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## Overview

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Is wind energy a renewable resource in Oman?

Wind energy has been another valuable renewable resource in Oman, especially in both the northern and southern parts of the country. However, this form of energy has not yet been adequately exploited .

How much solar energy does Oman use?

As clearly indicated in Table 3, the total reported solar energy consumptions in Oman as in 2017 is estimated to be at a maximum of 12 and 220 TJ, mostly from photovoltaic and heat sources, respectively . Other potential renewable energy resources, such as wind, geothermal, waves, and biogas, have been found to be abundant in Oman.

What is Oman's largest solar power project?

Commercial operations of Oman's largest utility-scale solar photovoltaic, independent power project, Ibri 2, started in January 2022. Oman Power and Water Procurement Company (OPWP) awarded the project to a consortium of Saudi and Kuwaiti firms, for which Beijing-based Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) loaned \$60 million.

Why should Oman invest in solar energy?

Considering the availability of Oman's high solar radiation levels and its vast arid lands, it is crucial for the country, through both local and international partners, to invest in solar energy productions for sustainable economic development , .



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### Oman

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