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"We use energy for lighting, as well as powering our server equipment and security systems. We decided to start generating our own renewable energy in 2013 when we moved to bigger premises.

"We installed 200 solar panels with a capacity of 50kW. Last year, we generated 48,000kW, which provided all our electricity and earned us £6,000 in Feed-in Tariff (FiT) payments, whilst saving 25,370kg of $CO_2$.

"Installing solar panels is easily the best decision we've ever made and it's inspired us to introduce more energy saving ideas, including high quality insulation, motion and lumen sensor lighting and on-demand infrared heating. Changing the light fittings reduced our lighting energy use by 90%.

"We've achieved ISO 14001:2004 accreditation for environmental management which has boosted our profile, especially with our clients, who are some of the most technologically advanced companies in the world.

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