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<div class="df\_qntext">Are residential solar companies scaling back hiring and bracing for layoffs?

In particular, residential solar businesses are widely understood to be scaling back hiring and bracing for layoffs. Few formal announcements of employment curtailments have yet come to light, however, as some companies choose to quietly usher workers out the door.

<div class="df\_qntext">What happened to PosiGren solar company?

PosiGren Solar Company layoffs impacted nearly all of their employees in Connecticut due to significant financial difficulties, NBC Connecticut reported. Clean energy project specialist LevelTen Energy is laying off 60 workers, effective August 15, a filing indicated.

<div class="df\_qntext">How will Siemens layoffs affect the EV industry?

Siemens layoffs will impact more than 6,000 jobs across the company's automation business and electric vehicle (EV) segments, Smart Energy reported. Breakthrough Energy, the climate-focused global initiative created by Microsoft founder Bill Gates, has cut dozens of staff, according to The New York Times and a follow-up report from GeekWire.

<div class="df\_qntext">Who will be affected by IBM layoffs?

IBM layoffs may include certain employees from the company's corporate social responsibility teams, The Register reported. Siemens layoffs will impact more than 6,000 jobs across the company's automation business and electric vehicle (EV) segments, Smart Energy reported.

<div class="df\_qntext">How will ChargePoint layoffs affect employees?

ChargePoint layoffs will impact 15% of company staff at the electric vehicle (EV) charging company, according to an SEC filing. Revenue was \$108.5 million in Q2 of fiscal 2025, down 28% from \$150.5 million in Q2 of fiscal 2024. This ChargePoint's second round of layoffs in 2024; the earlier job cuts were in January.

<div class="df\_qntext">How many employees will Blue Ridge Power lay off?

Blue Ridge Power, a solar energy engineering and construction company, plans to lay off more than 500 employees, according to Business North Carolina. Rivian layoffs will impact roughly 1.5% of employees. (Source: The Wall Street Journal) Land O'Lakes layoffs will impact 30 Truterra employees.

However, researchers at ANBOUND believe that the shipping industry's downturn reflected by Maersk's significant layoffs may be different from the typical industry cycle changes.

The layoff numbers stand at a total of 87,000 people, from five of the biggest solar businesses in China. "The industry has been facing a downturn since the end of 2023," a Morningstar ...



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