

Kenya lays out solar photovoltaic panels





Overview

In a remarkable move that underscores both opportunity and urgency, Kenya has emerged as the biggest importer of solar panels in East Africa. In the 12 months leading to June 2025, Kenya brought in a staggering 495 MW of solar capacity—nearly two and a half times the 200 MW it imported in 2021. What is the largest solar project in Kenya?

The Garissa solar plant, the largest solar project in Kenya and East Africa, is a \$138 million utility-scale solar photovoltaic (PV) farm located in Garissa County. For more information, explore the Kenya Solar Investment Report 2022, which includes a database of solar projects, investment details, players, and 2022 news per project.

Where is a photovoltaic power plant located in Kenya?

This photovoltaic power plant project in Kenya will be located in the Garissa County, with a preferential loan of 13 billion Kenyan shillings (about 128 million US dollars) by the Export-Import Bank of China.

Why should Kenya build a photovoltaic power plant?

It is expected to generate about 76.473-million-kWh electricity annually, meanwhile, help reduce local carbon dioxide emissions by about 64,190 tons and coal use by about 24,470 tons. Besides, the construction of the photovoltaic power plant project in Kenya will bring huge economic and social benefits along.

Will a 50MW photovoltaic power plant help solve Kenya's electricity crisis?

In the coming days, this project would help resolve the short supply, the uneven distribution and the high price of electricity in Kenya. comment↓ A 50MW photovoltaic power plant project in Kenya will be built in Garissa County, expected to generate 76.473-million-kWh electricity annually.



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Yes, Kenya has a feed-in tariff program that allows you to sell surplus electricity to the national grid. What maintenance is required for a solar PV system? Regular cleaning of ...

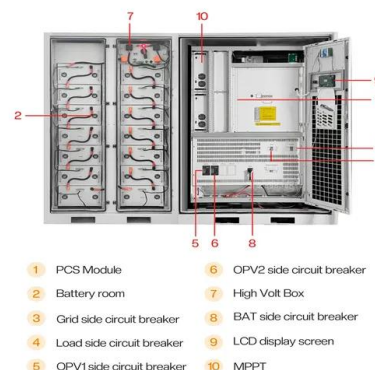
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