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Solar panel scams target homeowners interested in installing solar energy systems. They involve scammers making false promises or tricking you into paying for services you’ll never receive. What is a solar energy scam?

The scams vary, but here’s the gist: someone claiming to be with the government or your utility company promises big savings on your utility bills from solar energy or other home improvements designed to increase energy efficiency. If you agree to the scammer’s offer, it could cost you tens of thousands of dollars.

Are free solar panels a scam?

Know that “free” or “no cost” solar panel offers are scams. The federal government does not install solar systems in homes for free. If you’re considering whether solar energy is right for you, check out the Department of Energy’s guide for homeowners and learn more. Or check out the Department of Treasury’s guidance on clean energy.

Is a solar generator worth it?

A solar generator may be worth it depending on how you use it. The cost of the generator easily pays for itself if you live somewhere that receives ample sunlight and you utilize the energy from the generator as a home backup. Alternatively, if you frequently go on road trips, a solar generator is also worth it.

What should I do if a solar business is a scam?

Protect your personal information. Don't respond to unexpected requests online or on social media for your name, address, or other personal information to "see if you qualify." At best, this is someone generating leads to sell, not actual solar businesses. At worst, they're scammers trying to steal your identity.

How do I know if a solar contract is a scam?

Pay attention to warranties, cancellation policies, payment schedules, and try to spot any hidden fees. Honest businesses will give you time to go over the terms of the contract, understand the agreement, and let you sign it in writing. To learn more, visit [ftc.gov/solar](https://www.ftc.gov/solar). And if you spot a scam, tell the FTC.

How do I avoid solar scams?

Here are some of our recommendations for avoiding solar scams: The saying "there's no such thing as a free lunch" applies when shopping for solar! If you see ads on social media or have a door-to-door salesperson stop by your home and share special programs that pay you to go solar, they're likely, not legitimate.

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Don't waste your energy on a solar scam

Be aware of solar energy scams - everything from scammers pretending to be affiliated with the government or utility company to businesses misrepresenting the cost of improvements, savings, and financing options.

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Our Review of the Titan Solar Generator. When Point Zero Energy released the Titan Solar Generator in 2019, it created quite a splash in the industry. With a high-capacity 2,000Wh internal solar battery and an efficient ...



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Our 8 Best Solar Generator Picks (2024)

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The best solar generators in 2024 , CNN Underscored

Various generators charged other generators to test maximum inverter loads. 15-amp and 20-amp circuits with GFCI were used for AC charging generators when solar conditions were unfavorable or to



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