JA SOLAR LOW CARBON + TRACEABLE



Verified Solar Supply Chain Solution

JA Solar plays a leading role in supply chain management with our Integrated Traceability System (ITS) modules as a fully integrated Ingot to Module Solar provider.

To play the central role in the global energy transition **ITS LOW CARBON** solar panels have 40% less embedded carbon compared to standard modules with third party verification in accordance with ISO 14067.

Possible through advanced low carbon solutions and rigorous supply chain management.

"Clients are concerned we are doing our best to address the carbon embedded in the panels"

JA SOLAR ITS LC - FEATURES:

- 50% FBR (Fluidised Bed Reactor) Polysilicon
- 50% Ingot recycling
- · Life Cycle Analysis module and cell and ingot
- · Tracked and documented with a 3rd party verified ISO report
- Up to 40% less carbon



Solar Supply Chain CO₂ Emissions By Production Process



About FBR Polysilicon

The manufacture of Polysilicon is the most carbon intensive stage of solar manufacturing. By using FBR (fluidised bed reactor) method rather than the traditional Siemens method polysilicon, energy consumption is reduced up to 80% due to lower operating temperatures and continuous production capacity.

Production Stage

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THE ISO CARBON FOOTPRINT ASSESSMENT

The amount of embedded carbon in the final module is reduced by more than 1/3rd - and by using recycled Ingot the overall cradle to gate carbon is **up to 40% less**!

These figures are verified in a third party (Kapstan) report:

Product Carbon Footprint Assessment

ISO 14067

Mono-crystalline modules by JA Solar

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N-Type Bifacial Double Glass High Efficiency Mono Module 435 Wp ~ 460 Wp

ITS LC

RESULTS

Total GHG emissions of the module:

For the scope cradle to gate (in kgCO₂/kWp):

	435W	440W	445W	450W	455W	460W
Chinese Default	626.8	619.7	612.7	605.9	599.3	592.8
JA Solar Standard	461.5	456.3	451.1	446.1	441.2	436.4
JA Solar Low Carbon	378.0	373.7	369.5	365.4	361.3	357.4

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Software & database	Simapro 9.6.0.1 Ecoinvent v3.10 for secondary data modelling National electricity mix was used for production in all LCAS			
Impact assessment method	IPCC02021 GWP100a v1.0			
Study compliance	IS014040/44:2006 IS014067-2018			

Look out for this label on all Low Carbon ITS modules:







How does JA Solar compare to the carbon footprint of other modules?



Polysilicon Production Stats

Electricity consumption



CO₂ emissions





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