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## New Zealand's new solar container outdoor power field

What is New Zealand's First Solar PV project?

New Zealand renewables developer Lodestone Energy has started constructing its first solar PV project on the country's South Island, with a total generation capacity of 27.7MW. Located in South Canterbury, the Clandeboye solar PV power plant will supply clean energy to the milk processing and irrigation industries in the area.

What is New Zealand's largest solar farm?

When completed, Kohirawa is New Zealand's largest solar farm and the first utility-scale solar project to supply power directly to the national grid. The 32 MW solar farm features 61,000 solar panels and connects directly to a Top Energy substation, helping to power the local timber mill and strengthen the region's renewable energy resilience.

Are solar farms coming to New Zealand?

Distributed solar generation is expected to keep increasing, and New Zealand also now has some grid connected solar farm projects under construction, with more in the pipeline. The first large solar farm is expected to be completed this year.

How much solar power does New Zealand have?

This adds up to about the same capacity of a coal or gas fired Rankine generation unit. Out of the 270 MW of solar, about 180 MW is in the North Island and is mostly made up of rooftop solar installations. There is about 200 MW of rooftop solar on residential buildings across New Zealand.

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Auckland-based Lodestone Energy has initiated the construction of a 27.7-MWp solar park in New Zealand, its first photovoltaic (PV) project in the country's South Island.

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Canterbury, New Zealand, featuring optional battery storage of up to 106 MW / 200-400 MWh.

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