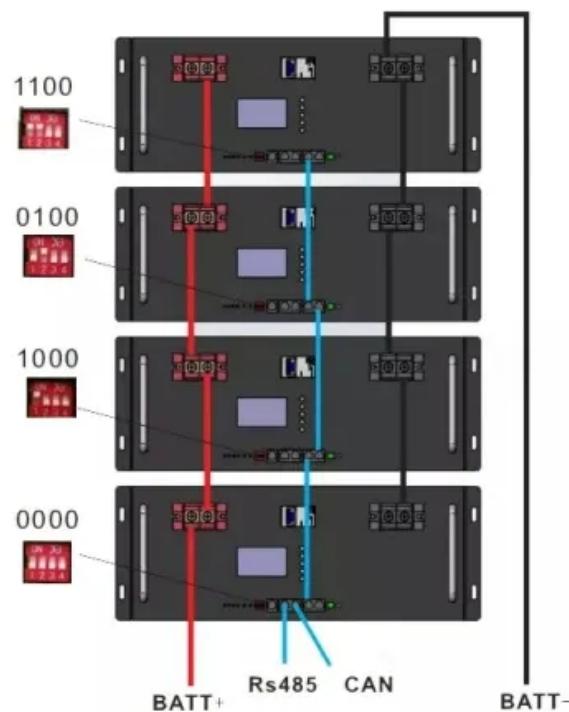


## BLINK SOLAR

# The Vatican has a solar powered water pump



## Overview

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Will Pope Francis install a solar plant in the Vatican?

Pope Francis on the popemobile at the end of the weekly general audience on St Peter's square in The Vatican. Image Credit: AFP VATICAN CITY: Pope Francis has ordered the Vatican to install a solar plant that will provide electricity to the entire city state, as the pontiff does his bit to tackle climate change.

Why does the Vatican have a solar system?

The Vatican's solar shift is a culmination of a political and spiritual mission years in the making. In 2024, the late Pope Francis issued an apostolic letter ordering the construction of an agrivoltaic solar plant to supply the Vatican with energy from Santa Maria di Galeria. On the same site, the new solar infrastructure now stands.

Is Vatican City powered by solar?

This is not just about rooftop panels; it's about how science, sustainability, and faith can coexist and set the pace for the rest of the world to follow. Vatican City is powered by solar. On , the Vatican City officially transitioned to solar power, marking a significant shift in the European energy landscape.

Why did Acea install a solar energy system in Vatican City?

This project was carried out by ACEA, an Italian utility company, which installed systems to meet all of the Vatican's energy demands. What makes this significant is not the size, but that Vatican City is only 0.49km<sup>2</sup>, and there was no loud campaign, no press tour, just action set in stone and implemented.

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### Pope Francis Leaves Behind a Solar-Powered Vatican

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The Vatican's decision to become 100% solar-powered is a historic milestone and an inspiring example of leadership in sustainability. Under Pope Francis' guidance, the world's ...



## Solar to be Vatican's sole energy source, pope orders

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## Vatican to Become 8th Country to Achieve 100% Green Energy

Vatican City to become 100% solar-powered, joining a select group of green

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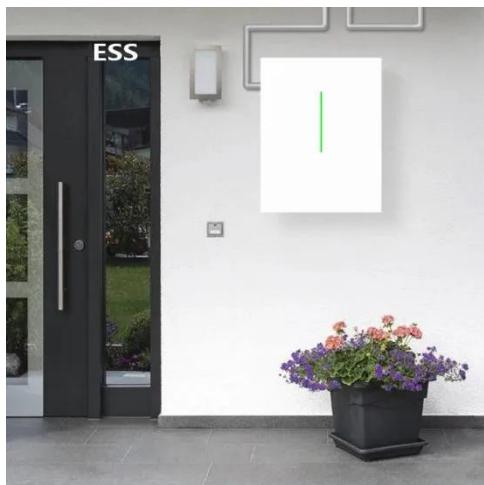
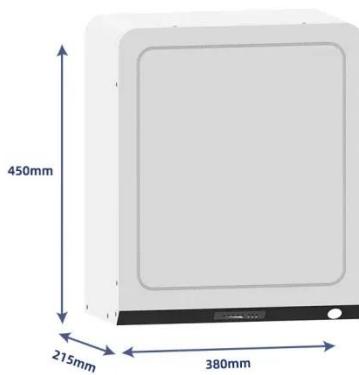


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The Vatican is going solar, Pope to transition City to 100% green energy  
Pope Francis has now asked Vatican authorities to begin constructing a solar plant.

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