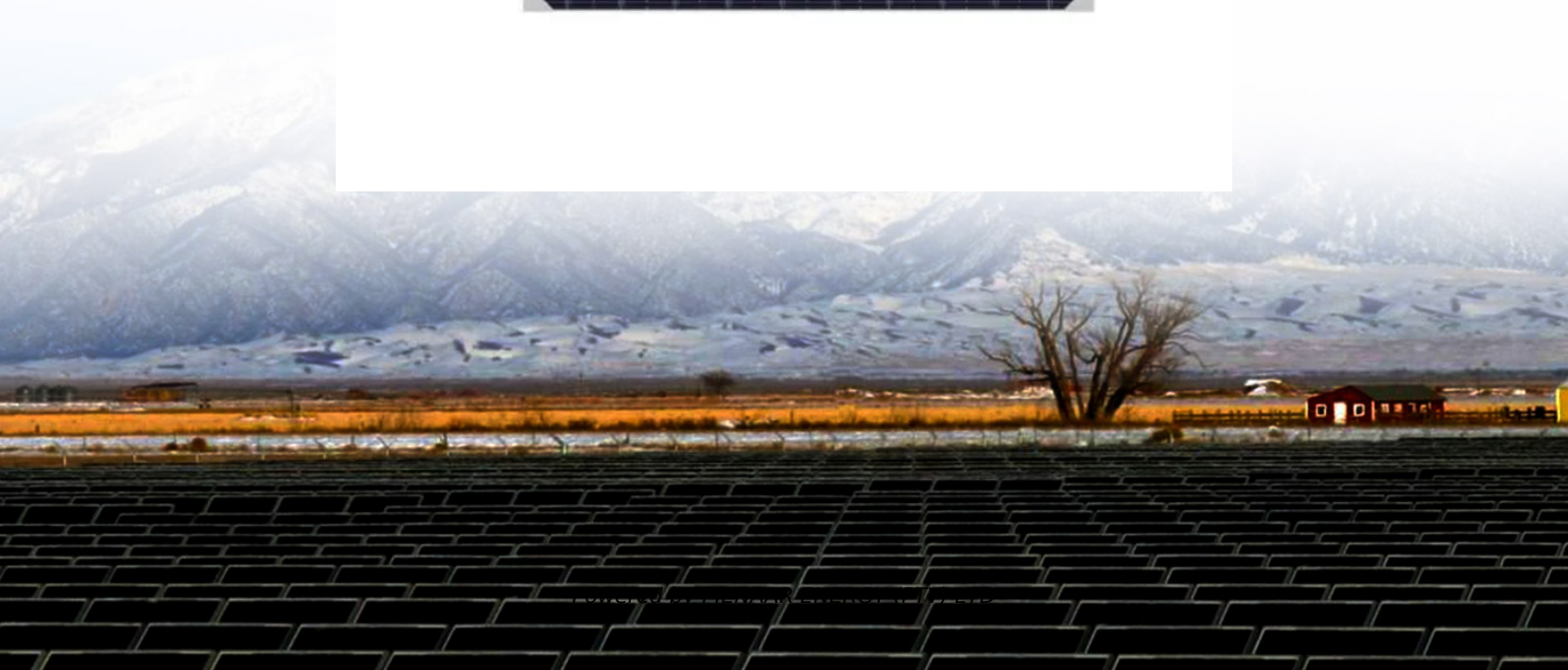
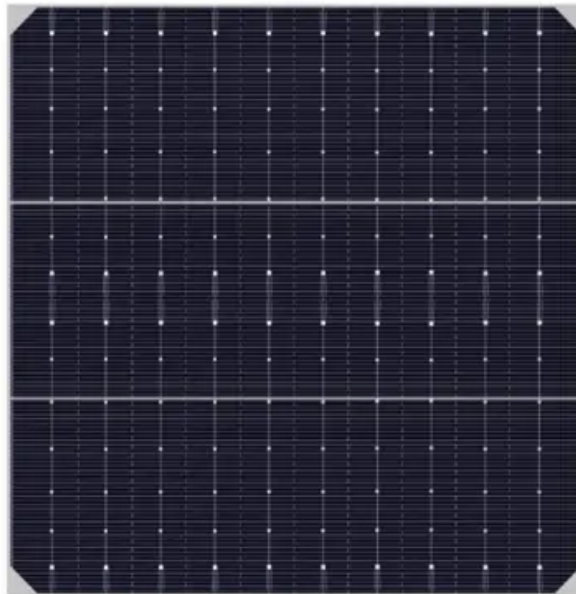


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## Overview

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The goal is to keep the resistance of your grounding system as low as possible, ideally less than 5 ohms. This ensures a safe path for electricity to flow into the ground. One or more auxiliary grounding electrodes are permitted to be connected to the EGC as specified in NEC 250. This process involves two distinct but related concepts: system grounding, which connects current-carrying conductors to the earth for voltage. Mounting Pole Grounding: Utilizes the metal mounting poles of the solar panels as grounding conductors, provided they are properly installed and in contact with the earth. Each method has its pros and cons, and the choice may depend on soil conditions, local regulations, and the specific. Photovoltaic grounding is a key element of a photovoltaic system, ensuring its safety and reliability.

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## Photovoltaic panel ground wire resistance

A typical ground solar panel array will take between 1 and 2 days to install. The grounding wire should be at least as thick as the wire used in the solar panel

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