Solar PV Case Study

Toyota building integrated PV





In parallel with the solar field installation project at Toyota's Burnaston plant, British Gas Solar installed a number of building integrated PV systems. These installations which provide a showcase to visitors to the plant included:

- 26.5 kWp Brise Soleil using standard modules
- 12.4 kWp PV glass Curtain wall to main staircase
- 7.5 kWp PV glass electric vehicle canopy

British Gas undertook the complete design and installation of these bespoke systems, including specification of the bespoke glass-glass PV laminates, and design of the structural elements.

The staircase curtain wall replaced an existing glazed wall with PV laminates being specifically manufactured to fit the existing glazing bars. The electric vehicle canopy provides charging facilities for electric vehicles used by visitors to the manufacturing plant.



Project details

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Client / site	Toyota, Burnaston plant
Installation type	Various BIPV including glass-glass PV laminates
Solar PV system size	46.5 kWp
Annual generation forecast	35,250 kWh
Annual CO2 reduction	18.6 Tonnes
No. / type of modules	108 x Sharp 245W Bespoke Romag PV Glass Iaminates

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