State Solar Spotlight

Delaware

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Enough solar installed to power: 17,346 homes

Percentage of state’s electricity from solar:² 3.60%

Price decline over the last five years: 38%

There are 50 solar companies operating in Delaware.³

8 Manufacturers

30 Installers/Developers

12 Others

$ The solar industry has invested $437.13 million in Delaware, including $22.86 million in 2019

Delaware Annual Solar Installations

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More information about solar energy in Delaware

- Onyx - Allen Harim was developed by Onyx Renewable Partners. This photovoltaic project has the capacity to generate 1.5 MW of electricity -- enough to power over 174 Delaware homes.

- General Growth Properties is one of the first major corporations to go solar in Delaware with its 1 MW Christiana Mall project in Newark.

- At 1 MW, DD Hay Road Solar 23 in New Castle is among the largest solar installations in Delaware. Completed in 2015 by Laurel Capital Partners, this photovoltaic project has enough electric capacity to power more than 139 homes.

References

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


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

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


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