

SOLAR POWER IN WISCONSIN

Solar power has become a **low-cost source of electricity generation** in Wisconsin, **providing new jobs, new businesses, and new economic development** in the state. Locals benefit from powering the economy with solar energy.

53%

Decrease in the cost of solar since 2012

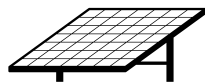


23rd

in the nation for installed solar

1,205 MW

Installed solar capacity in WI



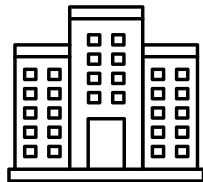
\$1.4B

Total solar investment in WI

More and more utilities, corporations and the general public want electricity produced from clean, renewable energy, including solar. Some of the United States' largest corporations have invested in projects in Wisconsin. Target is one of the first corporations to do so, with their project in Oak Creek.

185

Wisconsin solar companies



1.71%

of Wisconsin powered by solar energy

2,942

Solar jobs in Wisconsin



194K

Homes powered by solar energy

Solar is a **new cash crop** for farmers. Solar power only takes up a small amount of land and provides a **new source of income for landowners and rural communities**.