

# STATE SOLAR *spotlight*

## Oregon

Ranks  
**21st**  
for total installed  
solar capacity

Total solar installed (MW)

**1,385**

176 MW in 2022

Growth projection over  
the next 5 years (MW)

**2,463**

Ranks 19th



Solar jobs in the state<sup>1</sup>

**3,968**

Ranked 20th in 2021



Enough solar  
installed to power

**170,446**  
homes

Percentage of state's  
electricity from solar<sup>2</sup>

**3.18%**



**141**

solar companies are  
currently operating in  
Oregon<sup>3</sup>



**21**  
manufacturers



**70**  
installers/developers



**50**  
other companies

Value of the  
state solar  
market

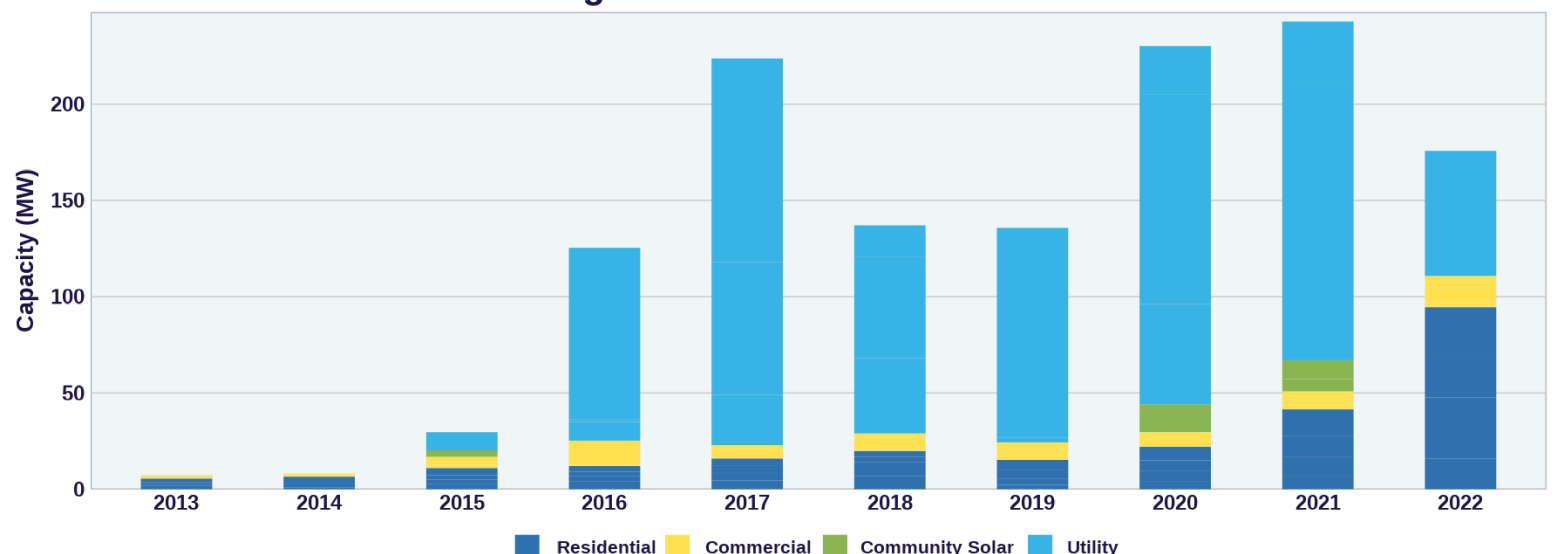
**\$2.3**  
billion

with \$390  
million invested in 2022

Price decline over  
the last ten years

**53%**

Oregon Annual Solar Installations



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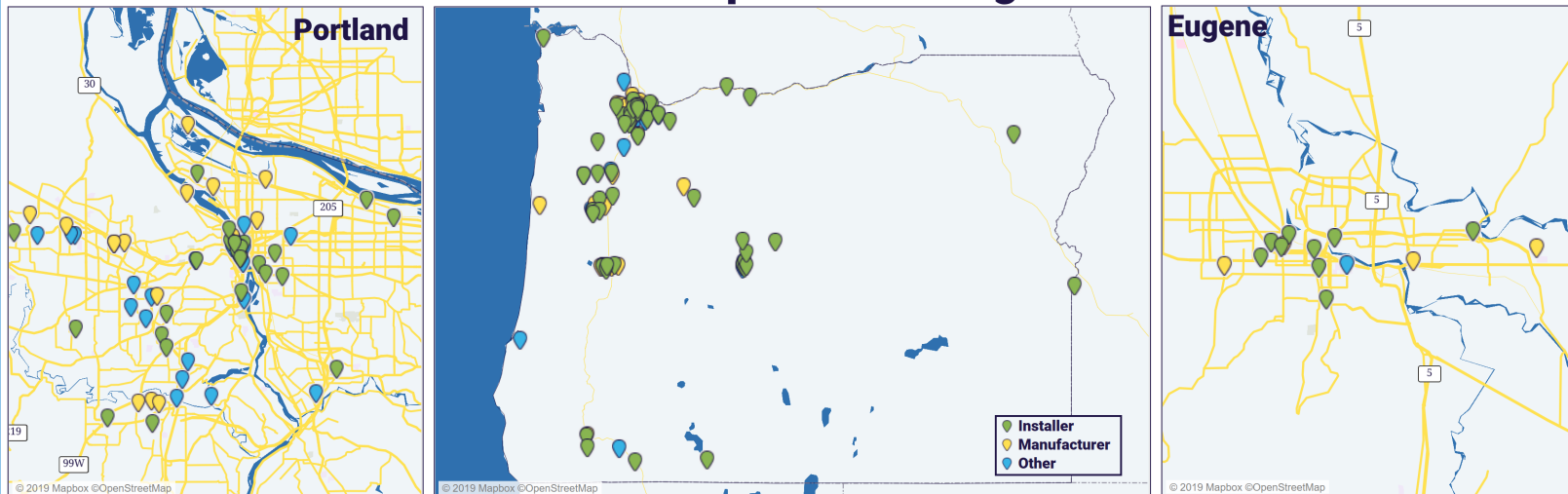
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### More information about solar energy in Oregon<sup>4</sup>

- Millican Solar Energy Center in Prineville was developed by Ivenenergy and came online in 2021. This 71.4 MW project produces enough electricity to power 9175 homes.
- Meta, Apple, and Walmart have all gone solar in Oregon. Meta's 46.2 MW Prineville Solar project in Prineville is one of the largest corporate solar projects in the state.
- At 69.5 MW, Solar Star II in Prineville is among the largest solar installations in Oregon. Completed by SunPower in 2017, this solar project has enough electric capacity to power more than 8931 homes.

### Solar Companies in Oregon



## References

All data from SEIA/Wood Mackenzie Power & Renewables, Solar Market Insight® unless otherwise noted: <https://www.seia.org/smi>

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<sup>3</sup>SEIA, National Solar Database: <https://www.seia.org/research-resources/national-solar-database>

<sup>4</sup>SEIA, Solar Project Tracker (includes Solar Means Business: <https://www.solarmeanbusiness.com>, Major Solar Projects List: <https://www.seia.org/research-resources/major-solar-projects-list> and Solar in Schools: <https://www.seia.org/research-resources/brighter-future-study-solar-us-schools-0>