

Get Started In the Solar Business!



Solar Depot is expanding its network of qualified dealers across across the U.S. to install its SOL-GEN™ solar electric power systems. Founded in 1979, Solar Depot is one of the largest and most experienced wholesale distributors of solar electric systems in the United States. We have been conducting our intensive one-day solar electric training workshops for contractors throughout the U.S. since 1999. We have trained over 6,000 contractors, including some of the most successful solar installers in the U.S. Our workshops cover system basics, technical details, and financial incentives for solar.

Join a Fast Growing Market

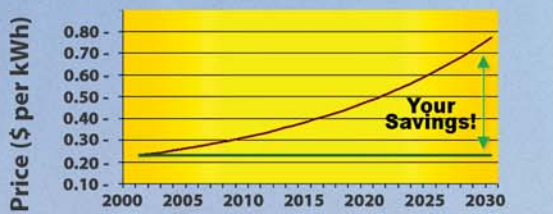
The U.S. market for residential and commercial solar electric systems has been growing at a phenomenal rate since 2000 (see graph to right). In 2008 alone, the amount of grid-connected solar electric systems installed increased by 80% from 2007. With the strong support of Federal and State incentives, and the President's commitment to make renewable energy a significant portion of the nation's energy supply, this trend is expected to continue. Contractors who join the industry now will be well positioned to take advantage of this growth in the years to come.

Now is the time to join the solar industry.



Solar is More Attractive Now Than Ever

Cost of Solar Versus Cost from Utility Company



The combination of increasing energy costs, cash rebates offered by many states, and a 30% Federal solar tax credit, has made investing in a solar electric system more attractive than ever. In addition, with net-metering, or banking your extra power back into the utility-grid for credit, homeowners and businesses are saving thousands of dollars with solar. In the graph to the left, the flat line represents your *fixed-cost* for solar electric power, while the red line represents the forecasted increases in electric rates in the coming years. As you can see, your savings over 30 years with a solar system are substantial!

Solar Depot Makes Going Solar Easy

Solar Depot's Sol-Gen™ packaged systems are complete and include the highest quality matched components, and meet all the criteria for the state cash rebate and federal tax credit.

Solar Depot's Sol-Gen™ packaged systems are engineered for optimal performance, code compliance and ease of installation. They include all the required components, technical specifications, drawings and manuals. Solar Depot makes it easy for you to get into the business. We do the engineering so that you can focus on selling and installing the systems.

Solar Depot's One-Day Intensive Workshops

Solar Depot has presented over 200 one-day solar electric workshops for contractors in the last decade throughout the U.S. Most of these workshops sold out. We have scheduled several workshops in the coming months in the Southeast. We encourage you to register for one of these workshops now while there are still seats.

Workshop Topics Include:

- ✓ Introduction to solar electric systems
- ✓ Sol-Gen packaged systems
- ✓ Technical & Safety Issues
- ✓ State Rebate & Federal Tax Credit
- ✓ Net-metering Laws in your state
- ✓ Marketing & Selling solar systems

Upcoming PV Workshop Dates:

Orlando, FL*

Wed., August 11th

**Please note: Structural engineering and local code requirements to be approved by local jurisdiction*

Charlotte, NC

Fri., August 13th

Complete attached Registration form to reserve your place today! - See more details at:

www.solardepot.com

Click on "Workshops"

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