STATE SOLAR spotlight

New York

Ranks
8th
for total installed solar capacity

Total solar installed (MW)

4,937

863 MW in 2022

Growth projection over the next 5 years (MW)

≯8,923

Ranks 6th



Solar jobs in the state¹

11,512

Ranked 3rd in 2022



Enough solar installed to power

870,361

Percentage of state's electricity from solar²

4.90%



777

solar companies are currently operating in New York³



91 manufacturers



255 installers/developers



431 other companies

Value of the \$10.9 state solar market billion

with \$1.6 billion invested in 2022

Price decline over the last ten years

42%

New York Annual Solar Installations



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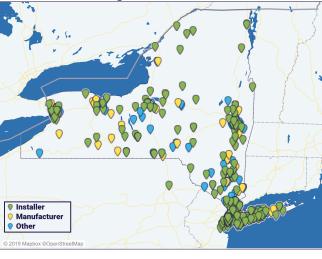
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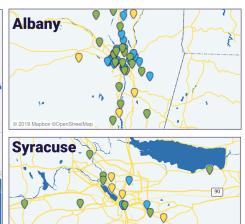
More information about solar energy in New York⁴

- Shoreham Solar Commons in Shoreham was developed by Invenergy and came online in 2018. This 32 MW project produces enough electricity to power 5848 homes.
- Walmart, Target, and Corning have all gone solar in New York. Corning's 6 MW project in Tonawanda is one of the largest corporate projects in the state.
- At 27 MW, Branscomb Solar in Schaghticoke is among the largest solar installations in New York. Completed by CS Energy in 2021, this solar project has enough electric capacity to power more than 4934 homes.





Solar Companies in New York



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