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# Benin solar power generation and energy storage cost





## Overview

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How much does a photovoltaic power plant cost in Benin?

Photovoltaic power plants' leveled cost of energy ranges from 0.11 USD/kWh to 0.125 USD/kWh. Incentives and subsidies could lower the leveled cost of energy and increase solar photovoltaic investment in Benin. About 60.0% of Benin's population currently lacks access to reliable electricity to perform their daily activities.

Is solar energy a viable investment in Benin?

Based on Benin's estimated grid emission factor and the electricity available for grid export, about 8170 tonnes of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions could be saved every year after installation. Investing in utility-scale solar PV systems can be more economically viable with government support and infrastructure development.

Can solar power improve living standards in Benin?

The Benin Republic has abundant solar energy resource, which could be harnessed efficiently to increase its access rate to electricity and improve living standards. This study evaluates the techno-economic viability of installing a 10.0 MW utility-scale grid-tied solar photovoltaic (PV) system in seven cities located in Benin.

Does Benin have solar power?

Despite the country's abundant solar resources, only 8.0 MW of solar capacity had been installed by 2017 (Mensah et al., 2022). The cities in the northern parts of Benin have the highest solar energy potential. However, these cities have the lowest access rates to electricity (Odou et al., 2020).



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