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The idea is simple: install solar panels over canals in sunny, water-scarce regions where they reduce evaporation and make electricity.

Project Nexus, the first solar panels over irrigation canals in the US, is now online in California, and the project will now be expanded.

Their analysis found that putting solar panels over the 4,000 miles of California's open canals could save up to 63 billion gallons of water annually -- enough to meet the needs of 2 million ...

In February, TID announced Project Nexus, a pilot project to install 5 megawatts of solar panel canopies over our existing irrigation canals - the first project of its kind in the nation.

The \$20 million experiment, dubbed Project Nexus, is funded by the state of California and will assess whether solar panel canopies erected over exposed irrigation canal systems can significantly reduce ...

A study conducted by the IKAIC in Khuzestan province, Iran, explored the installation of PV systems on canal irrigation systems. The study indicates a PV system generates 7.22 GJ of solar ...

An irrigation district in California's Central Valley region has installed arrays of solar panels atop a series of canals to demonstrate how such systems can generate electrical power and, ...

A novel project in California demonstrates the many overlapping benefits of solar canals when land is scarce and water is in short supply

Cover as much of California's roughly 4,000 miles of irrigation canals with solar canopies as possible. Brandi McKuin, the lead University of California researcher on the project, says dozens ...



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Two projects in the western US are testing the feasibility of installing solar farms over sun-drenched irrigation canals.

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