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# **Sharing a case study of photovoltaic panel installation scams**



## Overview

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Last quarter, SunPro Solutions collapsed amid allegations of installing 2,400 defective systems using counterfeit PERC cells. Their sales reps had perfected the art of "solar-speak" - throwing around terms like TOPCon technology and CTM ratios to confuse homeowners. Scams, schemes and straight-up fraud abound in the dark underbelly of an otherwise light-filled industry. Here are red flags to look out for when. FILE - Newly-installed solar energy panels hang on the exterior of a residential house. (Photo by Sean Gallup/Getty Images) SEATTLE — Scammers across the U. Many homeowners never get any solar equipment installed; those who do often. Did a salesperson knock on your door and promise free rooftop solar panels at no cost to you?

Or say you'll never have to pay another electricity bill because government programs, grants, or rebates cover your solar installation?

It's likely a scam. Dissatisfaction with the solar.

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### Homeowners are getting burned by solar panel scammers

Many companies allegedly participate in fraudulent practices in an attempt to scam homeowners out of their money. Despite this issue, the solar industry is continuing to broaden its reach.

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### Costly solar energy installation scams are on the rise. Here's

The Fraud Watch Network has received reports that some criminals use the door-to-door solar sales pitch as a ruse to get personal identifying information to commit identity theft.



### Rooftop solar is good for the environment but has a fraud issue

Minnesota is suing firms who finance solar power systems for homes. The case alleges that four lending companies deceived customers with hidden, upfront fees in exchange for lower ...

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## Common Solar Panel Scams and How To Avoid Them

This article explores the most common solar panel scams, provides tips to recognize red flags, and offers guidance on protecting yourself from fraudulent solar companies.



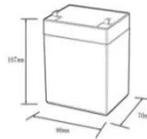
## Unmasking Photovoltaic Panel Construction Scams: What You Need

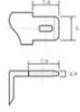
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The photovoltaic panel construction scam she fell victim to represents a growing trend in renewable energy's Wild West era. Let's pull back the curtain on these shady operations.

## Common solar scams and how to avoid them

Beware of misleading social media ads and sales pitches promising "free" solar, guaranteed savings, or special government payouts--these are major red flags. Compare quotes ...





**12.8V6Ah**

- Nominal voltage (V):12.8
- Nominal capacity (ah):6
- Rated energy (WH):76.8
- Maximum charging voltage (V):14.6
- Maximum charging current (a):6
- Floating charge voltage (V):13.6-13.8
- Maximum continuous discharge current (a):10
- Maximum peak discharge current @10 seconds (a):20
- Maximum load power (W):100
- Discharge cut-off voltage (V):10.8
- Charging temperature (°C):0-+50
- Discharge temperature (°C):-20-+60
- Working humidity: <95% R.H (non condensing)
- Number of cycles (25 °C, 0.5c, 100%doD): >2000
- Cell combination mode: 32700-4s1p
- Terminal specification: T2 (6.3mm)
- Protection grade: IP65
- Overall dimension (mm):50\*70\*107mm
- Reference weight (kg):0.7
- Certification: un38.3/msds

## Solar energy is rising in popularity. So are the scams

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to pay another electricity bill because government programs, grants, or ...



## Solar Scams You Should Know About - Forbes Home

While you are browsing solar power companies, one of them may offer to install a solar panel or solar roof in your home for a small cost or even for free. It's an intentionally misleading



## Solar Energy Scams are Against the Law

The Treasury Department works with other federal agencies, including the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (CFPB) and the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) to spread the word about ...



## Solar Panel Scams: 7 Solar Red Flags And How To ...

To avoid getting scammed, you need to know what to look out for and when to walk away. Here's our guide to spotting

solar panel scams and finding a great installer.



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