
Brazzaville exempts bifacial solar modules

Are bifacial solar panels exempt from tariffs?

Bifacial solar panels, which are predominantly used in commercial, industrial, and utility-scale solar power projects, were previously exempt from tariffs. With the removal of this exemption, the cost of imported bifacial solar panels, typically ranging from \$0.10-0.25 per watt, will increase by \$0.015 to \$0.0375 per watt.

Will bifacial solar panels lose exemption?

In addition to bifacial panels losing their exemption, the Biden Administration said it will raise the tariff-rate quota (TRQ) of silicon solar cells by 7.5 GW, if needed.

What are bifacial solar panels?

Bifacial solar panels are different. These types of panels have solar cells on both sides, enabling them to absorb light from the front and the back. By capturing light reflected off the ground through the backside of the panel, each panel is able to produce more electricity.

Did Biden put bifacial solar panels back under Sec 201 tariffs?

The Biden Administration today put imported bifacial solar panels back under Sec. 201 tariffs, after the specialty solar panels enjoyed a two-year exemption from extra duties first initiated by President Biden in 2022.

The Biden administration is expected to lift a trade exemption of bifacial solar modules in the US, according to a report from Reuters.

The exclusion from solar safeguard tariffs for bifacial solar panels -- originally meant to help utility-scale installations -- is about to end, the Biden administration announced ...

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The Office of the United States Trade Representative (USTR) has issued an order exempting bifacial and a few other types of solar panels from the levy of newly-imposed ...

Washington, DC - Today, Mike Carr, the executive director of the Solar Energy Manufacturers for America (SEMA) Coalition responded to news of the removal of bifacial solar ...

The quest for higher-efficiency solar panel technologies has been relentless since the advent of solar panels. The bifacial solar panel ...

25/10/2023 Are you planning a solar plant and contemplating using bifacial PV modules? Would they boost electrical output and yields? What challenges would they pose ...

Some bifacial modules use a clear or transparent backsheet instead of dual-glass to reduce weight and cost, while still allowing ...

In June 2024, the US government announced the implementation of a 14.25% import tariff on previously exempted bifacial solar modules, as well as a closer monitoring of ...

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Solar manufacturers - First Solar specifically are pushing to get rid of the import tariffs on bifacial solar modules.

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