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Lesotho Energy Storage Power Station





Overview

How much electricity does Lesotho produce?

Lesotho produces about 72 MW from hydropower (Meula). It has about 150 MW peak power and imports more than 70 MW mainly from Mozambique (29% of peak demand) and 20% of its peak demand from South Africa. The electricity supply accounts only for +-50% in the energy mix.

What is the energy sector like in Lesotho?

sformation in LesothoThe energy sector in Lesotho is characterised by an enormous potential of rene able energy resources. Lesotho has the potential to produce up to 6,000 MW from wind and solar, 4,000 MW from pump storage, 400 MW from conventional hydropower, and more than 1.

How can Lesotho achieve able energy potential?

able energy potential. During the next five years, the Government of Lesotho will promote renewable energy by harnessing energy from ind, solar, and water. In addition, the new Energy Bill, currently being approved, will enable the transformation to a ful.

Who owns Lesotho Electricity Corporation (LEC)?

Lesotho Electricity Corporation (LEC) generates, transmits, and distributes electricity. The company also owns and operates hydro power stations. LEC is wholly owned by the Government of Lesotho (GoL). The Basotho Enterprises Development Corporation (BEDCO) is a parastatal of the Government of Lesotho.

Who is responsible for Energy Management in Lesotho?

According to SE4ALL report for Lesotho, The Ministry of Natural Resources through the Department of Energy is responsible for the overall administration and coordination of energy in Lesotho.



Will Lesotho be able to produce electricity by 2030?

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