

# GALA Solar Plant



Avangrid Renewables doubled our commercial solar fleet with the Gala Solar Plant in Oregon reaching commercial operation in October, 2017. The 56 MW facility joins a 30 MW project in Colorado and a 20 MW project in Arizona, each of which has a long-term power purchase agreement. Additionally, Gala bolsters our substantial renewable energy footprint in the Pacific Northwest, which features 13 wind farms in operation or under construction with a total capacity of 1,500 MW.



#### Location:

- Prineville, Oregon
- Vacant high desert land
- Minimally grazed
- Non-arable 400 acre parcel

Like many of our renewable projects in the U.S. and around the world, Gala combines proven equipment with advances in technology. This project represents the third time we've worked with SunPower technology, and Gala features the first commercial deployment of their latest Oasis tracking system, of which two GW are in use or under construction around the world. With nearly 16,000 piles holding up the high efficiency panels and more than 1,700 single axis trackers, the plant tracks the sun via a smart controller that actively manages its own current flow and adjusts to maximize it constantly throughout the day.

Our expertise as one of the nation's leading wind farm developers has uniquely prepared us to develop and operate commercial-scale photovoltaic projects. At the peak of construction, roughly 150 people worked to build Gala, and now nearly 160,000 SunPower E-Series 435w panels stand on the project's footprint.

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