

# **Solar energy generation capacity is large but area is small**



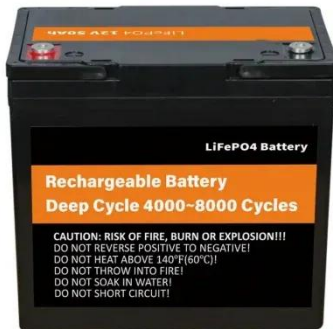
## Overview

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### Solar energy

Solar PV is highly modular and ranges in size from small solar home kits and rooftop installations of 3-20 kW capacity, right up to systems with capacity in the hundreds of megawatts. It has democratised ...

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### Solar energy , Definition, Uses, Examples, Advantages, & Facts

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### Assessing the area intensity of PV

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## Concentrated solar power

Concentrated solar technology systems use mirrors or lenses with tracking systems to focus a large area of sunlight onto a small area. The concentrated light is then used as heat or as a heat source for ...

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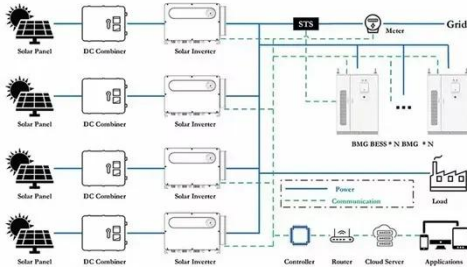


## How Does Solar Work?

This energy can be used to generate electricity or be stored in batteries or thermal storage. Below, you can find resources and information on the basics

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Small-scale PV systems have less than 1,000 kilowatts of electricity-generation capacity. Most small-scale PV systems are located on buildings and are sometimes called rooftop PV systems.

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