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# Insuring rooftop photovoltaic panels



## Overview

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Most roof-mounted solar panels are automatically covered by standard homeowners insurance, while ground-mounted systems typically require additional coverage. Does homeowners insurance cover solar panels?

Check your homeowners insurance policy for any exclusions or limitations related to solar panels. If you're unsure about the coverage, contact your insurance agent or company to clarify the specific coverage for your solar panel system. Sometimes, relying solely on homeowners insurance may not provide sufficient coverage.

Does homeowners insurance cover a roof leak after a solar panel installation?

Homeowners' insurance usually doesn't cover poor workmanship, so if you experience a roof leak after your solar panel installation, chances are your existing homeowner's insurance policy won't cover the damage. However, those damages might be covered through your solar installer's workmanship warranty.

How can I insure my solar panel system?

To insure your solar panel system, you can add endorsements or riders to your existing homeowners insurance policy. Endorsements modify the policy terms to specifically include coverage for your solar panel system.

What is a dedicated solar panel insurance policy?

A dedicated solar panel insurance policy is designed to provide comprehensive coverage for your solar panel system. It often offers more extensive protection than what is provided by homeowners insurance.

Do I need insurance if I upgrade my solar panel system?

If you upgrade your solar panel system, it is important to inform your insurance provider about any changes such as system expansion, the addition of energy storage, or upgrades to the inverter. This will ensure that your

coverage is adequate and provides the necessary protection.

Do solar panels increase homeowners insurance costs?

For those who do see increased homeowners insurance costs after they go solar, payments can go up by as little as \$15 a month, or closer to a thousand dollars if they choose to get a separate solar panel coverage policy.

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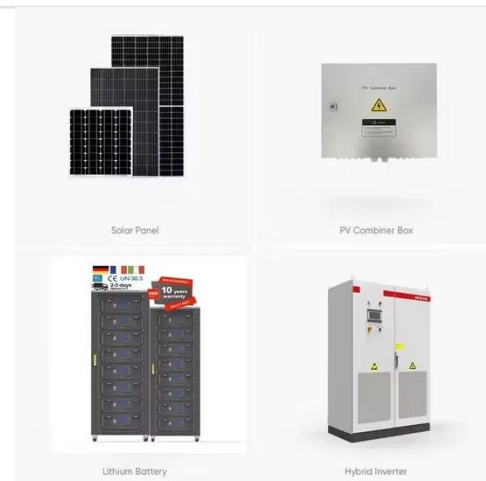


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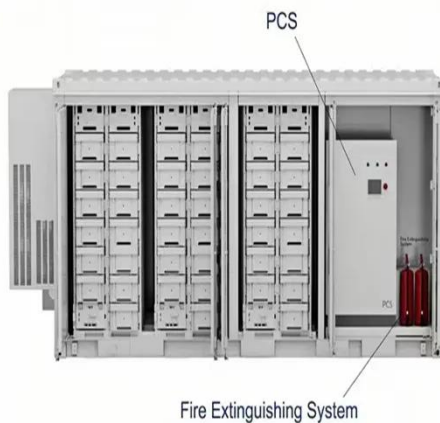


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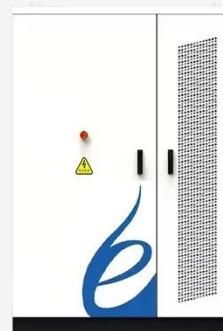


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