



# Serbia's new energy storage

How many MW of battery storage will be developed in Serbia?

Up to 200 MW of battery storage will be developed across the sites. Image: Ministry of Mining and Energy, Tanjug. Plans for 1 GW of new solar in Serbia are set to go ahead after the signing of an implementation agreement.

Does Serbia have a solar project?

The contract is the latest in a line of solar projects backed by Serbia's Ministry of Mining and Energy this year, which includes plans for a 1 GW solar panel factory and another 500 MW of solar. Figures from the International Renewable Energy Agency state Serbia had deployed a total 137 MW of solar by the end of last year.

What is Serbia's energy strategy?

Serbia is dependent on imports of crude-oil and natural gas, but is endowed by reserves of lignite and the potential of renewable energy sources. Serbia has a strategy to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in the energy sector and to increase the share of renewable in gross final energy production 27% by 2020.

How much electricity does Serbia get from fossil fuels?

Serbia currently gets more than 60% of its electricity from fossil fuels. The contract is the latest in a line of solar projects backed by Serbia's Ministry of Mining and Energy this year, which includes plans for a 1 GW solar panel factory and another 500 MW of solar.

How many solar plants will be built in Serbia?

The agreement commits six new solar plants to be built across Serbia. The Serbian government approved the proposed sites in September. The largest in the deal is a 460 MW facility in the territory of Negotin and Zajecar, followed by a 302 MW plant in Bosnjace.

What is UGT renewables Serbia solar?

UGT Renewables Serbia Solar is a ground-mounted solar project, which is planned over 2,000 hectares. The electricity generated from the Serbia Solar PV will offset 1,900,000t of carbon dioxide emissions (CO<sub>2</sub>) a year. UGT Renewables Serbia Solar PV will be a 1,000MW solar PV power project developed in a single phase.

The strategy, adopted in November 2024, prioritizes energy security while setting ambitious goals for decarbonization, environmental protection, energy efficiency, and market competitiveness.

Serbia has revised its energy storage regulations to address the growing demand for renewable integration. With wind and solar projects expanding rapidly, these policy adjustments focus on ...

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