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# Democratic Republic of Congo Household Photovoltaic Energy Storage Power Station



## Overview

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What is the electricity access rate in the Democratic Republic of Congo?

The public version of the resulting report of the effort is available [here](#). The Democratic Republic of Congo's national electricity access rate is estimated at 19%. Less than 1% of the rural population and 41% of the urban population has energy access. Of the country's 10 million house-holds, only 1.6 million have access to electricity.

Does the DRC have solar power?

Solar In addition to hydropower, the DRC possesses significant potential for solar energy, offering a potential of 70 GW with noticeably high solar radiation averaging 6 kWh/m<sup>2</sup>/day.

How much power does the DRC have?

Despite the DRC's immense endowment of varied renewable energy potential which includes hydroelectric, biomass, solar, wind and geothermal power, the current installed generating capacity is approximately 2,844 MW, providing access to merely 19% of its nearly 85 million-strong population.

How much power does the Congo River have?

The Congo River has the potential to bring up to 100,000 MW of hydropower capacity to the DRC, representing approximately 6% of the global energy potential and 37% of Africa's overall potential.

Who manages the electricity market in DRC?

**LAND AND REGULATORY FRAMEWORK** The DRC's electricity market is primarily managed by the state-owned utility, Société Nationale d'Electricité (SNEL), which is responsible for the generation, transmission, and distribution of electricity, overseeing approximately 90% of grid-connected electricity<sup>43</sup>. However,

What is the potential for wind energy in the DRC?

Wind Meanwhile, potential for wind energy in the DRC is also significant and largely untapped. Offering a potential of 15 GW, with wind speeds averaging 6-6.6m/s throughout the country, there are a number of high potential areas where wind power could be leveraged across the country.

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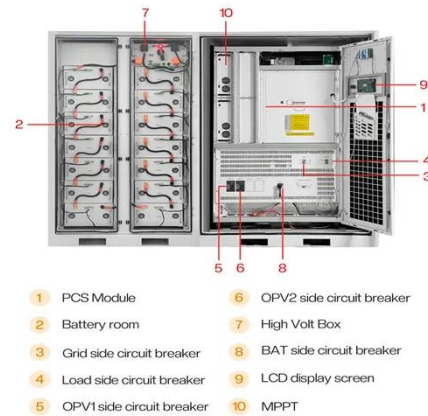
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potential. This is further evident in the DRC Renewable Energy Atlas report which identifies over 890 potential development sites across solar, wind, ...

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What is the main energy resource of the



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Hydroelectric power(See Annex 1) is the main energy resource of the Democratic Republic of Congo. The DRC ranks ...

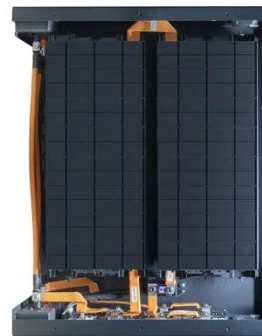
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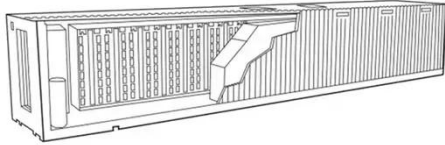
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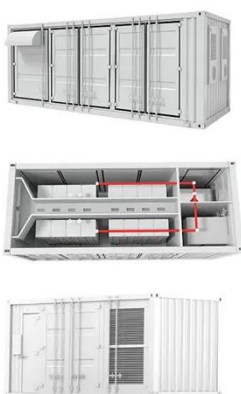
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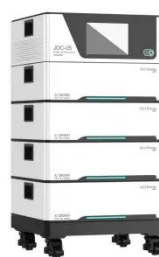
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