

Renewable Power Generation



Desert Water Agency (DWA) has invested more than \$6 million in harnessing clean energy to power its operations since 1986. Hydropower and solar installations help DWA offset costly electric bills, and generate revenue by selling unused power back to Southern California Edison. Our renewable energy installations save DWA customers almost half a million dollars a year.

SOLAR:

- Just over 1 megawatt of power produced
- 4,500 thin-film, ground-mounted solar panels
- Drought-proof energy source
- Enough to power about 250 homes

HYDRO:

- Capacity for 1.7 megawatts of power produced
- Two facilities: Whitewater & Snow Creek
- Began generating renewable power in the 1980s
- Production depends on water flows

