

Is Guatemala a good place to invest in solar energy?

Guatemala is the second largest Central American power market, with a goal to increase renewable energy use. Relatively high levels of solar irradiance and large areas of cleared land give the country a strong potential for increased solar energy development.

Can geothermal power be used in Guatemala?

The Guatemalan government has a plan of using geothermal power to supply for two thirds of the country's energy needs by 2022 . Thus reducing oil imports and stabilizing the country's energy supply . Crude oil production in Guatemala has high potential, with estimations suggesting the possibility of reaching 50000 barrels/day .

How much solar power will Latin and Central America have by 2050?

The PV capacity of Latin and Central America could reach 280GW by 2050, according to IRENA. Image: BMR Energy Dutch clean energy developer MPC Energy Solutions has started construction of a 65MWp solar project in Guatemala, and plans to commission the project by mid-2025.

Why did BMR decide to buy a solar farm in Guatemala?

As part of its evaluation process, BMR determined that the solar farm offered a strong return that was supported by Guatemala's well-established and stable regulatory system. BMR navigated a complex and cooperative sales process that involved four owners across three legal jurisdictions.

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Spanish energy firm Ecoener is developing the Yolanda (74 MW) and El Carrizo (75 MW) solar plants in Guatemala, securing a \$64M loan for this major expansion.

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Joshua Falcon, March 2, 2024. MPC Energy Solutions (MPCES), known for its leadership in the energy sector, has officially announced the start of construction of the solar plant in ...

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Strengthened presence in Guatemala's energy mix With this project, Ecoener consolidates its position as the leading Spanish investor in Guatemala's energy sector. Since ...

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The development of the solar power plant will start off after the announcement. The construction will begin within 12 months. Guatemala set an ambitious target for 80% of its electricity to be ...

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