



# Subsidies for rooftop solar power plants

What is solar subsidy scheme in India?

Under the scheme, households will be provided with a subsidy to install solar panels on their roofs. The subsidy will cover up to 40% of the cost of the solar panels. The scheme is expected to benefit 1 crore households across India. It is estimated that the scheme will save the government Rs. 75,000 crore per year in electricity costs.

Is central financial assistance available under rooftop solar (RTS) Programme Phase-II?

MNRE issued Clarification on applicability of central financial assistance (CFA) available under Rooftop Solar (RTS) Programme Phase-II for solar systems installed under Virtual Net Metering (VNM) arrangement on 03 Oct 2022. Carbon Credit Trading Scheme, 2023.

How much was released under Rooftop Solar Programme Phase-II?

Similarly, around 2.8 lakh residential consumers were benefitted and an amount of Rs. 1280.3 Crore was released during last two years under Rooftop Solar Programme Phase-II. This information was given by Shri R.K Singh, Union Minister for Power and New and Renewable Energy in a written reply in Rajya Sabha today.

What are the benefits of a rooftop solar plant?

Suitable Rooftop Solar Plant Capacity for households The benefits of the scheme include: Free electricity for households. Reduced electricity costs for the government. Increased use of renewable energy. Reduced carbon emissions.

How many MW is a grid connected rooftop solar project?

To achieve a cumulative installed capacity of 40,000 MW from Grid Connected Rooftop Solar (RTS) projects. Till 31.03.2026 Central Financial Assistance (CFA)/Subsidy is provided to the residential electricity consumers under Component-A and incentives are provided to DISCOMs under Component-B of this programme.

What is central financial assistance (CFA) for residential rooftop solar?

Central Financial Assistance (CFA) for Residential Rooftop Solar The scheme provides a CFA of 60% of system cost for 2 kW systems and 40% of additional system cost for systems between 2 to 3 kW capacity. The CFA will be capped at 3 kW.

By combining the 40% MNRE subsidy, state capital incentives, accelerated depreciation, low-cost loans and net metering benefits, consumers can cover 30-60% of their rooftop solar power costs. For an industrial consumer in Uttar ...

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