

# Conditions for wind and solar complementarity in Morocco's communication base stations

Can large-scale solar integration with wind improve Moroccan prospective mix?

This thesis discusses a set of scenarios of large-scale solar integration with wind in optimal Moroccan prospective mix under different penetration levels, storage configurations and combinations of renewable (RE) technologies. We take as objective not only to maximize the RE production, but also to reduce its variability.

Is wind energy a viable solution in Morocco?

Despite overreliance on conventional resources like coal and gasoline leading to an energy crisis, Morocco sees wind energy as a viable solution due to its increasing accessibility and cost effectiveness. This study comprehensively explores Morocco's wind energy landscape, defining wind energy and its global and local potential.

What is the technical potential of wind energy in Morocco?

The technical potential of wind energy in Morocco can be estimated of 26 GW. The introduction of the Moroccan Integrated Wind Program should provide an increase in the generated energy from wind turbines from 797 MW in 2015 to 2,000 MW by 2020 and up to 5,000 MW, or 20% of all installed capacity, by 2030 [6,13].

What is Morocco's energy mix?

The national electricity mix is mainly composed of wind (36%), hydro (32%), solar (21%), and pumping energy transfer stations (11%). Morocco continues to develop renewable energy sources to increase its production capacity and reduce its dependence on fossil fuels.

How to assess solar energy potential in Morocco?

In order to assess the solar energy potential, the sunshine duration, various components of radiation balance, the albedo of the underlying surface and other actinometrical parameters are usually used. For Morocco, a methodology for choosing the optimal location for the placement of solar power plants was specially developed.

Does Morocco have a solar energy plan?

The development of solar energy in Morocco follows the Moroccan Solar Plan (Noor), which implies a growth of the installed solar power capacity (Photovoltaic power station, PV, and Concentrating Solar Power plants, CSP) up to 4,800 MW, or 20% of all installed renewable capacities, by 2030.

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