

## **Maldives Energy Storage Products**

What is the Maldives solar project?

The Maldives solar project is a 36 MW solar power project and 50 MWh of battery energy storage solutions development across various islands in the Maldives. It also includes grid modernization for the integration of variable renewable energy with the grid, which will be financed under the proposed AIIB loan.

Why solar PV with storage in Maldives?

Solar PV with storage has proven suitable and competitive for Maldives' high penetration of renewable energy (POISED type B projects), with an average fuel savings of 25%. The concept design of hybrid systems (efficient diesel generators +solar PV plants +energy storage) has resulted in success for Maldives.

What is the main energy supply in Maldives?

These are calculated based on 2011 data for all the countries except for obtaining the SIDS average where 2009 figures are used. The main primary energy supply in Maldives is still dependent on imported fossil fuel(99.9%). Bulk of this imported fuel is diesel and the main energy used for production of electricity and transport.

Who or what is Fuel Supplies Maldives?

Fuel Supplies Maldives is a subsidiary of the State Trading Organization of the Maldives. It is not related to the Feinberg School of Medicine at Northwestern University, Chicago, Illinois, United States.

Will the Maldives project affect indigenous peoples?

There is no evidence suggesting the presence of Indigenous Peoples in the Maldives. Therefore, the project will not have an impact on Indigenous Peoples.



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