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Sierra Leone 20GWh energy storage project





Overview

This landmark initiative, funded by the European Union and implemented by UNOPS and its hosted entity, Sustainable Energy for All (SEforALL), is a significant stride toward Sierra Leone's goal of increasing energy access in rural communities nationwide by 2027, powered by solar mini-grids. How can Sierra Leone improve its low electricity access rate?

Sierra Leone is taking significant steps to improve its low electricity access rate by committing to various renewable energy projects. These initiatives, driven by the country's Presidential Initiative on Climate Change, Renewable Energy & Food Security (PI-CREF), include a major hydropower and solar PV project.

What is in Sierra Leone's energy roadmap?

A key part of the roadmap is to incorporate Sierra Leone's abundant renewable energy resources, ensuring a secure energy supply to rural communities and boosting the national economy. One of the most significant projects in this roadmap is the planned expansion of the Bumbuna Hydroelectric Dam.

Can Sierra Leone double its power output to 12MW?

This station, which currently has a generation capacity of 6MW, has the potential to double its output to 12MW. In addition to the Goma Hydropower Station update, Sierra Leone signed an MoU with the European Union earlier this month to deploy 57 solar mini-grids in rural communities that currently lack electricity.

What challenges does Sierra Leone face in developing electricity infrastructure?

However, Sierra Leone faces multiple challenges in developing its electricity infrastructure. According to the Ministry of Energy, the national electrification rate stands at 26%, with a dramatic drop to 6% in rural areas where the majority of the population resides.



Will Sierra Leone be fully illuminated by 2027?

This limited access impacts healthcare, education and job creation. To address this, the government has set a target to raise renewable energy use to 35 per cent by 2030 and electrify rural areas by 2027. "By 2027, Sierra Leone will be fully illuminated.

Will Sierra Leone's Goma hydropower station be upgraded?

In a recent statement, Sierra Leone President Julius Maada Wonie Bio confirmed his administration's commitment to updating the Goma Hydropower Station. This station, which currently has a generation capacity of 6MW, has the potential to double its output to 12MW.



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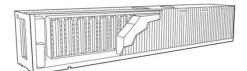
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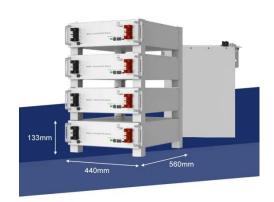
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