Illinois

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- Enough solar installed to power: **41,110 homes**
- Percentage of state's electricity from solar: **0.17%**
- Price decline over the last five years: **40%**

There are **317** solar companies operating in Illinois.³

- **69** Manufacturers
- **105** Installers/Developers
- **143** Others

$ The solar industry has invested $685.75 million in Illinois, including $236.73 million in 2019

Illinois Annual Solar Installations

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More information about solar energy in Illinois

- IKEA Joliet Rooftop PV System has the capacity to generate 2.0 MW of electricity -- enough to power over 293 Illinois homes.
- Target is one of the first major corporations to go solar in Illinois with its 0.56 MW in Springfield.
- At 1 MW, City of Geneseo is among the largest solar installations in Illinois. Completed in 2015, this photovoltaic project has enough electric capacity to power more than 176 homes.

References

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