

The amount of solar power generated in one day in the South



Overview

The average solar panel system can produce between 250 to 400 watts, resulting in approximately 1,200 to 1,800 watts of solar power generated per day based on system size and sunlight availability. Here is how much electricity will be generated per day for locations with different peak sun hours: 1 peak sun hour = 5 kWh per day. 6 peak sun hours = 30 kWh. We averaged the data over 50 cities, one for each state. To be representative, we picked the largest city. Using more technical terms, Peak Sun Hours can be defined as the amount of sunlight energy (in Wh or kWh) that lands on each square. The southern regions typically receive abundant solar energy, translating to a significant contribution of solar power, often exceeding 5-7 hours of peak sunlight daily. 4% of the United States' total of 24,519 thousand megawatt-hours, according to ChooseEnergy.com's February 2026 solar energy generation report. You can find more about Ember's methodology in [this](#).

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[Sun Hours Map: How Many Sun Hours Do You Get?](#)

Check out this sun hours map from Unbound Solar to see how many peak sun hours you get in your specific zip code. Learn how this affects solar panels.

[What Is A Peak Sun Hour? What Are Peak Sun Hour Numbers](#)

For any location on the earth, the total amount of sun received in a day can be converted to peak sun hours. This allows us to compare one place to another to determine the potential for solar energy ...



[Solar Energy Generation by State Report February 2026](#)

The following table ranks the best and worst states for solar energy production (shown in thousand megawatt-hours) in October and November, number 1 represents the best state for solar ...



[Average Solar Energy Per Year, Month and Day](#)

Harnessing the power of the sun is a sustainable energy source, but do you know what is the average solar panel output per day, per month, and per year? We compiled this data for 50 cities, in each of ...



[Solar power generation, 2025](#)

This dataset contains yearly electricity generation, capacity, emissions, imports and demand data for European countries. You can find more about Ember's methodology in this document.

[Solar State By State - SEIA](#)

California leads as the top solar state. With over 54 GW of solar installed, enough energy to power over 15 million homes. Texas has the fastest growing solar economy with the largest utility-scale solar and ...



[Peak Sun Hours Calculator, Definition, Maps, and Data](#)

Unlike Solar Irradiance, which only tells us the intensity of sunlight per unit area at a specific moment, Peak Sun Hours measure the total sunlight energy available to solar panels ...

[Solar Capacity by State 2026](#)

This report summarizes the latest statistics on solar power capacity by state and highlights the top U.S. states in solar power generation.



[How many watts of solar power is provided in the south](#)

The southern regions typically receive abundant solar energy, translating to a significant contribution of solar power, often exceeding 5-7 hours of peak sunlight daily.

[Average Peak Sun Hours By State \(+ 50 State Winter, Summer ...\)](#)

According to solar irradiance maps, we get 6.02 peak sun hours per day on average. In the winter, the average falls to 5.59 peak sun hours per day (7.2% reduction).



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