

# Senegal s solar energy storage policy



## Overview

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In July 2025, state utility SENELEC and Chinese group CNTIC signed two contracts for 50 MW solar plants paired with 90 MWh of storage each, with commissioning planned between 2026 and 2027 under a turnkey, China-financed model. Several additional projects remain at an advanced. Households and industries drive solar growth to secure power, turning energy transition into a bottom-up response to grid limits. Donors' delayed funding leaves solar expanding fast, but without the grid and storage needed to secure the system fully. Senegal has crossed a symbolic threshold. With. Senegal has reached an 84% electrification rate, with 294 MW of residential PV installed, while several large-scale solar-plus-storage projects are under development, despite the start of production at the Sangomar gas field. Image: Bajpaiabhinav, Wikimedia Commons, CC BY-SA 4. Delivered on time, the Bokhol site is already connected to Senelec's grid our energy delivery, Walo Storage marks a major. cale solar-plus-storage project.

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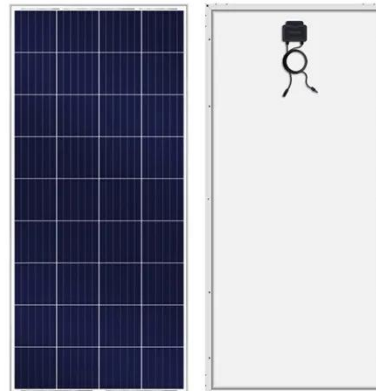
### Senegal Solar Power: 671 MW Capacity & 84% Electrification in 2026

Senegal's solar energy landscape in 2026, featuring 671 MW of installed capacity, an 84% electrification rate, and ongoing large-scale solar-plus-storage projects aimed at a 40% renewable ...

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### Senegal: Official commissioning for Walo solar-storage , African Energy

The Walo solar-storage IPP - seen as a landmark development for Senegal's grid - has been officially commissioned.

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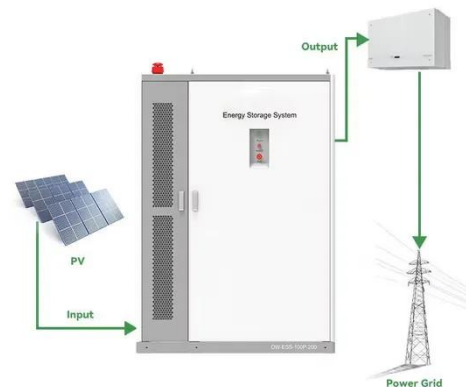
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### Senegal: Solar + storage project leads the way in West Africa

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