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How much energy has Senegal added in 6 years?

Within 6 years, Senegal has added more than 345MW of clean power, accounting for nearly a quarter of its energy mix. This is a concrete example of the impact of policy implementation prioritising progress towards net-zero and accelerating energy access to above 70%, the 12th highest in Africa.

How will EAIF support Senegal's Clean Power Project?

EAIF acted as co-lender alongside the Dutch development bank FMO, to support the development of the EUR42m landmark project. A Euro equivalent US\$1.5m capital grant extended by PIDG Technical Assistance will ensure the project is designed to maximise supply of clean power to Senegal's grid, whilst remaining economically viable.

Why did FMO sign a flagship project in Senegal?

Huib-Jan De Ruijter, Co-Chief Investment Officer at FMO said: " Through the signing of this flagship project, FMO is delighted to mark its continued commitment to Senegal's vision for a sustainable energy sector.

Project : 10MW / 20MWh Battery storage + 16 MW of solar energy; Location : Bokhol, Senegal; Batteries: Lithium-ion; Technologies : Monocrystalline modules / Single-axis tracker system / String inverters; Off-take : 20-year take-or-pay PPP with Senelec; Construction : 12 months; Commissioning : 2025; Technical partner : Eiffage Energie Systèmes RMT

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Antonopoulos, chief executive of Lekela, believes it will do more than that. He said adding a battery to Taiba N'Diaye could "catapult Senegal to the forefront of renewable energy usage in modern day grids".

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The project will provide clean, reliable energy for 235,000 people in Senegal. Largest photovoltaic with added battery energy storage systems (BESS) project in West Africa, accelerating the uptake of critical battery technology in the region. The investment supports Senegal's drive to reach 40% of renewable energy capacity by 2030.

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