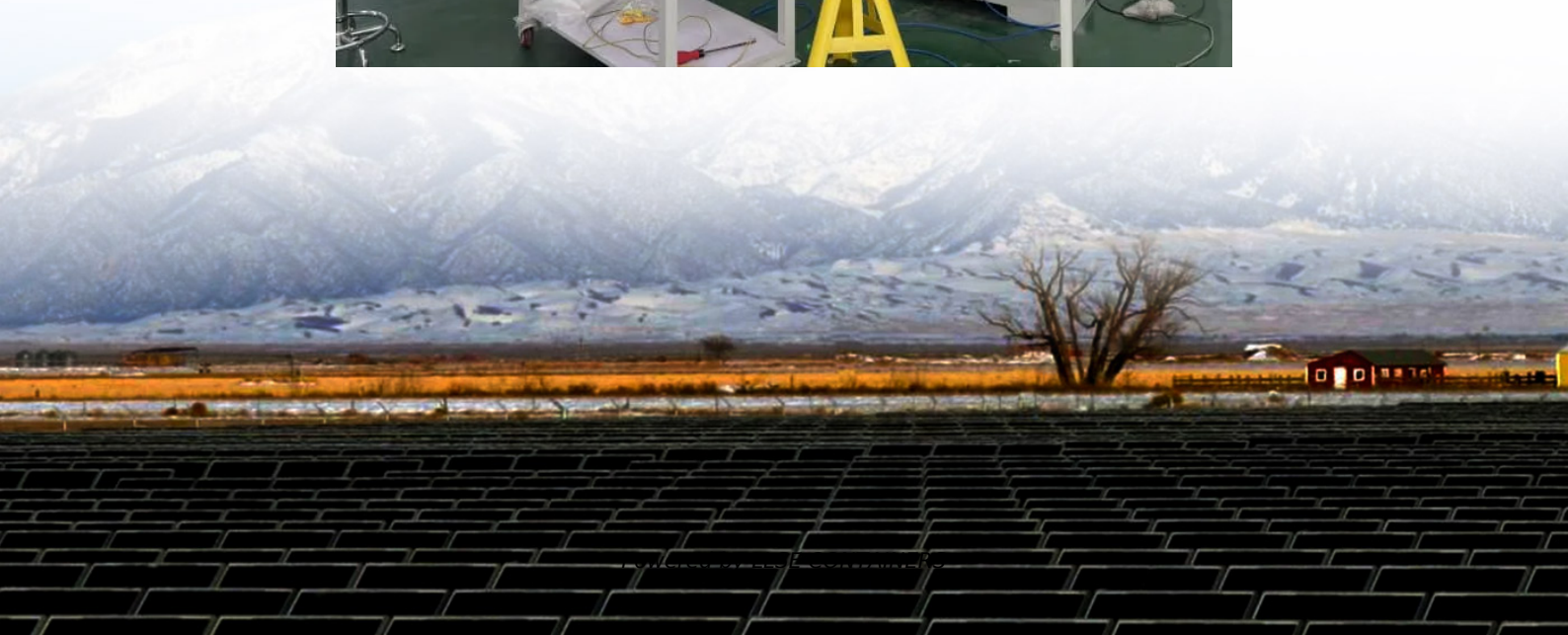


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Overview

How many 5G sites are there in South Africa?

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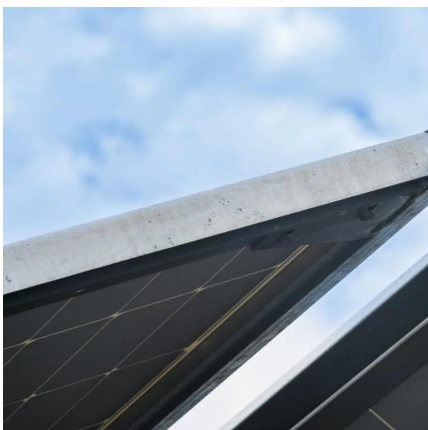


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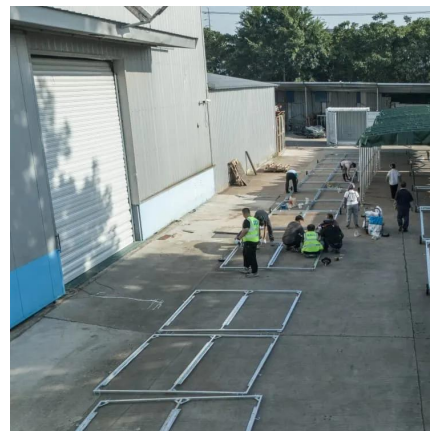


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