STATE SOLAR spotlight

Idaho

Ranks
31st
for total installed
solar capacity

Total solar installed (MW)

836.03

250.91 MW in 2023

Growth projection over the next 5 years (MW)

† 1,427.73

Ranks 38th



Solar jobs in the state1

633

Ranked 43rd in 2023



114,978 homes

Percentage of state's electricity from solar²

6.94%



44

solar companies are currently operating in Idaho



4 manufacturers



25 installers/developers



15 other companies

Value of the state solar market

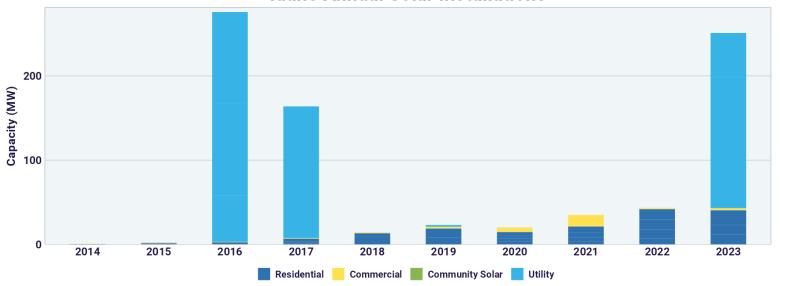
\$1.3 billion

\$349 million invested in 2023

Price decline over the last ten years

43%

Idaho Annual Solar Installations



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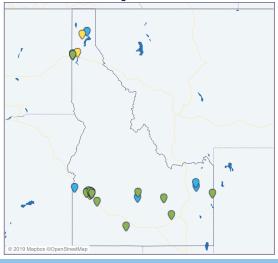
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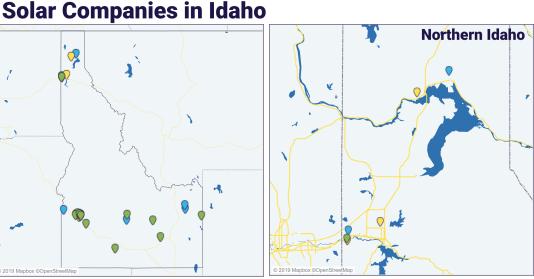
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More information about solar energy in Idaho

- Grand View Solar Two in Grand View was developed by Clenera and came online in 2016. This 108 MW project produces enough electricity to power 14674 homes.
- At 40 MW, American Falls Solar is among the largest solar installations in Idaho. Completed in 2017, this photovoltaic project has enough electric capacity to power more than 5,550 homes.
- At 54.6 MW, ID Solar in Kuna is among the largest solar installations in Idaho. Completed by Origis Energy in 2016, this solar project has enough electric capacity to power more than 7419 homes.







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