# STATE SOLAR spotlight

## Pennsylvania

Ranks
21st
for total installed solar capacity

Total solar installed (MW)

2 167 67

856.00 MW in 2023

Growth projection over the next 5 years (MW)

**₱3,264.38** 

Ranks 20th

Solar jobs in the state1

4,288

Ranked 19th in 2023



Enough solar installed to power

287,874 homes

Percentage of state's electricity from solar<sup>2</sup>

0.69%



496

solar companies are currently operating in Pennsylvania



114 manufacturers



**243** installers/developers



139 other companies

Value of the state solar market

\$4.7 billion

\$1.3 billion invested in 2023

Price decline over the last ten years

43%

#### Pennsylvania Annual Solar Installations



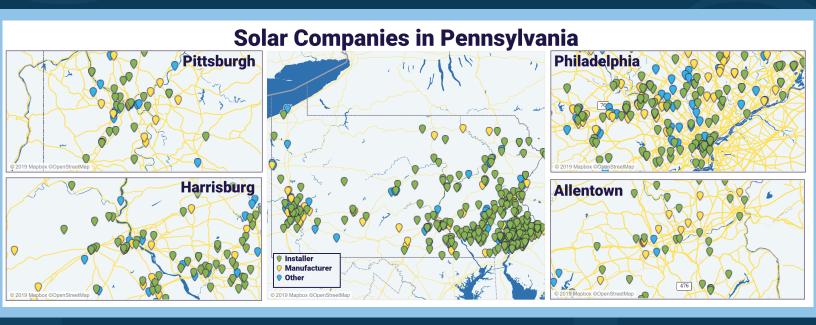
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### More information about solar energy in Pennsylvania

- White Tail Solar in August and York Townships was developed by Ranger Power and came online in 2019-2020. This 72.2 MW project produces enough electricity to power 9420 homes.
- Lineage Logistics, Target, and Prologis have all gone solar in Pennsylvania. Prologis' 4
   MW project in Easton is one of the largest corporate solar projects in the state.
- At 17.5 MW, Elk Hill Solar 2 in Peters Township is among the largest solar installations in Pennsylvania. Completed by Lightsource bp in 2020, this solar project has enough electric capacity to power more than 2283 homes.



### References

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