

# Price of solar power silicon wafers

How much do M10 mono silicon wafers cost?

The average selling price for M10 mono silicon wafers (182mm/150mm) has fallen to RMB1.95 (US\$0.27) per piece. Image: PV Tech The pricing dynamics within the photovoltaic industry chain are witnessing a split, with noticeable drops in polysilicon and wafer prices. The dip in wafer prices, in particular, is becoming more pronounced.

How much does a crystalline silicon wafer cost?

The spot price for crystalline silicon wafers, which generally follows the price of polysilicon, was \$0.78/piece for 158.75 mm to 161.75 mm wafers at the end of July 2022, an increase from the \$0.74/piece in November 2021, and the \$0.35/piece in January 2021, according to the report. Larger wafers of 182 mm were priced at \$0.97/piece.

Why did silicon wafer prices fall last week?

Wafer prices fell slightly last week as cell factory utilisation rates remained low. The price of silicon wafers fell in China last weekend, offering upstream solar manufacturers some respite and hope that prices may finally begin to normalise.

Are silicon wafer prices falling in China?

On 29 October China's Silicon Industry branch released its latest spot prices for silicon wafers, indicating that monocrystalline silicon chip prices slightly decreased over the reporting period.

How much does solar-grade silicon cost?

Depending on the number of distillation cycles, which impacts the material quality, the price of solar-grade silicon was typically in the range US\$6-7/kg for low-quality silicon and up to US\$10-12/kg for high-quality silicon in 2020.

How much did solar-grade polysilicon feedstock cost in 2021?

The price of solar-grade polysilicon feedstock reached US\$400/kg, up from US\$30-50/kg before the shortage. This triggered investment in large polysilicon production plants, enabling prices as low as US\$6-12/kg in 2021.

PV Tech Premium's latest PV Price Watch notes that, in early May, the average price of a p-type M10 wafer fell by 3.68% week-on-week, while the average price of an n-type M10 wafer fell even ...

Producers of solar cells from silicon wafers, which basically refers to the limited quantity of solar PV module manufacturers with their own wafer-to-cell production equipment to control the quality and price of the solar ...

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Technically, a silicon wafer is a solar cell when the p-n junction is formed, but it only becomes functional after metallisation. The metal contacts play a key role in the production of highly efficient and cost-effective crystalline ...

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In July 2022, the average spot price was \$0.256/W for a "typical monocrystalline polysilicon PV module", according to the report. In January 2021, the average price was \$0.192/W, which ...

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A wafer is a thin slice of semiconductor material, such as a crystalline silicon, used in electronics for the fabrication of integrated circuits and in photovoltaics for conventional, wafer-based solar cells. Silicon is the most popular type of ...

G12 mono wafer (210mm/150mm) prices range between RMB8-8.2 per piece, with an average transaction price of RMB8.2. This week has seen tier-one companies raise their wafer operating rates.

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