Minimum feed-in tariff 2023-24

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From December 2022, we began accepting submissions on our Minimum feed-in tariff review 2023-24 via Engage Victoria (www.engage.vic.gov.au). On this website, people were given the opportunity to send us a response to a set of questions we provided.

What parts of our proposed methodology for setting the minimum single and time-varying feed-in tariff rates do you consider are appropriate?

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What parts of our proposed methodology should we change?

Update the view of neighbourhood solar sharing during day so that the fact of 1 of 5 properties have solar leaving 4 without which draw on power that 1 property generated next door. Why is the 1 property getting only 4.8c a kWh when 4 next door properties pay 28c a kWh on that kWh that was generated next door? Vastly unfair.

For our overall methodology, or parts of it, what alternative methodologies should we consider?

Consider solar generated kWh "storage" at no feed in tariff and then allowing that same property drawing from it at some minimal cost. Same in EU. Solar properties make power which is virtually stored and then use it at certain 'storage' fee per kWh added until they used all of it, then only switching to a full tariff kWh distributor applies across everyone. Non solar properties are unaffected nor disadvantaged in any way.