

# The largest solar power plant in the desert



## Overview

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The Ivanpah Solar Electric Generating System is a concentrated solar thermal plant located in the Mojave Desert at the base of Clark Mountain in California, across the state line from Primm, Nevada., millions of midnight blue solar panels stretch to the horizon, angled toward the sky like reclining sunbathers. It shines at least 300 days of the year, bathing the more than 8. As the Ivanpah solar energy project goes online on Feb.

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### Inside the Desert Sunlight Solar Farm, The Largest Solar Power Plant , TIME

The two largest solar power plants in the world--Desert Sunlight and Topaz Solar Farm, about 400 miles (640 km) to the west in central California--have come online in the past three months.

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### World's largest solar plant to go live in California's Mojave Desert

Observing the juxtaposition of the Ivanpah project--the world's largest existing solar plant--and the barren beauty of the Mojave Desert takes some getting used to.



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### This alien-like field of mirrors in the desert was once the future of



Ivanpah was the largest concentrated solar power facility in the world when it opened in 2014, just over a decade, it's slated to close. From a distance, the Ivanpah solar plant looks

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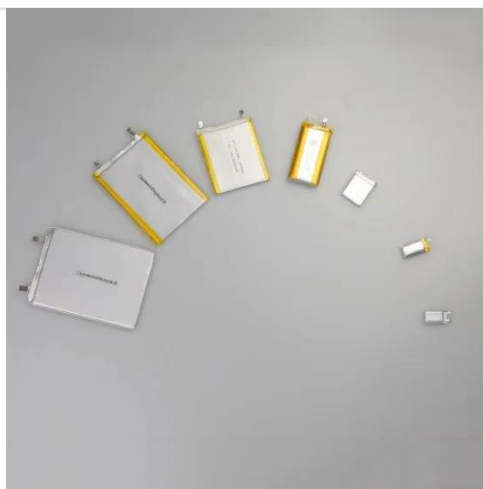
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### The Ivanpah Solar Project is an

## Engineering Solar Power Giant in the

This ambitious undertaking, known as the Ivanpah Solar Electric Generating System, stands as one of the largest concentrated solar power (CSP) plants in the world.

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## 11 years after a celebrated opening, massive solar plant faces a

The Ivanpah solar power plant formally opened in 2014 on roughly 5 square miles of federal land near the California-Nevada border. Though it was hailed at the time as a breakthrough ...

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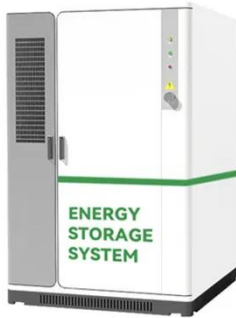
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### 11 years after a celebrated opening, massive solar plant faces a bleak

LOS ANGELES (AP) -- What was once the world's largest solar power plant of its type appears headed for closure just 11 years after opening, under pressure from

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### **Ivanpah Solar Power Facility**

The Ivanpah Solar Electric Generating System is a concentrated solar thermal plant located in the Mojave Desert at the base of Clark Mountain in California, across the state line from Primm, Nevada.

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