

# The first solar glass in western Zurich Switzerland

The first is external movable shading, developed by the Polytechnic of Zurich ETHZ, and the second is the integrated windows solution developed by SUPSI (Fig. 8.10).

In the 19th century, it was observed that the sunlight striking certain materials generates detectable electric current - the photoelectric effect. This discovery laid the foundation for solar cells. Solar cells ...

This thirst for territorial aggrandizement brought about the first civil war in the Confederation (the "Old Zurich War," 1436-50), in which, at the Battle of St. Jakob an der Sihl (1443), under the walls of ...

Second century BC: the first windows made out of transparent mica were inserted in houses in northern Italy, with the aim to increase the use of solar radiation in wintertime.

Swiss scientist Horace de Saussure was credited with building the world's first solar collector, later used by Sir John Herschel to cook food during his South Africa expedition in the 1830s.

In the 7th century B.C., the earliest documented use of solar power emerged as humans discovered that a simple magnifying glass could focus the sun's rays to ignite fire.

Photovoltaics - Historical Development  
 1839 - 1899 Discovery of Basic Phenomena and Properties of PV Materials  
 1950 - 1969 Intensive Space Research  
 1970 - 1979 Establishment of Large Photovoltaic Companies  
 1980 - 1989 First Large Utility-Scale Photovoltaic Systems  
 Solar Cars  
 The First Amorphous Solar Module  
 Highly Efficient Silicon Solar Cells and Thin-Film Solar module  
 Solar Car Races - A New Challenge For Research Labs  
 Third World Projects and New Production Capacities  
 The story of photovoltaics and how it all began in 1839, as a coincidence, just like many other discoveries in the past, such as penicillin, is very interesting reading. The story will take you through some facts, persons and events, which have marked the history of photovoltaics. "Being desirous of obtaining a more suitable high resistance for use at... See more on pvresources .sb\_doct\_txt{color:#4007a2;font-size:11px;line-height:21px;margin-right:3px;vertical-align:super}.b\_dark .sb\_doct\_txt{color:#82c7ff}energy.gov[PDF]The History of Solar - Energy.gov  
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Spectrolab, Inc., and the NREL develop a 32.3% efficient solar cell. The high efficiency resulted from combining three layers of photovoltaic materials into a single cell.

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At Delaware University a photovoltaic-thermal hybrid system, Solar one, one of the first photovoltaic systems for domestic application, was developed. Besides the photovoltaic system, the system also ...

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