

# Solar Energy Systems



## Incentives for Businesses

### FEDERAL

There is currently a **26% federal tax credit** claimed against the tax liability for commercial and utility investors in solar energy property. (Section 48)

### Modified Accelerated Cost Recovery System (MACRS Depreciation)

- The Modified Accelerated Cost Recovery System (MACRS), established in 1986, is a method of depreciation in which a business' investments in certain tangible property are recovered, for tax purposes, over a specified time period through annual deductions.
- Qualifying solar energy equipment is eligible for a cost recovery period of five years.
- The market certainty provided by MACRS has been found to be a significant driver of private investment for the solar industry and other energy industries.

**\* Consult with a tax professional on the completion of the proper federal solar energy tax forms.**

### STATE

#### Solar Incentives for Iowa Businesses

- Iowa Solar Energy System Tax Credit: 50% of Fed. Tax Credit (**\$20k max**)

#### Solar Incentives for Illinois Businesses

- Solar Renewable Energy Credits (SRECS) Adjustable Block Program

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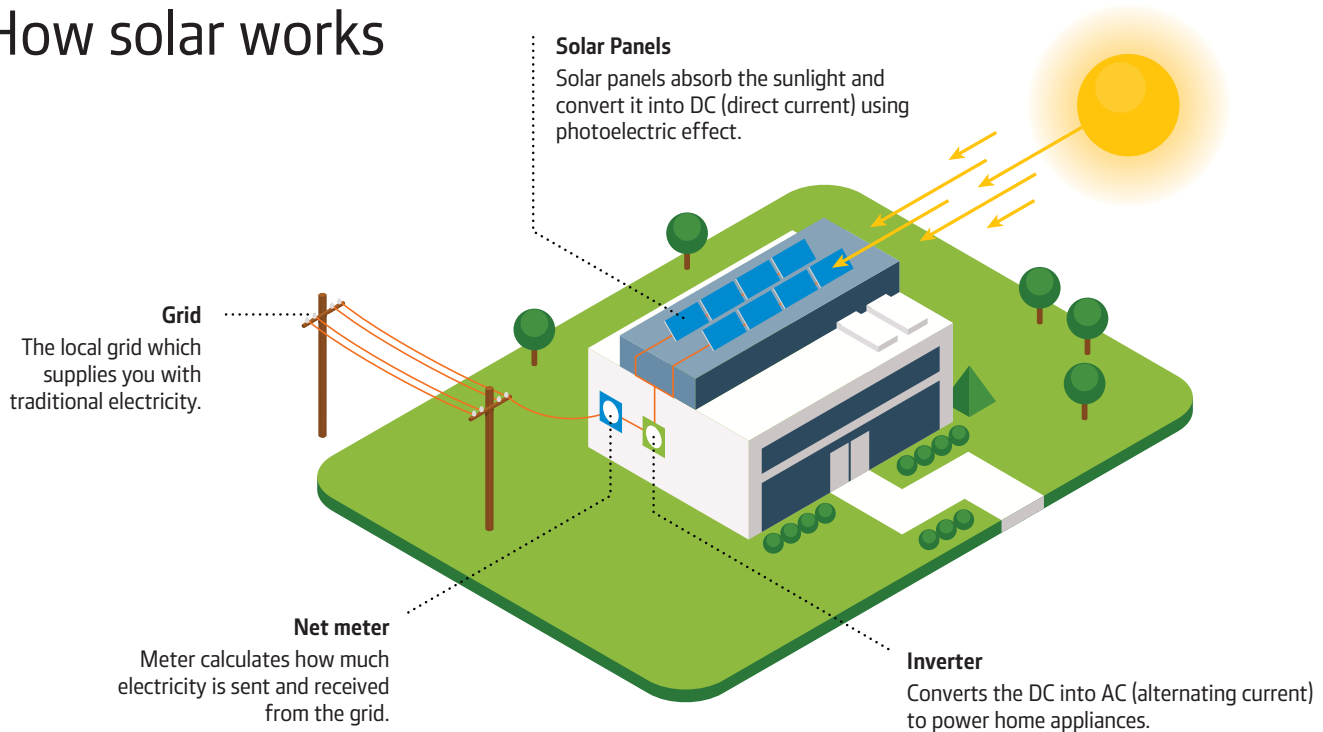


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## How solar works



### AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- Conceptual Budgeting
- Construction Management
- Electrical System Design with our full staff of Electrical & Professional Engineers
- Underground Collection Installation
- Medium & Low Voltage Cable Testing
- Underground Collection & Transmission Line
- Vertical Tower Wiring
- Substation Design & Construction
- Interconnect Purchase Agreements
- Team of LEED® Accredited Professionals

### AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- Commercial PV Systems
- Industrial PV Systems
- Utility Scale PV Systems
- On-Grid/Off Grid solutions
- Energy Audits
- PV System Design & Engineering
- Commissioning & Testing
- PPA's
- Leased Systems
- SREC's

### OPERATIONS & MAINTENANCE

- Scheduled Inspection & Preventative Maintenance
- Aerial Thermal Inspections
- Emergency Maintenance and Repair

### PROJECT MANAGEMENT

- Partnering
- Prime Contractor
- Subcontractor

*"Renewable energy is the future, and Tri-City Electric Co. has the people and proficiency to get you there." — Doug Palmer, President*



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