

Botswana s photovoltaic energy storage policy





Overview

Think of PV systems as solar panel rockstars – they need a good drummer (storage) to keep the rhythm. The Botswana Energy Regulatory Authority now mandates minimum storage capacities for new solar installations [4]. Why?

Because even desert sun takes coffee breaks during sandstorms. What is the energy policy in Botswana?

This Policy is calling for an increase in private sector development and the IEP will suggest various available options for financing of infrastructure projects and programs in the energy sector of Botswana. The Policy seeks to provide a conducive legal, fiscal and regulatory environment to attract investment into the energy sector.

How has Botswana developed its energy sector?

Botswana's energy sector developments have, since 1985, been guided by the Botswana Energy Master Plan (BEMP). The BEMP was subsequently reviewed in 1996 and 2002, and ever since the end period of the last review, Botswana's sector development has progressed without any overarching guiding instrument for more than 15 years.

Does Botswana have a guiding instrument for energy development?

A. Introduction Since 1985, Botswana's energy sector developments have been guided by the Botswana Energy Master Plan (BEMP), which was last reviewed in 2002. Since this last review, developments have progressed without any primary guiding instrument for almost 15 years now.

Can Botswana generate electricity from coal?

However, Botswana has ample renewable energy potential to augment generation from coal. Currently, solar energy contributes insignificantly to electricity generation despite the abundance of the resource. There is also wind and coal bed methane potential which have not been fully explored.



What is the main source of electricity in Botswana?

Coal is the main source of electricity generation in the country, followed by diesel. However, Botswana has ample renewable energy potential to augment generation from coal. Currently, solar energy contributes insignificantly to electricity generation despite the abundance of the resource.

Who regulates electricity in Botswana?

Regulation matters are handled by the Botswana Energy Regulatory Authority (BERA). Other actors involved in the sector include private sector, academia and research institutes, non-governmental organisations and communities. B. Situational Analysis Electricity Subsector



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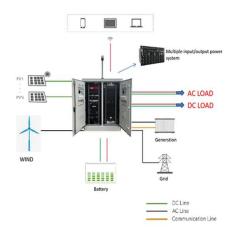
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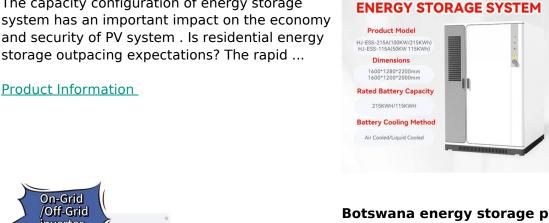
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future land requirements of solar energy obtained for each scenario and region can be put in perspective compared, for example, to the current level of built-up area and agricultural cropland.



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