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Will two solar plants be built in Senegal's southern Casamance region?

DAKAR, Nov 13 (Reuters) - Two solar plants with a combined 60 megawatts (MW) capacity and battery storage will be built in Senegal's southern Casamance region to electrify rural areas, Africa-based project developer Axian Energy said on Wednesday.

Does Senegal need a solar power plant?

Senegal's power sector has been historically reliant on costly fuel imports, with about 80 percent of its energy mix being oil-based. "The Kael and Kahone solar power plants exemplify our commitment to supporting Senegal's transition to cleaner, more affordable energy, while creating business opportunities for local communities.

How many jobs will the new solar power plants create in Senegal?

The addition of the solar power plants form part of the World Bank Group's Scaling Solar program and are funded by the International Finance Corporation (IFC), European Investment Bank and Proparco. The project estimates that more than 400 jobs in the towns benefit from the existence of the new solar power plants in Senegal.

Who owns Senegal's solar farm?

The power station was commissioned on 22 May 2022 by the President of Senegal Macky Sall and his guest Olaf Scholz, the Chancellor of Germany. The solar farm is owned and operated by Soci t  nationale d' lectricit  du S n gal (Senelec), the national public electricity utility parastatal company.

Who sponsors Senegal's solar power plants?

The PV plants, located in Western Senegal, are sponsored by Engie, Meridiam, and the Senegalese Sovereign Wealth Fund for Strategic Investments (FONSIS). The competitive tendering process was led by Senegal's Energy Regulatory Commission (CRSE). For more information, please read the press release [here](#).

Which Senegal power plants have a 60mwac capacity?

The two plants that launched operations last month are located in Kael and Kahone in Western Senegal and have a total capacity of 60MWac.

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In Senegal, close to a quarter of the total population lacks access to electricity, with rural communities enduring the least access. In May 2021, two new photovoltaic solar plants opened in Kael and Kahone, two ...

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Scaling Solar-tendered PV Plants Bring Clean Energy to More Than 500,000 in Senegal. The Kael and Kahone solar plants, the first financed and tendered under the Scaling Solar program in Senegal, became operational in May 2021.

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The energy landscape of Senegal, a nation in West Africa, is undergoing a spectacular transition as solar energy gains prominence. Senegal has achieved great advancements in utilising the year-round abundance of sunlight it receives during the past ten years, and a number of noteworthy trends and breakthroughs are propelling this solar revolution.

Juwi Renewable Energies will build a \$33.2 million solar and storage facility in Senegal, featuring a 20 MW solar plant and 11 MWh of battery storage to power the Grande Côte mineral sands mine. The project will reduce the mine's carbon emissions by 25,000 tons annually and provide 20% of its energy needs.

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