# **SOLAR PRO.** Polysilicon Solar Cost

How has the polysilicon price changed over the past year?

Over recent years, polysilicon prices have seen significant fluctuations. According to BloombergNEF's chart, the polysilicon price was \$17.51 in January of this year, a significant 54% dropcompared to the \$38.32 peak price from August 2022.

#### How much does polysilicon cost?

That is probably the reason why the "Sun Screen" study from Credit Lyonnais Securities Asia (CLSA) quoted an average selling price of \$24/kg for polysilicon in 2003. On January 1, 2004, an amendment of the German Renewable Energy Law significantly raised the feed-in tariff for electricity from solar power.

### Is polysilicon the solution to solar PV?

However, creating PV modules relies heavily on specific materials whose production rates are affected by prices and supply. Polysilicon is one of those specific materials, and if solar PV is going to be the solution, it will be critically important.

#### How much did polysilicon cost in 2004?

Due to the strong demand and the higher polysilicon costs, the average module price increased to \$3.35/Win 2004. With a specific silicon consumption of 13 g/W and an annual spot price average of \$43/kg, the share of the higher polysilicon costs (\$0.56/W) in the module price (\$3.35/W) rose only slightly to 16.7 % in 2004.

## What happened to the polysilicon spot price?

The polysilicon spot price immediately plummeted by \$1.60/kg; it was the starting shot for a sustained descent. Beginning in June,more than half of all polysilicon manufacturers in China suspended production; one quarter did not resume operation again. This stabilized the spot price,but only for a few weeks in August.

#### Is the polysilicon price stabilizing in China?

January 15: This week the polysilicon price in China has stabilized after the increase last week. The global polysilicon price average remains unchanged at US\$5.95/kg. Ahead of the Spring Festival (Chinese New Year) holidays from January 28 through February 4,the market in China is calming down.

Low-cost electricity is key for the competitiveness of the main pillars of the solar PV supply chain. The diversification of highly concentrated polysilicon, ingot and wafer manufacturing would ...

Elevated polysilicon prices will continue to represent the largest share of solar installation costs, affecting solar capital expenditures. The high polysilicon prices, which ...

The current polysilicon price is around RMB 40, which, although higher than the cash cost for most companies, still sees about 50% of the industry's capacity with cash costs above RMB 40. This means that

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while the profit margin for this portion of the capacity is relatively small, it has not yet reached a level of

widespread losses.

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influential role.

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