



# Solar power satellite factory in Zimbabwe



## Overview

By offering advanced energy storage systems that power Starlink satellite communication, Sona Solar Zimbabwe ensures reliable, 24/7 internet access without the need for generators, cables, or signal towers. On June 26, SANY Silicon Energy officially commenced construction of a 10MW solar power plant in Zimbabwe. The project, undertaken by Runtu Mining Company, marks SANY's first solar project in Zimbabwe—and the first in Africa to adopt the innovative "EP+F" model, which integrates engineering. Harare - Zimbabwe is set to host a flagship project of a new multi-gigawatt African renewable energy platform spearheaded by INOX Clean Energy, RJ Corp and SkyPower, marking one of the most consequential private-sector solar investment announcements in the country's recent energy history. The Zimbabwe has inaugurated the Melfort Solar Power Plant, its largest solar facility to date, with a capacity of 100 MW. Located just 40 kilometers from Harare, the plant is a pivotal step toward easing the nation's energy crisis and reducing pollution. Yet, for decades, this resource went largely underutilised.



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