

Existing Problems of the Energy Internet



Article Overview

The Energy Internet faces challenges in cybersecurity, data management, integration of distributed energy resources, communication reliability, and user behavior modeling.

Cybersecurity Risks

The reliance on IoT devices and interconnected systems in the Energy Internet significantly increases the attack surface. Each device, from smart meters to energy routers, can potentially be exploited by malicious actors. Threats include AI-driven attacks, supply chain vulnerabilities, and manipulated sensor data, which could disrupt energy operations or even cause blackouts. Lightweight yet robust security mechanisms are required to protect resource-constrained devices without degrading performance, and securing real-time data is critical for operational reliability .

Integration and Management of Distributed Energy Resources

The Energy Internet aims to integrate millions of micro power plants and prosumers, enabling bidirectional energy flows. However, managing distributed renewable energy resources (DRERs) and distributed energy storage devices (DESDs) is complex. Challenges include coordinating energy production and consumption, ensuring grid stability, and optimizing energy routing through energy routers. Large-scale deployment requires scalable and reliable information and communication architectures to handle dynamic energy demand and supply conditions .

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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.

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