



# Cayman Islands' first commercial solar power project

What is the first commercial solar project in the Cayman Islands?

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What are the benefits of solar power in the Cayman Islands?

Supplies sufficient power to Caribbean Utilities Company, Ltd. to serve 1,800 homes in the Cayman Islands. Reduces greenhouse gas emissions by 7,900 tons of CO<sub>2</sub> per year. Serves as the country's only utility-scale solar project, providing renewable energy to the grid's peak load of 110 MW.

How can the Cayman Islands build climate resilience?

With a target of 70 percent renewable energy by 2037, the Cayman Islands is seeking to build climate resilience by purchasing clean energy for its electricity supply. The country established its first utility-scale solar project in 2017 through a power purchase agreement with renewable energy generated from the Bodden Town Solar Farm.

How does CUC power a solar power plant in Grand Cayman?

The fuel is transferred by pipeline from suppliers' tanker terminals to CUC's centralised generating Power Plant located on the outskirts of George Town. In 2017, CUC commissioned Grand Cayman's first commercial solar project.

Is Cayman the perfect place to harness solar energy?

Significant improvements are being made in the solar energy industry every year and Cayman is the perfect location to harness the power of the sun. Solar energy can be harvested in two ways: solar photovoltaic (PV), which converts sunlight into electricity and solar thermal, which heats water.

Why did Bodden Town solar move to the Cayman Islands?

The original developers of the Bodden Town Solar facility sought to exit the Caribbean market once the plant entered service. BMR seized the opportunity to establish operations in the Cayman Islands, expanding the footprint of its business and positioning itself for further growth in this important market.

Power Purchase Agreement (PPA) proposed by Caribbean Utilities Company, Ltd. (CUC) for a 5 megawatt (MW) plant to be built by Entropy Cayman Solar Limited in the district of Bodden ...

Entropy Cayman Solar Limited ("Entropy"), has established a 6.335 MW (dc), 5 MW peak capacity utility-scale grid-connected solar photovoltaic (PV) power plant at Block 43A Parcel 346 in ...



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BMR Energy will take over all operations of the solar plant and the purchase power agreement (PPA) with Caribbean Utilities Company (CUC). The park was previously owned by Entropy Cayman Solar I. Built on a rock ...

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The Cayman Islands should meet all of its electricity demands from renewable sources by 2050, according to an ambitious new draft of the National Energy Plan.

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New solar farms are planned on Cayman Brac and Little Cayman as the Sister Islands take their first steps towards a renewable energy future.

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