TRIBAL RENEWABLE ENERGY WORKSHOP SEPTEMBER 7, 2016

Opportunities Created by Recent Developments in Energy Policy, Economics, and Marketing



FIRST SOLAR – ENABLING A WORLD POWERED BY CLEAN, AFFORDABLE SOLAR ELECTRICITY



Over 13.5GW sold worldwide and over 3.2GW contracted pipeline



Cost competitive with conventional energy sources today



Partner of choice for leading utilities and global power buyers

Driving innovation across entire value chain and plant solution



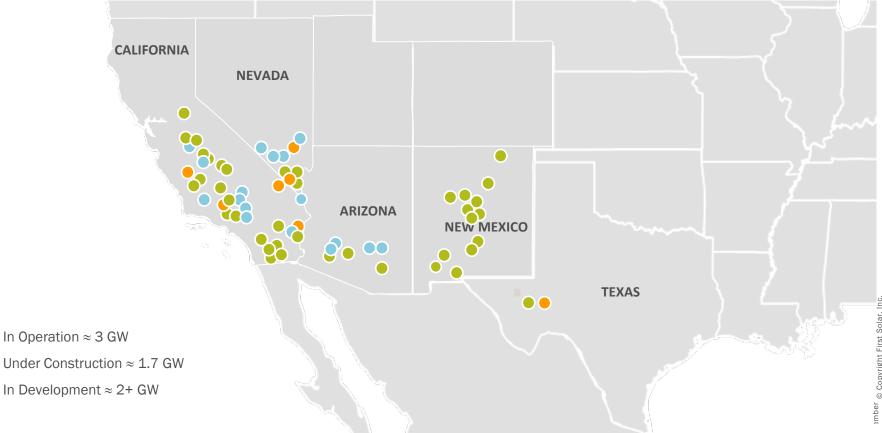
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Strongest financial stability & bankability in the industry

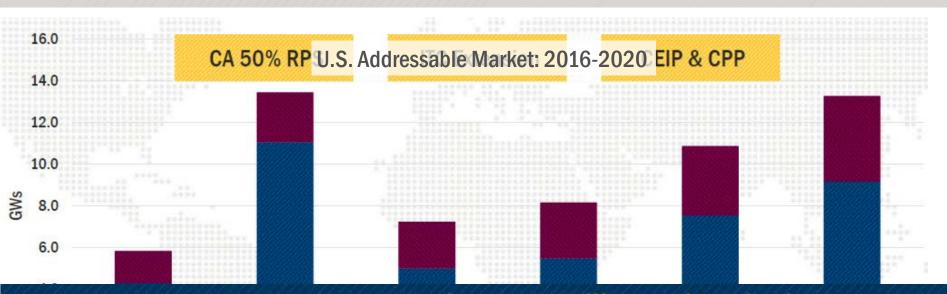


Founded in 1999 and publicly traded on Nasdaq (FSLR)

OVER 6 GW OF FIRST SOLAR TECHNOLOGY IN WESTERN U.S.



MANY DRIVERS OF CONTINUED DEMAND EMERGING - THE FUTURE IS BRIGHT



"...non-RPS drivers are all emerging because utility-scale solar has become dirt-cheap for utilities (and large corporate customers too)"



Demand Source: GTM Global Demand Model (Q1 2016)

LARGE SCALE PV IS DRIVING GROWTH – COSTS DECLINED 82% IN SIX YEARS

Unsubsidized Levelized Cost of New US Generation (\$/MWh)

ALTERNATIVE ENERGY	Solar PV Rooftop	\$18	4	\$300			
	Solar PV Rooftop C&I	\$109	\$193				
	Solar PV- Crystalline	\$58 \$70					
	Solar PV- Thin Film	\$50 ∎ \$60					
	Geothermal	\$82 🗾 \$11	7				
	Wind	\$32 \$77					
CONVENTIONAL ENERGY	Diesel Generator		\$212	\$281			
	Gas Peaking	\$1	65 \$2	18			
	Nuclear	\$97	\$136				
	Coal	\$65	\$150				
	Gas Combined Cycle	\$52 \$78					
	\$	0 \$100	\$200	\$300	\$400	\$500	\$600

INDUSTRY LEADER IN PARTNERING WITH TRIBES ON SOLAR DEVELOPMENT – 760 MW



