

Subject: Site Evaluation

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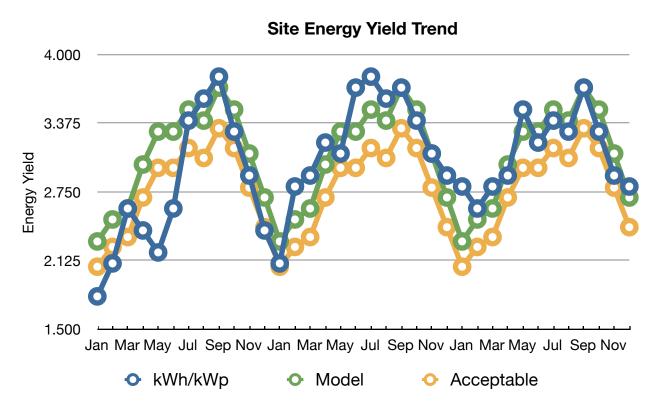
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Summary:

The primary objective of this trip was to determine the underperformance issue of the site. The site was commissioned in January and came up underperforming the model by greater than 10% tolerance.

The site was initially evaluated in early March and determined to have several strings not properly connected. The addition of these strings brought March performance back into an acceptable range.

The site was revisited in late June. Several broken modules were discovered and replaced. Broken modules were attributed to a manufacturers excursion which resulted in front glass being in excessive compression at edge locations which consequently aligned to clips. Additionally, the modules received their scheduled cleaning. Performance increased as expected.





Recommendations:

The site should be continually monitored. Additional module breaks may occur as the temperatures continue to cycle but this type of failure is typically an early life failure. Standard cleaning every 6 months is recommended.