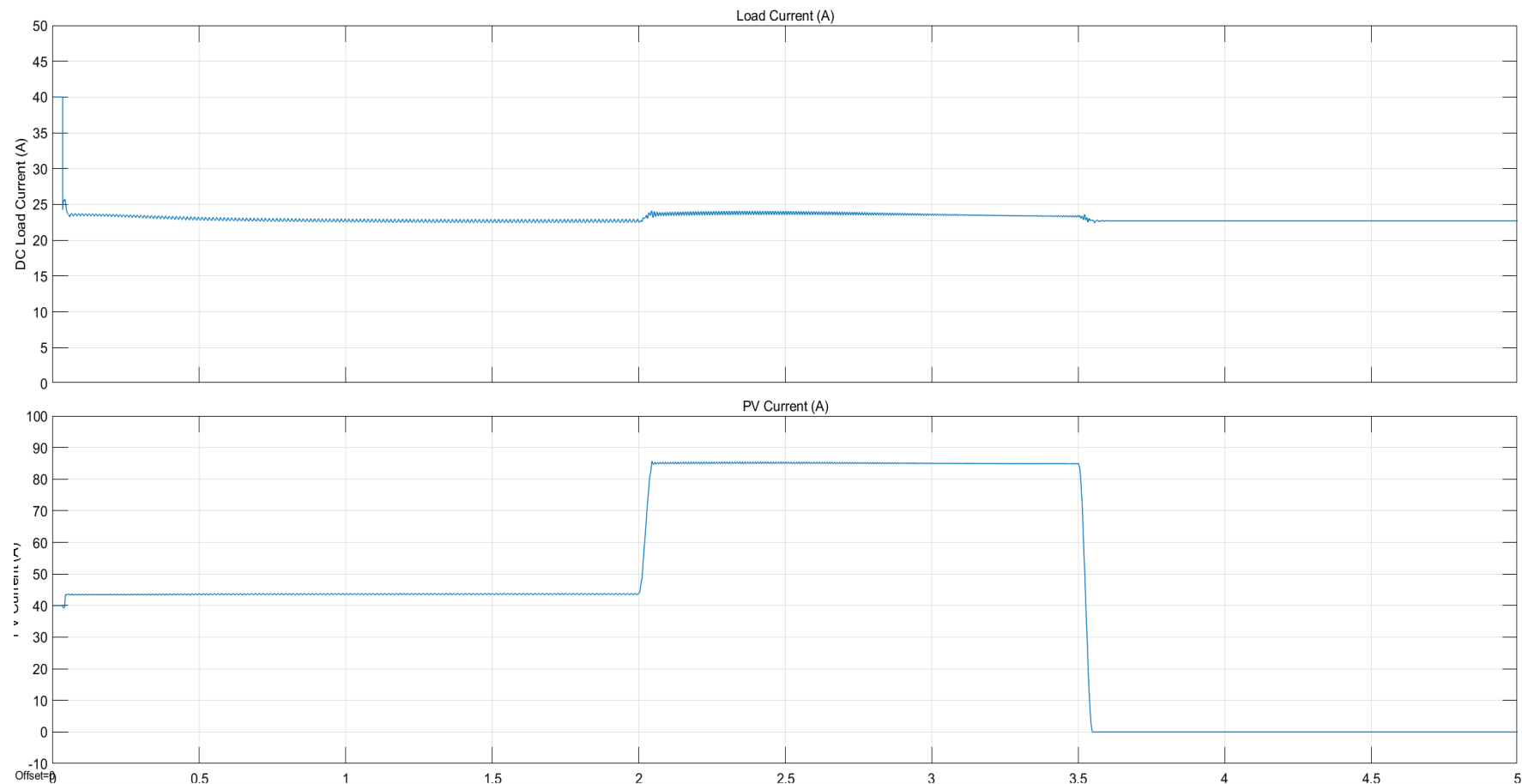
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Results (2)



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Results (3)

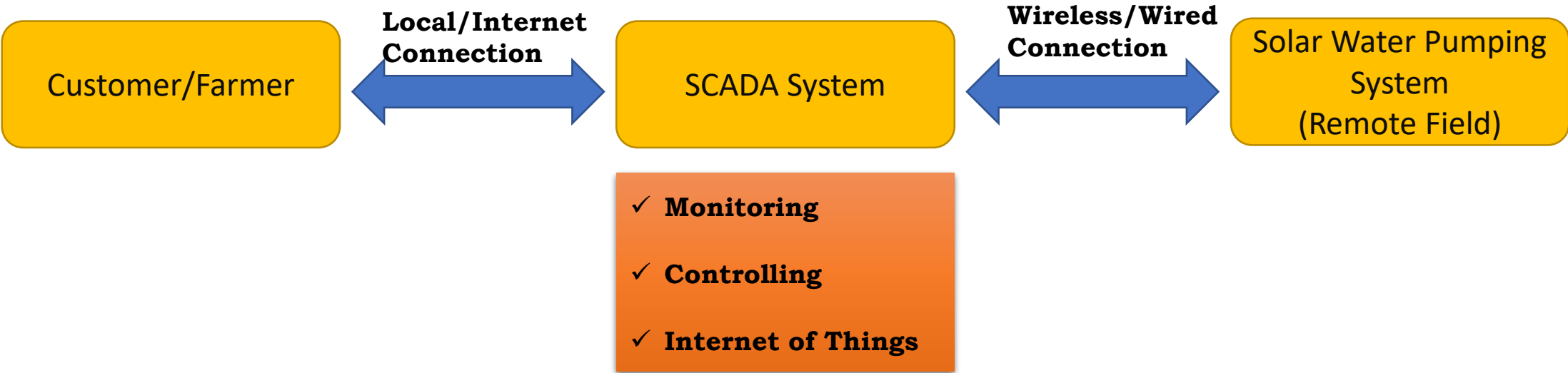


IoT-Based SCADA & Data Logging System

Introduction

SCADA

✓ **Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition**



Literature

Project 1

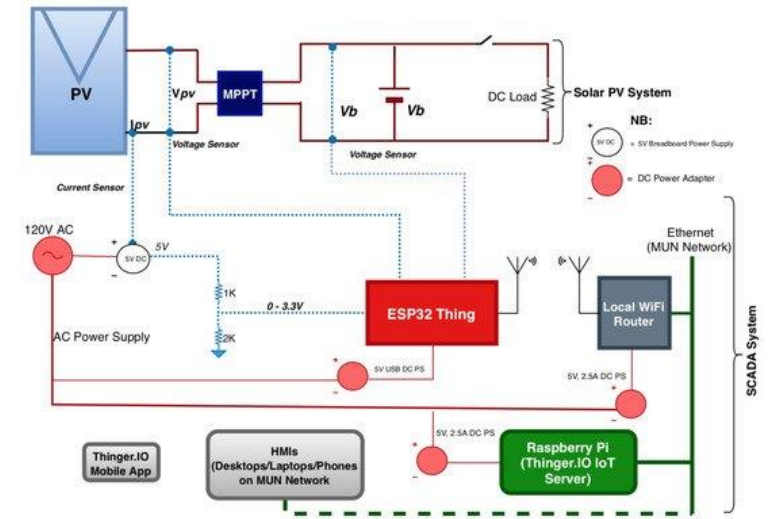
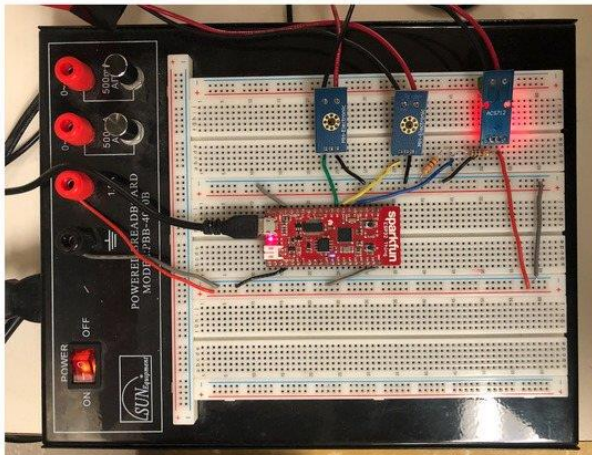
Low-Cost, Open Source IoT-Based SCADA System Design Using Thinger.IO and ESP32 Thing

2019 IEEE Canadian Conference of Electrical and Computer Engineering (CCECE)

Set up to remotely monitor a 260 W, 12 V Solar PV System.

Data Stored Online on Thinger.IO Cloud (WiFi Only)

A few HMIs were Designed



Literature

Project 2

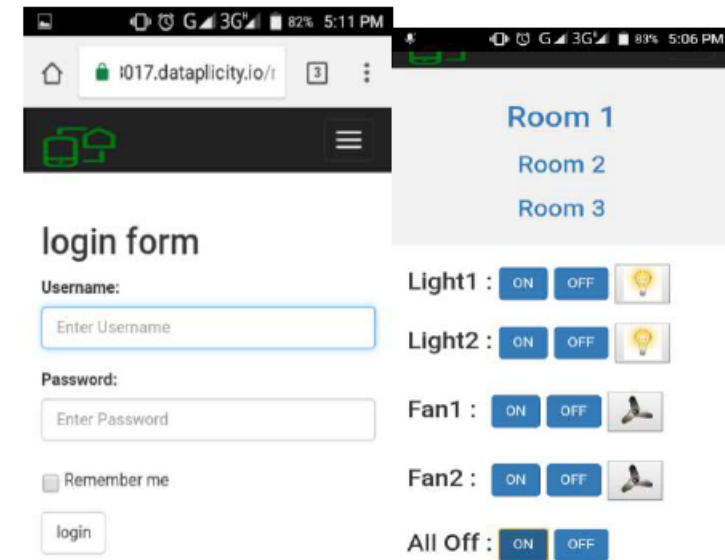
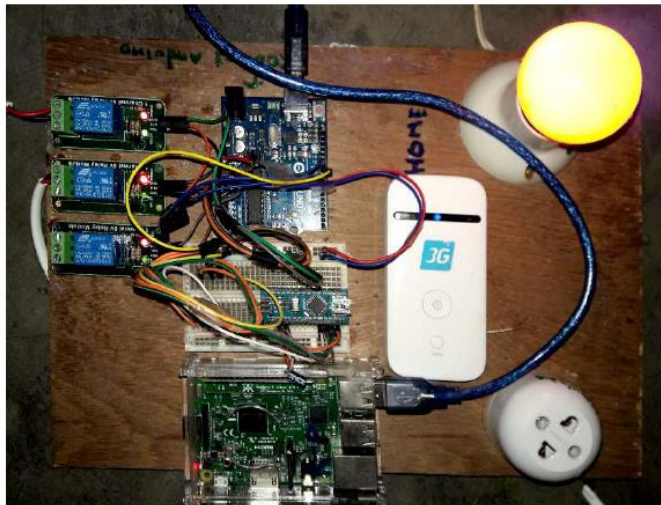
Advanced Home Automation System Using Raspberry-pi and Arduino

Data Stored Locally on Raspberry Pi Server

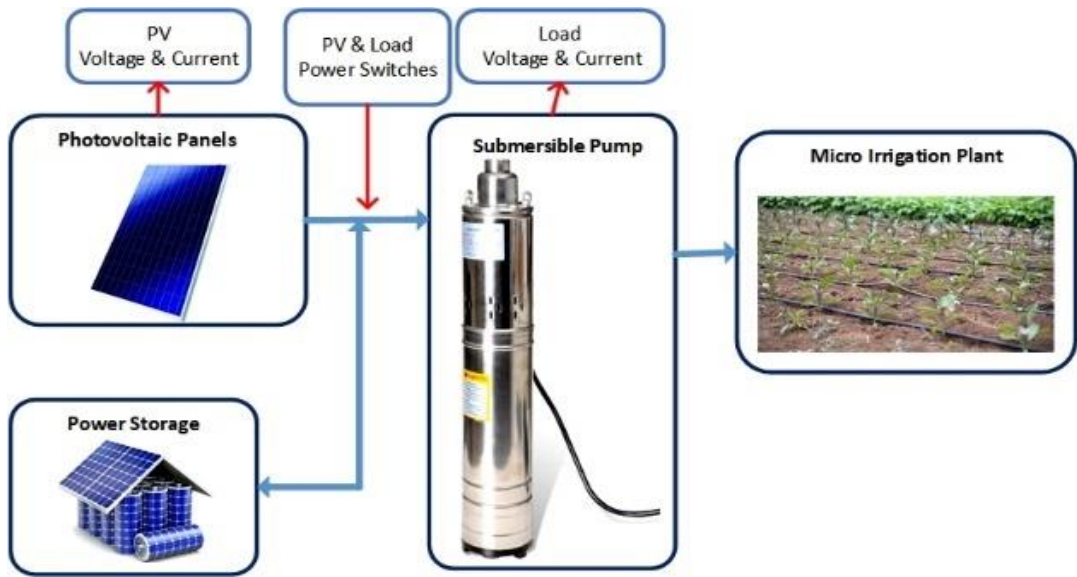
NGINX for HTTP basic-authentication

Dataplicity for Exposing to the Internet (3rd Party App) (WiFi Only)

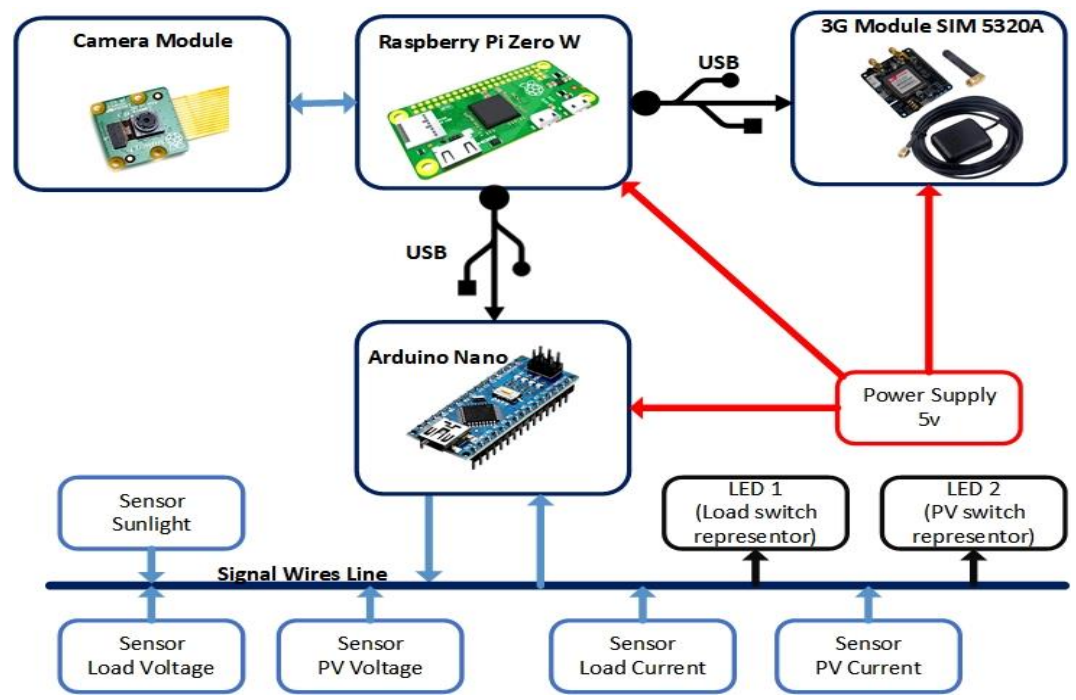
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System Diagram



A. Solar Pumping Schematic Diagram



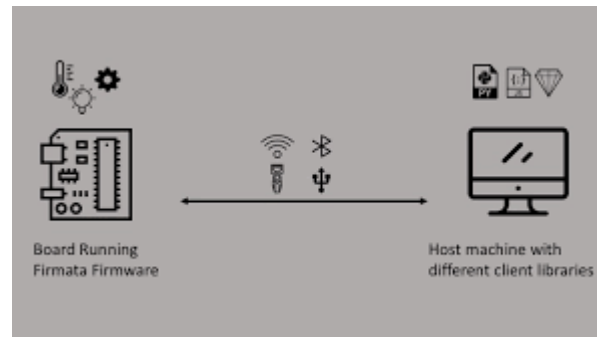
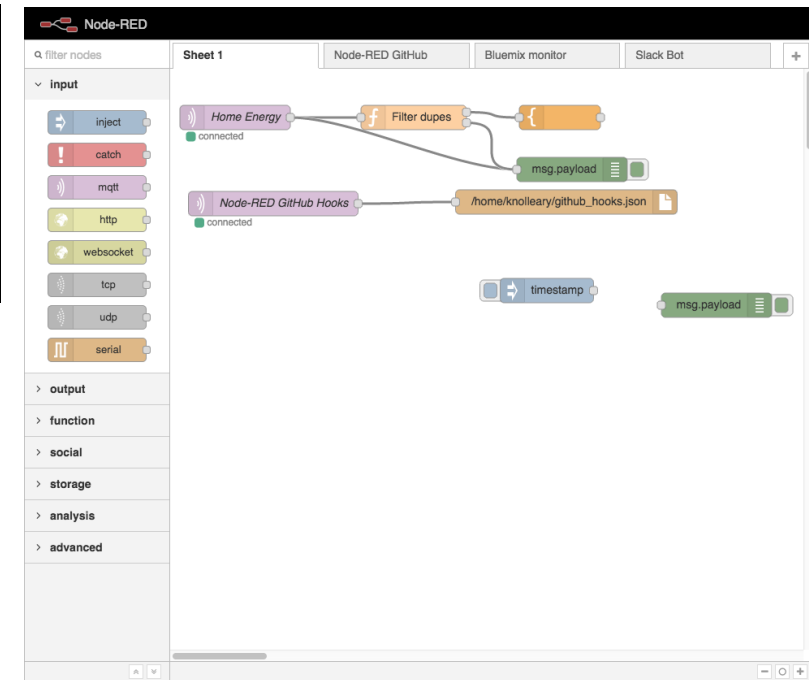
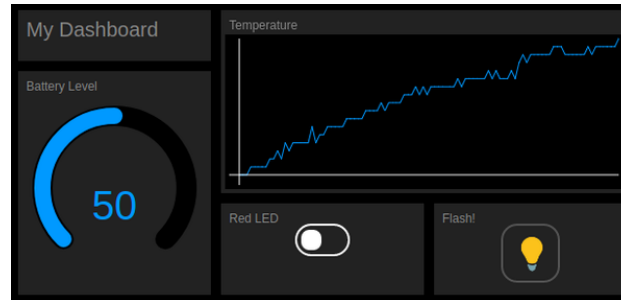
B. Designed SCADA System Schematic Diagram

Technology used in the Project

Node-RED

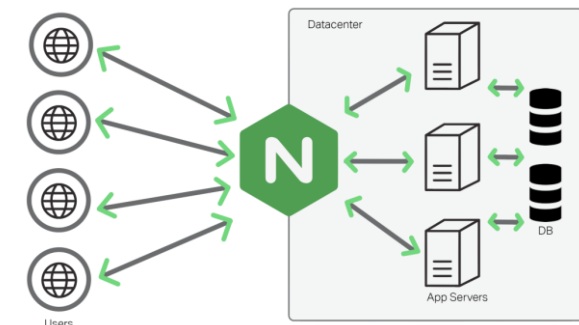
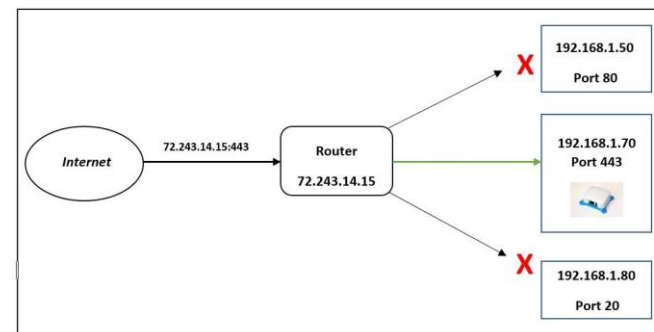
User Interface Dashboard

Firmata

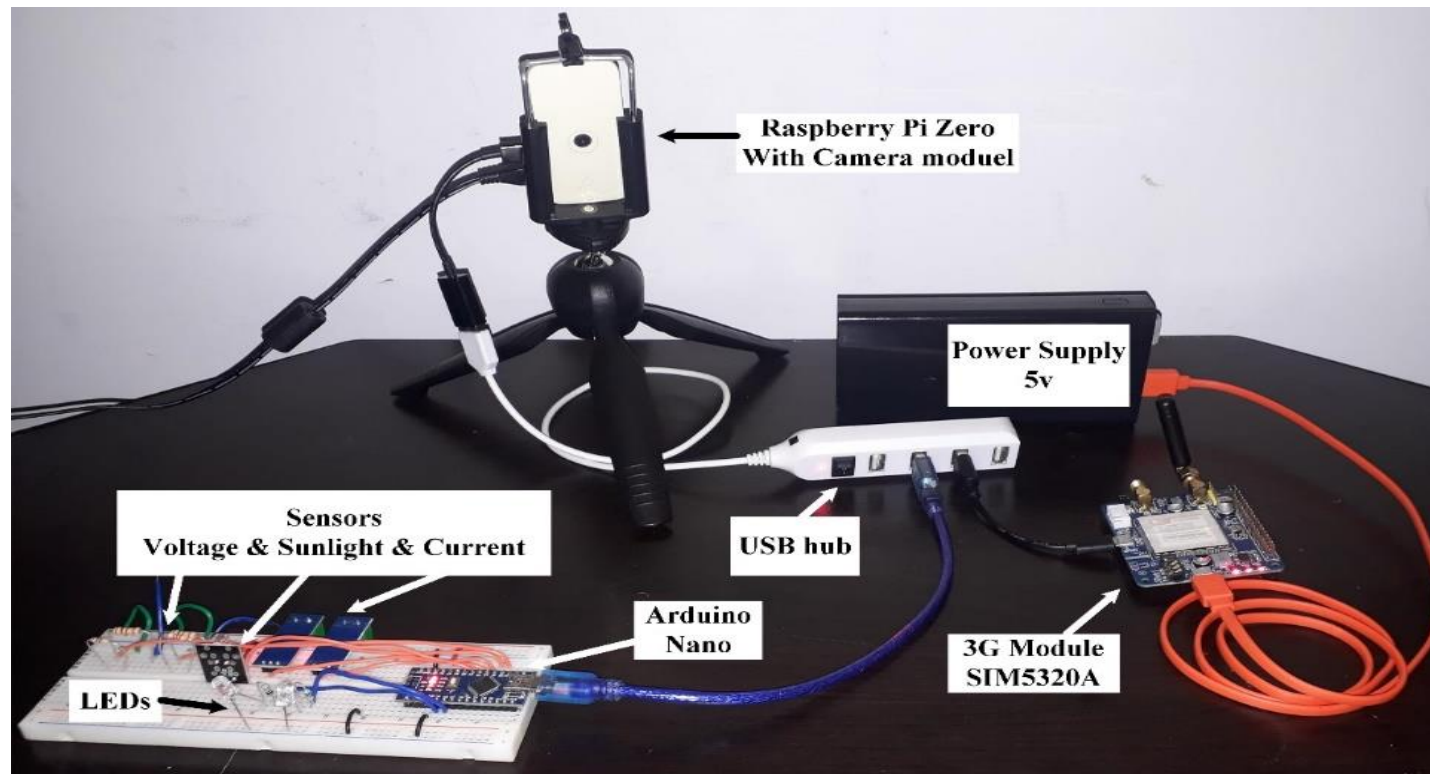


Port Forwarding

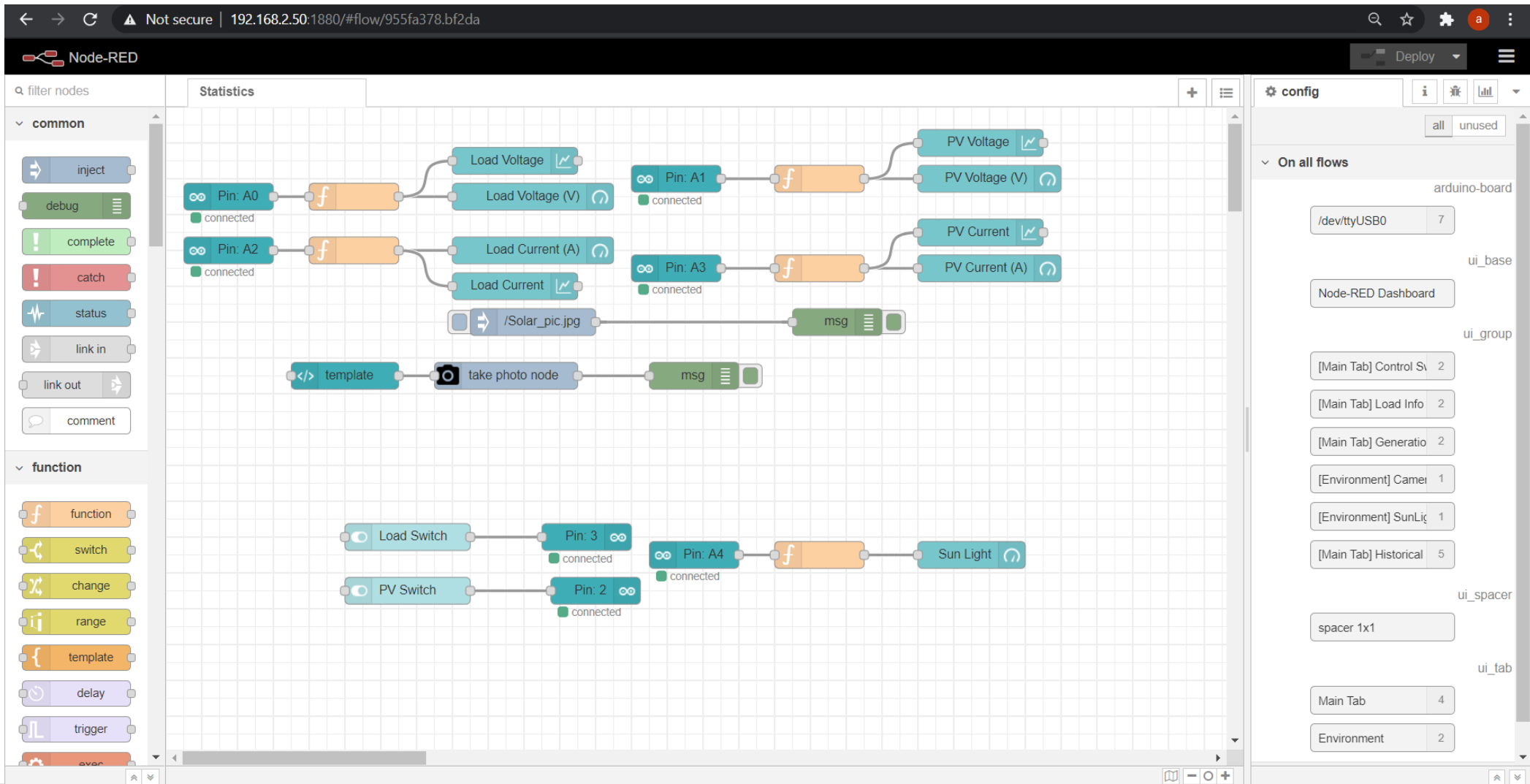
NGINX Basic HTTP Encryption



Experimental Set-up



Node-RED Program



The screenshot displays the Node-RED web interface. The main workspace contains a flow with several nodes:

- Pin: A0** and **Pin: A2** (connected) feed into function nodes (f).
- These function nodes output to **Load Voltage** and **Load Current (A)** nodes.
- Pin: A1** and **Pin: A3** (connected) feed into function nodes (f).
- These function nodes output to **PV Voltage (V)** and **PV Current (A)** nodes.
- A **msg** node is connected to a **template** node and a **take photo node**.
- The **take photo node** is connected to a **msg** node.
- At the bottom, **Load Switch** and **PV Switch** nodes are connected to **Pin: 3** and **Pin: 2** (connected).
- Pin: A4** (connected) feeds into a function node (f), which outputs to a **Sun Light** node.

 The right-hand configuration panel shows settings for 'arduino-board' and 'ui_base', including a list of nodes used on all flows:

- arduino-board: /dev/ttyUSB0 (7)
- ui_base: Node-RED Dashboard
- ui_group: [Main Tab] Control Sv (2), [Main Tab] Load Info (2), [Main Tab] Generatio (2)
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- ui_spacer: spacer 1x1
- ui_tab: Main Tab (4), Environment (2)

Internet Connections List

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pi@mysolarserver: ~$ ifconfig -a
lo: flags=73<UP,LOOPBACK,RUNNING> mtu 65536
    inet 127.0.0.1 netmask 255.0.0.0
    inet6 ::1 prefixlen 128 scopeid 0x10<host>
    loop txqueuelen 1000 (Local Loopback)
    RX packets 7 bytes 362 (362.0 B)
    RX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 frame 0
    TX packets 7 bytes 362 (362.0 B)
    TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0

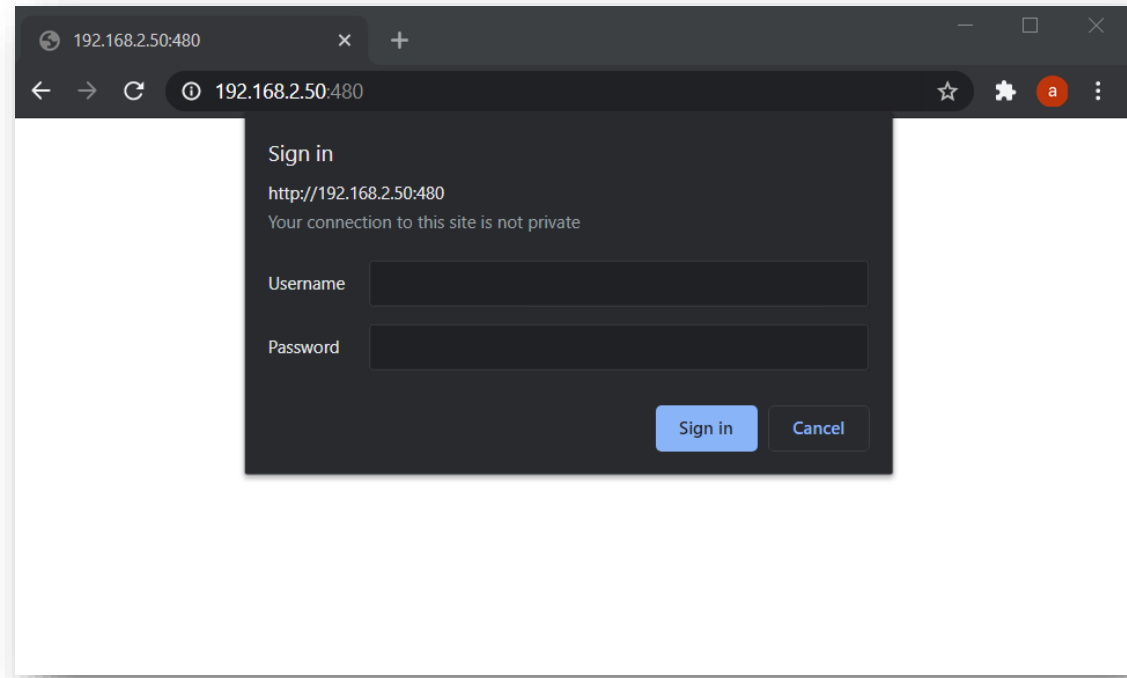
ppp0: flags=4305<UP,POINTOPOINT,RUNNING,NOARP,MULTICAST> mtu 1500
    inet 25.127.244.104 netmask 255.255.255 destination 10.64.64.64
    ppp txqueuelen 3 (Point-to-Point Protocol)
    RX packets 8 bytes 158 (158.0 B)
    RX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 frame 0
    TX packets 9 bytes 221 (221.0 B)
    TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0

wlan0: flags=4163<UP,BROADCAST,RUNNING,MULTICAST> mtu 1500
    inet 192.168.2.50 netmask 255.255.255.0 broadcast 192.168.2.255
    inet6 fe80::97f2:39ac:23b5:9c10 prefixlen 64 scopeid 0x20<link>
    ether b8:27:eb:42:fb:fb txqueuelen 1000 (Ethernet)
    RX packets 4866 bytes 328121 (320.4 KiB)
    RX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 frame 0
    TX packets 4508 bytes 626122 (611.4 KiB)
    TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0

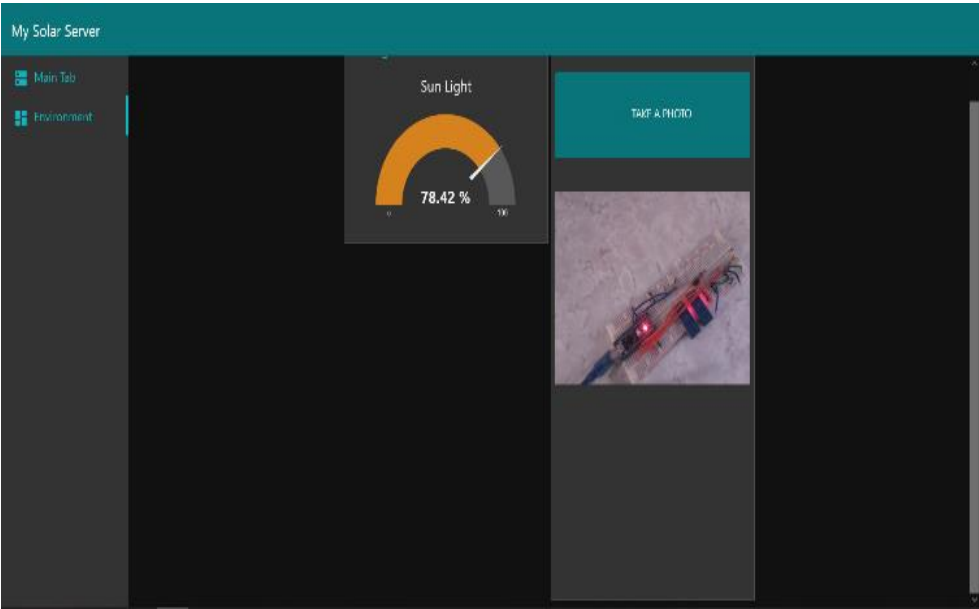
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    inet 169.254.232.145 netmask 255.255.0.0 broadcast 169.254.255.255
    inet6 fe80::e9bf:3966:5b83:b966 prefixlen 64 scopeid 0x20<link>
    ether 3a:63:47:37:f2:28 txqueuelen 1000 (Ethernet)
    RX packets 0 bytes 0 (0.0 B)
    RX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 frame 0
    TX packets 60 bytes 11098 (10.8 KiB)
    TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0

pi@mysolarserver: ~$ route -n
Kernel IP routing table
Destination Gateway Genmask Flags Metric Ref Use Iface
0.0.0.0 192.168.2.1 0.0.0.0 UG 302 0 0 wlan0
10.64.64.64 0.0.0.0 255.255.255.255 UH 0 0 0 ppp0
169.254.0.0 0.0.0.0 255.255.0.0 U 203 0 0 wwan0
192.168.2.0 0.0.0.0 255.255.255.0 U 302 0 0 wlan0

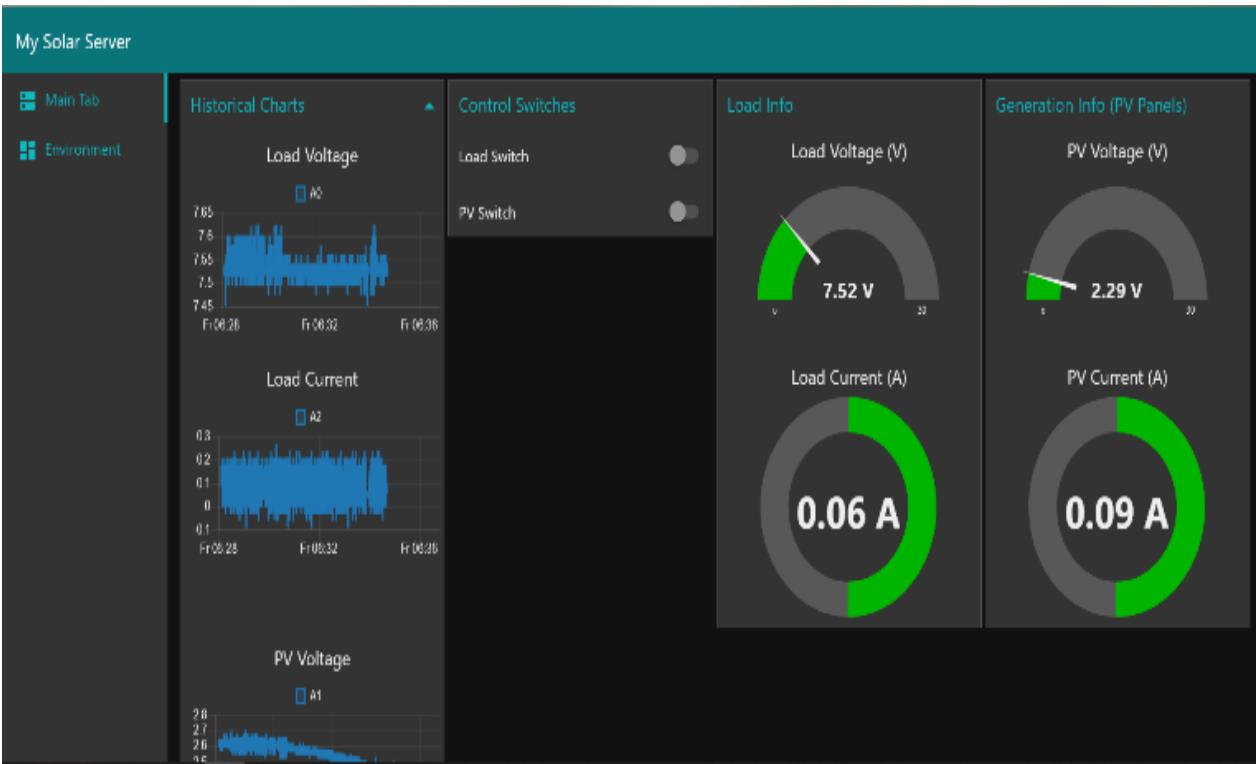
pi@mysolarserver: ~$ Connection reset by 192.168.2.50 port 22
PS C:\Users\Mr. Engineer>
    
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SCADA IoT Dashboard



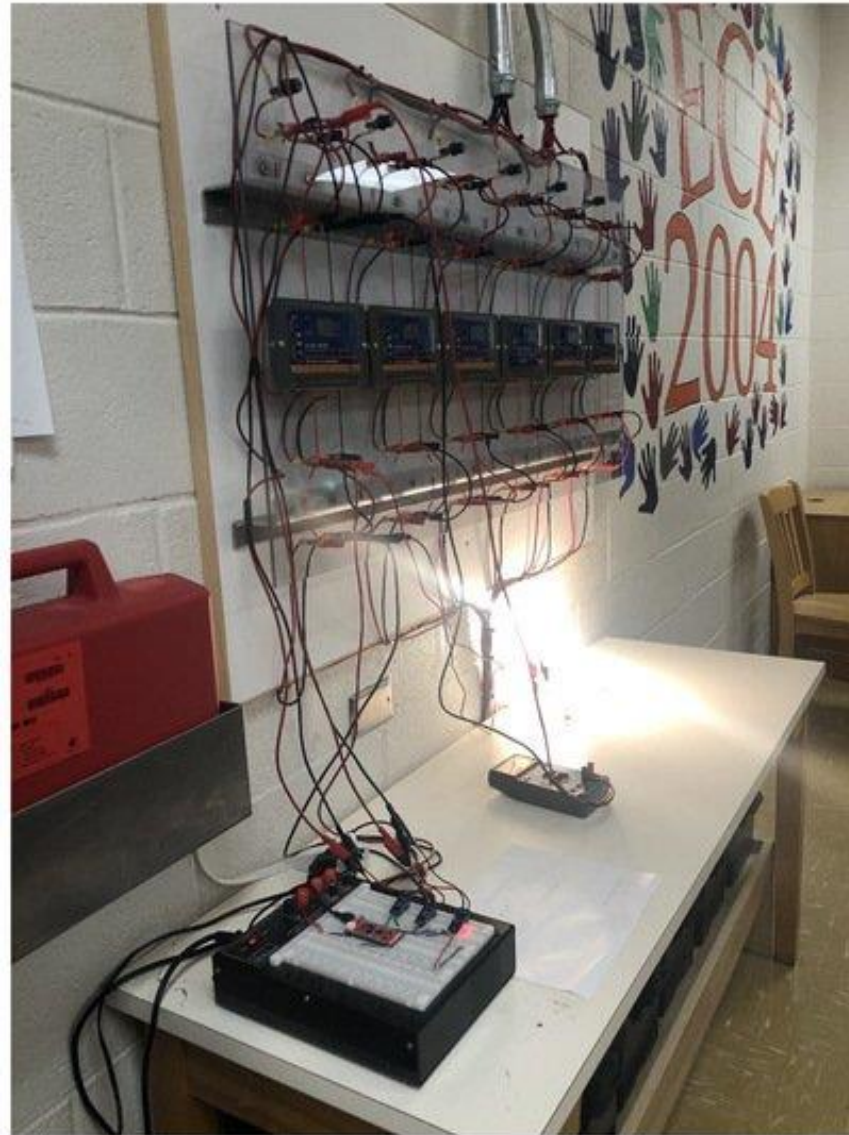
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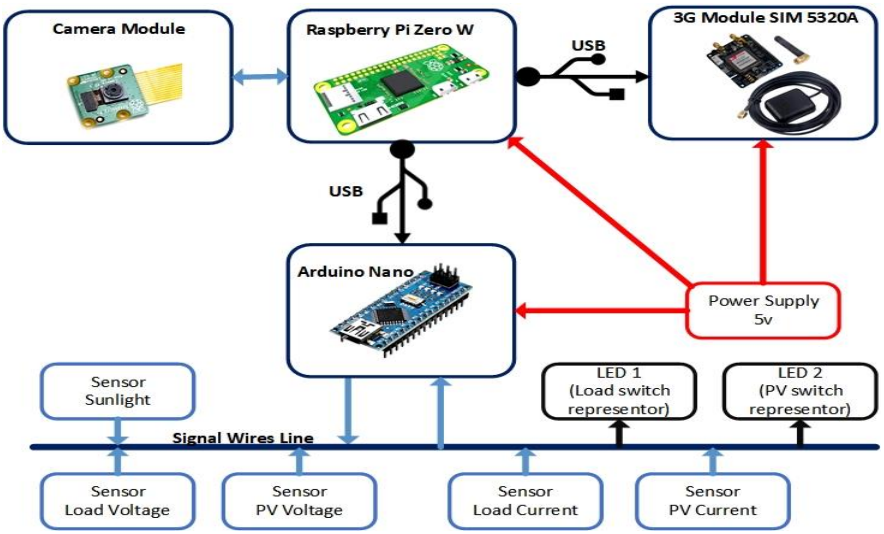
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Cost Analysis

System Costs:

Component	Cost (CAD)
Raspberry Pi Zero	37.60
Arduino Nano	4.80
Camera Module	13.99
3G Module SIM5320 A (optional)	105.99
Internet Plan (Iran) 48GB/year	6.5
Total	56.39 – 162.38

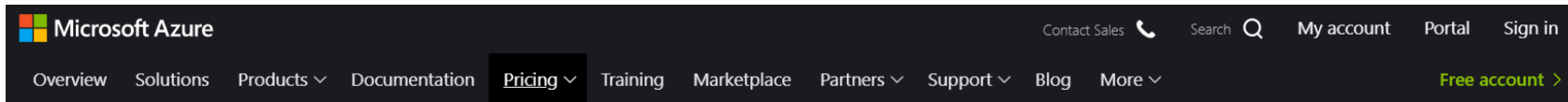


Open-Source SCADA System

Cost Comparison

Microsoft Azure

In addition to components cost (Same components), Minimum 12.80 \$CAD/month for each IoT Hub unit to implement the SCADA



Microsoft Azure navigation bar with links: Overview, Solutions, Products, Documentation, Pricing, Training, Marketplace, Partners, Support, Blog, More. Includes links for Contact Sales, Search, My account, Portal, Sign in, and Free account.

Region: Currency:

Pricing

- IoT Hub Connect your IoT devices and build your IoT solution to turn data into business intelligence.

Basic tier

EDITION TYPE	PRICE PER IOT HUB UNIT (PER MONTH)	TOTAL NUMBER OF MESSAGES/DAY PER IOT HUB UNIT	MESSAGE METER SIZE
B1	\$12.80	400,000	4 KB
B2	\$64	6,000,000	4 KB
B3	N/A	300,000,000	4 KB

Conclusion

- ✓ Importance of advancing & publicizing renewable energy technologies in agriculture
- ✓ SCADA IoT based systems
- ✓ Proposed system successfully implemented
- ✓ Cost-effective & Low power consumption
- ✓ Data is stored locally and is secure
- ✓ Available for remote places through WiFi or Cellular networks

Contributions

- ✓ Water requirement analysis
- ✓ System sizing & analysis without storage
- ✓ System sizing & analysis with a storage
- ✓ Dynamic modelling & control system in MATLAB/Simulink
- ✓ IoT-based SCADA and data logging system

Future Work

- The study and comparison of solar water pumping system for different locations in Iran need to be studied.
- It is suggested to study the impact of using solar water pumping in reducing the carbon emissions over a set period.
- It is suggested to study using solar water pumping in a vast number in a specific area. For example, in a city like Urmia, West Azerbaijan, the difference it can make to convert all types of irrigation systems into solar water pumping.
- The study and comparison of using solar water pumping for other types of fruits/crops needs to be done which will advance the solar water pumping technology. The common fruits/crops in Urmia West Azerbaijan are apples, cherries, apricot, grapes, wheat, cucurbits
- The study and comparison of solar water pumping for different types of irrigation systems can be studied such as flood irrigation, sprinkler irrigation, and micro-irrigation.

Future Work

- The study and comparison of solar water pumping with different types of pumping systems need to be studied such as surface and centrifugal submersible pumps.
- The study and comparison of regular pumping systems and solar water pumping need to be studied.
- The study and comparison of using different types of PV panels need to be done.
- The study and comparison of different types of battery storage systems need to be done.
- It is suggested to develop a simplified mathematical model of the system in Simulink. Therefore, the system can be simulated for a year or several years to observe its various components' responses. The designed dynamic model in this thesis takes a lot of time to only simulate the system for a short period because of the type of the Simulink blocks used in it.
- A dynamic model for solar water pumping systems with water tank storage can be developed. Therefore, two types of system structures can be compared with each other.

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