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# Colombia wind and solar energy storage project approved



## Overview

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Colombia's national mining and energy planning unit UPME last week finalised the tender process for the full delivery of a 45-MW battery energy storage system (BESS), awarding the project to the Colombian affiliate of Canadian Solar Inc (NASDAQ:CSIQ). Will solar and wind power increase in Colombia in 2022?

Colombia has world-class wind and solar energy potential and recent regulatory updates have enacted a robust framework of incentives. However, as of 2022, solar and wind have an operating installed capacity of just about 1.5% of the capacity mix. The next five years could see a sharp increase in solar and wind capacity.

Did Canadian Solar win the first Pure Storage tender in Colombia?

Dr. Shawn Qu, Chairman and CEO of Canadian Solar, commented, "We are very proud to have won this project in the first pure storage tender in Colombia. This is also our first energy storage project in the country and the Latin America region.

How can wind and solar energy be used in Colombia?

The expected large deployment of wind and solar resources in Colombia can be used to leverage creation of local employment, gender equality and benefits to local communities and Indigenous peoples. This will require strengthened policy frameworks to avoid negative effects on these areas.

How much wind power does Colombia have?

Colombia's rich wind and solar energy potential is estimated at 30 GW and 32 GW, respectively, according to SER Colombia, which is more than Colombia's current installed capacity of 18.8 GW. Of particular interest is La Guajira region, with world-class wind resources (average wind speeds of 9.8 m/s) and 18 GW of Colombia's wind power potential.

How much solar power does Colombia need?

ranging from 3700 to 4578 MW of wind power and 1963 to 4662 MW of solar power. The 2019–2023 Electric Coverage Expansion Plan estimates that the investments needed to achieve universal access to electricity in Colombia include COP 3.2 trillion (about USD 665 million) in solar home systems.

Where is a lithium-ion battery project located in Colombia?

Located in the city of Barranquilla in northern Colombia, this project will consist of a 45 MWh lithium-ion battery energy storage system and is expected to reach commercial operation by June 2023. The project is granted with a 15-year revenue structure with the Colombian government and is indexed to the country's inflation or producer price index.

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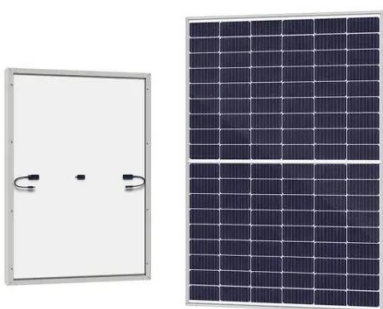
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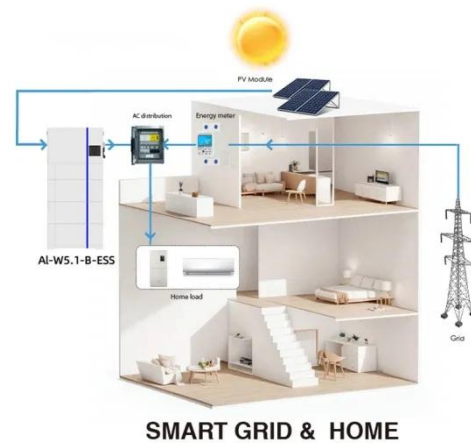
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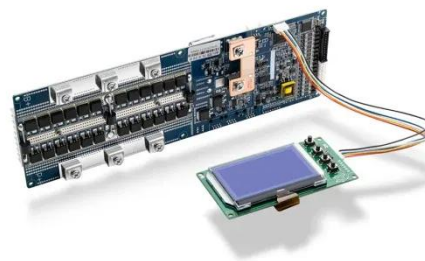
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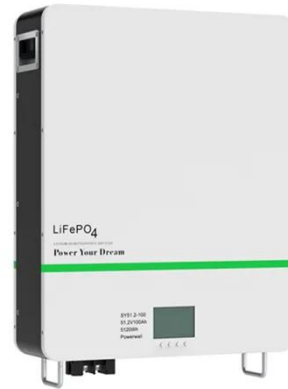
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## Mainstream sells 675 MW of wind and solar projects to Celsia in Colombia



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