The price of wind power generation is lower than that of thermal power

Overview

The report offers a comparative levelized cost of energy (LCOE) analysis for various generation technologies on a $/MWh basis, excluding US federal tax subsidies, fuel prices, carbon pricing, and cost of capital. In a base comparison, utility-scale solar and wind have the lowest LCOE of all. Solar and wind power have become increasingly cost-competitive over the past decade, prompting claims that they are now the cheapest sources of new electricity. Federal and state incentives have accelerated this transformation, leading to a massive expansion in U. The average cost per unit of energy generated across the lifetime of a new power plant. This data is expressed in US dollars per kilowatt-hour. A home solar system producing 3. 5 kilowatts costs $8,500 [$7,026].

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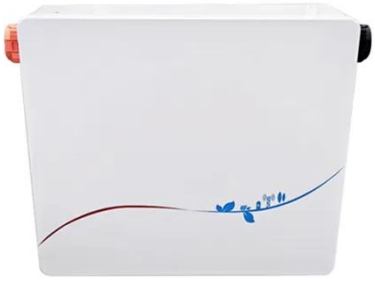

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