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Türkiye coal-to-electricity solar power generation for home use





Overview

Did wind power overtake coal power in Türkiye in 2024?

Wind and solar power in Türkiye permanently overtook electricity from domestic coal in 2024, even surpassing domestic coal power's historic peak. Ember's Türkiye Electricity Review, published for the fourth consecutive year, analyses Türkiye's electricity generation and consumption data in 2024.

How does wind and solar power work in Türkiye?

In recent years, wind and solar were the driving force of electricity generation from domestic sources in Türkiye. In 2024, wind and solar surpassed the peak annual electricity generation of domestic coal for the first time, permanently overtaking domestic coal. In 2024, solar power in Türkiye increased by a record 39% year-on-year.

What are the main sources of electricity in Türkiye?

The shares of resources in electricity generation in 2024 were as follows: Coal: 35.2%, Natural gas: 18.9%, Hydropower: 21.5%, Wind: 10.5%, Solar: 7.5% from Geothermal: 3.2%, Other Sources: 3.2%. By the end of May 2025, the installed capacity of Türkiye has reached 119,271 MW.

How has solar power impacted Türkiye's electricity demand?

The recent increase in solar electricity generation has also played an important role in meeting Türkiye's increasing electricity demand year by year. Electricity demand increased by 5.5% (+18 TWh) in 2024 to reach a record 342 TWh.

How did solar power change in Türkiye in 2024?

Key takeaways from the report are: In 2024, solar power in Türkiye increased by a record 39% year-on-year. This pushed solar's share of electricity to 7.5%, up from 5.7% in 2023. Wind remained steady at 10.7%, close to the previous year's level of 10.6%. As a result, the total share of wind and solar in



electricity generation surpassed 18%.

Are wind and solar energy increasing in Türkiye?

Although wind and solar energy play an important role in meeting Türkiye's electricity demand, they are not increasing at a rate to meet annual increases in power demand. Wind and solar's gains mean that fossil power grew less quickly than it otherwise would have, leading to a decline in its share of Türkiye's power.



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Turning to the sun: Solar rise in Central Europe, Ember

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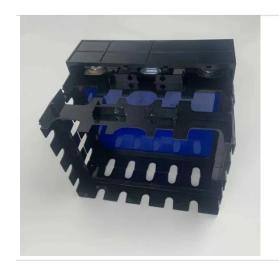
Energy independence only comes with clean

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