

## Uzbekistan Energy Storage Project Investors







#### **Overview**

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Who is the biggest investor in Uzbekistan's energy sector?

ACWA Power is already the largest investor in Uzbekistan's energy sector, with over 13 GW of projects under development. "Today, we reiterate our support for the country's energy transition through advanced battery storage solutions.

Is Saudi Arabia launching a battery energy storage system in Uzbekistan?

This year has seen battery storage announcements from the Central Asian nation coming thick and fast. Saudi Arabian developer ACWA Power has signed a binding implementation agreement with the Ministry of Energy (MoE) of Uzbekistan to develop up to 2 GWh of standalone battery energy storage system (BESS) capacity across the country.

Who is sponsoring Uzbekistan's solar energy projects?

ACWA Power will act as the sponsor for the projects, while Sumitomo Corporation will be a co-sponsor. In 2024, ACWA and Sumitomo sealed a joint development agreement to develop 2.5 GW of renewable energy projects with 968 MW of battery storage in Uzbekistan, representing a combined investment of USD 4.2 billion.

How will Uzbekistan improve its energy security?



"This project will enhance Uzbekistan's energy security through the use of innovative solutions and technologies," noted Marco Mantovanelli, World Bank Country Manager for Uzbekistan.

Who will sell electricity to in Uzbekistan?

The project company is committed to selling electricity to the state-owned National Electric Grid of Uzbekistan JSC under a 25-year Power Purchase Agreement for the project, including a 10-year operating term for the BESS component, signed by these two entities.



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## Masdar & Uzbekistan sign agreement to develop clean energy

Leading clean energy company - Masdar - signs joint development agreement with Uzbekistan to develop solar, wind, and battery energy storage projects On track to ...

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### Chinese Investors to Launch Renewable Energy Projects in Uzbekistan...

Additionally, the country plans to implement energy storage solutions with a capacity of 1,800 MW. These projects not only reflect Uzbekistan's

#### EBRD Considers Loan for ACWA's Gigawatt-Scale Solar-Storage Projects ...

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### Marketwatch: Uzbekistan storage set to boom due to Middle ...

Uzbekistan is expected to have one of the fastest growing storage markets in the world in the coming years, with the nation's government having set a target of 4.2GW of ...

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#### commitment to transitioning ...

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# EBRD finances the largest battery energy storage system in ...

EBRD financing of US\$ 229.4 million supports major renewable energy project in Uzbekistan Funds to facilitate construction of a battery energy storage system and a solar ...

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### In Uzbekistan, Proparco finances a solar PV plant and the largest

Proparco, alongside EBRD, KfW, DEG, IsDB and Standard Chartered Bank, participates in the financing of the Tashkent project, a 200MW solar plant and a large-scale ...

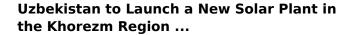
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The projects include Sazagan 1 and 2 located in Samarkand - each consists of 500MW of solar and 334MW of battery energy storage.
Uzbekistan now represents ACWA ...

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The World Bank has approved \$3.5 million in financing for Uzbekistan in the form of a payment guarantee to support the country's development of renewable energy.

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**ACWA Power Signs Power Purchase and** 

By incorporating BESS into the grid, Uzbekistan will soon have the largest battery energy storage facilities in the region which will play a crucial

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## role in stabilising the grid while ... WhatsApp

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