



Wind turbine blade transport pad

Do wind turbine blades need to be transported?

Although all wind turbine components require transportation, the blades provide the most formidable challenges because of their ever-increasing lengths. Unfortunately, the blades' manufacturing facilities will not always be close to the wind farm or the single wind generator's final destination.

What are the challenges of wind turbine blade transport?

When it comes to heavy equipment transportation, no one has more experience than the trucking industry. However, the challenges of wind turbine blade transport are unique. Taller wind turbines provide the most efficient wind energy since winds are more reliable and potent in higher altitudes. Larger wind turbines mean longer blades.

How long is a wind turbine blade?

It took nine months to plan the trip. For comparison, the blade length of the turbines heading for the Scottish wind farm is 108 meters, or a whopping 355 feet long! It looks as if heavy-haul companies providing wind turbine blade transport will have their work cut out for them in the future.

How much does it cost to move a wind turbine blade?

It costs roughly \$100,000 and \$150,000 to move a fan blade from a port to a wind farm. However, as blades get longer and heavier, they will require extra work and money to transport. If wind turbine blades get so large that many transportation companies can't handle them, transportation costs will likely skyrocket.

To reduce the environmental impact of this transport, Blade Lifter technology was developed, which uses the inclination of the blades to facilitate their transport.

Transporting wind turbine blades takes special consideration due to the complexity of their size and constraints. Here is everything you should know.

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