

# China-Africa import and export of solar modules

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China's solar exports to Africa are surging. Over the course of the past year, Chinese companies shipped out solar equipment to a vast range of countries on the continent, according to...

According to a new analysis of China's solar panel exports data from energy think tank Ember, solar panel imports into the continent jumped 60% in the 12 months through June 2025,...

Africa is witnessing a sharp rise in solar adoption, with panel imports from China jumping 60% in the past 12 months to June 2025 to 15.03 GW, compared to 9.4 GW in the preceding 12 months, says ...

Across all of 2024, Africa imported just under 3.7 GW of panels from China--a sharp rise from 2023. By May 2025 alone, the continent had already added nearly half that figure in a single ...

In 2024, China produced 80% of the world's solar panels and remains by far the largest exporter. Africa's dependence on imports is heavy because local manufacturing capacity is still minimal.

For now, Africa remains almost entirely reliant on foreign suppliers. China accounts for 85-90% of installations, and dominance extends well beyond panels to batteries, inverters and ...

From Algeria on the Mediterranean coast to landlocked Zambia in the south, countries across Africa have been importing significantly more solar panels from China this year than in the...

Imports from China may account for the bulk of solar sold in Africa, but the report also highlights growth in PV manufacturing capacity across the continent.

The clean energy research body Ember published a report yesterday detailing Chinese solar exports to the continent. It uses Chinese customs data to show a marked year-on-year increase ...



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