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CLEANING YOUR SOLAR PHOTOVOLTAIC (PV) SYSTEM

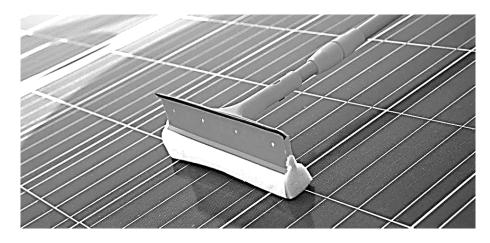
Solar PV systems are like any electrical equipment that needs to be regularly maintained for safe and efficient use. Regular maintenance should be carried out in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions and conducted by a qualified person who is aware of the electrical risks with solar panels.

Keep solar panels clean so they operate efficiently and safely.

Always follow the manufacturer's recommendations.

When cleaning the PV system:

- Use water, not cleaning products,
- Do not use scourers or other abrasive cleaners,
- · Avoid using high pressure water cleaners,
- Do not rest buckets or lean on the panels,
- Cut back trees and remove structures that cause shading of the panels (shading can reduce the efficiency and safety of the panels).



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