

Financing Scheme for 5MWh Solar Containers in Africa





Overview

This guide breaks down 5 practical ways to finance solar panels in Africa. We compare loans, zero-down leases, PPAs, and more, so you can find the right path for your budget. See your options. How much does solar cost in Africa?

Capital costs for solar are 3 to 7 times higher in Africa than in developed countries, and the continent only receives 3% of global energy investment - far from the \$200 billion per year needed to achieve energy access and climate goals.

How can Finance Finance Africa's energy transition?

Financing Africa's energy transition requires bold, innovative approaches that align investment with sustainable development. From blended finance and green bonds to PAYG models and PPPs, new financial mechanisms are creating pathways for clean energy expansion across the continent.

How much solar capacity is installed in Africa in 2024?

Published in partnership with RMI and supported by GET.invest, this report serves as a key reference for policymakers, investors, and industry professionals seeking insights into Africa's evolving solar sector. 2.4 GW of new solar capacity was installed in Africa in 2024.

Are green bonds a key financing tool for Africa's energy transition?

Green bonds are gaining momentum as a key financing tool for Africa's energy transition. These fixed-income securities are dedicated to funding environmentally sustainable projects, providing investors with an opportunity to support clean energy while receiving returns.



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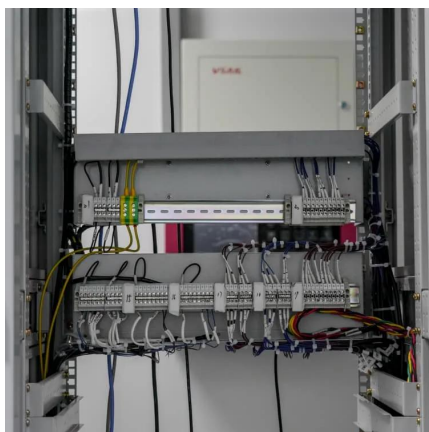


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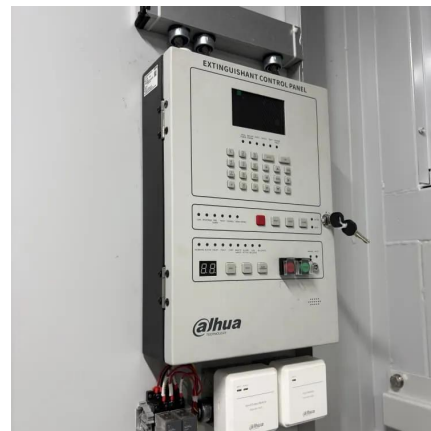
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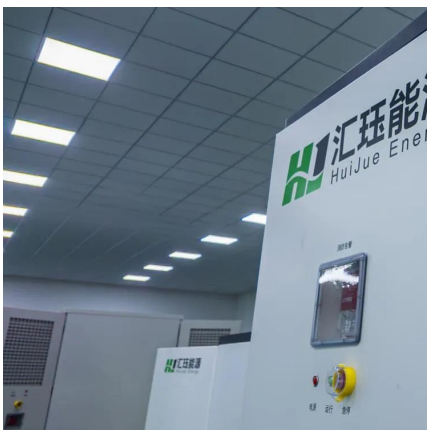
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The Challenge
The Solution
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Spillover Effect
SunFunder was founded because pioneering off-grid solar companies in Africa were struggling to get loans to grow their businesses and their impact. This was the financing bottleneck to scaling climate solutions that SunFunder made its mission to overcome. The sector was too new and too small for international lenders, and too esoteric for local banks. See more on [unfccc](#) [tciglobal](#)

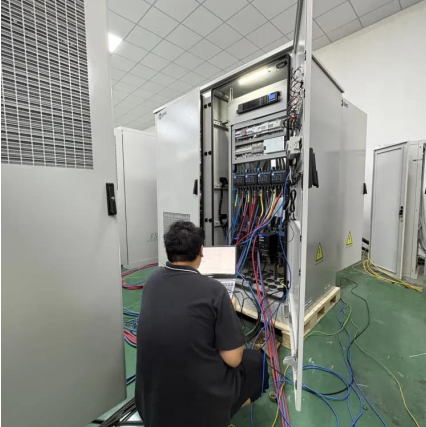
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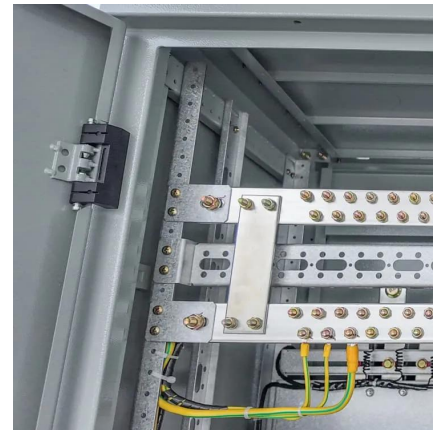


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