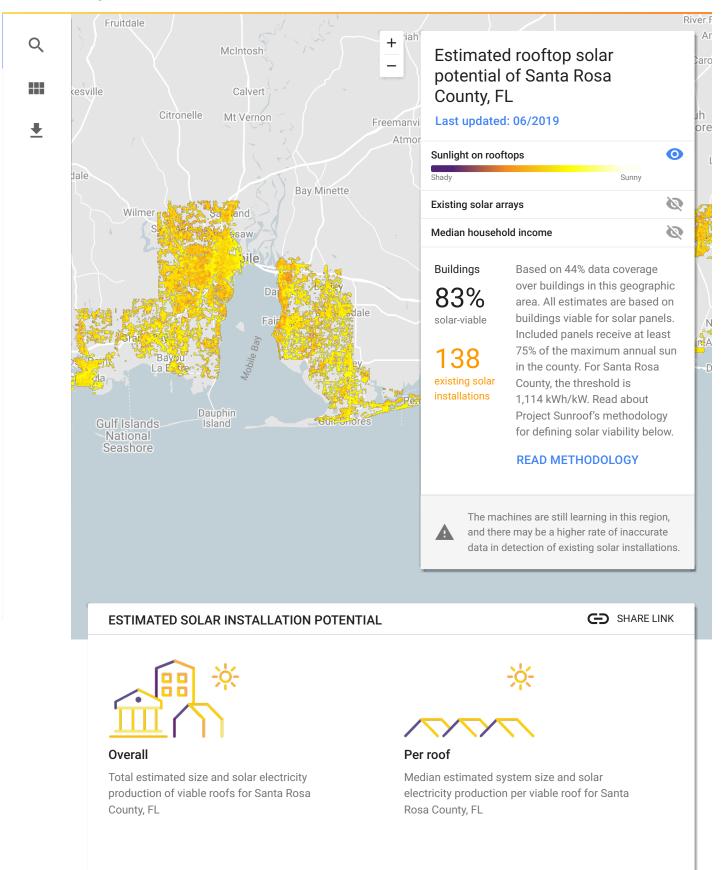
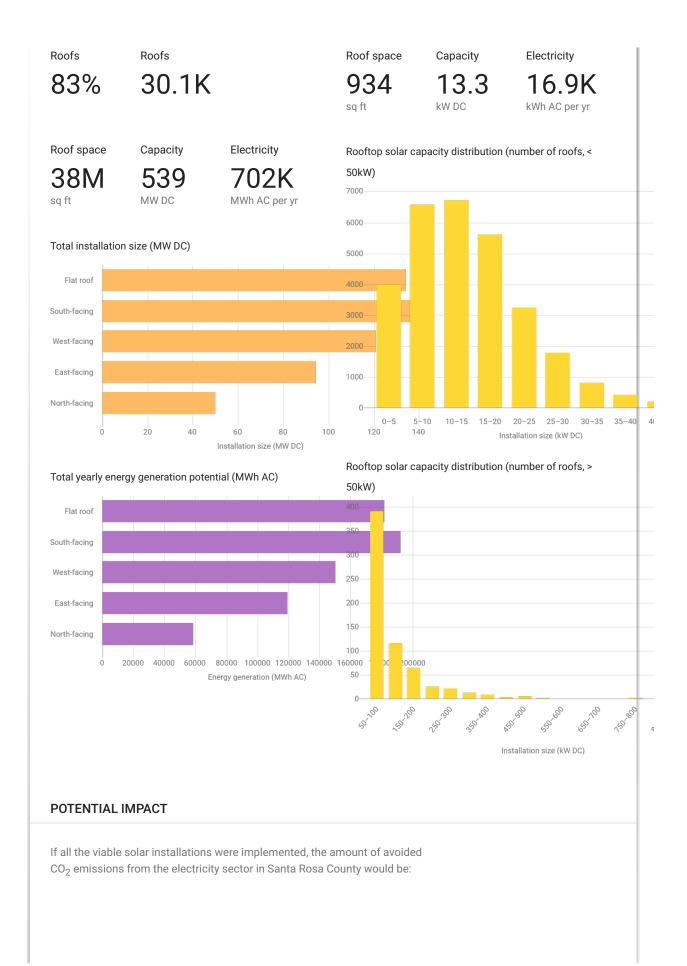
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This tool estimates the technical solar potential of all buildings in a region. Technical potential includes electricity generated by the rooftop area suitable for solar panels assuming economics and grid integration are not a constraint. There are many definitions of technical potential, and other definitions may affect results by 25% or more. Based on Project Sunroof's definition of technical potential, installations meet the following criteria:







Sunlight

Every included panel receives at least 75% of the maximum annual sun in the county. For Santa Rosa County, the threshold is 1,114 kWh/kW.

Installation size

Every included roof has a total potential installation size of at least 2kW.

Space & obstacles

Only areas of the roof with enough space to install 4 adjacent solar panels are included. Obstacles like chimneys are taken into account.

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