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Size of photovoltaic panels installed in Zurich Switzerland

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Overview

Where are PV systems installed in Switzerland?

The installations are mainly set on industries and residential areas. Nearly 90% of new installations are on residential areas but the industrial area systems make up for 48 % of the capacity installed (Figure 1 and Figure 2). Applications of PV in Switzerland are primarily roof-top grid-connected PV systems.

How many solar installations are there in Switzerland?

At the end of December, cumulative solar installations reached 3.65 GW. Switzerland's Federal Office of Energy (SFOE) has revealed this week that the country deployed around 683 MW of PV in 2021 – representing growth of 43% growth over the previous year and demand increasing across all segments.

When did photovoltaic installations start in Switzerland?

The first photovoltaic installation in Switzerland dates back to 1992, but the country had to wait 2011 to observe a significant growth of the size of the yearly installed capacities, it has been developing at a rapid pace ever since (section 1.2). The installations are mainly set on industries and residential areas.

How much solar power can a Swiss house generate?

According to a recent study by the Swiss Federal Office of Energy (SFOE) based on data from a solar potential cadastre (sonnendach.ch) and meteodata, Swiss houses and factories could generate up to 67 TWh of photovoltaic power per year (current power consumption is around 60 TWh).

Should solar panels be required in new buildings in Switzerland?

Since 2015, the Swiss government has published a recommendation for the energy policies in cantons. These regulations should include a requirement for PV in every new building. In a majority of cantons, a requirement of including

about 10 W PV per square meter of heated area for new buildings is already implemented.

Who surveys the solar market in Switzerland?

The Swiss Federal Office of Energy has been surveying the solar market in Switzerland for more than 20 years. Due to this long experience the quality of the data has been maintained, thanks as well to all the installers and distributors who are willing to complete the annual questionnaire.

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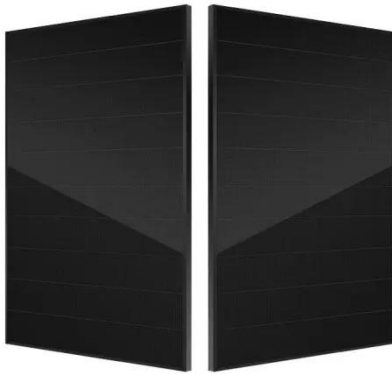
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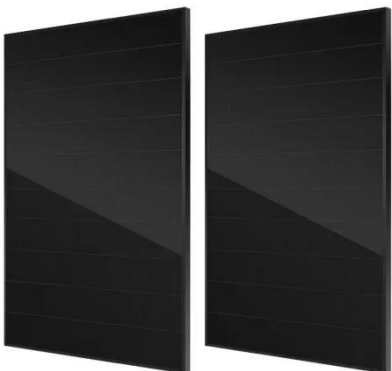
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