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2019's Top ETF Shines Bright

The best-performing ETF of 2019 isn't a tech fund, or a single-country play; it's a renewable power fund.

So far in 2019, the \$344 million Invesco Solar ETF (TAN), a renewable energy ETF that tracks the global solar power industry, has risen a whopping 45.1%. In contrast, the SPDR S&P 500 ETF Trust (SPY) has risen 15.9%.

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But TAN's outperformance isn't just a quirk of its famously brisk <u>securities lending</u> <u>practice</u>. Other renewable energy ETFs are also posting high year-to-date returns, including the \$162 million <u>Invesco WilderHill Clean Energy ETF (PBW)</u>; and the PBW and ... have risen 32.3% and 28.0%, respectively:

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Secret Sauce Is Solar

What unites these three ETFs is an emphasis on solar power. All three ETFs have gotten a substantial performance boost from holdings in ... and ..., whose stock prices have skyrocketed 266% and 132%, respectively, year to date.

... comprises 7% of TAN, 6% of ... and 5% of PBW, while ... makes up 9% of TAN, 5% of ... and 4% of PBW.

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