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In 2008 the Spanish government committed to achieving a target of 12% of primary energy from renewable energy by 2010 and by 2020 expected the installed solar generating capacity of 10 GW. Since 2010, Spain has been the world's leader in concentrated solar power (CSP).

Is Spain a good country to invest in solar power?

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What are the largest solar power plants in Spain?

As of November 2010, the largest PV power plants in Spain include the Olmedilla Photovoltaic Park (60 MW), Puertollano Photovoltaic Park (47.6 MW), Planta Solar La Magascona & La Magasquila (34.5 MW), Arnedo Solar Plant (34 MW), and Planta Solar Dulcinea (31.8 MW).

What is new in the Spanish solar market?

A new sector of the market begins to make headway in the Spanish market following the easing of regulations on self consumption generation. 261.7 MW of new solar power was installed, of which just 26 MW were connected to the grid and the remainder, 235.7 MW being self-generating installations.

Is Spain a leader in concentrated solar power?

As a legacy from Spain's earlier development of solar power, the country remains a world leaderin concentrated solar power, accounting for almost a third of solar power installed capacity in the country, a much higher ratio than that for other countries as of 2017.

Spain's solar potential. Spain is one of the first countries to deploy large-scale solar photovoltaics, and is the world leader in concentrated solar power (CSP) production. In 2022, the cumulative total solar power installed was 19.5 GW, of which 17.2 GW were solar PV installations and 2.3 GW were concentrated solar power.

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Spain has embraced various solar technologies, including photovoltaic (PV) systems, concentrated solar power (CSP), and solar thermal energy. PV systems dominate the market due to their versatility and decreasing costs, while CSP installations harness solar energy for large-scale electricity generation.

Solar photovoltaic continues to be the fastestgrowing technology, with an installed power capacity of 25,549 MW, an increase of 28.0 % in 2023 compared to 2022, which means 5,594 MW more installed throughout Spain. This is the highest value of MW installed, surpassing the almost 4,686 MW installed in 2022.

In September 2002, Spain was the first European country to introduce a "feed-in tariff" funding system for solar thermal power. This funding system granted a premium on top of the electricity pool price of 12 EUR cents for each kWh output of a solar thermal plant between 100 kW and 50 MW of capacity, which could be changed every four years.

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