

Is Brazil embracing solar energy?

Brazil isn't just embracing solar energy--it's revolutionizing its potential in the global energy sector. As we count down to the Solar World Congress 2025 in Fortaleza, let's dive into Brazil's solar energy history. Fifteen years ago, no one could have imagined that Brazil would become one of the world's largest powers in photovoltaic solar energy.

Does Brazil have a potential for photovoltaic energy?

During the era of isolated systems, some companies began to recognize Brazil's potential for photovoltaic generation. But it wasn't only the private sector that became interested in this source--the public sector also began seriously considering the possibility of expanding the electricity matrix with photovoltaic solar energy.

Is solar a viable source of electricity in Brazil?

Solar is now Brazil's second-largest source of electricity. Experts say its growth must also reach and respect communities cut off from the grid. Student Brenda Rodrigues da Silva works on the installation of solar panels at Fábrica Social, a professional training centre in Brasília, Brazil.

Are solar power plants a problem in north-eastern Brazil?

Many communities in north-eastern Brazil live close to solar power plants but lack connections to the grid, meaning they cannot access the electricity generated by such facilities (Image: Alan Santos, Palácio do Planalto, CC BY)

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Student Brenda Rodrigues da Silva works on the installation of solar panels at Fábrica Social, a professional training centre in Brasília, Brazil. Last year, solar energy became the country's ...

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