

Title: Limit the minimum price of solar modules

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How will China's new guidelines reshape the solar industry?

In November 2024, China's Ministry of Industry and Information Technology released revised guidelines for the photovoltaic (PV) industry. The new guidelines are set to reshape the solar manufacturing industry, addressing overcapacity, pricing volatility and inefficiency across the value chain.

How will China's new solar policy affect the solar industry?

China's PV installations therefore remain robust, with added capacity forecast at 310 GW for 2025 - half of expected global solar installations. Wind is not as influenced by the new policy as solar and storage, due to longer lead times.

How will new regulations affect the solar industry?

While existing polysilicon, wafer, cell, and module manufacturing capacity largely aligns with the new regulations, emerging manufacturers and new expansions will be the most impacted. These changes will catalyse consolidation, market shifts and ultimately lead to a more efficient and sustainable solar industry.

What are the key changes? 1.

Will 200 GW of new PV module manufacturing capacity materialise?

Approximately 200 GW of new PV module manufacturing capacity planned in the next few years will likely not materialise, as the guidelines target new capacity expansions and speculative investments. These plans, driven by recent entrants, face hurdles due to capital requirements and technology standards.

China announced new regulations this year that should result in a more market-oriented approach to renewables deployment. S&P Global Commodity Insights analysts Holly Hu and Anqi ...

One word: limit! A self-discipline pact was formed, declaring bids below a certain price illegal. Reports suggest that CPIA may begin monthly guidance price announcements for modules ...

The China Photovoltaic Industry Association (CPIA) recently released its October cost estimate for photovoltaic modules, setting the production cost for N-type M10 bifacial modules, ...

We explore the impact of China's new rules on solar photovoltaic overcapacity, pricing and market dynamics. In November 2024, China's Ministry of Industry and Information Technology ...

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Solar panel prices have seen a nearly 5% increase as China's government tightens its regulatory measures on the photovoltaic industry. The Chinese Module Marker for TOPCon modules ...

China's solar installation momentum is set to slow in the second half of 2025, as recent regulatory oversight targeting overcapacity and financial losses introduce fresh uncertainty for ...

In the face of the continued irrational decline in PV module prices, the China Photovoltaic Industry Association gave a "reference price" for module costs in October 2024: 0.68 yuan/W, and ...

The Chinese government has moved to curb excessive competition in the PV sector and stabilise pricing as companies report growing losses.

China's solar industry has reached a consensus to curb domestic price wars by setting a price floor for solar modules. China Photovoltaic Industry Association announced a minimum bidding ...

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