

# Developing Indonesia as a Solar Export Hub: An Investment Case for the ASEAN Market

Technical analysis of turnkey manufacturing opportunities for institutional investors in ASEAN renewable energy infrastructure.

Refining the Turnkey Concept: Expert Framework Appraisals and Long-Range Operational Metrics from J.v.G. Technology GmbH.





# Analysis Framework

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# Indonesia's Solar Investment Context



## Market Potential

- 3,200 GW solar potential
- 0.7 GW currently installed
- 23% renewable target by 2025



## Regulatory Framework

- TKDN compliance required
- 40% minimum local content
- Government project access



## Strategic Position

- Regional export hub potential
- ASEAN market access
- Industrial base advantages

# TKDN Compliance Strategy



## Protected Market Access

- Separate market segment
- Import barriers for compliant manufacturers
- Sustained competitive advantage



## Industrial Development

- Domestic manufacturing ecosystem
- Skilled job creation
- Technology transfer benefits



## Government Projects

- PLN tender qualification
- 40% TKDN threshold
- Administrative compliance requirements

# TKDN Calculation Methodology

Cost-based approach managed by Indonesian Ministry of Industry measuring local component utilization in manufacturing.

## Materials Component

- Indonesian supplier sourcing value
- Aluminum frames and solar glass
- Junction boxes and cables

## Labor & Overhead

- Local workforce costs
- Factory operational expenses
- Production overhead allocation

# Bill of Materials Strategy

## Local Components

- Aluminum frames: Domestic extrusion industry
- Solar glass: Tempered low-iron glass suppliers
- Junction boxes: Growing local supplier base
- Packaging: Cartons and pallets available locally

## Imported Components

- Solar cells: High-efficiency cells from abroad
- EVA encapsulant materials
- Backsheet films from international suppliers
- Specialized polymer components

# Factory Configuration: 50-100 MW Capacity

## Production Line

- Semi-automated turnkey system
- TKDN optimization design
- Quality control integration

## Location Strategy

- Java proximity to Jakarta
- Port access advantages
- Skilled labor pool availability

## Supply Chain

- Indonesian supplier qualification
- Local sourcing integration
- Quality standards compliance

## Certification

- Independent audit preparation
- PT Surveyor Indonesia process
- DGNRE submission readiness



# Investment & Implementation

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## Infrastructure Development

- Site preparation and utilities
- Building construction
- Workforce recruitment

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## Technology Transfer

- Equipment installation by proven turnkey provider
- Technical training programs
- Local supplier integration

# Certification Process

## TKDN Certification

- Independent entity verification
- Manufacturing process audit
- Local supply chain documentation
- DGNRE submission process

## PLN Market Access

- Technical qualification audits
- Product performance testing
- International standards compliance
- Government project eligibility

# Implementation Timeline

## Months 1-3: Foundation

- Site preparation
- Regulatory compliance
- Supplier qualification

## Months 4-8: Installation

- Turnkey line installation
- Technical training
- Quality systems setup

## Months 9-12: Ramp-up

- Production optimization
- TKDN certification
- Autonomous operation

## Months 12+: Market Access

- PLN certification completion
- Government project access
- Commercial production

# Competitive Positioning

## Protected Market

- TKDN regulatory protection
- Local sourcing complexity barrier
- Manufacturing capability advantage

## Supply Chain

- Domestic manufacturing ecosystem
- Resilient supply networks
- Local partnership opportunities

## Technology Standards

- European quality systems
- Proven implementation methodology
- Technical expertise transfer

## Regulatory Compliance

- LCR policy alignment
- 2025 compliance timeline
- Investment commitment benefits

# Key Project Data

## MW

**Scale**

Annual manufacturing capacity

**Line Type**

Automated solar module  
production

## Months

**Ramp-up**

Training to autonomous operation

**Region**

Indonesia / ASEAN

## Million USD

**Investment**

Typical export-oriented factory range

**Source**

PVKnowHow / An experienced  
European turnkey provider

# Strategic Investment Assessment

## Market Opportunity

- 3,200 GW solar potential
- 0.7 GW current installation
- Substantial manufacturing demand

## Protected Access

- TKDN compliance advantage
- Proven turnkey methodology
- Reduced operational risks

## Operational Framework

- 9-12 month autonomous operation
- Comprehensive training support
- Technical excellence standards

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