

# **Moldova solar power and wind power complementarity**





## Overview

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How many MW of wind and solar energy is installed in Moldova?

, deployment of wind and solar energy in Moldova has been very slow. As of 2022, only 97.9 MW of renewable capacity for electricity generation was installed. Figure 1. Installed electricity generation capacity by type. 4.4 MW / 13% Non-renewable: 441.4 MW / 79% Renewable Energy Potential. The Republic of Moldova features great potential.

Can wind and solar PV complementarity be used as a planning strategy?

Notwithstanding these limitations, the result of this work clearly highlights the added value of using wind and solar PV complementarity and electricity criteria as a planning strategy for new VRE capacity deployment aiming to reduce the power flexibility needs, namely, the use of expensive energy storage systems.

How do we evaluate the complementarity of solar and wind energy systems?

The review of the techniques that have been used to evaluate the complementarity of solar and wind energy systems shows that traditional statistical methods are mostly applied to assess complementarity of the resources, such as correlation coefficient, variance, standard deviation, percentile ranking, and mean absolute error.

What is the electricity system like in Moldova?

The electricity system in Moldova is characterised by its reliance on imports. In 2020, of its 4.4 TWh of electricity demand, 81% was supplied by imports, either from Ukraine (4%) or from the Cuciurgani-Moldavskaya GRES (MGRES) gas-fired power plant (77%) located in the breakaway region of Transnistria.



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### Moldova's Ambitious Targets for Green Energy

As a result, Moldova achieved a total of 348.3 Megawatts in 2023. With the addition of the 165 Megawatts auctioned--105 Megawatts for wind energy and 60 Megawatts for solar ...

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### Moldova wind and solar power system

By 2023, Moldova had achieved 348.3 MW of renewable energy capacity (132.7 MW of wind power, of which 115.3 MW net metering, 6.9 MW of solar power, 16.8 MW of hydropower, and ...

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