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Is Kazakhstan a good place to install solar power plants?
At least 50% of the territory of Kazakhstan is suitable for installing solar power plants(Antonov,2014). However,up until recently,solar resources of the country were not being used for power generation. Kazakhstan is developing solar energy technologies,namely production of photovoltaic modules using local silicon.

Is solar energy a viable energy source in Kazakhstan?
In 2019,another solar power plant in Kazakhstan,Saran,with a capacity of 100 MW started its operation in the Karaganda region (Satubaldina,2020). According to the International Energy Agency (IEA),within the period of 40 years,solar energy has a potential to meet about 20-25% of the energy demand of the country.

What is Kazakhstan's First Solar power plant?
The plant is to produce solar cells using Kazakhstan's silicon. The designed capacity of photovoltaic wafers is 50 MW with a potential to increase up to 100 MW. In 2012,the first solar power station,"Otar," that generates 0.5 MW of energy,was also built in the Zhambyl region.

Can solar power drive Kazakhstan's Energy Transition?
However,Kazakhstan's solar ambitions do not fully tap into its potential,and the technology could play a far larger rolein the country's energy transition due to its low cost and flexibility. The focus now is on leveraging solar's comparative advantages to drive forward Kazakhstan's decarbonisation and harness its significant solar resources.

Can Kazakhstan produce solar cells using silicon?
As Kazakhstan is rich in silicon (85 million tons), production of silicon solar batteries on the domestic market was started (Sim, 2015). In this light, recently "Astana Solar" plant aimed at the production of photovoltaic modules was launched in Nur-Sultan. The plant is to produce solar cells using Kazakhstan's silicon.

Which part of Kazakhstan receives the most solar radiation?
During the summer months (June - August),due to its geographical location,the southern partof Kazakhstan receives direct solar radiation for the most of the daylight hours which constitute 83 - 96% of the maximum possible value.

The photovoltaic plant, spanning 100 hectares of land, will produce up to 90 GWh of electricity annually and will feature over 93,000 solar panels and an electrical substation. These components will be integrated into the local grid through a new overhead powerline extending for 7.5 kilometers.

Kazakhstan is building a plant to produce solar panels with the use of HIT (heterojunction with intrinsic thin layer) and PERC (passivated emitter rear cells) technologies, Kazinform News...

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This report builds on the first edition of solar investment opportunities in Kazakhstan and provides the latest economic and political advancements in the country, including the announcement of Kazakhstan"s new decarbonisation target for 2060, and the recent Memorandum of Understanding signed between the EU and Kazakhstan, stepping up ...

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The Kapshagay photovoltaic power station, one of the largest single solar power projects in the Central Asian country, is a part of the China-Kazakhstan green energy cooperation initiative, jointly invested in and constructed by the Chinese company Universal Energy and Kazakh counterparts.

The solar plant is Eni"s fourth renewable energy project in Kazakhstan. Earlier this year it said it has signed a deal with state-owned KazMunyGas JSC for a 250 MW hybrid plant with solar,...

Solar power has a great potential as a renewable energy resource due to sparsely populated large areas and the climatic conditions, especially in southern Kazakhstan with an annual sunshine of 2200 to 3000 hours.

Investors from China, France and Russia created a consortium together with Kazatomprom to build a solar energy cluster in Kazakhstan. Saparbek Tuyakbayev, the CEO of Kazakh Invest shared about the plan in the interview with LS.

Kazakhstan has remarkable solar potential with a very well-designed auction system, a clear renewable capacity addition schedule, and a solid decarbonisation target. The country is now also including storage systems as part of its public procurement strategy in a move that will ease further integration of renewables into the grid.

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