

When will Oman launch a solar project?

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How much solar will Oman need in 2022?

SolarPower Europe said the country will need to install a minimum of 13 GW of solar in total by 2030 to meet its target. It noted that Oman's utility-scale PV capacity stood at 0.5 GW in 2022, thanks to the 500 MW Ibri II solar plant, developed by ACWA Power. The project started commercial operations in August 2021.

Is Oman a good place to invest in solar power?

The recommendations form part of the "Oman Solar investment opportunities" report, the latest work from SolarPower Europe's Global Markets unit. The report said that Oman's current electricity mix is primarily based on natural gas, accounting for 96% (38 TWh) of power generation in 2022, compared to solar at 3.8% (1.5 TWh).

How can Oman achieve net-zero energy goals?

SolarPower Europe has urged Oman to pursue greater integration of renewable energy, liberalize its market structure, and optimize grid infrastructure to meet its ambitious net-zero targets. The recommendations form part of the "Oman Solar investment opportunities" report, the latest work from SolarPower Europe's Global Markets unit.

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Sheida Solar, as the new plant is called, is set to be the first of a growing handful of investments targeted the production of solar photovoltaic (PV) systems, and related hardware, for Oman's mega-billion dollar renewable energy and green hydrogen industries.