

# **Iceland s latest new energy storage policy**





## Overview

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Iceland's Ministry of Energy recently unveiled a 3-pronged approach: Last month, Iceland's national power company partnered with Tesla to deploy the world's first geothermally-charged battery farm near the historic Pingvellir plains. The numbers speak volumes: Here's where Iceland gets sneaky-clever. What is Iceland's long-term strategy?

nt from energy imports in the long term. The Gov Iceland r ment's long-term strategy is to become Besides fossil fu l-independent the opportunities by 2040. In this for decade, economic the necessary growth g ustainable an equally producer importanto hydrogen role and e-fuels must be laid. This includes the planning f the req : Roland B.

How much energy does Iceland have?

d fuelsSource: Roland BergerFigure 28. Energy for a complete energy transition and electrolyser and power station capacity. Iceland g nerated 19.1 TWh of electricity in 2020. The current total power capacity is 2.9 GW, of which 73% is from hydropower s.

Is Iceland a viable energy ally?

ally viable and "realistic before 2030". The study estimates that 2 to 4 TWh, or 200 to 500 MW of electrolyser capacity, could be deployed in Iceland in the second half of this decade.<sup>37</sup> The study does not consider the additional capacity required for the domestic energy trans.

How will Iceland achieve its emissions targets?

o reach the Icelandic emissions targets. Hydrogen and e-fuels are expected to play a prominent role in road, mar-itime, and aviation decarbonisation and, in that re ransport, maritime, and aviation sectorsIceland's road transport, maritime and aviation sectors consumed 537 kt of fossil fuels in 2020. This includes 92 kt of gasoline, 359.

How will the Icelandic government support the development of hydrogen



fuelled trucks?

emissions requires actions before 2030. This decade, the Icelandic Government will pursue the necessary steps to support the development of the infra-structure needed for Icelandic companies to use hydrogen fuelled trucks, to support the decarbonisation of the heavy-duty road segment parallel to the co.

How can Iceland produce green hydrogen & E-Fuels?

and financial incentives and subsidies. Iceland is in an excellent position to produce green hydrogen and e-fuels by utilising its vast renewable energy resource potential. The competitive electricity prices, availability of green baseload energy supply, and 100% green electricity grid make it possible to produce the required green hyd



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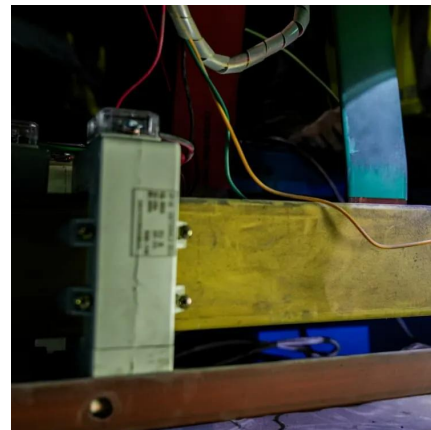


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critical minerals like lithium and cobalt, essential for e-mobility and energy storage. The region's ...



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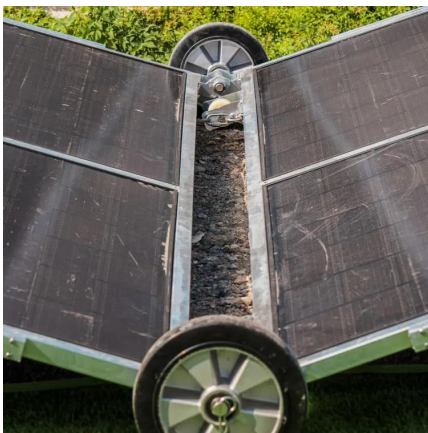
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Nestled in the North Atlantic, this geothermal paradise has become a living laboratory for sustainable energy solutions. With 100% of its electricity already generated from renewables, ...



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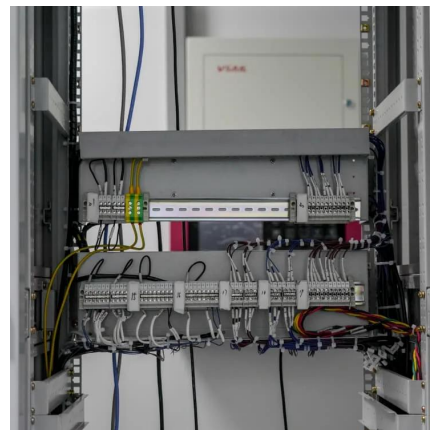
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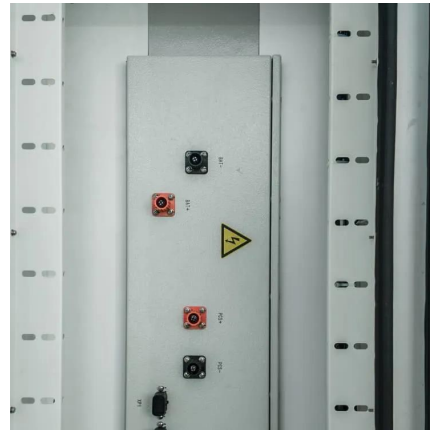
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