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Overview

How much does a wind and solar project cost in Canada?

In 2017, capital costs for utility-scale 1 wind and solar projects in Canada were C\$1600/kW and C\$1800/kW (in 2016 dollars), respectively. These are estimated from costs published in other studies and include costs related to materials, equipment, labor, and development costs.

How much does onshore wind cost in Canada?

Onshore Wind: According to Lazard, the cost of onshore wind is 2.4 to 7.5 cents per kWh (US \$). We have converted these costs to Canadian dollars by multiplying them by 1.35. Lazard, Lazard's Levelized Cost of Energy Analysis – Version 16.0, (April 2023) page 2.

How much does wind power cost in Quebec?

In March 2023 Hydro Quebec accepted seven bids for wind power at an average price of 6.1 cents per kWh (2022 CDN \$). Hydro Quebec, Press Release, "Hydro-Quebec accepts seven projects totalling nearly 1,150 MW of wind power," (March 15, 2023).

How many wind energy projects are there in Canada?

Canada has 341 wind energy projects producing power across the country. Canada ranks 24th in the world for installed solar energy capacity. Canada ranks 9th in the world for installed wind energy capacity. There are nearly 96,000 onsite solar energy installations across Canada.

How much does a commercial wind turbine cost?

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A utility-scale wind turbine costs between \$1.3 million to \$2.2 million per MW of installed nameplate capacity. Most commercial-scale turbines installed nowadays are 2 MW in capacity and cost between \$3 and \$4 million to install.

How much does a solar project cost in Quebec?

Hydro Quebec, Press Release, “Hydro-Quebec accepts seven projects totalling nearly 1,150 MW of wind power,” (March 15, 2023). Utility Scale Solar: According to Lazard, the cost of utility-scale solar PV is 2.4 to 9.6 cents per kWh (US \$). We have converted these costs to Canadian dollars by multiplying them by 1.35.

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