

Cyprus wind power system





Overview

The EuroAfrica Interconnector will connect Egypt, Cyprus, and Greece with another 2000 MW HVDC undersea power cable. These projects will allow Cyprus to use cheaper and cleaner electricity from the mainland rather than burn imported oil in less-efficient, dirtier generators. Summary Electricity in Cyprus is managed by the . Power is primarily generated at three fuel oil-burning stations but the use of distributed is expanding.

About 97% of the primary energy use was imported in 2008. However, the European Union RES target (2020) for Cyprus is 13% giving Cyprus an opportunity to promote its own energy production and increase its .

A recent scientific article published in Renewable and Sustainable Energy Reviews in 2014 by Prof. Mete Feridun of in London and his colleagues investigates the long-run equilibrium.

How much solar energy does Cyprus have?

Cyprus is also characterized by an abundant solar energy resource across the whole year: the average global solar can reach 2000 kWh/m². Wind energy is instead quite limited over the island of Cyprus, with an annual average wind speed below 4 m/s in the majority of areas.

How will Cyprus achieve a higher share of renewables?

Cyprus has set out to attain a higher share of renewables, and this roadmap helps to assess optimal investment strategies in the power sector. Solar PV and wind power will play a major role in the roadmap to 2030. Roadmap findings will play an important role to revise existing energy policies and develop new ones.

How does electricity work in Cyprus?

Electricity in Cyprus is managed by the Electricity Authority of Cyprus. Power is primarily generated at three fuel oil-burning stations but the use of distributed renewable energy is expanding. About 97% of the primary energy use was imported in 2008.



Can a long-term energy planning model be used in Cyprus?

In order to examine options for economically optimal deployment of renewable energy in Cyprus under different scenarios, and to understand the potential impact of key policy decisions on the power generation mix, a long-term energy planning model of the current power system in Cyprus was developed.

What percentage of Cyprus' electricity will come from renewables in 2030?

Based on this analysis, between 25% and 40% of Cyprus' electricity supply can come from renewables in 2030, in the economically optimal mix. Solar PV is the predominant renewable energy technology in all scenarios, supplying between 15% and 27% of the electricity consumed in Cyprus in 2030.

How many photovoltaic systems are there in Cyprus?

The number of photovoltaic systems in Cyprus rose by 66% in the year to July 2023, to over 45,000, with a capacity of 256 MW, the systems being used by each customer, including commercial, to reduce their electricity bill through an agreement of net-metering.



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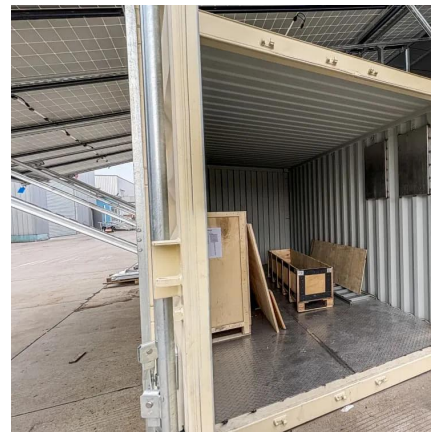
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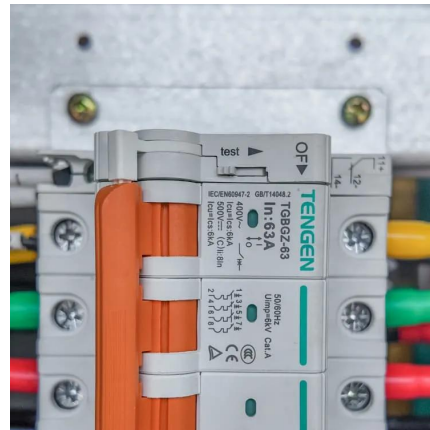
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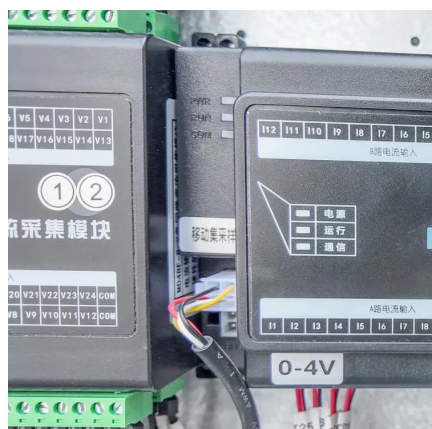
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