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#### Does Tunisia have natural gas?

In addition to local gas production, Tunisia receives natural gas as a royalty on the Algerian Transmed gas pipeline crossing Tunisia to Italy. In 2022, only 3% of Tunisia's electricity is generated from renewables, including hydroelectric, solar, and wind energy.

## What are Tunisia's energy projects?

One third of the projects will be for wind farms and two thirds for solar photovoltaics. Tunisia's national grid is connected to those of Algeria and Libya which together helped supply about 12% of Tunisia's power consumption in the first half of 2023.

#### What is the energy sector in Tunisia?

The energy sector in Tunisia includes all production, processing and, transit of energy consumption in this country. The production involves the upstream sector that includes general oil and gas, the downstream sector that includes the only refinery in Tunisia and most of the production of natural gas, and varied electrical/renewable energies.

### Does Tunisia have a green wave of energy production?

This creates the overlap for biogas to take on some level of energy production in Tunisia's continued green wave of energy production. In 2016, Tunisia emitted 29 Mega tons of carbon dioxide equivalent (MtCO2e) in greenhouse gasses. The country aims to reduce its carbon intensity by 13% in 2030, compared to 2010 levels.

#### Does Tunisia have a solar power plant?

First utility-scale photovoltaic plant (10 MW,in Tozeur) was commissioned in 2019on German money. Tunisia aims to generate 30% of its electricity from renewable sources by 2030. The country currently gets only 3% to 6% of its electricity from renewable sources,mostly from wind and hydro. Solar energy capacity is at 35 megawatts (MW).

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The scarcity of national natural resources along with the increase of energy demand leads Tunisia to initiate an energy transition process focusing on the increase of the share of renewable energies in the production of electricity in order to reach 12% by 2020 and 30% by 2030, in comparison to the

The projects are expected to reduce Tunisia's exposure to gas price volatility and exchange rate fluctuations, easing the fiscal burden on the government and helping to preserve its foreign reserves while helping meet Tunisia's growing energy demand.

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In June 2023, the World Bank approved US\$268.4 million in financing for the Tunisia-Italy interconnector (ELMED) project that will link energy grids between Tunisia and European markets, with the eventual aim for Tunisia to export excess renewable energy.

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