

# STATE SOLAR *spotlight*

## New York

Ranks  
**8th**  
for total installed  
solar capacity

Total solar installed (MW)

**6,125.11**

*944.23 MW in 2023*

Growth projection over  
the next 5 years (MW)

**12,394.86**

*Ranks 4th*



Solar jobs in the state<sup>1</sup>

**12,114**

*Ranked 4th in 2023*



Enough solar  
installed to power

**1,072,183**  
homes

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

**5.28%**



**781**

solar companies are  
currently operating in  
New York



**89**  
manufacturers



**254**  
installers/developers



**438**  
other companies

Value of the state solar market

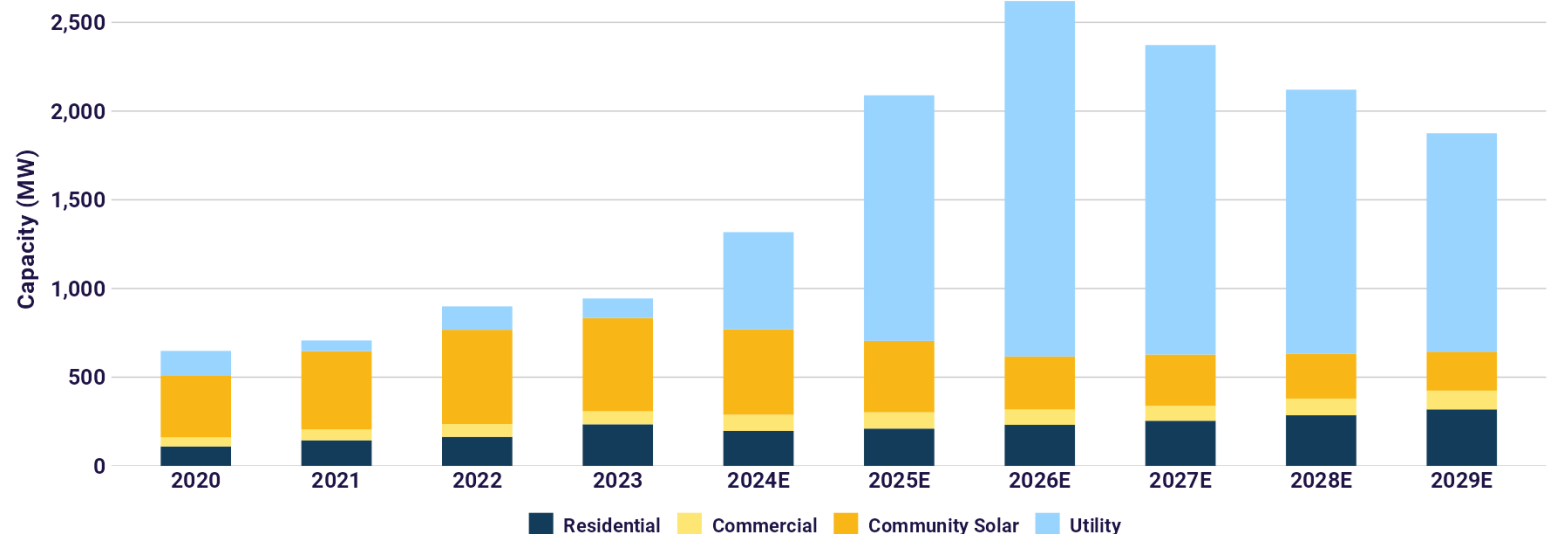
**\$12.6**  
billion

*\$1.9 billion invested in 2023*

Price decline over  
the last ten years

**43%**

### New York Annual Solar Installations



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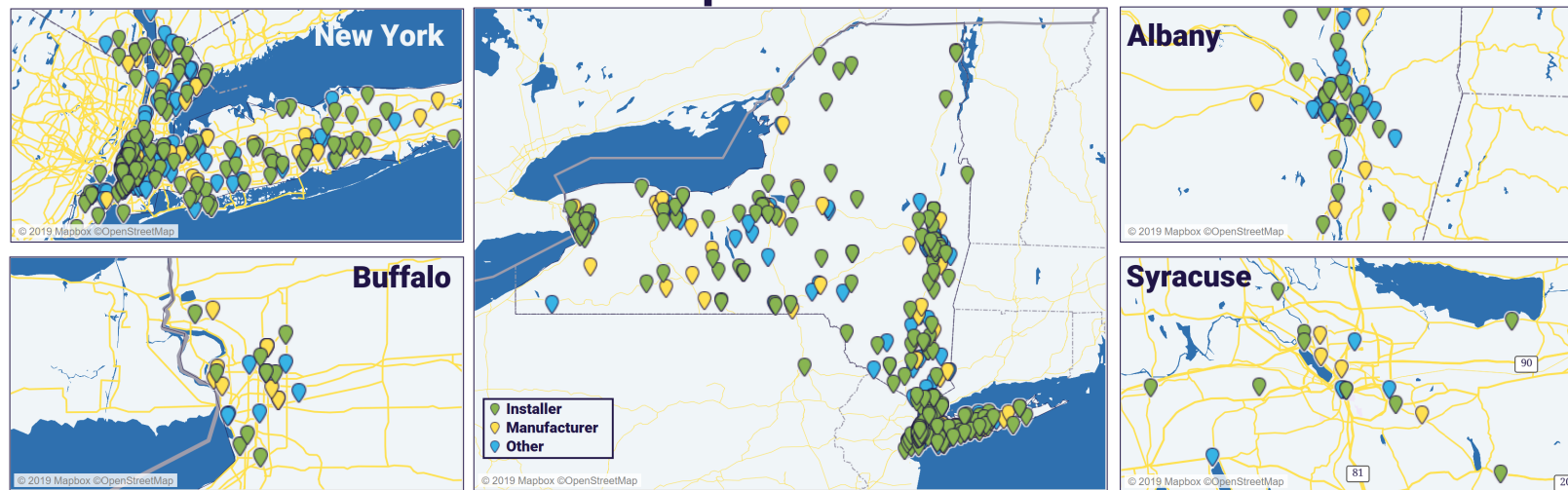
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### More information about solar energy New York

- 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



## References

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

<sup>1</sup>National Solar Jobs Census 2023: <https://irecusa.org/programs/solar-jobs-census/>

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

<sup>4</sup>SEIA, Solar Project Tracker (includes Solar Means Business: <https://www.solarmeansbusiness.com>, Major Solar Projects List: <https://www.seia.org/research-resources/major-solar-projects-list> and Solar in Schools: <https://www.seia.org/research-resources/brighter-future-study-solar-us-schools-0>