

## **Energy storage system in Mauritius**

Does Mauritius need a battery energy storage system?

Mauritius aims to increase the share of renewable energy sources in its energy mix, which leads to fluctuating power injection. To reduce this fluctuation from variable renewable energy sources, the installation of Battery Energy Storage Systems (BESS) is required.

How will Mauritius transition to a low carbon economy?

Mauritius is transitioning to a low carbon economy, with the Central Electricity Board (CEB) installing the first grid-scale Battery Energy Storage System (BESS). This is the first of its kind in Mauritius and enables high capacity storage of renewable energy in the grid.

Where can I find information on energy access in Mauritius?

Find relevant data on energy production,total primary energy supply, electricity consumption and CO2 emissions for Mauritius on the IEA homepage. Find relevant information for Mauritius on energy access (access to electricity, access to clean cooking, renewable energy and energy efficiency) on the Tracking SDG7 homepage.

Is the energy strategy in Mauritius sustainable?

The energy strategies in Mauritius, which have been demand-driven without incentives to reduce demand, can no longer be sustainable. It is the duty and responsibility of the Government to work towards decreasing carbon dioxide emissions in light of environmental issues.

What is Mauritius' long term energy strategy?

The Government of Mauritius' Long Term Energy Strategy 2009-2025 aims to increase the share of renewable energy in our energy mix to 35% by 2025. This includes reducing the country's dependence on coal and heavy oil for electricity generation.

What is Mauritius aiming to reduce dependence on?

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