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IEA topics covered	Solar PV
Geographical focus:	UK
Brief Abstract:	The roadmap is the first part of a two part Strategy process set out by the UK Government that primarily focuses on the policy aspects of the UK Solar PV industry.

OUTPUTS	
Short Report?	
Major report?	yes
Visualisations?	
Information held on dedicated software?	
- which package?	

ARCHITECTURE	
Timescales used:	2013-2020
Trends and drivers?	
- list	Job creation; LCOE reduction; industry challenges; financial support mechanisms
Enablers?	
- list	Industry has the potential to create thousands of jobs; focused effort to reduce LCOE by 20% by 2020
Performance measures/targets?	No
- list areas	
Mapping of RD&D activities?	no
Critical assessment of capabilities?	

PROCESS	
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Methods used:	
- Desk study?	yes
- Consultation	
- Interviews?	
- Facilitated workshop(s)	
- Working groups/task force	
- Integrated Process	
Stakeholders engaged:	
- University based researchers	
- Other public sector researchers	
- Business – technology	
- Business – other	
- Government - energy	yes
- Government – SET	
- Government - other	
- NGOs	
No of people engaged:	
Budget (if known):	
Commitment to re-visit?	yes

ACTIONS IDENTIFIED	
List of actions?	yes
Actions listed according to timescale?	No
Actions prioritised?	No
Sequencing/dependencies identified?	No
Responsibility for actions identified?	All for DECC
Types of actions identified:	
- Basic research?	
- list areas	Cost reduction;collaboration; PV policy
- Applied research?	
- list areas	Grid systems balancing
- Development & demonstration	
- list areas?	
- Other types of action?	
- list other types	

This Roadmap Characterisation was compiled by Samantha Quinn of the University of Edinburgh in April 2014

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