

rate of 0.003 kg/sec. The maximum average overall efficiency of PV/T was found to be 67.16% for the mass flow rate of 0.003 kg/sec. The exergy efficiency of PV/T varies from 5% to 13% for the mass flow rate of 0.002 kg/sec. The maximum average exergy efficiency of PV/T was found to be 11.26% for the mass flow rate of 0.002 kg/sec. With increase in mass flow rate of water, average electrical efficiency of solar PV/T system increases as compared with solar PV system. This is because of the increase in mass flow rate of water increases the cooling rate of panel. Exergy analysis of solar PV/T system was also carried out for different mass flow rate of water and it was found that with increase in mass flow rate of water the exergy efficiency of solar PV/T system decreases. PV/T application can offer sustainable solution for maximizing the solar energy output from building integrated photovoltaic system. This kind of PV/T system is especially suitable for low temperature applications like pre-heating of domestic water.

Nomenclature

η_f	Energy Saving Efficiency	%
η_{th}	Thermal Efficiency	%
η_e	Electrical Efficiency	%
η_p	Overall Efficiency	%
V_{oc}	Open circuit voltage	V
V	Voltage	V
V_{mp}	Voltage at maximum power point	V
I_{mp}	Current at maximum power point	A
I_{sc}	Short circuit current	A
I	Current	A
FF	Fill factor	No units
m	Mass flow rate	Kg/sec
A	Surface area of the module	m^2
G	Global irradiance	W/m^2
K	Boltzmann constant	J/K
P_{el}	Electrical power	W
P_{max}	Maximum power	W
T	Temperature	K
T_a	Ambient temperature	K
T_m	Module temperature	K
NOCT	Nominal operating cell temperature	$^{\circ}C$

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