











Solar Means Business 2022

Tracking Corporate Solar Adoption in the U.S.

The Solar Means Business 2022 report identifies the companies leading on solar and energy storage adoption in the United States. The report provides a window into how America's businesses, large and small, are tackling their clean energy goals in 2022.

Through June 2022, Meta has installed more solar in the U.S. than any other business. At nearly 3.6 gigawatts (GW), the company has installed 3 times more solar than its closest counterpart. Amazon and two-time former champion Apple round out the top 3 as tech-related companies take 4 of the top 5 spots and 7 of the top 15.

Top 10 Corporate Solar Adopters (MW)

1.		Meta	3,588
2.		Amazon	1,115
3.		Apple	987
4.		Walmart	689
5.		Microsoft	551
6.		Target	515
7.		Cargill	342
8.		Kaiser Permanente	303
9.		Anheuser-Busch	301
10.		Evrz North America	300

Corporate Solar Users Make a Dent in Carbon Emissions

The systems tracked in this report reduce

20.4 million

metric tons of carbon dioxide annually, equivalent to:



337.5 million
trees planted



4.4 million
vehicles off the road



883.6 million
trash bags of landfill waste recycled



2.3 billion
gallons of gas not used

Growth of Commercial Solar Installations

After mixed growth towards the end of the last decade, corporate solar installations have surged since 2020, mostly due to the growth of off-site procurement. Of the 19 GW of corporate solar installed, more than half have been installed since 2020 and 77% of the commercial solar installed over the last 2.5 years has been off-site. The market for on-site solar installations has seen more modest but steady growth, averaging 3% over the last 5 years. 2020 and 2021 were the two largest years on record for on-site commercial solar, with nearly 1.7 GW installed over that period.

