

Solar thermal power generation and grid regulation

How does a thermal power system change over time?

As can be seen from the planning results, with the growth of power load demand, the installed capacity of each power source gradually increases, and the investment cost and the cost of flexibility modification of thermal power units gradually increase.

What are the three stages of peak regulation of thermal power units?

According to the output characteristics of thermal power units during peak regulation operation, they can be divided into three stages: regular peak regulation (RPR), deep peak regulation without oil (DPR) and deep peak regulation with oil (DPRO), as shown in Figure 1. Schematic diagram of thermal power unit peaking process.

Can solar power be used as a peak shaving power station?

Solar power generation with thermal energy storage (TES) can be decoupled from the power grid, which makes the power station itself flexible, and hence, can be endowed with the role of a peak shaving power station to absorb more wind and PV power by the grid [1].

What is thermal energy storage in molten salt SPT plant?

In a molten salt SPT plant with thermal energy storage, the thermal energy storage system isolates the heat collection system from the conventional system, so the heat collection system, the SGS and the power generation system are relatively independent. In the discussion part, the receiver and the conventional system are analyzed separately.

Can a new power system be based on a conventional power source?

The proportion of new energy is increasing, and both sides of the source-load of the new power system show strong uncertainty and spatio-temporal coupling [1,2], and it is not economical and technically feasible to rely only on conventional power sources to provide flexibility.

How can a multi-stage cycle iteration improve wind and solar power?

Through the multi-stage cycle iteration of investment decision model, medium and long term production simulation and typical daily operation simulation, the flexible transformation resources of wind and solar fire storage and thermal power are optimized.

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We use the critical proportionality method to determine many critical parameters in the control system, tune the proportional coefficient, integral time, and other physical ...

Aiming to mitigate the impact of power fluctuation caused by large-scale renewable energy integration, coupled with a high rate of wind and solar power abandonment, the multi-objective optimal dispatching of a ...

The goal of this review is to offer an all-encompassing evaluation of an integrated solar energy system within the framework of solar energy utilization. This holistic assessment encompasses photovoltaic technologies, solar thermal systems, and energy storage solutions, providing a comprehensive understanding of their interplay and significance. It emphasizes the ...

Concentrated solar power (CSP) plant with thermal energy storage (TES) can undertake the task of load regulation and frequency regulation in power grid by balancing the electricity demand and generation. However, the maximum load variation rates of the CSP plant are not known, which restricts sufficient utilization of its advantages ...

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Load frequency control (LFC) governs the adjustment of actual power output from generators in response to fluctuations in system frequency and power exchange across tie-lines, adhering to predefined thresholds. The LFC process ensures that the output of system generators stays within an acceptable range, aligning with the present system demand.

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The regulation capacity of concentrating solar power(CSP)plants can rival that of conventional thermal units. CSP plants can participate in peak load and frequency regulations timely and deeply, which improves the flexibility of the power system. Thus,CSP is a promising renewable energy generation technology. Based on the introduction on the ...

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