

# **Government subsidy for portable pv system in Zambia**





## Overview

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The aim of a subsidy, in this case for the installation of a solar power system, is to help businesses and communities with limited funds to gain access to such systems nonetheless. This helps the targeted market to grow. In the case of (solar) energy subsidies, the aim is to increase the amount of systems installed.

What is Zambia doing to improve energy security and sustainability?

The Zambian government has taken a major step toward energy security and sustainability with the signing of Power Purchase Agreements (PPAs) under the Micro-Generator Scheme and Presidential Solar Initiative.

How many solar PV IPP projects have been awarded in Zambia?

In April 2019, the Permanent Secretary of the Ministry of Energy announced the award of six (6) solar PV IPP projects, totalling 120MWac. The lowest successful bid came in at 3.999 USc/kWh and the weighted average of all six successful projects is 4.41 USc/kWh<sup>1</sup>. GET FiT Zambia Solar Awards are:

How did KfW help Zambia develop a solar PV project?

With support from the German Cooperation provided through KfW, the government of Zambia sought experienced and qualified developers and investors with a track record in developing, financing, procuring, constructing and operating utility-scale solar PV for projects with an individual installed capacity of up to 20 MWac for a total of up to 100MW.

What is Zambia's micro-generator scheme?

“These agreements are more than contracts; they represent a commitment to a self-sufficient, stable, and sustainable electricity future for Zambia,” said Minister Chikote. The Micro-Generator Scheme will see small-scale solar projects, ranging from 100kW to 5MW, integrated into the national grid, adding 270MWp of clean energy.

Does get fit Zambia offer concessional financing?



A truly competitive outcome. GET FiT Zambia has offered no form of grant financing, nor arranged for concessional financing. The tender also required developers to find and acquire their own suitable sites and pay for shallow grid connection, allowing for a truly competitive outcome of the tender.



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### [Zambia's Energy Ministry Commissions Solar Power ...](#)

The initiative is part of the Presidential Solar Initiative, a government-led response to the 2024 drought that severely disrupted hydropower generation--the country's primary source of electricity.

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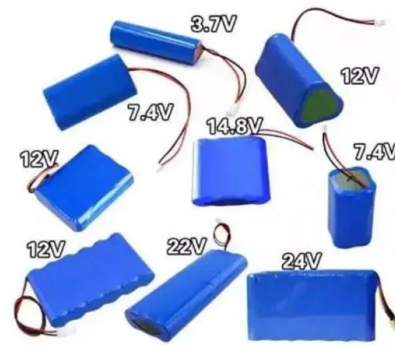


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Additional monitoring of the use and cost of providing these incentives would enable a more open debate on whether the current systems are good value for government and the people of Zambia.

### **(PDF) Environmental and social impacts of self-financed solar PV**

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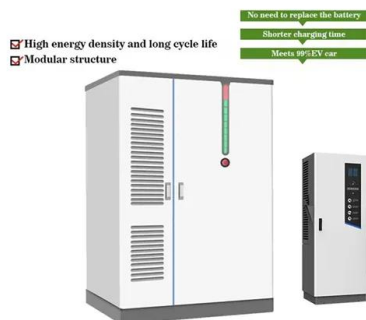
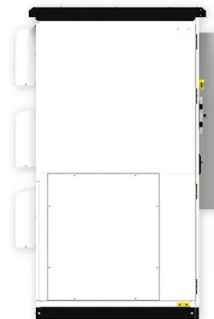
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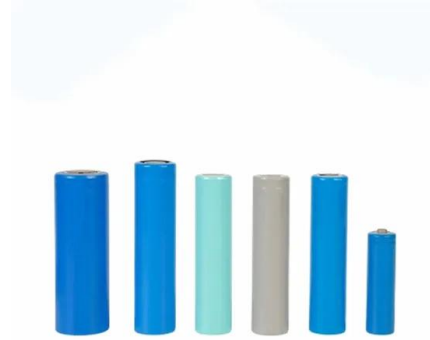
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