

# What to do if a photovoltaic panel hits a student



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## Overview

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With a solar panel, you just need to extinguish the fire. One of solar energy's big pros is the longevity of the components. Panels generally last well over 25 years and have no or few. utions when responding to a PV system fi azard to identify system type and location. ?

If the silicone wafer is cracked, it's not good. That's why the Solar Energy Technologies Office (SETO) funded the Solar Training and Education for Professionals (STEP) program, which provides tools to more than 10,000 firefighters. Whether due to weather conditions, accidental impact, or manufacturing defects, damaged solar panels can lead to reduced efficiency, safety concerns, and costly repairs.

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### **Electric Shock from Solar Panels (Touching + Cleaning!)**

Spraying water or cleaner on a broken solar panel can shock you or cause a fire. If you have a large set of panels or a rooftop set, you can call specialists to do the cleaning for you.

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### **A Guide to Fire Safety with Solar Systems , Department of Energy**

First, let your local firehouse know that your home or building has a PV system installed. You can do this either by directly communicating it or by using proper safety labeling on your home and PV system. ...



### **Photovoltaic (PV) incident response tactics**

least 3 feet from all PV system components. Voltage can be transferred to you via direct contact or through tools that contact the array, inverters or wiring. Ma Use extinguishing agents on system

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48V or 51.2V

## Broken Or Damaged Solar Panels: Causes And What To Do

If you suspect solar panel damage, the first thing to do is contact the installation company or another qualified solar energy system repair outfit. The technician can accurately evaluate the



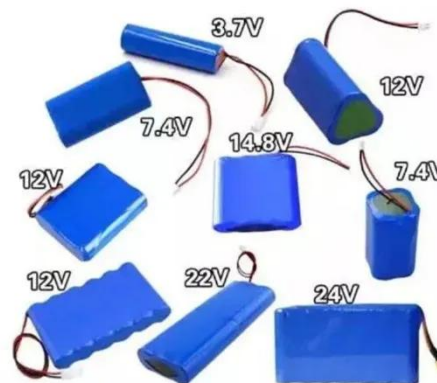
## Solar PV Electrical Safety

In Case of Emergency Involving Solar Panels: Call 911 and notify first responders that PVs are involved. Turn off AC side of solar panels.



## How bad is this ?, I accidentally hit the solar panel : r/SolarDIY

I would compare output to an undamaged panel to be sure, under some sort of load. And also, measure the output of this panel alone (under load), then place a shadow (e.g., a small piece of ...



## Residential solar panel fire attack: Your questions

## answered

With a solar panel, you just need to extinguish the fire. So, if you're just fighting a fire that involves solar panels and nothing else, you've got metal, glass and plastic - foam's not



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## Photovoltaic Safety for First Responders

Contact building officials to see where PV systems are installed. Request to be notified when new PV is installed.

## What Happens If You Damage A Solar Panel?

This article explores the consequences of damaging a solar panel, the types of damage that can occur, and the best

ways to mitigate these risks.



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