



The relative strengths and weaknesses of First Solar INC are analyzed with respect to the market average, including all of its competitors. We analyzed all variables having an effect on the Economic Capital Ratio.

The greatest strength of First Solar INC compared to the market average is the variable Comprehensive Net Income, increasing the Economic Capital Ratio by 101% points. The greatest weakness of First Solar INC is the variable Other Liabilities, reducing the Economic Capital Ratio by 26% points.

The company's Economic Capital Ratio, given in the ranking table, is 331%, being 101% points above the market average of 230%.

<b>Input Variable</b>	<b>Value in 1000 USD</b>
Amortization of Intangible Assets	0
Assets, Current	6,028,832
Assets, Non-Current	759,669
Intangible Assets	82,102
Liabilities, Current	2,254,102
Liabilities, Non-Current	578,180
Other Assets	774,913
Other Compr. Net Income	28,592
Other Expenses	3,282,147
Other Liabilities	951,035
Other Net Income	28,180
Other Revenues	5,219,376
Property, Plant and Equipment	5,675,794
Research and Development	233,421
Selling, General and Administrative Expense	203,759

<b>Output Variable</b>	<b>Value in 1000 USD</b>
Liabilities	3,783,317
Assets	13,321,310
Expenses	3,719,327
Revenues	5,219,376
Stockholders Equity	9,537,993
Net Income	1,528,229
Comprehensive Net Income	1,556,821
BaseVar	25,778,648
ECR before LimitedLiability	331%
Economic Capital Ratio	331%