

# Self-generating inverter voltage exceeds limit





## Overview

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What is the maximum overvoltage of a 500 kW inverter?

Similarly, Fig. 14(b) demonstrates the overvoltages when the load pf is 0.9 and the apparent power is 463 kVA. This yields an active power output of 416.6 kW, and a GLR of 1.2 if the inverter output is kept constant at 500 kW. The observed maximum overvoltage in these experiment was close to 29%.

What are the goals of grid-connected PV inverters?

Under grid voltage sags, over current protection and exploiting the maximum capacity of the inverter are the two main goals of grid-connected PV inverters. To facilitate low-voltage ride-through (LVRT), it is imperative to ensure that inverter currents are sinusoidal and remain within permissible limits throughout the inverter operation.

How is maximum exploitation of the inverter's capacity achieved?

It is clearly evident that maximum exploitation of the inverter's capacity is achieved due to simultaneous injection of active and reactive power without curtailing the active power as shown in Fig. 8 d.

What is over current protection mechanism in PV inverter?

As previously discussed, the simultaneous injection of peak active power from PVs and reactive power into the grid for voltage support can trigger the over current protection mechanism in PV inverter. The triggering of over current protection will lead to disconnection of inverter from the grid which is unfavourable during LVRT period.



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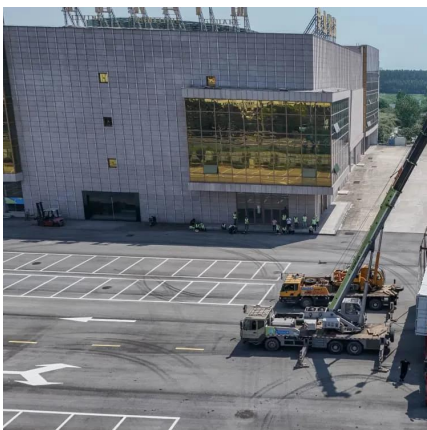
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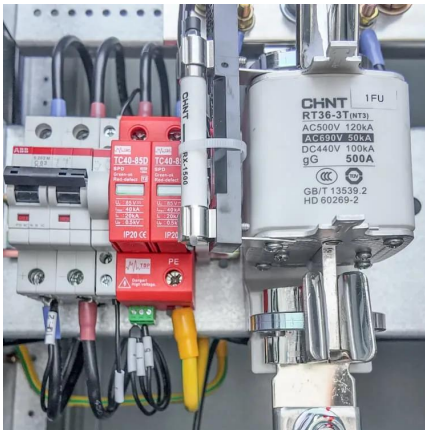
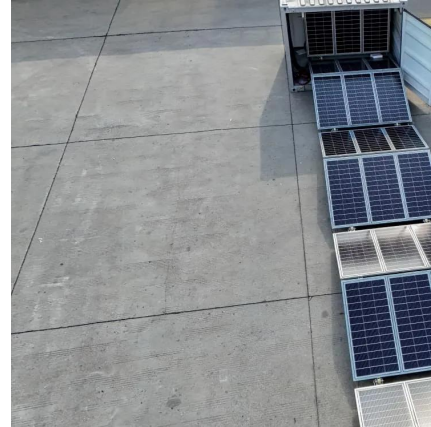
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