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ENERGY PROFILE Djibouti

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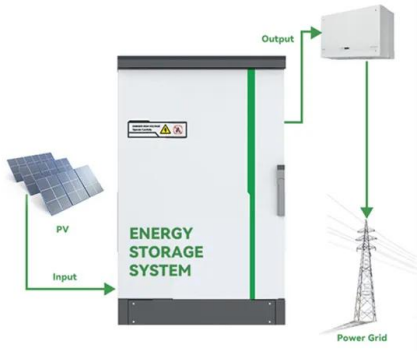
Renewables Readiness Assessment Djibouti

Djibouti's indigenous renewable energy resources can help to meet rising power needs as Djibouti pursues its ambitious Vision 2035 economic development programme. Renewable energy development would also help to address high youth unemployment, creating more jobs per megawatt than conventional installation in the power sector.



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Renewable energy here is the sum of hydropower, wind, solar, geothermal, modern biomass and wave and tidal energy. Traditional biomass - the burning of charcoal, crop waste, and other organic matter - is not included. This can be an important energy source in lower-income settings.

USAID/Djibouti Renewable Energy Activity

Increase Domestic Energy Output: The 35 Megawatts per hour of base-load electricity produced by the Renewable Energy Park will contribute to 30 percent of Djibouti's current energy needs. Generate Jobs: The Renewable Energy Park and five regional transfer stations will generate 140 new white and blue collar jobs.

Djibouti

In Djibouti, 42% of the population has access to electricity. The government's Vision 2035 establishes goals to promote renewable energy source use for electricity generation and to pursue fuel-switching measures from fossil to renewables.

Djibouti looks to renewable energy to boost self-sufficiency and

With significant renewable energy potential, including geothermal, wind and solar, the Djibouti government is looking to increase the share of renewables in the country's energy mix in a bid to lower domestic energy production costs and ultimately increase energy security.

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Renewable and sustainable energy

UNDP is working with the Ministry of Energy and the Ministry of Urban Planning, the Environment and Tourism to promote the use of renewable energy in Djibouti. As required, solar panels can be installed even to operate small businesses, household power, health centers and schools.

Djibouti redesigns energy systems to increase power generation

Djibouti's substantial potential for geothermal electricity generation, along with its rising capacity to produce energy from wind and solar power plants, should help the country reach its goals in coming years. In addition to the growing need for generation capacity, the expansion of renewable energy is key for Djibouti to diversify

its economy.

Energy in Djibouti

According to USAID's Energy sector overview for Djibouti, Djibouti has the potential to generate more than 300MW of electrical power from renewable energy sources, and much more from other resources. Based on 2020 data, Djibouti's national electrification rate reached 42%, (1% in rural areas, 54% in urban areas).

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