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balanced, comprehensive view of the wind power industry. This book enables readers to:

- \* Expand their knowledge of the environmental and economic issues associated with wind power development
- \* Understand the steps involved in developing a wind farm and the best ways to operate it successfully and profitably
- \* Find out how wind energy is integrated into power grids and transmission networks, including the growing use of technologies for energy storage
- \* Get an overall picture of the global wind business and the deployment of offshore wind power
- \* Learn the basics of how wind power is generated and used, how wind turbines work, and how wind power systems are designed
- \* Find out how wind energy is measured and evaluated at prospective sites, including maps of wind resources worldwide
- \* Review the status of global wind energy research, technology development, and product testing, as well as advanced wind power generation concepts

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