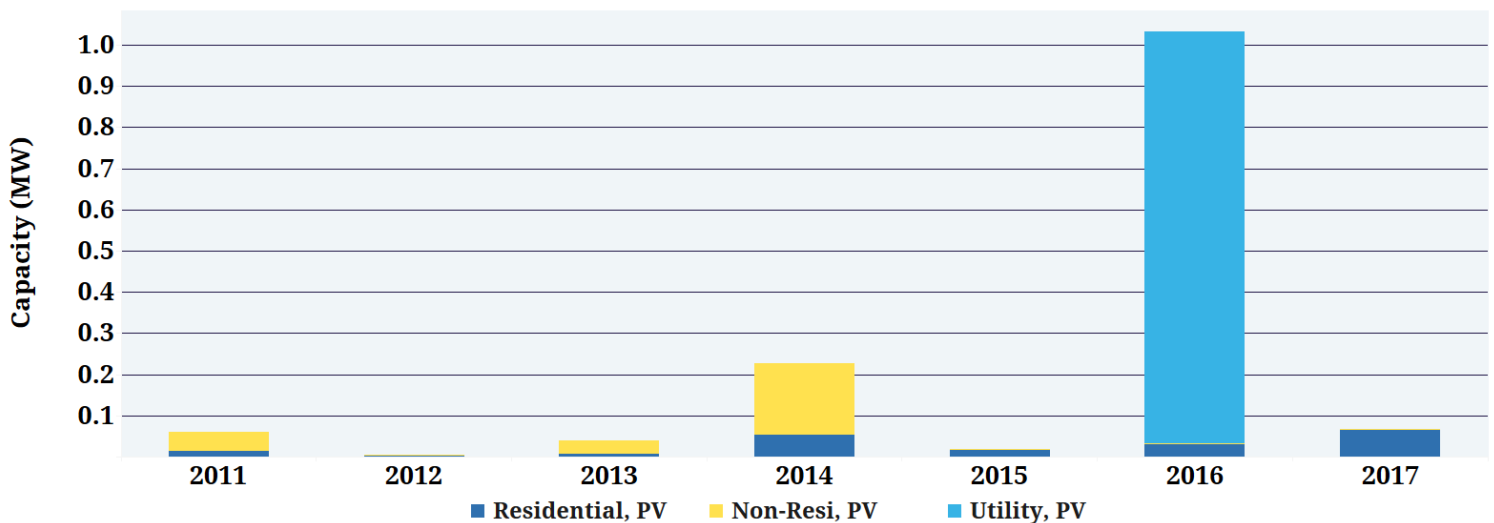


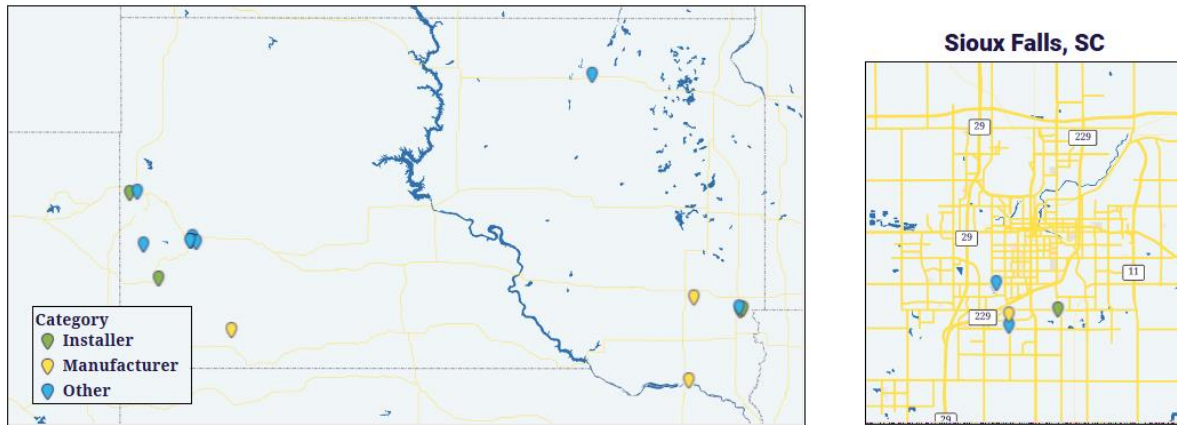
At A Glance

- **Solar Installed:** 1.5 MW (0.1 MW in 2017)ⁱ
- **National Ranking:** 51st (50th in 2017)
- **State Homes Powered by Solar:** 198
- **Percentage of State’s Electricity from Solar:** 0.00%ⁱⁱ
- **Solar Jobs and Ranking:** 485 (45th in 2017)ⁱⁱⁱ
- **Solar Companies in State:** 20 companies total; 4 Manufacturers, 7 Installers, 9 Others^{iv}
- **Total Solar Investment in State:** \$ 2.83 million (\$0.20 in 2017)
- **Price Declines:** 43% over the last 5 years
- **Growth Projections and Ranking:** 0 MW over the next 5 years (ranks 0th)

South Dakota Annual Solar Installations



Solar Companies in South Dakota



About SEIA

The Solar Energy Industries Association (SEIA®) is the driving force behind solar energy and is building a strong solar industry to power America through advocacy and education. As the national trade association of the U.S. solar energy industry, which now employs more than 250,000 Americans, we represent all organizations that promote, manufacture, install and support the development of solar energy. SEIA works with its 1,000 member companies to build jobs and diversity, champion the use of cost-competitive solar in America, remove market barriers and educate the public on the benefits of solar energy.

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