

*Specifications:*

**Location:** Honaunau, HI

**Date Completed:** Spring 2009

**System Size:** 3,780W DC

**Modules:** 18 Suntech STP210

**Charge Controllers:** 3 Outback Power FlexMax80

*Description:*

The 3.78kW solar electric facility is installed on the slightly pitched corrugated metal roof of the support building for the cell tower. The system consists of 18 solar modules and three Outback Power FlexMax 80 charge controllers. The system feeds directly into the facilities existing DC electrical system, supplying power to the electronics and charging the backup batteries. The system was specially designed to compensate for intermittent/transient shading issues that exist at the site as well as a dual orientation array.

Verizon Wireless is able to reduce their demand for grid power, extend their operational uptime during grid power outages and prolong the life of the batteries with the addition of the photovoltaic system.

**CASE STUDY**

**Verizon Wireless  
Honaunau Facility  
Honaunau, HI**

*About Island Pacific Energy*

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