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Is wind energy a viable alternative to solar energy in Togo?

Compared to solar energy, wind energy is making a tentative start in Togo. So far it has only been used to pump groundwater. Initial explorations had shown that the Togolese wind resource is not competitive compared to other sources on utility-scale.

How much electricity does Togo need?

A total of 4 million inhabitants in Togo still must be supplied with electricity. Currently, an electrical power of 230,000 kW is produced in the country. It is estimated that in 2030 a total of 100,800,000 kW of electricity will have to be produced to supply the entire population with electricity.

How much wood-energy is consumed in Togo?

Based on the results of the in-depth study on the dynamics of wood-energy use in Togo by UCN REDD+, the volume of wood-energy consumed by households and socio-professional groups is estimated at 7,500,000 m<sup>3</sup>/year. In rural areas, the energy needs of the majority of the households are still met by charcoal and firewood.

Who is responsible for the energy sector in Togo?

Another important player in the energy sector is the Togolese Agency for Rural Electrification and Renewable Energies (AT2ER), a public institution, with financial autonomy. The agency is in charge of implementing the country's rural electrification policy, promoting and developing renewable energies.

At present, the electrical energy produced from biogas plants is classified as renewable energy, which accounts for a total of 0.4% of electrical energy production in Togo.

Based on these examples, developing renewable energy in Togo is not only a necessity to reduce imports for its electricity supply but also to substantially help the country in many angles, including ...

The critical factor in 100-percent renewable energy with no nuclear power depends on the future of utility-scale battery storage. The firm estimated that 1,600 gigawatts of new wind and solar capacity ...

Summary: Togo is emerging as a pioneer in renewable energy storage solutions, with air energy storage

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projects gaining momentum. This article explores current initiatives, challenges, and how ...

Discover how Togo's groundbreaking energy storage projects are reshaping West Africa's power infrastructure while addressing renewable energy challenges. This article explores technological ...

This study proposes a coordinated control technique for wind turbines and energy storage devices during frequency regulation to avoid secondary frequency drops, as demonstrated by Power Factory ...

A utility-scale renewable energy plant using wind and solar combined with battery storage opened last week, a US first, with the potential of powering 100,000 homes with clean, reliable energy ...

The country covers almost 57,000 km<sup>2</sup>. The plains in the north and south are dominated by savannah land, which makes up about 70% of the country. Togo is taking a significant leap forward in its energy ...

Therefore, energy storage systems are used to smooth the fluctuations of wind farm output power. In this chapter, several common energy storage systems used in wind farms such as SMES, FES, ...

By adding a 55 MW battery system, Togo can store the excess energy generated by the Blitta plant during the day and dispatch it during evening peak hours or periods of low solar ...

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