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Largest private solar unveiled in California

ALZA Corporation's Vacaville manufacturing facility, part of the Johnson & Johnson Family of Companies, has unveiled a 1MW photovoltaic system, one of the largest privately-owned commercial systems of its kind in California.

The solar panel field, so-called SPF-1000, will produce one-third of the power the plant requires on a high-power-demand summer day.

This system has been built by SPG Solar Inc., of Novato, California, uses an active single-axis sun-tracking mechanism and covers approximately 6.5 acres adjacent to the ALZA Vacaville facility.

The project is the ninth and largest solar installation for Johnson & Johnson, and brings its total on-site solar generation to 3.5 MW.

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