

# Paraguay Energy Storage Plan







#### **Overview**

Does Paraguay have a grid-scale energy storage project?

The capital of Paraguay, Asuncion. The country has not announced any gridscale energy storage projects to-date. Image: CC / Mariano Mantel. Investment firms PASH Global and ERIH Holdings have formed a joint venture (JV) to develop utility-scale solar and battery storage projects in Paraguay.

What is Paraguay's energy policy?

The policy is expected to enhance Paraguay's energy resilience, foster innovation, and contribute to global sustainability goals. Paraguay has long been known for its reliance on renewable energy. Nearly 100% of its electricity is generated from hydropower, mainly through the Itaipu and Yacyretá dams.

How to strengthen the energy sector in Paraguay?

1. General energy sector Institutional strengthening: creation of the Ministry of Energy, Hydrocarbons, and Mining (MEHM) by 2024, followed by a plan to strengthen it and the public companies in the sector by 2025. Energy efficiency: creation of the Paraguayan Energy Efficiency Agency (public-private partnership) by 2030.

Will Paraguay reshape its energy landscape by 2050?

The Paraguayan government unveiled a transformative energy policy to reshape the country's energy landscape by 2050. Signed into action by President Santiago Peña, this initiative sets the stage for Paraguay to diversify its energy generation and embrace sustainable alternatives such as solar energy, hydrogen fuel, and biofuels.

How can Paraguay benefit from solar energy?

Solar energy, in particular, is seen as a vital addition, taking advantage of Paraguay's abundant sunlight to reduce pressure on its hydropower resources. The government also plans to harness bioenergy through biomass and



biogases, tapping into organic waste and agricultural byproducts as fuel sources.

Can Paraguay use natural gas as a transitional energy source?

In addition to its focus on renewables, Paraguay is also looking to natural gas as a transitional energy source. The country's new energy policy includes a project to integrate natural gas into its energy matrix. This would provide a reliable alternative to hydrocarbons while renewable technologies continue to scale.



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## <u>Paraguay's National Development Plan</u> 2014-2030

Paraguay established renewable energy target in its National Development Plan 2014-2030. Country's goal is to reach 60% of renewable energy consumption in total energy consumption ...

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## <u>Decarbonization Pathways for Paraguay's Energy</u> <u>Sector</u>

Ground Paraguay's infrastructure transition on four pillars: 1) expansion of renewable energy generation sources, 2) energy efficiency, 3)

#### Alternative energy storage systems Paraguay

This paper analyzes technically and economically an autonomous sodium hypochlorite plant using a renewable energy source and a hydrogen storage system in the Western Region of Paragua

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## How much energy storage does Paraguay need for photovoltaic ...

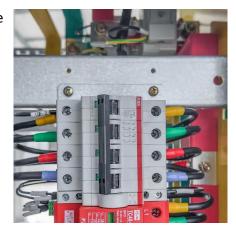
What is the Atlas of the solar and wind energy potential of Paraguay? The Atlas of the solar and wind energy potential of Paraguay is one of the tools developed by Itaipu to make visible data ...

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electrification of end uses, and 4) carbon capture ...

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## Paraguay's Energy Storage Revolution: Powering Beyond ...

With Brazil negotiating new Itaipu energy rates and Uruguay expanding wind storage, Paraguay needs to move fast. Storage isn't just about keeping lights on anymore - it's about claiming ...

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#### Paraguay energy storage large scale

Energy in Paraguay is primarily sourced from hydropower, with pivotal projects like the Itaipu Dam, one of the world's largest hydroelectric facilities. This reliance underscores the need for a ...

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## Paraguay's new energy policy with projections to 2050

The Decree sets out an energy policy plan for Paraguay with a long-term outlook until the year 2050, addressing the need for innovation considering current challenges in the energy sector ...

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## Paraguay's Bold Energy Vision: Shifting to Renewables by 2050

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## <u>Paraguay's National Development Plan</u> 2014-2030

Country's goal is to reach 60% of renewable energy consumption in total energy consumption by 2030. Additionally, Paraguay aims to reduce by 20% consumption of fossil fuels in country's ...

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