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## Overview

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Solar grazing is an innovative practice gaining momentum across the United States, where sheep graze beneath and around solar panels on solar farms. Solar shepherds, who manage sheep grazing under solar panels, are part of a growing movement that combines agriculture and renewable energy — and offers high incomes in the process. That is more than 75% of the area of Manhattan. Solar advocates in the state have dreamed of transforming derelict coal mines into solar power plants since 2011, if not before, with little to show for it. Lara, who studied animal science at Universidade de São.

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### Behind America's Largest Solar Grazing Agreement

Enel's award-winning solar grazing agreement puts 13,000+ sheep managing vegetation on solar farms, embracing agrivoltaics at industrial scale.

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### Solar Grazing with Sheep -- A Win-Win for Renewable Energy and

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## Ranchers discover unexpected use for sheep that could deliver major

Known as agrivoltaics, or solar grazing, this practice controls vegetation under and around solar panels to make them more efficient while supporting agriculture.

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## Sheep Grazing: The Future of Sustainable Solar Farms

Today's solar companies are turning to flocks of sheep to trim grass and control weeds under solar panels. These eco-friendly grazers easily navigate narrow

panel rows, cutting ...

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### Grazing 'solar' sheep offer lucrative solution for farmers, Western

"Agrivoltaic sheep are a simple and easy solution for the co-existence of agriculture and solar energy on Canadian farms. The sheep like the shade, plus the solar panels increase grass ...

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### Sheep Make The Case For Solar Power In Deep Red Coal State

At one time, the five-acre array was billed as the largest solar power plant in West Virginia, and now it also hosts sheep during the grazing season, from April to October.

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### Sheep and Solar: A Perfect Match

Solar energy and sheep can coexist--and even benefit from each other. If you're driving on I-74 on your way to Biscoe, North Carolina, you'll likely catch a

glimpse of a field of solar panels ...

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### **The Bright Future of Agrivoltaics: Harnessing Solar Power and Sheep**

One of the most successful and scalable applications of agrivoltaics is solar grazing with sheep. Instead of relying exclusively on mechanical mowing, herbicides, or bare ground beneath ...

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