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- a) IEC 61724 is now written with multiple parts. This document is IEC 61724-1, addressing PV system monitoring. IEC TS 61724-2 and IEC TS 61724-3 address performance analysis based on the monitoring data.
- b) Three classes of monitoring systems are defined corresponding to different levels of accuracy and different intended applications.
- c) Required measurements for each class of monitoring system are stated, along with the required number and accuracy of sensors.