

## Calamvale Central Shopping Centre set for solar transformation.



Commenting on the installation, Bernie Furtado from Retail First said: "We're pleased to be leading the way among major retail operators in shifting to renewable energy. While Calamvale is our first solar installation, we are committed to reviewing our centres for the suitability of solar systems."

Paul Blake, at OTI Power, said: "It has a been a pleasure to work with YFG Shopping Centre owners and Retail First managers in achieving their first significant solar installation. OTI Power worked in partnership with the respected teams at REC Group and SolarEdge, and together, we look forward to providing a positive outcome for many years."



Brisbane's Calamvale Central will become the first facility in Retail First privately-owned shopping centre portfolio to be powered by rooftop PV solar.

The project carried out by OTI Power involves an 850kW solar array incorporating over 2,300 premium REC Twin Peak solar panels covering a large percentage of the rooftop.

The system is anticipated to generate an average energy saving of 3570 kWh per day, totaling 1.3 million kWh annually.

### **PROJECT OVERVIEW**

# CALAMVALE CENTRAL SHOPPING CENTRE

#### COMMERCIAL ROOFTOP INSTALLATION

Owner:

YFG Shopping Centre

Location:

Brisbane, QLD

Type of Installation:

Rooftop

System Size:

850 kW

**Solar Panel Type:** 

TwinPeak 2 Mono

**Number of Solar Panels Installed:** 

2,313

**Annual Capacity:** 

1,300,000

**Completion Date:** 

end 2019

EPC:

OTI Power Pty Ltd

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