

# **Electricity cost of balcony solar** panels







#### **Overview**

Do balcony solar panels cost a lot?

If you're setting up balcony solar panels, the cost will be less because you won't have as many. However, you'll need to balance the number of panels against their cost and the amount of energy they can produce.

How many solar panels can be installed on a balcony?

People with particularly large balconies might be able to fit two 400 watt (W) panels, whereas the average roof will fit 10 350 W panels. Fewer panels also mean less electricity being generated. Most homeowners won't be able to power their whole home with balcony solar panels.

Do solar panels work on balconies?

Solar panels on balconies can work well, as long as nothing is obstructing light from reaching the panels. For example, balcony walls, nearby trees, or buildings can cast a shadow on the solar panels and reduce their electricity output. The angle and direction the solar panels will also affect their output.

Are plug-in balcony solar panels a good option?

Plug-in balcony solar panels can be a great option for people living in flats or rented accommodation. They aren't as expensive as regular roof-mounted systems, and they can still save you a little on your electricity bills. If you'd rather get solar panels professionally installed, we can help.

Can you put solar panels on a balcony?

The main disadvantage of having solar panels on a balcony is that you can't fit as many solar panels on a balcony as you could on a roof. People with particularly large balconies might be able to fit two 400 watt (W) panels, whereas the average roof will fit 10 350 W panels. Fewer panels also mean less electricity being generated.



## How much do solar panels cost?

Now we get to the important part: cost. The price of a solar array varies wildly. According to Forbes, an average solar panel setup costs around \$16,000, but this can be higher or lower depending on the tech and federal rebates. If you're setting up balcony solar panels, the cost will be less because you won't have as many.



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