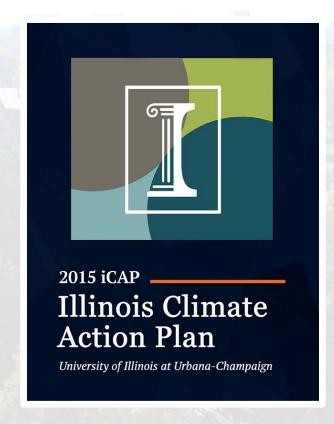
# University of Illinois Solar Farm



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# U of I Commitments

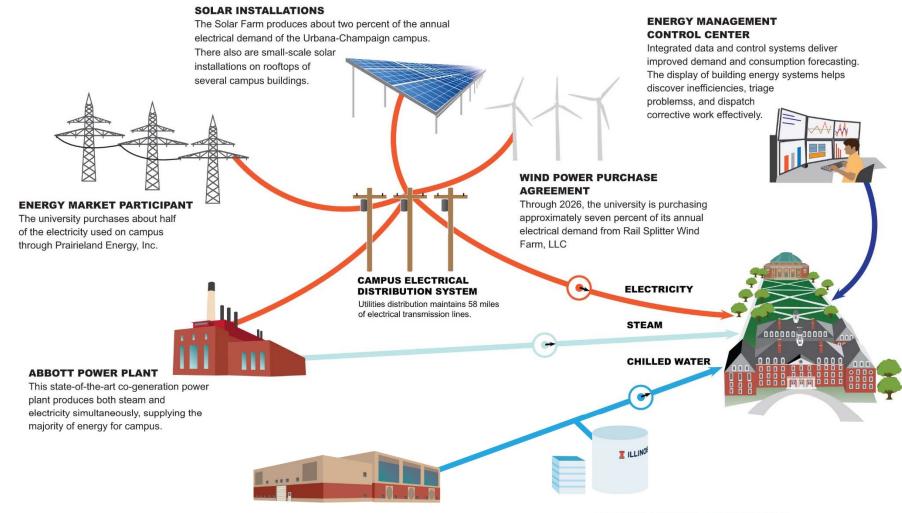




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# Where does the Solar Farm fit in campus' energy system?



#### **CAMPUS CHILLED WATER SYSTEM**

Regional chilled water plants serve a central distribution system which provides cooling for the majority of buildings on the central campus.

#### THERMAL ENERGY STORAGE TANK

A 6.5 million gallon water tank allows cooling water produced at night (low cost) to be stored and used to serve air conditioning loads during peak demand.



#### CAMPUS

6,368 Master Plan Area (acres) (9.9 sq miles)

2,295 University District Area (acres) (3.6 sq miles)

#### BUILDINGS

Master Plan Area Buildings 648 (13,578,255 NASF) (21,729,743 GSF)

> (13,063,549 NASF) (21,088,393 GSF)

Total University District Buildings 506



#### UTILITIES



8 miles of Compressed Air miles of Steam Tunnel

miles of Steam Direct Buried Lines

24 miles of Chilled Water

47 miles of Telecommunications (CITES)

31 miles of Natural Gas

52 miles of Lighting

40 miles of Sanitary Sewer

58 miles of Electrical

84 miles of Storm Sewer

63 miles of Water

miles of Raw Water

miles of Fertilizer Systems (ACES)

5,968 Manholes

3,095 Valves

3,164 Light Poles



#### INFRASTRUCTURE

Parking Spaces 21,664

See other side for definitions and map.



#### **CAMPUS WIDE**

#### **UTILITIES PRODUCTION AND** DISTRIBUTION MASTER PLAN

**UIUC PROJECT NO. - U11045** 

Affiliated Engineers, Inc.

Consulting Engineers 5802 Research Park Boulevard, Madison, WI 53719 Phone: (608) 238-2616 Fax (608) 238-2614 Website: www.aeieng.com

DATE: October, 2015



# U of I Renewable Energy





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# Wind PPA and Biomass



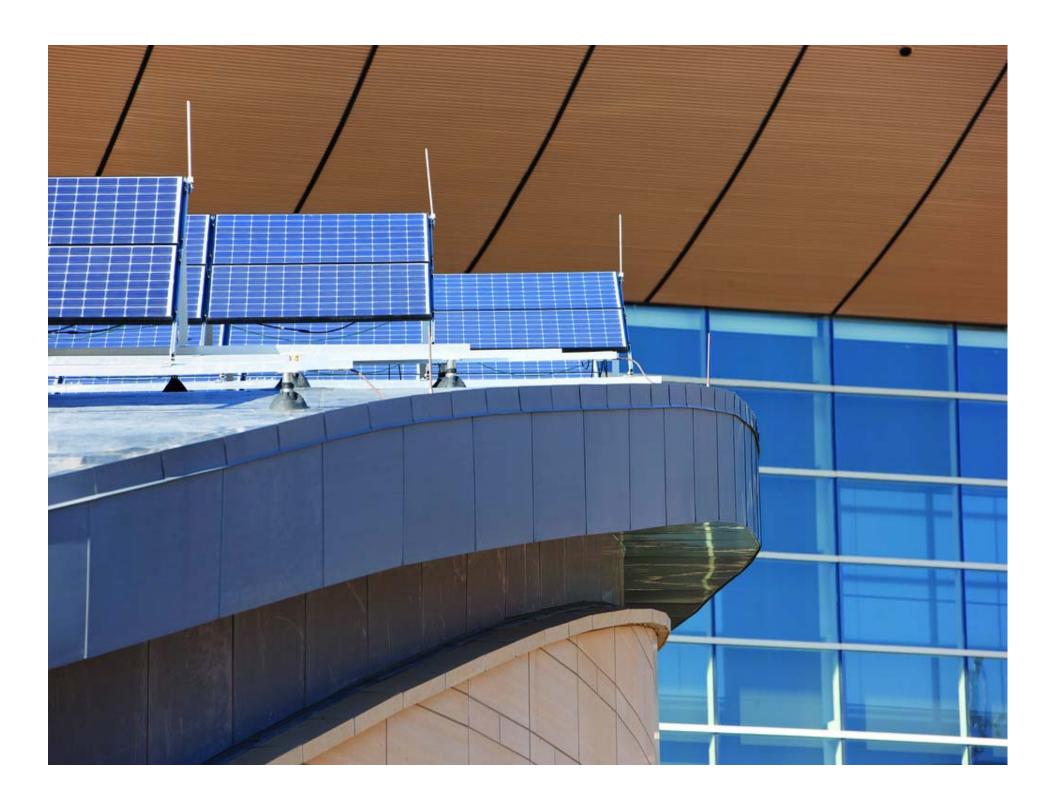
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Biomass Heating at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign



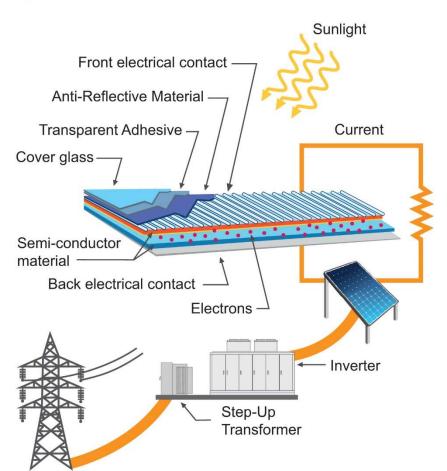








# How do the panels generate electricity?



The panel cells are made of two types of semi-conductor material. When sunlight hits them, it knocks electrons loose. The electrons are captured from the cells in the form of direct electrical current (DC).

Combiner boxes at the ends of the panel rows gather the DC current and send it to the inverters, which convert it to alternating current (AC). Transformers then step up the current and upload it to the grid.

#### Request for Proposal (RFP)

No. 1KSP1210

South Campus Solar Farm Project

PROPOSAL ISSUED DATE: November 29, 2011

PROPOSAL DUE DATE: Ja

PROPOSAL DUE TIME: 2:00

NOTE: Proposer must complete the enclosed Appendix II Representations, and Disclosures (Exhibits A, B, & C) and Certification. Failure to complete and return these forms to being considered non-responsive to this solicitation.

Vendor Name:

Vendor Address:

#### POWER PURCHASE AGREEMENT

between

Phoenix Solar Incorporated

as Provider

and

The Board of Trustees of the University of

as Host Purchaser

#### **GROUND LEASE**

BY AND BETWEEN

#### THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS,

as Landlord

and

Phoenix Solar Incorporated, as Tenant.

(SOUTH CAMPUS SOLAR FARM)



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## **Solar Farm Projected Costs**

### \$5.3 M Budget

**Utilities & Energy Services** 

\$4.25M

**Student Cleaner Energy Fee** 

\$1.05M



#### STUDENT SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE

The total cost is actually projected to be over \$15M, but there will be a reduction in the cost of electricity purchased from conventional sources.





# **Solar Farm Cost Comparisons**

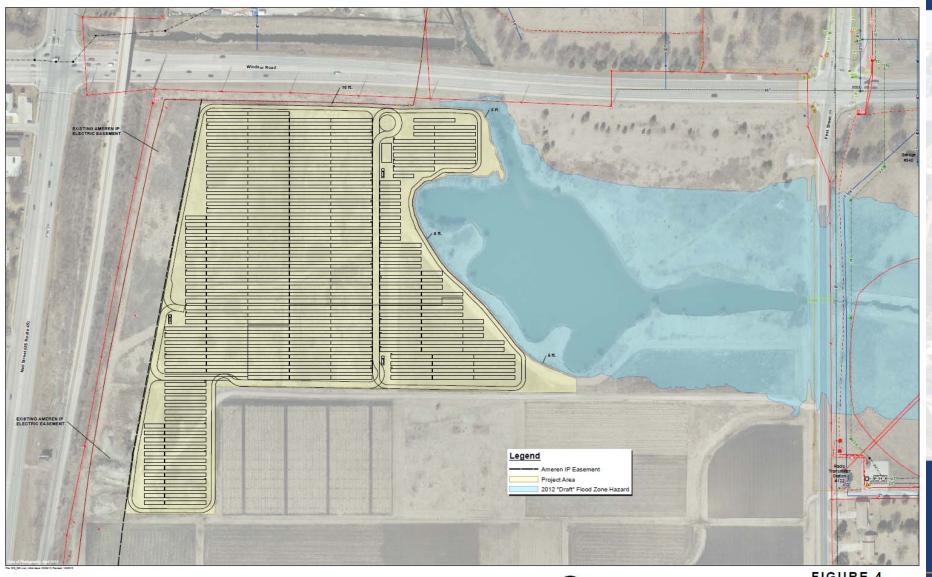
Year	Location	Name-plate capacity (MW)	Annual generation (MWh)	Ар	prox. cost at install	Install Cost Watt	t per
FY10	Business Instructional Facility	0.0330	43.9	\$	245,663	\$ 7	7.44
FY13	Building Research Council	0.0147	19.6	\$	120,000	\$ 8	3.16
FY16	Solar Farm	4.6800	7283.0	\$	15,500,000	\$ 3	3.31







# Solar Farm Layout

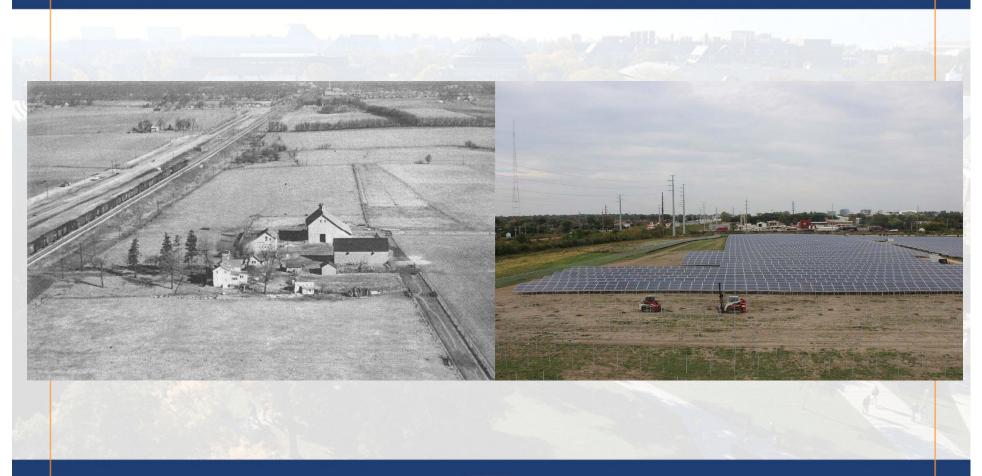








## **Solar Farm Location**





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# UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS SOLAR PROJECT

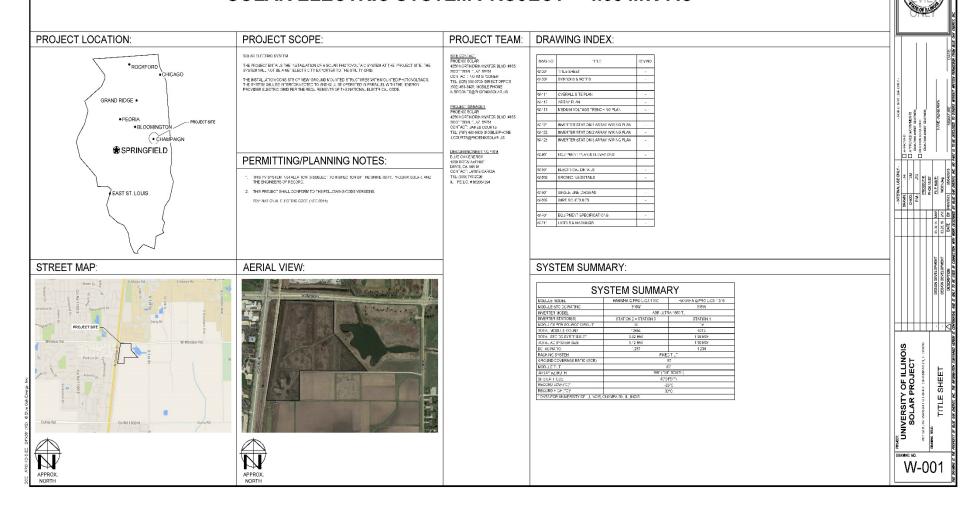
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MO3 CAMINO RAMON, STE 21 SAN RAMON, CA \$4583

801 SOUTH WRIGHT STREET CHAMPAIGN, IL 61820

#### **SOLAR ELECTRIC SYSTEM PROJECT - 4.68 MW AC**

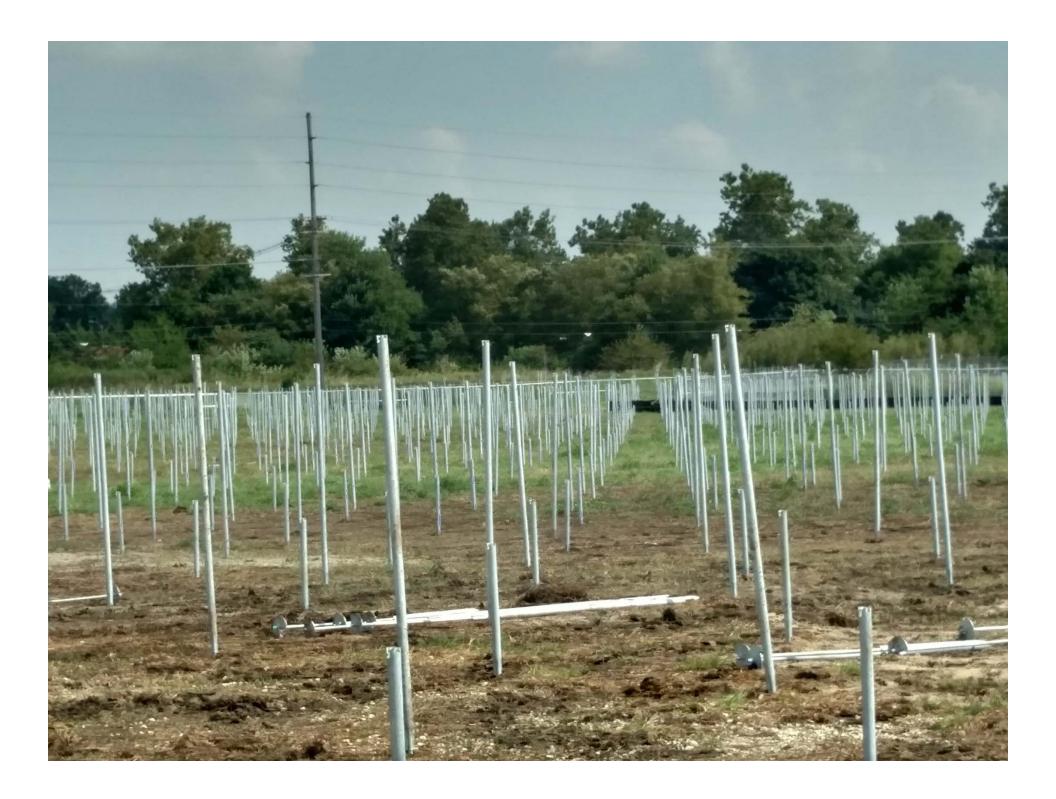


#### 18,867 SOLAR MODULES

## 12,654 @ 310 W + 6,213 @ 315 W PRODUCES 5.87 MWdc = 4.68 MWac

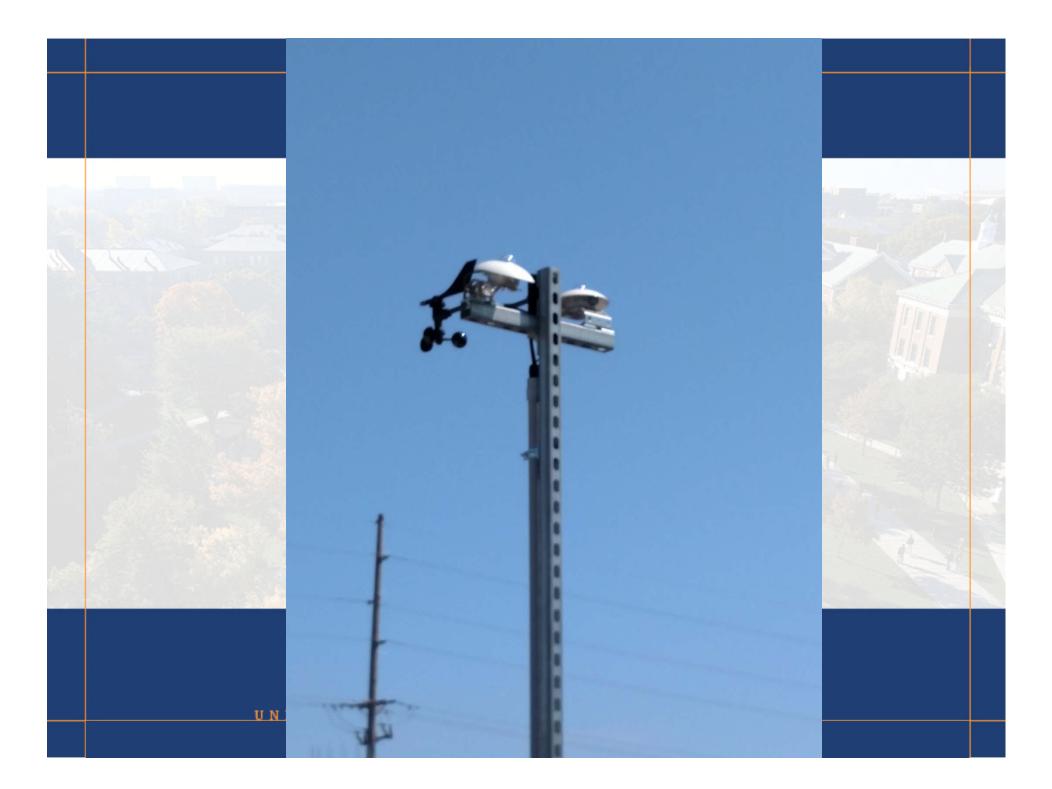
SYSTEM SUMMARY									
MODULE MODEL	HANWHA Q.PRO L-G3.1 310	HANWHA Q.PRO L-G3.1 315							
MODULE STC DC RATING	310W	315W							
INVERTER MODEL	ABB ULTRA 1560 TL								
INVERTER STATION(S)	STATION 2 + STATION 3	STATION 1							
MODULES PER SOURCE CIRCUIT	19	19							
TOTAL MODULE COUNT	12654	6213							
TOTAL STC DC SYSTEM SIZE	3.92 MW	1.96 MW							
TOTAL AC SYSTEM SIZE	3.12 MW	1.56 MW							
DC: AC RATIO	1.237	1.234							
RACKING SYSTEM	FIXED TILT								
GROUND COVERAGE RATIO (GCR)	.57								
MODULE TILT	20°								
ARRAY AZIMUTH	180° (DUE SOUTH)								
SITE LATITUDE	40°04'54"N								
RECORD LOW (°C)*	-23°C								
RECORD HIGH (°C)*	33°C								
* DATA FOR UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS,	CHAMPAIGN, ILLINOIS								





















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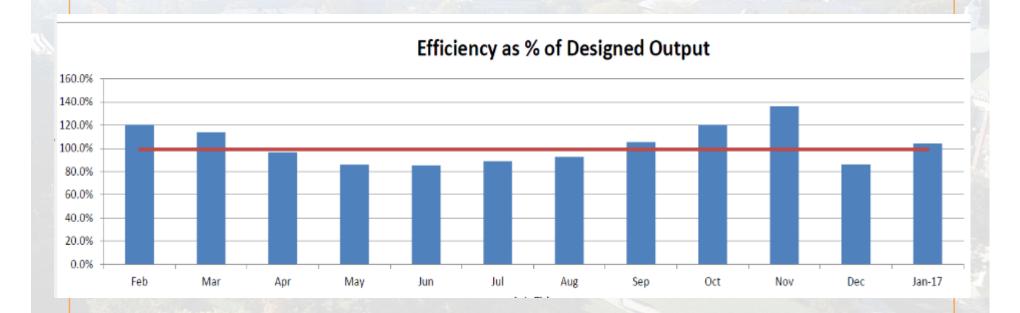
#### **Solar Farm Year One Results**

- Total Solar Farm generation: 7,283,212 kWh
- Power Purchase Agreement Cost: \$1,427,510
- FY17 projected demand: 373,653,880 kWh
- Solar Farm % of demand: 1.949%
- Carbon emission reductions: 6,010 metric tons



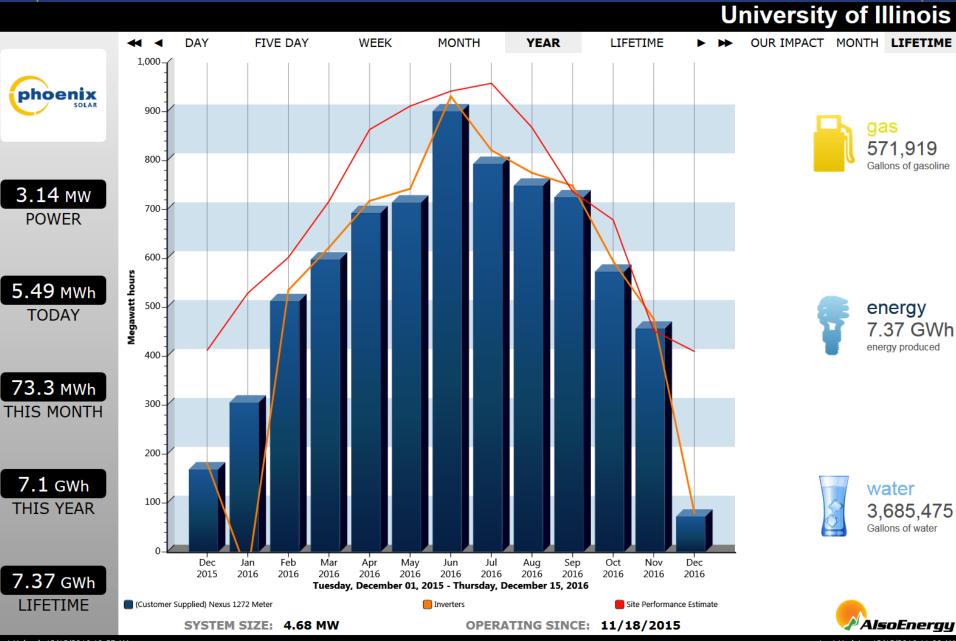


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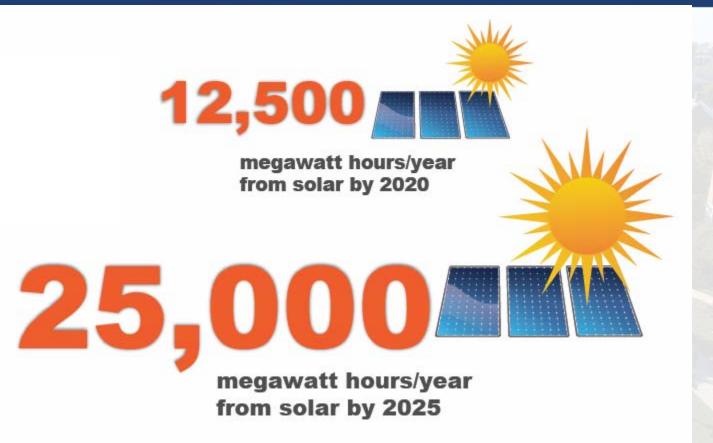
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# **Next Steps for Solar**







# Questions

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