

# Senegal Energy Storage System





## Overview

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When will a battery energy storage system start in Senegal?

Construction of the battery energy storage system is expected to commence in early 2024 at the Tobène substation in Thies and is expected to become operational in 2025. Once complete, it will be one of the largest of its kind in West Africa, and will help Senegal to avoid approximately 37,000 tonnes of carbon dioxide emissions each year.

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.

Why is battery storage important in Senegal?

Battery storage offers incredible opportunities for Senegal to reap the benefits of renewables, while ensuring people get a secure, reliable supply of energy. We are excited to begin a promising new chapter in Senegal and further strengthen our work in the renewable energy sector.”.

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.

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 Ndong 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.

Is Senegal achieving universal energy access?

With a national electricity access rate of 84%, Senegal is making progress towards universal energy access, yet more than 30% of rural communities remain disconnected from the grid.



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### Senegal, Africa REN launch WALO Solar plus storage system - Energy

Developed by Africa REN at a cost of EUR40 million, the project combines a 16 MW solar photovoltaic plant with a 10 MW/20 MWh lithium-ion battery system to provide grid ...

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### [60MW Battery Energy Storage System in Progress in Senegal](#)

The three companies, The Emerging Africa and Asia Infrastructure Fund (EAAIF), Dutch entrepreneurial development bank FMO, and Deutsche Investitions- und ...

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### EAAIF, FMO and DEG provide EUR 84 million to AXIAN Energy ...

The project will provide clean, reliable energy for 235,000 people in Senegal. Largest photovoltaic with added battery energy storage systems (BESS) project in West ...

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### [West African Dev Bank finances energy storage in Senegal](#)

The West African Development Bank (BOAD) has approved a US\$24 million loan for a solar and storage project in Senegal with a 15MW/45MWh battery energy storage system ...



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## [Construction Starts at Walo Storage Project in Senegal](#)

The lithium-ion battery energy storage unit is the first battery-storage project in West Africa dedicated to frequency regulation and is designed to stabilize Senegal's grid and ...

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The Senegal Battery Energy Storage Project involves a 40MW/160MWh battery energy storage system (BESS) to be built at the Tobane substation in ...

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## [Senegal enters agreement for 160MWh battery energy storage](#)

Senelec, the national electricity company in Senegal, has signed a 20-year Capacity Change Agreement with a private company for 160MWh or 40MW through a battery ...

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Senegal's power sector would be strengthened by continued diversified investment in power, including renewables and natural gas, while phasing out heavy fuel oil. Senegal Energy ...

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Senegal energy storage system diagram The Niakhar Power Station is a proposed 30 MW (40,000 hp) in . The solar farm is under development by Energy Resources Senegal (ERS), a ...

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## **Battery energy storage system for first ancillary services project in**

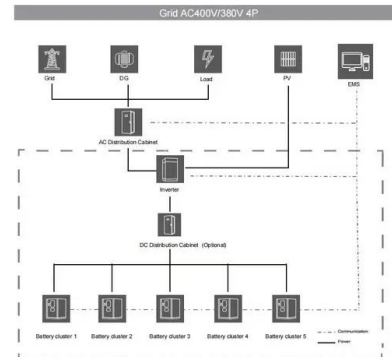
Introducing a battery energy storage system to support spinning reserves into a solar plant in Senegal brings about West Africa's first BESS project for ancillary services.

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