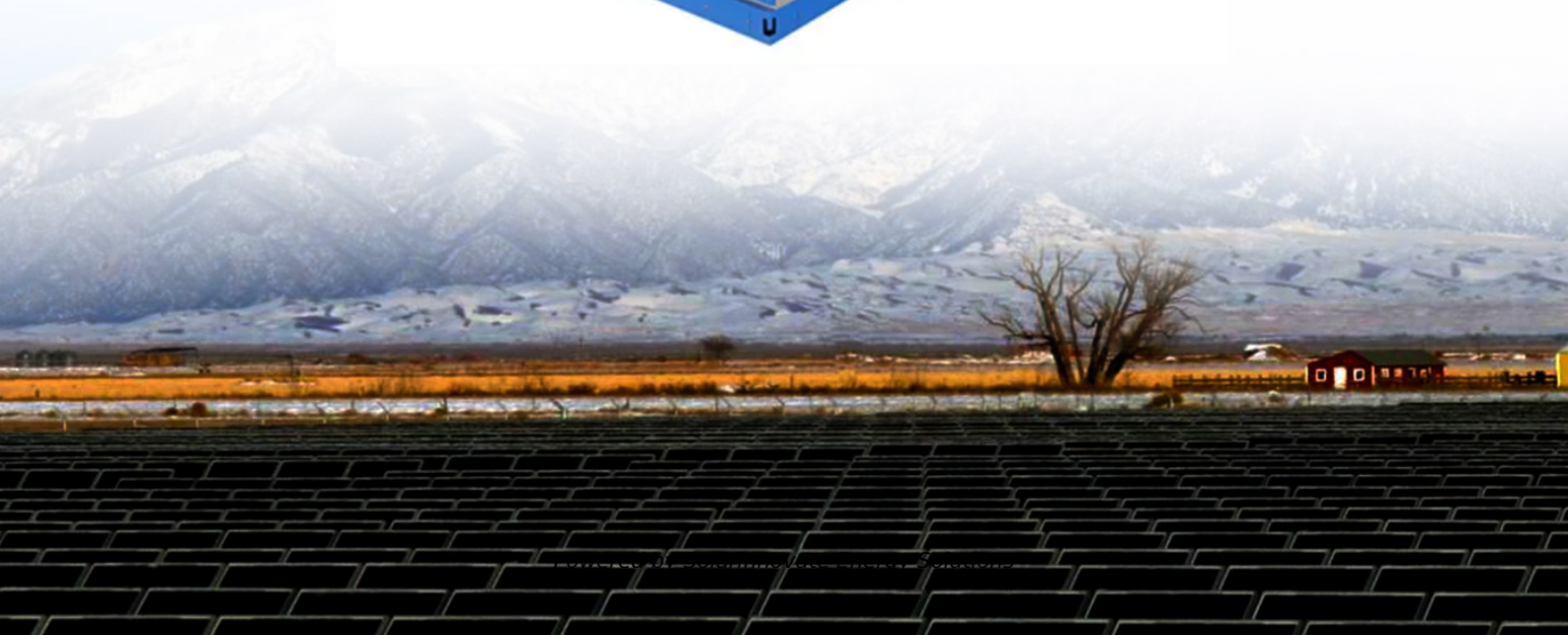


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Overview

What is solar energy used for in Uganda?

Solar energy is used to generate electricity, heat water, and provide lighting in Uganda. It can also be used to power homes, hospitals, schools, and businesses. Solar energy is an ideal choice for rural areas in Uganda where access to electricity is limited.

How many solar power plants will be built in Uganda?

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How can Uganda scale up solar PV investment?

As part of efforts to scale up solar PV investment, the government of Uganda introduced model contracts in their investment guides. Additionally, IRENA, the Terrawatt Initiative, and leading international law firms also supported Uganda by drafting simplified and standardised templates for solar PV documents that are publicly available.

How much does a solar system cost in Uganda?

SolarNow in Uganda, for example, offers packages such as the following: 250 W system with 15 lights for USD 85 per month with a deposit of USD 431. Similar pre-paid models are being implemented broadly in Kenya, Tanzania and Uganda by M-KOPA SOLAR, and in Ghana by PEG Ghana Solar.

Is Uganda a good place to invest in solar power?

Despite solar capacity of just 7% in the country, Uganda's eight hours of sunshine per day represents huge potential for solar power's development. Attracting investment is key. As part of efforts to scale up solar PV investment,

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How much does a solar power system cost?

“A solar power system costs around 350,000 shillings (USD 100) which is a big amount for the residents who mostly make a living out of farming. But they have started to understand the long-term benefits of solar energy.

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