

# EU purchases solar panels and solar panels

In 2023, the EU imported EUR19.7 billion worth of solar panels, EUR3.9 billion of liquid biofuels, and EUR0.3 billion worth of wind turbines from extra-EU countries, according to the Eurostat data. The ...

Solar power additions are set to contract 1.4% in the EU, the first annual dip since 2016, according to a report from industry group Solar Power Europe.

BRUSSELS, Jan 19 - The European Union plans to impose minimum "made in Europe" requirements on public purchases of key green technologies to bolster local industry and cut dependence on...

The EU has doubled its solar capacity in the last three years. How have subsidies made this possible, what support is still available, and what still needs to happen?

Solar energy, in particular photovoltaics (PV), is currently the fastest growing renewable energy source in the EU. Last year, 56 GW of solar PV were installed in the EU, two thirds of it on rooftops, ...

Times for solar in the EU have changed - and unfortunately not for the better. In 2025, the EU solar market contracted for the first time in a decade. Last year, we warned policymakers with ...

According to Eurostat, in 2024, EU countries imported green energy products worth almost EUR14.6 billion from outside the bloc. Solar panels accounted for the largest share - EUR11.1 billion, ...

The European renewable energy Power Purchase Agreement (PPA) market demonstrated strong recovery in 2024, with nearly 19 gigawatts (GW) of new capacity contracted, ...

With the additional push caused by the global energy crisis, EU solar capacity has doubled between 2021 and 2024 alone. The solar market is now set to exceed EU countries' 2030 ...

In February 2024, the EU institutions agreed in principle on the Net-Zero Industry Act (NZIA), with the aim of supporting domestic manufacturing of clean technologies, such as solar PV, as strategic projects.

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