

Benin solar power generation and energy storage cost





Overview

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How much does a photovoltaic power plant cost in Benin?

Photovoltaic power plants' levelized cost of energy ranges from 0.11 USD/kWh to 0.125 USD/kWh. Incentives and subsidies could lower the levelized cost of energy and increase solar photovoltaic investment in Benin. About 60.0% of Benin's population currently lacks access to reliable electricity to perform their daily activities.

Can solar power improve living standards in Benin?

The Benin Republic has abundant solar energy resource, which could be harnessed efficiently to increase its access rate to electricity and improve living standards. This study evaluates the techno-economic viability of installing a 10.0 MW utility-scale grid-tied solar photovoltaic (PV) system in seven cities located in Benin.

Does Benin have solar power?

Despite the country's abundant solar resources, only 8.0 MW of solar capacity had been installed by 2017 (Mensah et al., 2022). The cities in the northern parts of Benin have the highest solar energy potential. However, these cities have the lowest access rates to electricity (Odou et al., 2020).

How much electricity does Benin use?

According to the World Bank (2022a), Benin's annual electricity consumption per capita is about 100.225 kWh. This indicates that approximately 131,920 people could be supplied with electricity from the 10.0 MW solar power plant using 13,221.7 MWh as the benchmark.

Is solar energy a viable investment in Benin?

Based on Benin's estimated grid emission factor and the electricity available



for grid export, about 8170 tonnes of CO₂ emissions could be saved every year after installation. Investing in utility-scale solar PV systems can be more economically viable with government support and infrastructure development.

How much energy will Benin save a year?

Without revenues and capital subsidies, the levelized cost of energy ranges from 0.110 USD/kWh to 0.125 USD/kWh. Based on Benin's estimated grid emission factor and the electricity available for grid export, about 8170 tonnes of CO₂ emissions could be saved every year after installation.



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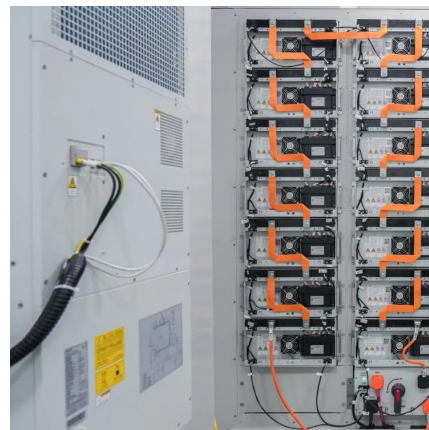
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The country has seen a notable increase in renewable energy supply, particularly from bioenergy and solar power. Despite this progress, Benin still imports a substantial portion of its energy.

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Where is the Benin energy storage power station

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Installation of solar photovoltaic energy storage battery cells in Benin

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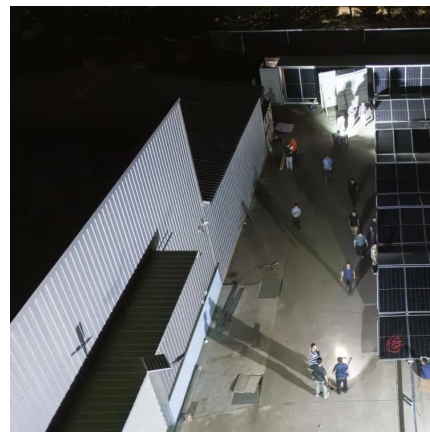
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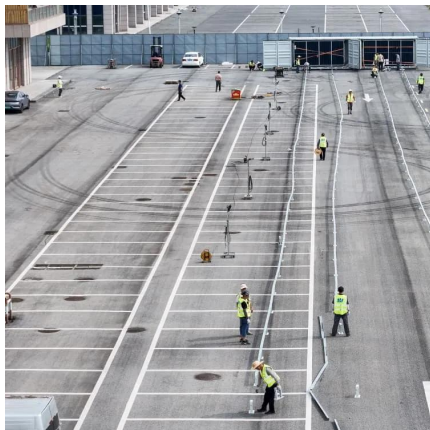
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Techno-economic analysis of a utility-scale grid-tied solar

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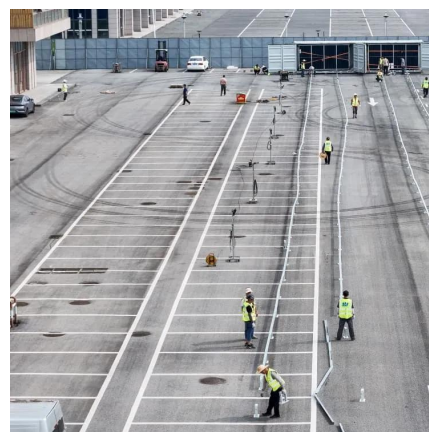
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