

**Calculations for the number of solar panels in a string and number of strings:**

**Inverter Size is 2 MW**

$$\text{Inverter Size} = 2 \text{ MW}$$

Total power plant output is

$$\text{Number of Inverter} = \frac{50 \text{ MW}}{2 \text{ MW}}$$

So, the number of inverters is

$$\text{Number of Inverters} = 25$$

From the datasheet of inverter

$$\text{Input Voltage} = 850 \text{ V}$$

From the datasheet of solar panel

$$\text{Solar Panel Voltage} = 43.13 \text{ V}$$

$$\text{Solar Panel Current} = 10.32 \text{ A}$$

In series the voltage adds up

$$\text{Number of panels in series} = \frac{850}{43.13}$$

$$\text{Number of panels in series} = 19.7079$$

As the partial numbers cannot use for number of solar panels, hence rounding the above figures gives the number of solar panels in series as

$$\text{Number of Panels in series} = 19$$

The above can round to 20 as well but as we have to be in the range of 600 to 850 Volts, therefore when using the number of panels in series = 19, it will generate the total voltage of

$$\text{Total Voltage by 1 String} = 19 * 43.13$$

$$\text{Total Voltage by 1 String} = 819.47 \text{ V}$$

In parallel connection current adds up and the current can calculate as

$$P = VI$$

$$I = \frac{P}{V}$$

$$I = \frac{2 * 10^6}{819}$$

$$I = 2442 \text{ A}$$

Now

$$\text{Number of string in parallel} = \frac{2442}{10.32}$$

$$\text{Number of string in parallel} = 236.6 \text{ A}$$

The partial numbers cannot use for number of solar panels, hence rounding the above figures gives the number of strings in parallel as

$$\text{Number of string in Parallel} = 236$$

The reason for rounding it to 236 is that, when 236 strings will use it will produce the current of 2435.5 A that is quite close to the 2442 A.

Hence, total number of solar panels in string are 19 solar panels, and number of strings in parallel are 236 strings. Together one string will provide 819.47 volts, and 236 strings will provide the current of 2442 A. Both the currents and voltage are within the maximum range of inverter as provided in the datasheet of inverter.

#### References

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