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Overview

How many solar projects are there in Washington State?

Solar is buoyed by the rapidly falling cost of photovoltaic panels. So far, more than 20 solar projects covering more than 22,000 acres have been proposed in Washington state, according to a Seattle Times analysis of filings with counties and other documentation.

Does Washington have a nuclear power plant?

Biomass and solar energy supplied the rest of the renewable generation. Nuclear energy provided about 8% of Washington's total in-state generation, all of it from the Columbia Generating Station, which is the state's only operating nuclear power plant. 34, 35 It also is the only nonhydroelectric power plant among the state's 10 largest by capacity.

Which energy sources are used in Washington State?

Natural gas, nonhydroelectric renewable resources (mostly wind), nuclear energy, and coal provide almost all the rest of Washington's in-state electricity generation. Natural gas is the second-largest in-state source of net generation, and it fueled about 18% of the state's total electricity generation in 2023.

Where is the state's biggest solar farm?

The state's biggest completed solar farm to date, which stretches across more than 200 acres just outside the city limits of Lind in Adams County, went in with scant controversy in 2018.

Does Washington have wind power?

Wind power is the second-largest contributor to the state's renewable electricity generation. It has supplied more than 6% of Washington's total net generation in every year since 2013.

Does Washington have hydroelectric power?

Washington leads the nation in electricity generation from hydroelectric power and accounted for about 25% of the nation's total hydroelectric generation in 2023. 49 The state was third in the nation, after Texas and California, in utility-scale renewable generation from all sources.

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