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In early October there were prominent gains in the Solar sector as well as Other Renewables (geothermal etc); similarly the stocks increased in Wind, Demand-Side Energy Savings, and Biofuels. However, Energy Savings posted a decline. By mid-month Generation Efficiency, and Power Storage showed most volatility (again upwards) -- while Solar was mainly unchanged.

Third week in October saw declines across most sectors with an exception of Hydrogen & Fuel Cells, yet the Index mainly held gains. Fourth week resumed a strongly upward trend especially in solar. Overall in October the Index increased by +10.7% and it moved across the low to mid-400s, from the month's low of 408 that happened on October 1st to reach a high of 452 neatly on October 31st. The [NEX](#) calculates live in several currencies including in U.S. Dollars, in Euros, Pounds Sterling, & Japanese Yen.

Top 5 Gainers/Losers in October 2007:

Schmack Biogas AG (Germany)	+67.8%
Sunpower (US)	+52.7%
Suntech Power (China)	+47.6%
Yingli Green Energy (China)	+43.2%
Suzlon Energy (India)	+36.4%

Conergy AG (Germany)	-51.5%
LDK Solar (China)	-42.5%
Pacific Ethanol (US)	-16.5%
Arima Optoelectronics (Taiwan)	-15.9%
Novozymes A/S (Denmark)	-14.8%

WilderHill New Energy Global Innovation Index

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