

Senegal Centralized Energy Storage Power Station





Overview

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.

When will a solar power plant be built in Senegal?

“This agreement paves the way for the construction to begin in May 2025, with the deployment of a 60MWp photovoltaic plant coupled with a 90MWh storage system.” Voltalia is to supply the PV infrastructure for the solar power plant, which will operate on Senegal’s national grid managed by SENELEC.

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.”.

When will West African energy open a gas power station in Senegal?

West African Energy, a Senegalese energy company, plans to open Senegal’s first and largest 300 MW combined cycle gas power station in January 2024.

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.



What is Senegal's 125 MW coal-fired power station?

Senegal's Sendou coal-fired power station, with a capacity of 125 MW, has surpassed heavy fuel oil generators as the country's most cost-effective source of baseload power. The project, which has been ongoing since 2007, is a regional success. It intends to enhance Senegal's power dependability and cost through a "Build, Own, and Operate" model.



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