State Solar Spotlight

Maryland

Key Figures

Total Solar Installed
1,228.86 MW
174.94 MW in 2019

National Ranking
16th
Ranks 15th in 2019

Solar Jobs¹
4,854
Ranks 14th in 2019

Growth Projection
1,196.47 MW over the next 5 years
Ranks 24th

Enough solar installed to power: 138,474 homes
Percentage of state’s electricity from solar:² 3.86%
Price decline over the last five years: 40%

There are 193 solar companies operating in Maryland.³

13 Manufacturers
102 Installers/Developers
78 Others

The solar industry has invested $3,334.03 million in Maryland, including $296.68 million in 2019

Maryland Annual Solar Installations

Learn more at www.seia.org/states

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More information about solar energy in Maryland

- Fort Detrick Solar PV has the capacity to generate 15.7 MW of electricity -- enough to power over 1,718 Maryland homes.
- IKEA is one of the first major corporations to go solar in Maryland with its 4 MW project in Perryville.
- At 13 MW, Longview Solar is among the largest solar installations in Maryland. Completed in 2016, this photovoltaic project has enough electric capacity to power more than 1,488 homes.

Solar Companies in Maryland

References

All data from SEIA/Wood Mackenzie Power & Renewables, Solar Market Insight© unless otherwise noted: https://www.seia.org/smi


2 Energy Information Administration, Electric Power Monthly: https://www.eia.gov/electricity/monthly/#generation

3 SEIA, National Solar Database: https://www.seia.org/research-resources/national-solar-database


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