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Tamil Nadu Chief Minister MK Stalin officially launched Tata Power Solar's 4.3 GW solar cell and module manufacturing plant on Thursday.

The facility at Gangaikondan SIPCOT in Tirunelveli district, is a subsidiary of Tata Power Renewable Energy Ltd.

With an investment of ₹3,800 crore, the plant is expected to create around 4,000 jobs, said an official announcement.

The facility is India's largest integrated solar manufacturing unit at a single location, and it will operate with an 80 per cent female workforce.

Initially, the solar cells and modules produced here will support Tata Power Solar's ongoing projects, further enhancing its supply chain.

The company also aims to explore wider market distri-



CLEAN POWER. Tamil Nadu Chief Minister MK Stalin inaugurates Tata Power's solar cell and module manufacturing unit at Gangaikondan, near Tirunelveli, on Thursday SHAIKMOHIDEEN A

bution as part of its expansion plans, according to the company's earlier statement.

VIKRAM SOLAR'S PLANT
Chief Minister Stalin also laid the foundation for Vikram Solar's 3 GW solar cell and 6 GW module manufacturing plant at the same location in

Gangaikondan SIPCOT.
The ₹2,574-crore investment will generate around 2,500 jobs. Vikram Solar, headquartered in Kolkata, is one of India's largest photovoltaic (PV) module manufacturers, with a cumulative production capacity of 3.5 GW as of March 31, 2024. The com-

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Stalin inaugurates Tata Power arm's Tirunelveli solar cell unit

TP Solar Ltd, Tata Power's Solar manufacturing arm and a subsidiary of Tata Power renewable Energy, has inaugurated its 4.3 giga watt (Gw) solar cell and module manufacturing facility at Tirunelveli in Tamil Nadu. This is considered as India's largest single-location solar manufacturing facility. Designed to meet India's growing renewable energy demand, it will produce high-efficiency solar cells and modules, contributing significantly to the country's clean energy transition. The plant was inaugurated by Tamil Nadu chief minister M K Stalin.

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Stalin inaugurates India's single-largest solar cell-making unit



Energy impetus: Chief Minister M.K. Stalin inaugurating TP Solar Limited's 430-GW photovoltaic cell and module manufacturing unit on Thursday. A. SHAIKMOHIDEEN

Addressing the event through videoconferencing, TATA Sons chairman N. Chandrasekar thanked the Tamil Nadu government for giving the conglomerate an opportunity to employ women from the region. Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer, TATA Power, Praveer Sinha thanked the government for facilitating the construction of the factory within a record time of two years.

The Chief Minister also laid the foundation stone for Vikram Solar's 3-GW solar cell and 6-GW module manufacturing facility at the Gangaikondan SIPCOT Industrial Growth Centre, entailing an investment of ₹2,574 crore. This facility is expected to employ over 2,000 people.

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4	The New India Express	CM opens India's largest single-location solar plant	07 Feb 25

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CHIEF Minister M K Stalin formally inaugurated the 4.3-GW solar cell and module manufacturing plant of TP Solar Ltd, a subsidiary of Tata Power Renewable Energy Ltd, at Gangaikondan SIPCOT in Tirunelveli district on Thursday. India's largest single-location integrated facility, the plant was set up with an investment of ₹3,800 crore and has created 4,000 jobs, with 80% of the workforce being women, as per an official statement.

After the formal inauguration, the CM visited the manu-



After the formal inauguration, CM M K Stalin visited the manufacturing plant and interacted with the women who make up 80% of its workforce | **V KARTHIKALAGU**

facturing unit and interacted with the women employees. Company authorities then briefed him on the plant's operations. Addressing the event via video conference, Tata Sons

Chairman Natarajan Chandrasekaran thanked Stalin for his support in establishing the facility. "The plant is providing employment to women within a 100-km radius. In the future,

its capacity can be expanded from 4.3 GW to 8 GW," Chandrasekaran said.

The CM also laid the foundation stone for Vikram Solar Ltd's new plant, which will be established at an investment of ₹2,574 crore. The facility will produce 3-GW solar cells and 6-GW modules, creating 2,500 jobs, the statement said.

"Tamil Nadu is the second-largest economy in India and a leading state in production and exports across various sectors. The 2024-25 Economic Survey has praised the state government for its exceptional performance in attracting investments," it added. **P9**

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5	Deccan Chronicle	Stalin opens India's largest PV cell unit	07 Feb 25



Chief Minister M.K. Stalin greets people on his way to the inauguration of two PV cell manufacturing units in Sipcot complex at Gangaikondan in Tirunelveli on Thursday.

Stalin opens India's largest PV cell unit

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Chief Minister M.K. Stalin on Thursday inaugurated the country's largest photovoltaic cells and modules manufacturing unit and laid the foundation stone for another unit in Tirunelveli on Thursday.

The ₹4300-crore solar cells and modules manufacturing facility is put up by TP Solar, a subsidiary of Tata Power Renewable Energy Limited (TPREL) at Gangaikondam Sipkot complex. The unit has a production capacity of 4.3GW solar cells and solar modules. Before inaugurating the facility, Mr Stalin paid floral trib-

ute to the portrait of former chairman of the Tata group late Ratan Tata.

Tata Power managing director and CEO Praveer Sinha said the government facilitated setting up the unit in a record two years after signing an MoU with it. The unit employed 4,000 people of which 80 per cent are women, recruited within a radius of 100 Km from the plant, he said.

The second solar cells and modules manufacturing unit, set up by Vikram Solar in the Sipkot complex at a cost of Rs 1,260 crore, has a manufacturing capacity of 3 GW solar cells and 6GW photovoltaic modules, according to its CEO Ganesh Choudary.

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6	Trinity Mirror	Stalin receives warm welcome in Nellai to unveil projects worth Rs. 6,400 crore	07 Feb 25

Stalin receives warm welcome in Nellai, to unveil projects worth Rs. 6,400 crore

Chennai, Feb 6: Chief Minister Stalin to inaugurate the Tata Power Solar (TP Solar Ltd)'s 4.3 GW solar cell & module manufacturing plant setup at a cost of Rs.3800 crore at Gangaikondan SIPCOT in Tirunelveli district, with employment for 2800 people.

CM will also lay the foundation stone for Vikram Solar's 3 GW solar cell & 6 GW module manufacturing plant to be setup at a cost of Rs.2574 crore, with employment potential for 2500 people.

Majority of jobs at both these facilities would be for women.

Minister K.N. Nehru, District Collector K.P. Karthikeyan, MLA M. Abdul Wahab, and other officials were accompanied Chief Minister during his visit to the factory.

Chief Minister Stalin received warm welcome when he arrived Tirunelveli. He will inaugurate projects worth Rs.6,400 crore and open the Tata Solar Factory.

As part of his field visits across various districts, CM Stalin will participate in multiple events over the next two days in Tirunelveli. Today launched projects worth a total of Rs.6,400 crore, including the Rs.4,400 crore Tata Solar Factory in Gangaikondan

The following day, at a government function held at the Tirunelveli Government Medical College Hospital grounds, the Chief Minister will distribute land title deeds to 40,000 beneficiaries and welfare assistance to 20,200 people.

Large-scale arrangements, including a grand stage and seating arrangements, are underway for the event. Minister-in-charge K.N. Nehru inspected the preparations, accompanied by District Collector K.P. Karthikeyan, MLA M. Abdul Wahab, and other officials yesterday.

CM Stalin will also meet DMK functionaries tomorrow at the Nehru Art Hall in Palayamkottai. Additionally, at a centenary hall event, around 1,000 members from various political parties will join the DMK in the presence of the Chief Minister.

At the Vannarapettai Government Guest House, CM Stalin will meet with fishermen and Mancholai tea estate workers to hear their grievances.

Inaugurates Gangaikondan TP solar power unit, lays foundation for Vikram solar plant

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7	The Press Trust of India	TN CM inaugurates TP Solar cell and module manufacturing plant in Tirunelveli district	06 Feb 25



TN CM inaugurates TP Solar cell and module manufacturing plant in Tirunelveli district

TIRUNELVELI (TAMIL NADU): A 4.3 GW solar cell and module manufacturing plant of TP Solar, established at an estimated cost of Rs 3,800 crore at Gangaikondan SIPCOT industrial estate in the district was inaugurated by Tamil Nadu Chief Minister M K Stalin on Thursday.

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Tamil Nadu CM inaugurates Tata Power's 4.3 GW solar manufacturing unit in Tamil Nadu

Tamil Nadu Chief Minister Thiru M.K. Stalin, formally inaugurated the plant in the presence of Thiru T.R.B. Rajaa, Minister for Industries & Commerce, Dr. Praveer Sinha, CEO and MD, Tata Power, and Deepesh Nanda, CEO and MD, Tata Power Renewable Energy Limited

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Tamil Nadu Chief Minister MK Stalin (File photo | Ashwin Prasath, EPS)

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TN Chief Minister formally inaugurates 4.3 GW solar cell, module manufacturing plant in Tirunelveli

The 4.3 GW solar cell and module manufacturing plant, India's largest single-location integrated facility, commenced production last year with 80% of women workforce.

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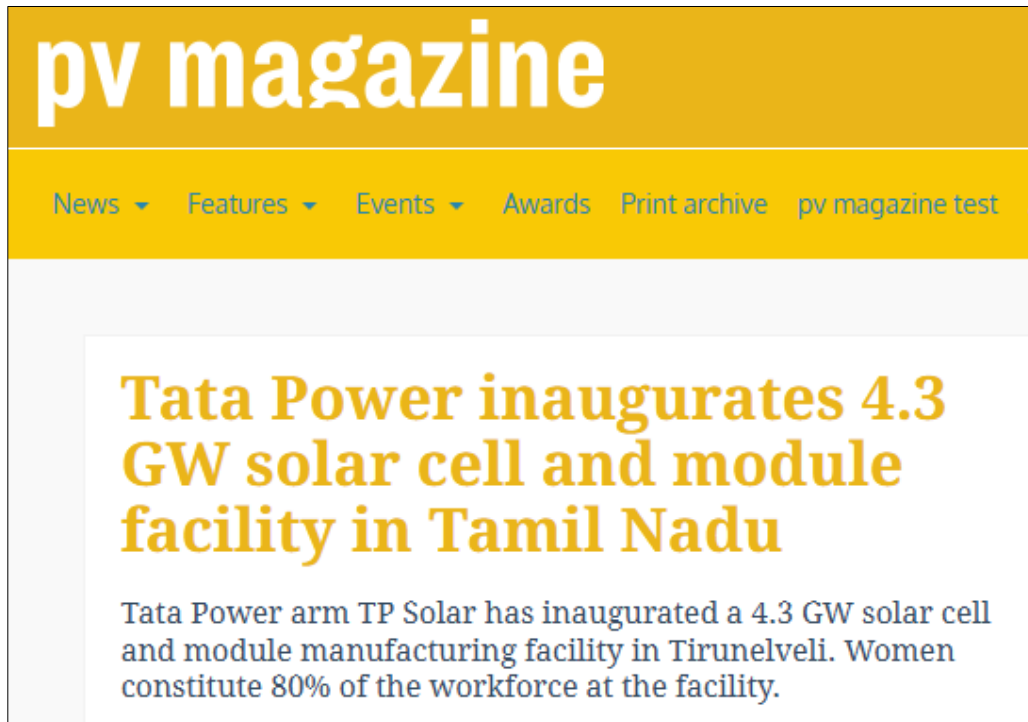
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The factory is expected to boost the State's potential in the already booming manufacturing sector, a release issued by the State government said

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Dr. Praveer Sinha, CEO & MD, Tata Power, said: “We are immensely proud to launch this advanced solar manufacturing facility, which is a testament to Tata Power’s commitment to building a sustainable and self-reliant India.

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Solar Cell making facility significant milestone in RE journey : TP Solar

Chennai, Feb 6 (UNI) TP Solar Ltd, Tata Power's Solar manufacturing arm and a subsidiary of Tata Power Renewable Energy Limited, on Thursday said the inauguration of its 4.3 GW solar cell and module manufacturing facility by Chief Minister M K Stalin in Tirunelveli district marked a major milestone in its Renewable Journey (RE) and designed to meet India's growing RE demand.

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Tamil Nadu Unveils India's Largest Solar Manufacturing Revolution

Tamil Nadu's Chief Minister, M K Stalin, inaugurated a large solar manufacturing plant by TP Solar, part of Tata Group, enhancing job opportunities and highlighting the state's economic prowess. The plant, along with Vikram Solar's upcoming unit, strengthens Tamil Nadu's renewable energy sector and focuses on women employment.

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The CM also laid the foundation stone for Vikram Solar's three GW solar cell and six GW module manufacturing facility, worth Rs 2,574 crore, which will provide employment to 2,500 people. Tamil Nadu is recognised for its strong

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