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**List of Symbols**

$m'_3$	mean of the cube of the wind speed
$m'_2$	mean of the square of the wind speed
$\overline{WPD}$	Input wind power density ( $W/m^2$ )
$\overline{FF}$	Mean of the $FF_i$
$\overline{v_a}$	mean wind speed at anemometer height
$\overline{v_z}$	Vertical mean wind profile
$P(v \geq 0)$	Total frequency for wind speed
$\Delta v$	Class width
$A$	Turbine blade swept area
$E(V)$	Input wind power (W)
$E_{output}$	Total energy generated during a given period
$E_{pf}$	Energy pattern factor
$Error (\%)$	Percentage error in the wind power density
$f(v, \theta)$	Probability density function
$F(v, \theta)$	Cumulative distribution function
$FF_i$	Estimated cumulative distribution functions of the wind speed data
$F_i$	Empirical cumulative relative frequency
$I(\kappa)$	modified Bessel function of the first kind
$I(\mu, \sigma)$	Normalization factor
$k$	Shape parameter of the Weibull distribution
$m[W(x, y)]$	Mixture Weibull distribution with number of parameters
$mvM.pdf$	mixture von Mises distribution
$N$	Number of different observed wind data
$n$	Sample size
$\eta_{ele}$	Electrical efficiency of the system
$\eta_{mech}$	Mechanical efficiency of the system
$p$	Ratio of the cut-in speed to the rated wind speed of the turbine
$P(v)$	frequency of the class width

$P_{avg}(v)$	Average output power
$P_e(v)$	Output power
$P_i$	Observed cumulative relative frequencies of the wind speed data
$P_n(v)$	Normalized output power
$P_r$	Rated power
$P_{total}$	Total power input
$q$	Ratio of the cut-out speed to the rated wind speed of the turbine
$q_a$	quantile of the order $a$
$R_N$	Random variable
$s$	Scale parameter of the Weibull distribution ( $m/s$ )
$s_a$	Scale parameter at anemometer height
$T$	Time period
$v$	Wind speed
$V_c$	Cut-in wind speed of the wind turbine
$V_d$	Design wind speed
$V_f$	Cut-out or furling wind speed of the turbine
$vM.pdf$	von Mises distribution
$V_r$	Rated wind speed of the turbine
$V_r/s$	Normalized rated wind speed
$w$	weight parameter
$W(k,s)$	Weibull distribution with shape and scale parameters
$z$	Height at which parameters are to be estimated
$z_a$	Anemometer height
$z_{ref}$	Reference height
$\alpha$	Hellmann exponent
$\beta$	Scale parameter of the Gamma distribution
$\Gamma$	Complete Gamma function
$\gamma$	Lower incomplete Gamma function
$\zeta$	Shape parameter of the Gamma distribution
$\lambda$	Lagrange multiplier
$\rho$	Density of air
$\tau$	curvature parameter