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# **Enhancing PV Hosting Capacity into Distribution Networks**

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## **Message from the Guest Editors**

This special issue is calling for original contributions to the following areas.

On the technical front:

- 1. The impact of higher penetration of solar PV plants on distribution networks;
- 2. Mitigation measures to minimize network impacts;
- 3. Standards and good practices in place to plan and operate distribution networks with a high penetration of solar PV;
- 4. Centralized and decentralized controllers for overcoming grid impacts;
- 5. IoT-based control strategies available for coordinated control of assets connected to the distribution network:
- 6. Enabling technologies: EV G2V and V2G operation, demand-side management, power electronic devices, energy storage.

### On the social front:

- 1. Reasons for varying the consumer adoption of PV under different social settings;
- 2. Drives and barriers for PV-based community energy systems;
- 3. Resistance to change for new technology.











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