

# How much is the total investment in Uzbekistan s energy storage project







#### **Overview**

This project, backed by a \$144 mln investment, is led by the Chinese engineering firm Gezhouba Group, which previously built large solar power plants in the Bukhara and Kashkadarya regions. Testing is planned for December, with Gezhouba Group expecting operations to start on 1 January 2025.Will Uzbekistan fund a 250-megawatt solar photovoltaic plant?

TASHKENT, May 21, 2024 — The World Bank Group, Abu Dhabi Future Energy Company PJSC (Masdar), and the Government of Uzbekistan have signed a financial package to fund a 250-megawatt (MW) solar photovoltaic plant with a 63-MW battery energy storage system (BESS).

Is Saudi Arabia launching a battery energy storage system in Uzbekistan?

This year has seen battery storage announcements from the Central Asian nation coming thick and fast. Saudi Arabian developer ACWA Power has signed a binding implementation agreement with the Ministry of Energy (MoE) of Uzbekistan to develop up to 2 GWh of standalone battery energy storage system (BESS) capacity across the country.

Who is the biggest investor in Uzbekistan's energy sector?

ACWA Power is already the largest investor in Uzbekistan's energy sector, with over 13 GW of projects under development. "Today, we reiterate our support for the country's energy transition through advanced battery storage solutions.

How will Uzbekistan improve its energy security?

"This project will enhance Uzbekistan's energy security through the use of innovative solutions and technologies," noted Marco Mantovanelli, World Bank Country Manager for Uzbekistan.

What is the energy sector like in Uzbekistan?

In Uzbekistan, the energy sector is concentrated in the hands of two



monopolies, Uzbekenergo and Uzbekneftegaz, with mineral resources and rareearth minerals concentrated at metallurgy plants, which the government intends to upgrade through a number of sponsored programmes, and with the active assistance of foreign contractors and suppliers.

Who will sell electricity to in Uzbekistan?

The project company is committed to selling electricity to the state-owned National Electric Grid of Uzbekistan JSC under a 25-year Power Purchase Agreement for the project, including a 10-year operating term for the BESS component, signed by these two entities.



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Uzbekistan's president, Shavkat Mirziyoyev, at a 2024 event to celebrate energy and infrastructure projects including wind and solar. Image: ...

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#### China-Backed Mega Battery Project Breaks Ground in Uzbekistan

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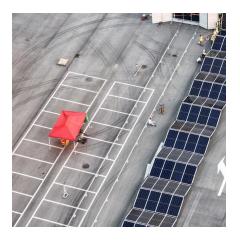
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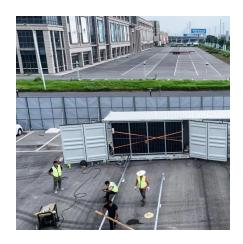
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#### Voltalia signs Uzbekistan agreements during Macron's state visit

BESS installation at Voltalia's Mana Stockage project in French Guiana. Image: Voltalia. Agreements to progress renewable energy projects in Uzbekistan that include energy ...





### AMEA Power to invest in 1-GW wind farm, energy storage in Uzbekistan

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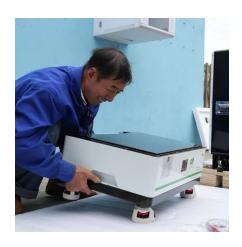


### <u>Uzbekistan: EBRD supports solar PV project with ...</u>

EBRD will provide up to US\$229.4 million to ACWA Power for 200MW/500MWh solar-plus-storage project in Uzbekistan.







### Location of Uzbekistan's first energy storage facility revealed

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#### Uzbekistan and ACWA Power Ink \$1.1 Billion Energy Storage ...

In October, ACWA Power's Vice President for Construction in Central Asia, Anthony Brinkhuizen, announced that the company is investing approximately \$15 billion in ...

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