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Senegal s new energy power station energy storage policy



Overview

The 60 MWp PV plant will be paired with a 70 MWh battery storage system, enabling three hours of grid support during peak demand. The project aims to enhance grid reliability, expand clean energy access and support Senegal's sustainable energy transition. Does Senegal have a battery energy storage project?

The national electric utility of Senegal, Senelec, has signed a 20-year CCA with Infinity Power for a battery energy storage project.

What is Senegal's gas-to-power strategy?

generation and usage of clean energy. The 2018 Gas-to-Power strategy aims to reduce national energy dependence on oil and coal by incentivising investment in gas as a transitional fuel in the energy transition. Several projects are underway to support Senegal's energy ambitions, including the Greater Tortue Ahmeyim (GTA) natural gas project.

Is a solar energy project in Senegal the biggest in West Africa?

Work on a solar energy and battery storage project in Senegal, touted to be the biggest in West Africa once it goes live, is set to begin next month after an EPC (Engineering, Procurement and Construction) contract for its development was recently signed. The Kolda project will encompass a 60MWp PV solar plant coupled with a 90MWh storage system.

When will a solar power plant be built in Senegal?

"This agreement paves the way for the construction to begin in May 2025, with the deployment of a 60MWp photovoltaic plant coupled with a 90MWh storage system." Voltaia is to supply the PV infrastructure for the solar power plant, which will operate on Senegal's national grid managed by SENELEC.

Does Senegal have a stable electricity supply?

In January the World Bank, in a feature on the transformative impact of a

stable electricity supply since the beginning of 2025 in Ndorong Serere – a village located 100km from Senegal’s capital city Dakar – said the country’s commitment to universal electricity access is supported by innovative financing and strategic partnerships.

What is Senegal's energy strategy?

“Senegal’s energy strategy prioritises mobilising \$2 billion in private investments. Recognising that achieving universal access cannot rely solely on public resources, the approach leverages private sector innovation and efficiency to meet ambitious targets,” said the World Bank.

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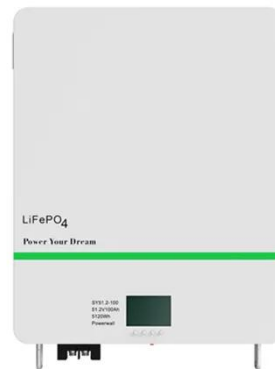
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