



# Why are solar panels called solars

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American solar panels are commonly referred to as "solar photovoltaic (PV) panels," "solar modules," or simply "solar panels." These ...

In conclusion, photovoltaic cells are called such because they convert light (photons) into electricity (voltaic). As a clean and renewable energy source, they play an important role in combating climate ...

A Short History of Solar Panels  
 How Do Solar Panels Work?  
 The Benefits of Solar Panels  
 Solar panels collect clean renewable energy in the form of sunlight and convert that light into electricity which can then be used to provide power for electrical loads. Solar panels are comprised of several individual solar cells which are themselves composed of layers of silicon, phosphorous (which provides the negative charge), and boron (which ...  
 ...See more on [mrsolar](#) Missing: solars? Must include: solars?#b\_results  
 li.b\_ans.b\_mop.b\_mopb,#b\_results li.b\_ans.b\_nonfirststopb{border-radius:6px;box-shadow:0 0 0 1px rgba(0,0,0,.05);margin-top:12px;margin-bottom:10px;padding:15px 19px 10px}#b\_results  
 li.b\_ans.b\_mop.b\_mopb .b\_sideBleed{margin-left:-19px;margin-right:-19px}#b\_results  
 .b\_vidAns{border-radius:6px;box-shadow:0 0 0 1px rgba(0,0,0,.05);padding:16px 20px;gap:10px;background:#fff}@charset "UTF-8";#b\_results  
 .b\_ans.b\_vidAns{box-shadow:none!important;padding:var(--smtc-gap-between-content-medium) 0!important;background:var(--bing-smtc-background-ctrl-fade-on-image-stop-0)}#b\_results #serpvidans.vsacf  
 .mc\_vtvc,#b\_results #serpvidans.vsacf .mc\_vtvc\_th,#b\_results #serpvidans.vsacf .cico,#b\_results  
 #serpvidans.vsacf .mc\_vtvc\_htb,#b\_results #serpvidans.vsacf .vrhc,#b\_results #serpvidans.vsacf  
 .vrhcp,#b\_results #serpvidans.vsacf .vrhtc,#b\_results #serpvidans.vsacf  
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 .mc\_vtvc,#b\_results #serpvidans.vsacf .mmlist .mc\_vtvc .mc\_vtvc\_meta{margin:0}#b\_results  
 #serpvidans.vsacf .mmlist .mc\_vtvc .mc\_vtvc\_meta .mc\_vtvc\_meta\_channel,#b\_results #serpvidans.vsacf  
 .mmlist .mc\_vtvc .mc\_vtvc\_meta  
 .mc\_vtvc\_meta\_row\_channel{color:var(--smtc-foreground-content-neutral-primary)}#serpvidans.vsacf,#serpv  
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 .mmlist{display:flex;flex-direction:column;gap:var(--smtc-gap-between-content-medium)}#serpvidans.vsacf

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.cico{height:auto}#serpvidans.vsacf .mc_vtvc_ban_lo{top:0;right:auto}#serpvidans.vsacf .mc_cwvc .mc_vtvc
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var(--smtc-gap-between-content-xx-small)
var(--smtc-gap-between-content-medium);display:flex;flex-direction:column;justify-content:space-between}#
serpvidans.vsacf .mc_cwvc .mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_meta .mc_vtvc_title,#serpvidans.vsacf .mmlist .mc_vtvc
.mc_vtvc_meta
.mc_vtvc_title{color:var(--smtc-ctrl-link-foreground-brand-rest);font:var(--bing-smtc-text-global-body2);heig
ht:auto;display:-webkit-box;-webkit-line-clamp:2;-webkit-box-orient:vertical}#serpvidans.vsacf .mc_cwvc
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.mc_vtvc_meta_block,#serpvidans.vsacf .mmlist .mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_meta
.mc_vtvc_meta_block_area,#serpvidans.vsacf .mmlist .mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_meta
.mc_vtvc_meta_block{display:flex;flex-direction:column;gap:var(--smtc-padding-ctrl-text-side)}#serpvidans.
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.mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_meta .mc_vtvc_meta_block .mc_vtvc_meta_row
.mc_vtvc_meta_row{color:var(--smtc-foreground-content-neutral-primary);height:var(--mai-smtc-padding-car
d-default);font:var(--bing-smtc-text-global-caption1)}#serpvidans.vsacf .mc_cwvc .mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_meta
.mc_vtvc_meta_block_area .mc_vtvc_meta_row .mc_vtvc_meta_row_channel::before,#serpvidans.vsacf
.mc_cwvc .mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_meta .mc_vtvc_meta_block .mc_vtvc_meta_row
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.mc_vtvc_meta_block_area .mc_vtvc_meta_row .mc_vtvc_meta_row_channel::before,#serpvidans.vsacf
.mmlist .mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_meta .mc_vtvc_meta_block .mc_vtvc_meta_row
.mc_vtvc_meta_row_channel::before{content:" ? "}#serpvidans.vsacf .mc_cwvc .mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_meta
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.mc_vtvc_meta_block_area .mc_vtvc_meta_pubdate,#serpvidans.vsacf .mmlist .mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_meta
.mc_vtvc_meta_block
.mc_vtvc_meta_pubdate{color:var(--bing-smtc-foreground-content-neutral-tertiary);padding-bottom:0}.vsacf
.mc_cwvc .mc_vtvc_con_rc,.vsacf .mmlist .mc_vtvc_con_rc{display:flex}.vsacf .mc_cwvc .mc_vtvc_con_rc
.mc_vtvc_meta_w,.vsacf .mmlist .mc_vtvc_con_rc .mc_vtvc_meta_w{height:auto}.vsacf
.b_title{padding-left:0}.vsacf .b_title
.mmtitle{font:var(--bing-smtc-text-global-subtitle1-strong);margin-bottom:0}.vsacf .b_title .mmtitle
a::after{content:"";margin:5px 5px 0 0;border-top:2px solid
var(--smtc-foreground-content-neutral-primary);border-right:2px solid
var(--smtc-foreground-content-neutral-primary);background-size:7px
7px;width:7px;height:7px;transform:rotate(45deg);display:inline-block;margin-left:4px}#serpvidans.vsacf
.b_title .mmtitle{margin-bottom:0}#serpvidans.vsacf .b_title .mmtitle
a{color:var(--smtc-foreground-content-neutral-primary)}#serpvidans.vsacf
.mc_cwvc{width:100%;margin-bottom:var(--smtc-gap-between-content-x-small)}#serpvidans.vsacf
.mc_cwvc .mc_vtvc{box-shadow:none}#serpvidans.vsacf .mc_cwvc .mc_vtvc
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.mc_vtvc_meta{height:100%;padding:var(--smtc-gap-between-content-x-small) 0
var(--smtc-gap-between-content-x-small)
var(--mai-smtc-padding-card-default);background:var(--bing-smtc-background-ctrl-fade-on-image-stop-0)}#s
erpvidans.vsacf .mc_cwvc .mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_meta
.mc_vtvc_title{font:var(--bing-smtc-text-global-body1)}#serpvidans.vsacf .cardless.mmlist
.mc_vtvc_con_rc,#serpvidans.vsacf .cardless.mmlist .mc_vtvc_th{height:auto}#serpvidans.vsacf
.vsb_tr_c.va_tt{margin:0}#serpvidans.vsacf .vtbc .mv_vtvc_play,#serpvidans.vsacf .vtbc
.mv_vtvc_play_ext{position:static}#serpvidans.vsacf .va_tt
.mc_vtvc_ban_lo{display:block}#serpvidans.vsacf
.mc_bc{width:auto;border-radius:var(--smtc-ctrl-badge-sm-corner);padding:var(--smtc-padding-ctrl-text-side)
var(--smtc-gap-between-content-xx-small)}#serpvidans.vsacf .rmts .mc_bc
ems{display:none}#serpvidans.vsacf a.vsb_tr_t{color:var(--smtc-foreground-content-neutral-primary)}.vsacf
.va_tt .vsb_tr_chd .mc_vtvc_th_dock.rmoverlay{height:36px}.vsacf .va_tt .vsb_tr_chd
.mc_vtvc_th_dock{height:92px;position:absolute;bottom:0;background:linear-gradient(180deg,var(--bing-smt
c-background-ctrl-fade-on-image-stop-0) 0%,var(--mai-smtc-background-ctrl-on-image-rest) 100%)}.vsacf
.va_tt a.vsb_tr_t{padding:0 0;font:var(--bing-smtc-text-global-body-2-alt-strong)}.vsacf .va_tt .vsb_tr_chd
.mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_meta,.vsacf .va_tt .vsb_tr_chd .mc_vtvc
.mc_vtvc_title{color:var(--mai-smtc-foreground-ctrl-on-image-rest)}.vsacf
span.vcmt_ctt{font:var(--bing-smtc-text-global-caption2);margin:var(--smtc-gap-between-content-xx-small) 0
0;height:16px}#serpvidans.vsacf .vsb_tr_chd .mc_vtvc_tot .mc_vtvc_title
strong{font-size:14px;line-height:20px;display:unset}#serpvidans.vsacf .va_tt .b_sldrp
.slide:not(:first-child){margin-left:var(--smtc-gap-between-content-small)}#serpvidans.vsacf .va_tt
.vsb_tr_chd .mc_vtvc
.mc_vtvc_title{white-space:normal;display:-webkit-box;-webkit-line-clamp:2;-webkit-box-orient:vertical}#se
rpvidans.vsacf .b_module_expansion_control .b_btnContainer
.b_CompactExpansion{background-color:var(--bing-smtc-background-ctrl-neutral-rest);display:flex;justify-co
ntent:center;align-items:center;gap:4px;width:fit-content;height:auto;padding:8px 12px}#serpvidans.vsacf
.b_module_expansion_control .b_btnContainer .b_CompactExpansion
.b_CompactExpansionBtnText{font:var(--bing-smtc-text-global-caption1-strong);color:var(--bing-smtc-foregr
ound-content-brand-rest)}#serpvidans.vsacf .b_module_expansion_control .b_btnContainer
.b_CompactExpansion .b_arrow{display:flex;margin:0;height:auto}#serpvidans.vsacf
.b_module_expansion_control .b_btnContainer .b_CompactExpansion .b_arrow
path#Shape{fill:var(--bing-smtc-foreground-content-brand-rest)}#serpvidans.vsacf
.b_module_expansion_control
.b_btnContainer::after{content:"";position:absolute;width:100%;bottom:20px;left:0;height:1px;border-radius:
1px;background:var(--smtc-stroke-ctrl-on-neutral-rest)}#b_results
.b_ans.b_vidAns{box-shadow:none;padding:12px 20px 0}#b_results .b_ans.b_vidAns
.vasac{padding:unset;margin:0}#b_results .b_ans.b_vidAns .vsa .b_attribution{padding-bottom:0}#b_results
.b_ans.b_vidAns .cardless .salink{margin:0}#b_results .b_ans.b_vidAns .mmlist
.mc_vtvc{margin-top:10px}#b_results .b_ans.b_vidAns .mmlist .mc_vtvc
.mc_vtvc_meta{display:flex;flex-direction:column;justify-content:space-between;margin:0 10px 4px
12px}#b_results .b_ans.b_vidAns .mmlist .mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_meta
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.mc_vtvc_meta_channel{color:#111}#b_results .b_ans.b_vidAns .mmlist .mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_meta
.mc_vtvc_meta_row_channel,#b_results .b_ans.b_vidAns .mmlist .mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_meta
.mc_vtvc_meta_block_area{color:#666}#b_results .b_ans.b_vidAns .mmlist .mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_meta
.mc_vtvc_meta_block_area{bottom:0;height:unset}.b_dark .vsa.cardless
.mc_vtvc{background-color:unset}.mmtitle>a{display:block}.mc_fh{height:100%;border-radius:6px}.mc_tc_
bs{overflow:hidden}#mc_cwvc_1772281412534 { width:356px; max-width: 100%; } .mc_vtvc
.mc_vtvc_meta { padding: 16px 16px 16px 16px; } .mc_vtvc.mc_vtvc_meta_w { height: 139px; margin-top:
-0px; } .mc_vtvc.mc_vtvc_title { height: 54px; line-height: 18px; margin-bottom: 18px; margin-top: 0px; }
.mc_vtvc.mc_vtvc_meta_block_area { height: 35px; } .mc_vtvc.vtmu,.mc_vtvc.vtpl { bottom: 147px; }
.mc_vtvc_th_dock { height: 139px; } .mc_vtvc_th.cico { height: 200px; }
.mc_vtvc{background-color:#fff;box-shadow:0 0 0 1px
rgba(0,0,0,.05);line-height:0;margin:0;position:relative;border-radius:6px;overflow:hidden}.mc_vtvc.noshado
w{box-shadow:none}.mc_vtvc_con_rc{border-radius:6px;overflow:hidden;position:relative}.mc_vtvc>a{colo
r:#71777d;display:block;text-decoration:none;width:100%}.mc_vtvc>a:focus::after{outline:2px solid
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p:0;left:0}.mc_vtvc_th{background-color:#d5d5d5;position:relative}.mc_vtvc_th
.cico{border-radius:0}.mc_vtvc_ban_lo,.mc_vtvc_ban_up{position:absolute;vertical-align:middle}.mc_vtvc_
ban_lo{bottom:0}.mc_vtvc_ban_up{top:0}.mc_vtvc_title{font-weight:normal;margin-bottom:11px;overflow:
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argin-top:-40px;padding:12px
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tvc_act_sep{border-top:1px solid #d5d5d5;height:40px;margin:0 8px}.mc_vtvc_fh
.mc_vtvc_act_sep,.mc_vtvc_fh .mc_vtvc_act{visibility:hidden}#serpvidans
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:0;right:0}.mc_vtvc_htb{width:100%;height:100%;background:rgba(0,0,0,.7);position:absolute;top:0;bottom:
0;left:0;right:0}.mc_vtvc_ht{width:100%;padding:0
16px;line-height:16px;color:#fff;text-decoration:underline;word-break:break-word;box-sizing:border-box;vert
ical-align:middle;text-align:center}.mc_vtvc_th_live_b{background-color:#c80000;color:#fff;display:inline-bl
ock;padding:2px 8px;font:11px/14px
Arial;border-radius:2px;text-transform:uppercase;height:15px;width:26px;position:absolute;left:8px;top:110p
x}.isvctrl .isv
.mc_vtvc_ban_up{left:0;right:initial}.mc_vtvc_ban_lo,.mc_vtvc_ban_up{right:0}.vt_text.b_IRight
.b_ILeft{margin:0 0 0 1px;height:14px;line-height:14px;padding:2px
8px;background:rgba(0,0,0,.75);border-radius:2px;font-weight:bold}.mc_vthtb{width:100%;height:100%;bac
kground:rgba(0,0,0,.7);position:absolute;top:0;bottom:0;left:0;right:0;display:table}.mc_vtht{width:100%;pad
ding:0
16px;line-height:16px;color:#fff;text-decoration:underline;word-break:break-word;box-sizing:border-box;vert
ical-align:middle;text-align:center;display:table-cell}.vt_text.b_IRight .b_ILeft{margin:0 0 0
1px;height:14px;line-height:14px;padding:2px
8px;background:rgba(0,0,0,.75);border-radius:2px;font-weight:bold}.emptyStyleForDebuggingPurpose{top:0
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.emptyStyleForDebuggingPurpose{top:0}.mc_vtvc_center_play{width:32px;height:32px;background-size:c
ontain;position:absolute;margin:auto;bottom:0;top:0;left:0;right:0;box-shadow:none;border-radius:0}.mc_vtvc
_center_play.rmvbg{width:32px;height:32px;background-image:none}.mc_vtvc_htb,.mc_vtvc_ht{display:no
ne}.vt_onhv
        .mc_vtvc_htb{display:table}.vt_onhv
.mc_vtvc_ht{display:table-cell}.mc_vtvc_center_play{display:inline-block}.vt_onhv
.mc_vtvc_center_play{display:none}.mc_vtvc
.vtmu,.mc_vtvc
.vtpl{bottom:163px}.vsarf
.mc_vtvc
.vtmu,.vsarf
.mc_vtvc
.vtpl{bottom:122px}.svarh
#mmcar
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.mc_vtvc
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#mmcar
.mc_vtvc
.vtpl{top:8px;left:8px}.mc_vtvc_center_play{background-image:url(data:image/svg+xml,%3Csvg%20width
%3D%2232%22%20height%3D%2232%22%20viewBox%3D%220%200%2032%2032%22%20fill%3D%22
none%22%20xmlns%3D%22http%3A%2F%2F%2F2000%2Fsvg%22%3E%0D%0A%20%20%20%20%3Cr
ect%20width%3D%2232%22%20height%3D%2232%22%20rx%3D%2216%22%20fill%3D%22black%22%
20fill-opacity%3D%220.6%22%2F%3E%0D%0A%20%20%20%20%3Cpath%20d%3D%22M14.2354%201
0.1923C13.2355%209.62986%2012%2010.3524%2012%2011.4997V20.5C12%2021.6472%2013.2355%202
2.3698%2014.2354%2021.8073L22.2356%2017.3073C23.2551%2016.7339%2023.2551%2015.2661%2022.
2357%2014.6926L14.2354%2010.1923Z%22%20fill%3D%22white%22%20fill-opacity%3D%220.9%22%2
F%3E%0D%0A%3C%2Fsvg%3E)}.mc_vtvc_meta{box-sizing:border-box;display:inline-block;line-height:18
px;position:relative;width:100%}.mc_vtvc_meta_block{bottom:0;position:absolute;width:100%}.mc_vtvc_m
eta_row{line-height:16px;font-size:11px;height:17px;overflow:hidden;text-overflow:ellipsis;white-space:now
rap}.mc_vtvc_meta_row
        a{display:inline-block}.mc_vtvc_meta_row
a:hover{text-decoration:underline}.mc_vtvc_meta_block_area{position:relative}.mc_vtvc_meta_block,.mc_v
tvc_meta_block
        a{color:#444}.b_dark
.mc_vtvc_meta_block{color:#edebe9}.mc_vtvc_meta_row>:nth-of-type(n+2)::before{content:"
?
"}.mc_vtvc_meta_row
        .mc_vtvc_meta_row_channel::before{content:"
>
"}.mc_vtvc_kmt_title{line-height:18px;padding-bottom:4px;font-weight:bold;color:#00809d;text-transform:u
ppercase;font-size:11px}.mc_vtvc_kmt,.mc_vtvc_con_rc.onhov
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.mc_vtvc_meta_row,.mc_vtvc_con_rc.onhov
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        .wkmt
.mc_vtvc_title{max-height:18px;margin-bottom:18px;overflow:hidden}.mc_vtvc_con_rc.onhov.mmsts
.mc_vtvc_title{visibility:hidden}.mc_vtvc_con_rc.onhov
.mc_vtvc_kmt{display:block}.mc_vtvc_kmt_content
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        16px
        0
        0;color:#444}.mc_vtvc_meta
.mc_vtvc_kmt_title{line-height:18px}.mc_vtvc_title:hover{text-decoration:none}.mc_vtvc_meta_pubdate{co
lor:#444;padding-bottom:3px}.mc_vtvc_meta_channel{color:#444}.mc_vtvc_meta_w,.mc_vplvc_meta_w{po
sition:relative}.mc_vtvc_meta_bg_w,.mc_vplvc_meta_bg_w{height:100%;width:100%;overflow:hidden;posit
ion:absolute;top:0}.mc_vtvc_meta_bg_w
        .cico,.mc_vplvc_meta_bg_w
.cico{border-radius:0;overflow:visible}.dg_u
        .mm_vidch_th_c{overflow:visible}.dg_u
        .mm_vidch_th_bg
img{margin-top:-20px}.emptyStyleForDebuggingPurpose{top:0}.mc_vtvc_meta_w
.mc_vtvc_meta{background:rgba(255,255,255,.75)}.mc_vtvc_meta_bg_w
        img,.mc_vtvc_meta_bg_w
.mc_vtvc_cb_w{filter:blur(25px);transform:scale(1.2)}body[--video-metadata-channel-color:#3c3c3c]body.b
_dark{--video-metadata-channel-color:unset}.vsarf
        .mc_vtvc_meta_pubdate{color:unset}.vsarf
.mc_vtvc_meta_channel{color:var(--video-metadata-channel-color)}.vsarf
        .mc_vtvc
        .mc_vtvc_meta_w

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.hide{display:none}.vrhot{white-space:nowrap;text-overflow:ellipsis;overflow:hidden;display:inline-block;position:absolute;max-width:240px;height:18px;line-height:14px;margin-left:8px;top:10px;left:0;right:0;border-radius:2px;padding-right:8px}.vrhot
div{display:inline-block}.vrhot
nt{color:#fff;font-size:11px;font-weight:bold;background-color:rgba(0,0,0,.75);padding:2px
8px;margin-left:0;top:0;box-sizing:border-box;position:relative}.vrhc
.ricons{position:absolute;right:8px;top:10px;left:auto;bottom:auto;height:18px;display:inline-block;cursor:pointer}.vrhol.icons_1
.vrhot{margin-right:27px}.vrhol.icons_2
.vrhot{margin-right:49px}.vrhol.icons_3
.vrhot{margin-right:79px}.vrhol
.vrhot
nt,.vsb_tr_chd
.vrhol.icons_1
.vrhot{margin-right:0}.vpb{position:absolute;display:block;bottom:0;left:0;height:4px}.vpb
div{position:absolute}.vpb
nt{width:0;background:#fff}.vpb
nt.test{display:none}.vpb.back{background-color:#999}.vrhcp
.vrhol.npb{height:36px;max-height:36px}.vrhol
.vadda{width:22px;height:18px;padding:0;margin-right:0;margin-left:2px;bottom:0;position:relative;display:inline-block;z-index:1;background:rgba(0,0,0,.75);border-radius:2px;overflow:hidden}.vrhol
.vadda.hide{display:none}.vrhol
.vadda
.mc_vfaa{margin:3px 5px}.ricons
.vol{float:left}.ricons
.adultFlag{float:right}.vol{width:22px;height:18px;bottom:0;margin-left:1px;margin-right:1px;position:relative;display:inline-block}.vol.hide,.vol
.hide{display:none}.vol
.bg{background:rgba(0,0,0,.75);border-radius:2px}.vol.bg,.vol
nt{position:absolute;bottom:0}.vol
.vol.bg.volnb{border-radius:0 0 2px 2px}.vol
.volsliderHandle.bg{border-radius:2px 2px 0 0}.vol
nt
.volsliderHandle{height:70px;display:none;width:22px;float:left;bottom:18px;position:absolute;display:block}.vol
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.volsliderHandle.hide{display:none}.volsliderHandle
.vsb{height:54px;width:4px;background-color:#999;margin:9px
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8px;position:relative;display:block;border-radius:2px}.volsliderHandle
.vsh{height:6px;width:14px;padding:9px
7px
9px
7px;margin:0
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no-repeat}.vl{background:url(/rp/YXYMPC1Rry_XJGc7Yg8lR4B2eEs.svg)
no-repeat}.vf{background:url(/rp/NoslR4amKTslzYxWy3laZN3HRk.svg)
no-repeat}@media(forced-colors:active){.vol{forced-color-adjust:none}}.vrhc
line
.vt_vp,.vrhc.popout
.vt_vp,.vrhc.mousefollow
.vt_vp{position:absolute;bottom:0;border:hidden;padding:0;top:0;left:0;z-index:3}.vrhtc
.hide{display:none}.vrh_clc
.vt_vp,.vrh_clc
.vrhtc
.vrhi,.vrh_clc
.player_ol{cursor:pointer}.vrh_clc
.cico{border-radius:0}.vrhtc{border:hidden;top:0;left:0;padding:0}.vrhc.mousefollow
.vrhtc,.vrhc.popout
.vrhtc{background-color:#999}.vrhtpc.load
.player_ol{background:url(/rp/J_o2maogFDeUOsovPjL-ofEuxJ4.gif) center center no-repeat}.vrhc
line
.vrhtc
.vrhi,.vrhc.popout
.vrhtc
.vrhi,.vrhc.mousefollow
.vrhtc
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line,.vrhc.mousefollow{border-radius:6px;overflow:hidden;display:table-row-group;background:none}.vrhc.p
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opout,.vrhc.mousefollow{z-index:4;box-shadow:0 4px 4px rgba(0,0,0,.1),0 2px 80px rgba(0,0,0,.2)}.vrhc
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.vrhc{position:relative;overflow:hidden}.vrhc.hide{display:none}@keyframes
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img{color:transparent}.vrhc
line.fullsize{height:100%}.vrhc,.vrhc: hover,.vrhc: link,.vrhc: active,.vrhc: visited{color:#000;text-decoration:no
ne}.vrhc.vrh_clc{cursor:pointer}a.hover-anchor{display:block;height:100%;width:100%;text-decoration:none
}.vrhstat{height:0;overflow:hidden}.mmlist .mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_meta { padding: 12px 16px 16px 16px; }
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height: 44px; line-height: 22px; margin-bottom: 0px; margin-top: 0px; } .mmlist .mc_vtvc
.mc_vtvc_meta_block_area { height: 40px; } .mmlist .mc_vtvc .vtmu, .mmlist .mc_vtvc .vtpl { bottom:
120px; } .mmlist .mc_vtvc_th_dock { height: 112px; } .mmlist .mc_vtvc_th .cico { height: 131px; } .mmlist
.mc_vtvc{margin:10px 1px 0}.mmlist .mc_vtvc_con_rc{display:flex}.cardless .mmlist
.mc_vtvc_con_rc{height:112px}.mmlist .mc_vtvc
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argin-bottom:8px;box-shadow:0 0 0 1px
rgba(0,0,0,.05);position:relative;vertical-align:top;overflow:hidden;white-space:normal;border-radius:6px}.vs
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li.tall_mlb{width:113px}.b_imgSet .b_hList li.tall_mln{width:96px}.b_imgSet .b_hList
li.wide_m{width:128px}.b_imgSet.b_Card .b_hList li{padding-left:1px;padding-right:9px}.b_imgSet.b_Card
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li:last-child{padding-right:1px}.b_imgSet.b_Card .b_imgSetData{padding:0 8px
8px;height:40px}.b_imgSet.b_Card .b_imgSetItem{box-shadow:0 0 0 1px rgba(0,0,0,.05),0 2px 3px 0
rgba(0,0,0,.1);border-radius:6px;overflow:hidden}.b_imgSet .b_imgSetData p
a{color:#444;outline-offset:0}.b_subModule .b_clearfix.b_mhdr .b_floatR .b_moreLink,.b_subModule
.b_clearfix.b_mhdr .b_floatR
.b_moreLink:visited,.b_subModule>.b_moreLink,.b_subModule>.b_moreLink:visited{color:#767676}.b_img
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.cico.b_placeholder{display:flex;justify-content:center;background-color:#f5f5f5;background-clip:content-bo
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.cico{border-radius:unset}.rcimgcol .b_imgSet .b_hList>li:first-child .cico,.rcimgcol .b_imgSet
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.b_imgclgovr .cico img:hover{transform:scale(1.05);transition:transform .5s ease}#b_content
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.b_caption:has(.rcimgcol){padding-right:var(--mai-smtc-padding-card-default);margin-right:calc(-1*var(--mai
-smtc-padding-card-default));margin-left:calc(-1*var(--mai-smtc-padding-card-default));padding-left:var(--ma
i-smtc-padding-card-default)}.rcimgcol .b_imgSet .b_hList .cico a{display:flex;outline-offset:-2px}
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ius:15px;margin:0;padding:0;overflow:hidden;z-index:9;display:none}#OverlayMask,#OverlayMask.b_mcOv
erlay{z-index:8;background-color:#000;opacity:.6;position:fixed;top:0;left:0;width:100%;height:100%}.rcimg
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.iacf\_smol{ pointer-events:none;border-top-right-radius:var(--mai-smtc-corner-card-default);border-bottom-right-radius:var(--mai-smtc-corner-card-default);white-space:normal }.rcimgcol .b\_hList .cico{ margin-bottom:0 }.iacf\_smol{ display:flex;justify-content:center;align-items:center;gap:var(--smtc-gap-between-content-xx-small);width:100%;height:100%;background:rgba(0,0,0,.6);position:absolute;left:0;top:0;color:var(--mai-smtc-foreground-ctrl-on-image-rest);font:var(--bing-smtc-text-global-body2-strong);flex-wrap:wrap;align-content:center;text-align:center }.iacf\_smol:hover{ text-decoration:underline }.iacfmit[data-nohov] .iacfimgc .cico img{ transform:none }p>.news\_dt{ color:#767676 }Department of EnergySolar Photovoltaic Technology Basics - Department of EnergySee MoreTo boost the power output of PV cells, they are connected together in chains to form larger units known as modules or panels. Modules can be used individually, or several can be connected to form arrays. ...

Solar cells in much smaller configurations, commonly referred to as solar cell panels or simply solar panels, have been installed by homeowners on ...

In his research, Hertz discovered that more power was created by ultraviolet light than visible light. Today, solar cells use the photoelectric effect to convert ...

With the way the cost of solar has plummeted in the past decade, it's easy to forget that going solar had a completely different meaning even just 15 ...

At the heart of solar panels are photovoltaic cells, commonly known as solar cells, that operate on a principle called the photovoltaic effect. When ...

Solar panels are most commonly called solar panels as they harness the sun's power, referred to as "Sol" by astronomers. Solar panels are also known as "photovoltaic" or PV panels by ...

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