

Energy Internet Hierarchy Classification



AI Overview

The Energy Internet hierarchy is classified based on a multi-layered structure combining physical, cyber, and business layers, with hierarchical control mechanisms to manage distributed energy resources efficiently and reliably.

Hierarchical Structure of the Energy Internet

The Energy Internet (EI) is organized into three primary layers:

- Physical Layer:** This layer integrates multiple energy systems, including electricity, heating, cooling, gas, water, and transportation. It uses energy routers, energy hubs, multi-energy storage, and plug-and-play techniques to enable interconnection between energy suppliers and consumers, facilitating bidirectional energy flow and distributed generation management.
- Cyber Layer:** The cyber layer applies Internet technologies to energy systems, enabling decentralized intelligence, cloud-edge control architectures, and advanced communication protocols. This layer ensures smart, open, and synergistic operation of the energy network, supporting real-time monitoring, prediction, and control of energy flows.
- Business Layer:** This layer defines policies, market mechanisms, and business models for energy sharing, such as peer-to-peer (P2P) energy trading. It governs economic interactions and regulatory frameworks to optimize energy utilization and promote a sharing economy.

Hierarchical Control and Classification Basis

The Energy Internet adopts a “regional coordination and hierarchical control” mechanism to ensure clean energy integration and reliable operation:

- Hierarchical Control:** Energy resources are managed at multiple levels, from local energy LANs (e.g., home or building level) to urban and regional networks, up to global Energy Internet coordination. Each level has autonomy but is interconnected for optimal energy distribution.
- Intra-layer Partitioning:** Within each hierarchical level, energy nodes (generation, storage, and loads) are grouped into subnets for efficient local control and optimization.
- Interregional Interconnection:** Different regions are interconnected to balance supply and demand.

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Energy Internet: Systems and Applications | Springer Nature Link

This textbook provides an ideal resource for students in advanced graduate-level courses and special topics in energy, information and control systems. It comprehensively describes the energy Internet,

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To overcome these shortcomings, this study focused on the multilevel coordination and optimization approach of the energy Internet with renewable

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This is because energy cannot be stored as cheaply as information on the Internet, and it is difficult to trace its source. However, with the continuous

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(PDF) The Emerging Energy Internet: Architecture

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Energy hierarchy

The Energy Hierarchy is a classification of energy options, prioritised to assist progress towards a more sustainable energy system. It is a similar approach to the waste hierarchy for minimising resource

A Survey on Energy Internet: Architecture, Approach, and Emerging ...

Energy crisis and carbon emission have become two seriously concerned issues universally. As a feasible solution, Energy Internet (EI) has aroused global concern once proposed.

Background

It aims at accommodating high-penetration renewables, improving efficiency, and creating a sharing economy to reduce cost on energy assumption significantly. The Energy Internet is often abstracted

A comprehensive review of Energy Internet: basic concept, operation

With the intensifying energy crisis and environmental pollution, the Energy Internet and corresponding patterns of energy use have been attracting more and more attention. In this paper, the basic

Energy Internet, the Future Electricity System:

Energy Internet, a futuristic evolution of electricity system, is conceptualized as an energy sharing network. Its features, such as plug-and

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