

Who is responsible for the energy transition in Latvia?

Local authorities are responsible for municipal energy supply and renewable energy projects, with Latvia's energy transition guided by the National Energy and Climate Plan and the Energy Strategy 2050.

What is the main source of renewable electricity in Latvia?

Hydroelectric power is the main source of renewable electricity in Latvia, followed by solar, wind and biomass cogeneration plants. In 2024, solar power in Latvia grew over 3.1 times to 6.7% of total electricity, becoming the third-largest source, while wind reached a record 38 GWh and hydropower, despite a 16% drop, still provided 54%.

What is Latvia's Energy Strategy 2050?

Latvia's Energy Strategy 2050 outlines major changes in renewable energy production and storage, with significant investments planned in wind, solar, biomass, and biogas, as well as in energy storage technologies like batteries and subsurface systems to ensure supply stability.

When will battery energy storage systems be installed in Latvia?

The most recent update regarding BESS installations is that in Tume and Rezekne, Latvia's transmission system operator "Augstsprieguma tīkli" (AST) in June 2025 installed battery energy storage systems with a combined capacity of 80 MW and 160 MWh, which will undergo testing until October 2025.

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In Latvia, renewable energy sources account for a significant portion of the country's electricity generation, with a target of 57% by 2030 [1]. Hydroelectric power is the ...

European renewable energy provider SUNOTEC has finalized the acquisition of SIA DSE Lazas Solar's solar and energy storage project in Latvia from Danish Sun Energy. This ...

SunContainer Innovations - As Latvia's rural communities seek energy independence, photovoltaic inverters have become the backbone of solar-powered farms and homesteads. ...

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This study presents a comprehensive review of state-of-the-art energy systems and spatially explicit modelling approaches aimed at identifying approaches suitable for planning ...

Ignitis Renewables, an international green energy company, is expanding its operations in Latvia and is currently constructing the largest solar projects in the Baltics in ...

The engine is designed for fully autonomous operation in remote or off-grid areas, including rural settlements, greenhouse complexes, and other energy-demanding ...

The review comprehensively examines hybrid renewable energy systems that combine solar and wind energy technologies, focusing on their current challenges, ...

Where traditional grid-tied PV systems fail to deliver--due to inconsistent grid supply, high interconnection costs, or rugged terrain--off ...

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Agrivoltaics uses a land for both solar photovoltaic (PV) electricity generation and agriculture, increasing overall productivity of the ...

Laipni ludzam Solar Energy Latvia! Vieta, kur Jusu velmju istenosanai nepieciesama tikai viena pietura. Mes piedavajam augstakas klases ...

To date, Latvia has lagged behind its neighbors in the construction of solar energy parks. In 2023, Estonia's solar power capacity reached 822 MW, Lithuania's 1,165 MW, while ...

The main aim of the research is to determine the conditions under which it would be possible to increasingly cover as much electricity demand of Latvia as possible by the ...

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