Can spraying water on photovoltaic panels increase power generation

The results showed an increase in the panels" efficiency by 9.4% and 9.9% when sprayed with a single dose of cold water at 10°C for 10 minutes. These results highlight the importance of...

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Spraying water over the cells has been shown to increase the average performance of PV cells, subsystem efficiency, and overall efficiency by 3.26%, 1.40% and 1.35%, respectively.

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