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Are women bringing women into the solar industry?

Another notable initiative bringing women into the industry is Solar Sister, a non-profit social enterprise covering sub-Saharan Africa that recruits and trains entrepreneurs to set up their own businesses distributing solar products.

How many women are employed in the solar industry?

Most women (58%) in the industry are employed in administrative roles. In positions not related to science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM), they account for 38%, and for STEM roles 32%. Notably, women are prevalent in solar manufacturing (47%), followed by service providers and developers at 39% and 37%, respectively.

Which countries employ the most women in solar?

Notably, women are prevalent in solar manufacturing (47%), followed by service providers and developers at 39% and 37%, respectively. However, there is a significant shortage of female installers at only 12%. Globally, Asia-Pacific accounts for 80% of solar jobs and therefore employs the most women (40%), driven by China's manufacturing power.

Does solar have a gender-balanced workforce?

Key players in the solar industry are working to reap the benefits of a gender-balanced workforce. Solar's accessibility is the key to its advanced female workforce. Credit: Monthira via Shutterstock.

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About 30% of solar's installation workforce is female, while just nearly 11% of the construction workforce is female - showing that solar is outpacing other male-dominated trades for women.

Female representation in the solar industry was higher than any other renewable energy in 2022, with 40% of

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the workforce being female - twice as much as in wind, oil and gas sectors, the...

It is difficult for women to find employment as PV installers, and women account for nearly 12% of all of them. It's no secret that women are underrepresented in the energy sector. Men far ...

We do know, according to the 2021 Solar Jobs Census, that 26-30% of the industry is made up of women, which includes office, manufacturing and field roles.

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The research also notes that while the share of women in wind and oil and gas was 21% and 22%, respectively, solar PV had a 40% female workforce in 2021, which was also higher than ...

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