

News Release

March 21, 2024 Electric Power Development Co., Ltd.

J-POWER Begins Construction of Himeji Oshio Solar Power Station J-POWER's solar power generation operations in Japan

J-Solar Co., Ltd., a wholly owned subsidiary of Electric Power Development Co., Ltd. (headquartered in Chuo-ku, Tokyo; President: Hitoshi Kanno; "J-POWER") began construction today of the Himeji Oshio Solar Power Station.

The J-POWER Group established J-Solar Co., Ltd. in August 2023 to manage solar power generation operations. Through this company, J-POWER is promoting business for solar power generation using the Himeji Oshio station. With the understanding and cooperation of local residents and related parties, construction work has begun—with full consideration for environmental protection—aiming to start commercial operation in October 2024.

The J-POWER Group's involvement in a range of power generation businesses includes hydroelectric, wind (onshore and offshore), geothermal, and solar power. The Group is committed to introducing more renewable energy projects to achieve carbon neutrality, as stated in J-POWER BLUE MISSION 2050.

1. Details

Name Himeji Oshio Solar Power Station Location Himeji City, Hyogo Prefecture

Maximum capacity 1,999 kW

Schedule Start of preparations: January 2024 Start of construction: March 2024

Commercial operation (planned): October

2024

2. Operating company

Name J-Solar Co., Ltd. Location Chuo-ku, Tokyo, Japan Capital 100 million yen

Representative Director Ryuji Hashimoto (Department Director of

Renewable Energy Business Strategy

Department, J-POWER)





Site location

Praying for safe construction

Reference: J-POWER Group's Solar Power Generation Operations in Japan

Name	Location	Start of commercial operations	Equipment capacity (kW)	Owned percentage (%)	Owned capacity (kW)
Kitakyushu Hibikinada Solar Power Station	Kitakyushu City, Fukuoka Prefecture	March 2025 (planned)	29,999	100	29,999
Himeji Oshio Solar Power Station	Himeji City, Hyogo Prefecture	October 2024 (planned)	1,999	100	1,999