

# Influence of Wind Characteristics and Other Parameters on Module Mounting Structures

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**Abstract:** *As one of the most common and imperative contributing factors to clean energy aspect, solar energy takes a significant role around the whole world. Among neighbouring countries regarding the energy sources India has a relatively more potential for solar energy to decrease its energy dependence to the other countries and to increase awareness for sustainable, easily reachable, economical and continuous energy use. In the photovoltaic (PV) solar power plant projects, PV solar panel (SP) support structure is one of the main elements and limited numerical studies exist on PVSP ground mounting steel frames to be a research gap that has not be addressed adequately in the literature. In this paper, aiming to provide a contribution to this gap, a PVSP steel support structure and its key design parameters are described to obtain actual demand of environmental effect like loads wind, snow, and seismic loads.*

**Keywords:** Photovoltaic (PV), Solar Panel (SP), Steel, Support Structure, Ground-mounted Solar PV Plant, steel structure

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