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THINKING ABOUT SOLAR POWER?

New Zealand's electricity prices are trending upward as the grid adapts to higher demand. Solar is your best defense.

Innovation and new technologies have led to new ways to generate, store and sell electricity back to the grid. Solar panels, small wind turbines and batteries are becoming increasingly available and affordable.

Any household or business can generate power for their own use and sell the excess back into the grid. It's a great way to generate clean green energy and save on power costs.

Most people opt for rooftop solar panels to generate their own power, as they are relatively easy and low cost to install and maintain.

Research suggests that buyers are willing to pay more for a property with solar panels. Most of the expenses related to solar generation are upfront, so you can start saving money right away if you buy a house with solar panels.

A typical NZ solar system can reduce your grid reliance significantly. In 2026, the ROI is faster than ever due to high retail electricity rates.

Most major NZ banks (ASB, ANZ, Westpac, BNZ) are now offering 1% p.a. (or even 0%) 3-year "Green Loans" or "Better Home Top-ups" for solar and battery installations. We can help you with the quotes needed to secure this ultra-low-interest funding.

Installing now means you can survive the worst of winter, using your battery to avoid the expensive "evening peak" (5 PM – 9 PM) when grid prices are highest.

We are experienced in a wide range of solar installs and can answer any questions you might have. Give us a call or flick us an email today.

Did you know?

The average Kiwi household installing solar saves between \$1,200 and \$2,400 every year on their power bills. With a standard system paying for itself in about 6 to 9 years, that leaves another 15+ years of virtually free, self-generated electricity!

WELCOME TO JACQUI

Welcome to the team, Jacqui! Jacqui recently joined us part-time to keep everything running smoothly behind the scenes. She'll be handling some of our daily operations; from sorting out meeting schedules to keeping our clients, team, and suppliers connected. With her super organised style, she's already a massive help to the whole team. We're so excited to have her on board and can't wait to get to know her better!



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HYPERCORE

Alexandra

❄️ 101 FROSTY DAYS

Full heating capacity guaranteed – even on the coldest days!

*Optional HyperCore Technology available only on K9000R2 models.

Quietly Superior Heat Pumps



ZERO DEGREES OUTSIDE? NO PROBLEM.

Mitsubishi Electric HyperCore Technology

In Central Otago we face consistently below freezing winter temperatures. Mitsubishi HyperCore high wall or floor console heat pumps are designed to cope with this.

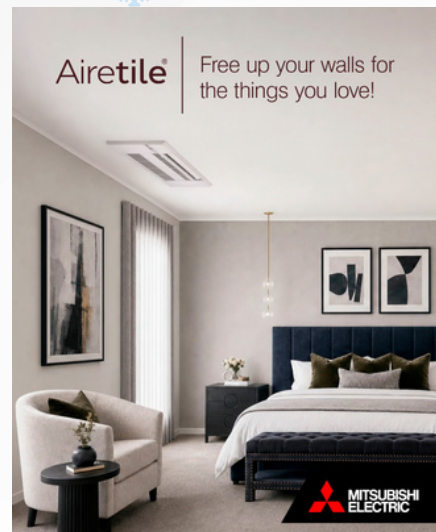
While ordinary heat pumps produce less heat below 7°C, Mitsubishi Electric HyperCore Technology guarantees to continue to deliver its full rated heating capacity even on the coldest days. In fact, they guarantee this right down to down to -15°C, so you stay warm when you need it most.

FREE UP YOUR WALLS FOR THE THINGS YOU LOVE

AireTile Slim Cassette Heat Pump

Delivers the comfort and performance of a traditional wall-mounted heat pump without taking up valuable wall space. Recessed neatly into the ceiling with a contemporary white grille, the AireTile Slim provides discreet heating and cooling while keeping walls free for artwork, windows, shelving and furniture.

At only 185mm high, it fits into tight ceiling cavities where other solutions may not, making it ideal for design-conscious homes, apartments, townhouses and renovations where aesthetics matter as much as comfort.



Airetile | Free up your walls for the things you love!







FROST PROTECTION

Protect Your Pumps and Header Tanks When the temperature drops below freezing, exposed pumps and header tanks are highly vulnerable to frost damage. Electrical frost protection is a simple, set-and-forget solution

that monitors the temperature and applies just enough heat to prevent freezing. Protect your investment and avoid costly winter plumbing emergencies by chatting with our team about a custom frost protection setup.

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With fuel prices and general operating costs remaining high, we want to help you find ways to reduce your expenses. While it is great to see strong returns in the agriculture sector, we recognize the challenge of rising input costs and are here to provide long-term energy solutions.

Solar and Battery Systems

The economic tipping point for solar and batteries has arrived. We can design and install a system tailored to your specific needs, and unlike temporary operators, we are here for the long term to support our installations. If you are unsure about the return on investment, I recommend watching this interview with economist Cameron Bagrie: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BCQXeBwcIKw>

Additionally, many banks now offer low-interest "green" loans, making it more affordable than ever to finance a solar transition.

Hot Water Heat Pumps

For immediate savings, hot water heat pumps offer payback periods as short as three years. Heating water is a significant portion of most energy bills; switching from gas or diesel to an electric heat pump can reduce costs by approximately 75%. If you are currently using diesel, we advise switching to your electric element immediately—please call us if you would like us to walk you through that process. You can learn more about these systems here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cNVrXob8wWU>

Heat Pump Servicing and Installation

To ensure your existing heat pumps remain efficient, they should be serviced regularly. We can perform a full service and add you to our recurring maintenance schedule so you don't have to remember next time. If you do not have a heat pump but are interested in a customized solution for your home, we are happy to discuss your options.

No matter the issue, now is a great time to stay on top of repairs and maintenance. Please get in touch if there is anything we can help you with.

