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Overview

Why is universal energy access important for Uganda?

The Report recognizes that for Uganda, achieving universal energy access is as important as achieving a 100% renewable energy production target. It also recognizes that to be sustainable, the renewable energy solutions presented must address poverty and other social needs as outlined in Agenda 2030 / Sustainable Development Goals.

Does Uganda have a high energy access rate?

Hence, there is a need to exploit all the available energy sources to increase energy access for all Ugandans, since the country has one of the lowest electrification rates in Africa, with a current access rate of 28% (Draft Energy policy, 2019).

Is solar energy a good investment in Uganda?

Solar Energy Uganda is endowed with favourable solar irradiation of 1,825 kWh/m2 to 2,500 kWh/m2 per year (See figure 4 below). In the recent past solar power has received increasing atention by investors as well as a promising potential for exploitation of geothermal energy.

What type of energy is used in Uganda?

Currently, biomass is the leading type of energy used in Uganda, constituting about 94% of the total energy consumed in the country (Okello, C., et al., 2013). Biomass is the major source of energy for rural industries, and its trade contributes to the rural economy in terms of employment, rural incomes and tax revenue [93–95].

How will Uganda's power sector investment plan affect electricity demand?

Since then, the Uganda Power Sector Investment Plan 2015 has started implementation, which is expected to lead to larger increases of household electricity demand until 2030 in parallel with an implementation plan to



achieve universal access to electricity for households until 2030.

What is Uganda's Electricity connections policy?

Uganda Government approved the Electricity Connections Policy 2018-2027 with the aim of scaling up clean energy access throughout the country, with a goal to achieve 60% access to electricity in Uganda.



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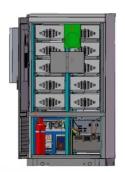
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