



## 5 low-budget gadgets to personally experience solar energy

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When installing solar panels, you are free to use the electricity produced in which ever way you want. However solar powered devices generate electricity for a specific purpose.

Solar powered devices range from flashlights and backpacks to [cars](#) and [velomobiles](#)

The solar powered car is probably out of most people's price range.

While deciding whether or not to install solar panels on your rooftop, here are a few solar powered gadgets to inspire you to start or continue welcoming the sun.



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### 1 Solar Backpacks.

There are the [Birksun](#) and the [Voltaic Converter Solar Daypack](#). Solar modules outside of the backpack convert sunlight to electricity. About 3 to 4 Watts of power allows you to charge your electronic devices via a built in USB port. You can even store electricity for use anytime. The manufacturers want to have a small impact on overall CO2 emissions by mobilizing people to make use of the sun.



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### 2 Flashlights for light and power.

The [Jumbo Flex Light & Mobile Solar Charger](#) and the [wakaWaka](#) practically work the same: LED light and charger in one. WakaWaka differentiates itself because it especially contributes to the improvement of the lives of less fortunate people lacking access to electricity. Every WakaWaka bought in the West, means a free one for people living off-grid.

### 3 Keyboards

Logitech has designed a [solar powered wireless keyboard](#) that gets charged by light. [Xcellion](#) also has a similar version. The keyboard is charged by natural and artificial light and is kept charged for hours. The Solar App guides in boosting energy reserves and getting insight into the amount of electricity which is produced.

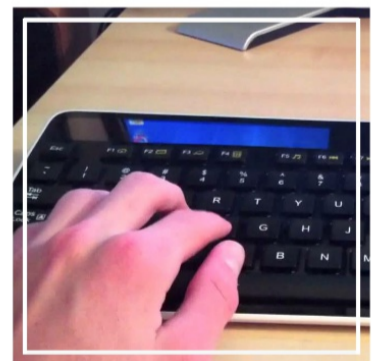


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### 4 Executive give away wind turbine.

The [wind turbine](#) spins whenever sun lights shines on the solar panel. A similar technique is possible with the [Solar Windmill](#) whereby the mill starts to turn on contact with sunlight. This makes an interesting give-away item to waw your clients and prospects.

### 5 Solar powered Bluetooth speaker.

The [ETON RUKUS](#) Solar- powered speaker can be connected via Bluetooth to any device and is at the same time a smartphone charger. A perfect outdoor companion would be the [Honeywell Solar Speaker](#) which is water resistant, lasts up to 8 hours on one charge and works with a wide range of devices, wirelessly.



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Less use of electricity means a better planet for the generations to come. We can all contribute to that goal, it's the sum of small efforts that will make a difference. Start today and choose what works best for you!