

Government subsidy for containerized solar power plant in Zimbabwe



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Overview

Solar energy investors will be granted 5-year tax breaks and government incentives for setting up solar power generation plants in Zimbabwe. The Southern African country's Minister for Energy Zhemu Soda announced last week. How many solar projects are being built in Zimbabwe?

The Zimbabwean government has agreed to guarantee viable power tariffs to 27 solar projects by independent power producers (IPPs). Developers are set to build 997.9 MW of capacity, with a total investment of around \$1 billion.

How much does a solar IPP project cost in Zimbabwe?

Zimbabwe has announced a government implementation agreement (GIA) to expedite the commissioning of 27 solar IPP installations. The 1 GW of projects range from 5 MW arrays to 100 MW solar parks and will cost about \$1 billion in total. The government has promised to help make the IPP projects bankable.

What is Zimbabwe's solar energy plan?

The Zimbabwean Government has proposed incentives to accelerate nearly 1,000 MW of privately owned solar energy projects. The overall project, worth about \$1 billion, is a drive toward the country's target of generating 1,100 MW of renewable energy by 2025.

Will Zimbabwe make IPP projects bankable?

The government has promised to help make the IPP projects bankable. The GIA includes a project development support agreement, a power purchase agreement, and an agreement with the Reserve Bank of Zimbabwe for guaranteed payments of dividends and foreign loan repayments to external investors and lenders.

Will the government guarantee viable power tariffs & PPAs?

Finance Minister Mthuli Ncube said that the government will guarantee viable power tariffs and PPAs to projects that pass the screening process. "A key



ingredient to the successful implementation of the solar IPPs projects is a bankable government implementation agreement with an economic tariff,” Ncube said in a statement.

How many MW of PV capacity did Zimbabwe have in 2021?

Zimbabwe had 30 MW of installed PV capacity at the end of 2021, according to the latest statistics from the International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA). This content is protected by copyright and may not be reused. If you want to cooperate with us and would like to reuse some of our content, please contact: editors@pv-magazine.com.



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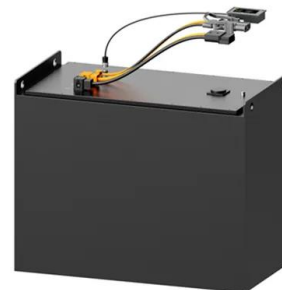


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