## solar\_module\_1.sqproj



effect of different values of pmaxr on I-V and P-V curve

The purpose of this example is to understand the working of the PV module model desribed in [1]. The model takes the open-circuit voltage and short-circuit current (vocmr and iscmr, respectively) as parameters. The maximum power parameter pmaxr is used internally to compute the series resistance of the module such that it gives the required maximum output power.

## Exercise Set

- Run the simulation and plot the *I-V* curve for the module for two values of pmaxr: 4 W and 5 W. Verify from the *I-V* curve that the open-circuit voltage and short-circuit current are as specified in the circuit file.
- Plot power versus voltage, and verify that the maximum power is as specified by the pmaxr parameter.

## References

1. L. Castaner and S. Silvestre, *Modelling Photovoltaic Systems with PSpice*, John Wiley and Sons, 2002.