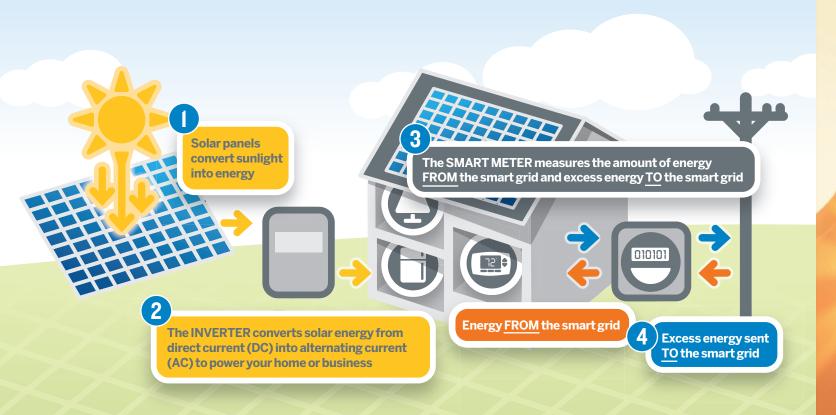
HOW NET METERING WORKS



NET METERING CREDIT EXAMPLES		Energy Produced by Solar Panels	Total Energy Used by Customer	kWh FROM the Smart Grid	Excess kWh TO the Smart Grid
Energy Produced is <u>LESS THAN</u> Energy	Used	5kWh	7kWh	2 kWh	0 kWh
Energy Produced <u>EQUALS</u> Energy	Used	5 kWh	5 kWh	0 kWh	0 kWh
Energy Produced is <u>GREATER THAN</u> Energy	Used	5kWh	3 kWh	0 kWh	2kWh





Our clean energy future.

We have a variety of resources that can help you get your private solar energy system up and running. And we're here to help you through the journey!

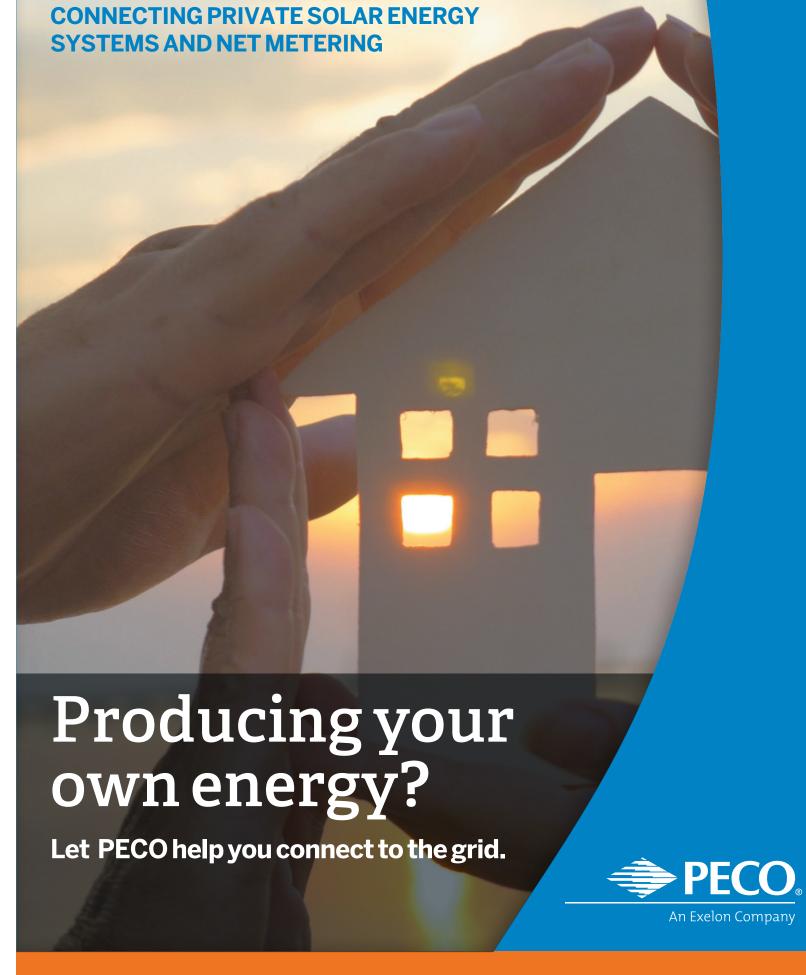
For Answers to Frequently Asked Questions

PECO.com/MyGPC

For Questions about Connection to our Smart Grid

Email: pecodistributedenergy@exeloncorp.com Phone: 833-732-6334





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CONNECTING PRIVATE SOLAR ENERGY SYSTEMS AND NET METERING

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Now that you've decided to generate your own energy, PECO is here to help you safely connect to the electric system.

You'll find some important information on the following pages to help you get your private solar energy system up and running so that you can enjoy the many benefits of generating your own power.

Before submitting your application, please take a moment to read up on the following:

- How Net Metering Works
- The Step-by-Step Interconnection Process
- Helpful tips to consider before getting started



For answers to additional questions you might have about interconnecting to the grid, contact **PECO Distributed Energy Group** at **833-732-6334** or email **pecodistributedenergy@exeloncorp.com**

Step-by-Step Connecting to PECO's Electric System

Connecting your private solar energy system to the grid requires following a few important steps. These are summarized below.



1 Apply

Be sure to contact your municipality regarding permit requirements or ordinances covering the operation of a private solar energy system. Then, with the assistance of your solar contractor, complete and submit the interconnection application and other required documentation appropriate for your project to PECO. You can submit your project information electronically or download the application at PECO.com/MyGPC. Be sure to include the application fee. Mail to:

PECO, 1050 W. Swedesford Rd., Berwyn, PA 19312

2 Application Review

PECO will review your interconnection application to ensure your private solar energy system can be safely and reliably connected to PECO's electric system. Depending on the complexity of your project, this may take 10-20 days. During this time, you may receive requests to provide additional information.



3 Install Your System

Install your private solar energy system after you have received written approval of your interconnection application from PECO.

INSTALL & OPERATE

4 PECO Inspects Your System

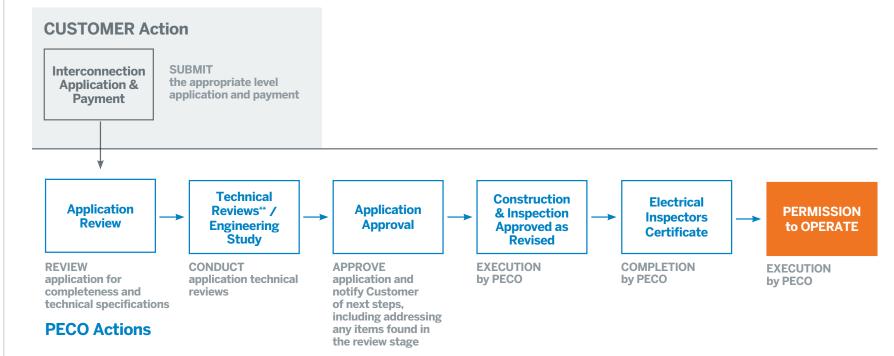
PECO may conduct an electrical inspection at your location to ensure the integrity of the interconnection. Allow ten days for this step.

5 Operate Your System

You may begin operating your private solar energy system once you receive a signed Permission to Operate letter from PECO and new meter(s) have been installed. Allow ten days for this step.

For a closer look into the process PECO follows in its review and approval of any application, along with the amount of time needed to review, see the diagrams to the right.

The Interconnection Process



^{**} Numbers and types of technical reviews may vary by interconnection level.

The Interconnection Process – DURATION & FEES

Amounts listed are base fees, additional fees may apply.



BUSINESS DAYS

How long is the Interconnection Process?

Interconnection applications and processing times are classified by the size and type of renewable energy system being installed. The time to review and approve applications varies by level of interconnection as seen in the chart above. In some cases, engineering studies may be needed to analyze the entire circuit to find a solution. This may add more time and costs to your project. Duration and fees apply to typical residential installations.

Helpful Tips

- **Understand your energy use.** Work with your solar installer to appropriately size your solar energy system.
- The production of your private solar energy system can vary weather, tree cover and required maintenance can all affect how much energy you produce.
- To ensure your private solar energy system is safely and reliably connected to the smart grid do not operate your system without approval from PECO and your municipality.
- Participate in net metering and receive credits on your energy bill when you produce more energy than you need.

Visit PECO.com/My GPC for additional information.

