



News Release

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Electric Power Development Co., Ltd.

Groundbreaking Ceremony Held for the Construction of Kitakyushu Hibikinada Solar Power Station

J-POWER's Large-scale Solar Power Project in Japan

Electric Power Development Co., Ltd. (J-POWER, headquartered in Chuo-ku, Tokyo; President: Toshifumi Watanabe) held a groundbreaking ceremony today for the Kitakyushu Hibikinada Solar Power Station (Fukuoka Prefecture, Japan).



Groundbreaking ceremony

The Kitakyushu Hibikinada Solar Power Station is planned to make effective use of a site (approximately 355,000 m²) within J-POWER's Wakamatsu Operations and General Management Office, and solar power generation facilities with a maximum output of approximately 30,000 kW will be installed. With the understanding and cooperation of local residents and other related parties, construction work will proceed with due consideration for environmental protection, and we aim to start commercial operation in FY2024.

The J-POWER Group is involved in various power generation businesses such as hydroelectric power, wind power (onshore and offshore), geothermal power, and solar power. The Group is committed to expanding the introduction of renewable energy projects to achieve carbon neutrality, as stated in [J-POWER BLUE MISSION 2050](#).



Location Map

Name	Kitakyushu Hibikinada Solar Power Station
Location	Fukuoka Prefecture, Japan
Areas	Approx. 355,000 m ²
Maximum output	Approx. 30,000 kW
Start of operations	FY2024 (planned)