

What percentage of China's Electricity is generated by solar & wind?

In Q1 2025, solar alone contributed 42.5 GW out of 76.5 GW of newly installed capacity, while thermal power sources grew by just 4 percent. Solar and wind generation now contribute nearly 39 percent of total electricity output, making zero-carbon power the core of China's grid strategy and utility-scale generation mix.

What percentage of China's solar power is distributed?

In 2022, distributed PV accounted for 58% of China's total solar capacity. In China, most PV installations smaller than 6 MW fall into the NEA's definition of distributed PV, and it can include systems up to 50 MW depending on grid access conditions.

Is China getting more solar?

Distributed generation in China has grown in absolute terms, but its share of total installed capacity has fallen as utility-scale deployment has surged. Photos: Trina Solar From pv magazine 04/25 On Jan. 21, China's National Energy Administration (NEA) revealed the nation had added a record 277 GW of solar in 2024.

How has China's solar market changed over the years?

Amid a record amount of new solar capacity added in China in 2024, the share held by small-scale, "distributed" arrays fell to 38%, from 58% in 2022. Grid constraints, policy changes, and pricing adjustments have impacted home and business solar arrays, as Vincent Shaw reports, from Shanghai.

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