

# Replacement scheme for photovoltaic panels in fish ponds

Can floating solar panels be used to cover fish ponds?

Numerous studies have developed mathematical models of fish pond ecosystems (Piedrahita et al.,1984; Svirezhev et al.,1984; Wolfe et al.,1986; Li and Yakupitiyage,2003; Zhang et al.,2017; Granada et al.,2018),but to our knowledge,the ecological effects of covering fish ponds with floating solar panels have not yet been studied.

## Can FPV systems be used in aquaculture ponds?

The application of FPV systems on aquaculture ponds (aquavoltaics) would greatly extend the area where the production of renewable energy becomes feasible.

#### What is a solar pond?

A solar pond is a non-conventional energy devicethat serves as a heat reservoir and integrates solar collection and storage in the same configuration to absorb and store solar radiation (Poyyamozhi &Karthikeyan,2022a). However, a significant challenge with solar ponds is their low conversion efficiency.

### How to improve solar pond efficiency?

Yaakob et al. (2011) also suggested enhancing the solar pond's effectiveness by removing the hot brine from NCZ using an external thermosiphon heat exchanger. They discovered that the solar pond's efficiency can be increased by up to 30%. Direct heat extraction method using an external heat exchanger (Leblanc et al.,2011)

#### Can floating solar power fish farms?

Inseanergy, a Norway-based renewables developer, has built a floating solar platform for use in aquaculture projects. The SUB Solar system is installed on recycled fish-cage float rings and can be used in combination with onshore power supplies to reduce the need for diesel generators, which are traditionally used to power fish farms.

#### Does nanofluid improve solar pond performance?

The results confirmed that the thermal performance was increased with the system's maximum total efficiency of 37.67% in September. They recommended studying the effects of nanofluid on the performance of the solar pond and the effect of increasing the number of solar collectors.

Fish and other pond life require oxygen rich water to remain healthy. Oxygen levels drop during hot sunny weather. The Liberty pulse oxygenator creates circulation that introduces oxygen to ...

This publication examines the use of solar photovoltaic (PV) technology in aquaculture. It outlines key questions to keep in mind if you are considering solar arrays for a closed aquaculture system, and includes an example of a fish ...



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We estimated that, with approximately 40,000 ha of aquaculture ponds in Taiwan, the deployment of FPV on fish ponds in Taiwan could accommodate an installed capacity more twice as high as the ...

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