

# News on solar energy





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What's happening in the solar industry?

NextEra expands West: Utah backs a 200MW Salt Lake City battery with a 25-year tax break, boosting grid stability & clean energy. 11.04 GW of new solar capacity in July, down about 48% YoY: China's PV sector sees a slowdown but shifts focus to quality and strategic. Trade wars & oversupply: India's solar industry at a crossroads.

What happened to solar power in H1 2025?

Reuters analysis shows utility-scale solar capacity still climbed 10 % in H1 2025, led by Texas and Arizona, even after tax-credit cuts. China's JinkoSolar files second EU Unified Patent Court case against rival Longi, claiming infringement of premium back-contact technology.

Could a new antireflective coating reduce solar energy loss?

Conventional silicon solar cells lose nearly half their potential light energy to surface reflection, but a new antireflective coating could dramatically reduce that loss. Researchers have developed . more



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### **EPA cancels \$7 billion Biden-era grant program to boost solar energy**

The Environmental Protection Agency has terminated \$7 billion in funding for solar programs approved under the Biden administration, including projects for nearly 1 million households in ...

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### **Solar power , AP News**

A solar minigrid in a Goma neighborhood where almost everyone lacked access to electricity just five years ago is offering a flicker of hope despite widespread poverty and the city's violent takeover by Congolese rebels early this year.



### **Despite last-minute changes, US Senate bill deals big ...**

The U.S. Senate's massive budget bill that passed on Tuesday will make it harder to develop wind and solar energy projects, despite



the removal of some contentious provisions,  
industry advocates



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