

The proportion of wind and photovoltaic power generation in the future



Overview

As a result of new solar projects coming on line this year, we forecast that U.S. solar power generation will grow 75% from 163 billion kilowatthours (kWh) in 2023 to 286 billion kWh in 2025. Growth in utility-scale and distributed solar PV more than doubles, representing nearly 80% of worldwide renewable electricity capacity. In this interactive chart, we see the share of primary energy consumption that came from renewable technologies - the combination of hydropower, solar, wind, geothermal, wave, tidal, and modern biofuels. This is more than triple the amount generated a decade ago, in 2015. Together, solar and wind accounted for a record. Due to supportive policies and favourable economics, the world's renewable power capacity is expected to surge over the rest of this decade, with global additions on course to roughly equal the current power capacity of China, the European Union, India and the United States combined, according to a. For example, in 2024, more than 90% of all new electricity capacity worldwide came from renewable sources such as solar, wind, hydro and geothermal. Yet even with this significant growth in renewable and other zero-emission capacity, the world is still burning, and increasing its use of, fossil.

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Wind and solar combined produced a record 17% of US electricity in 2024, overtaking coal at 15% for the first time.

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Massive global growth of renewables to 2030 is set to match entire

Overall, led by the massive growth of renewable electricity, the share of renewables in final energy consumption is forecast to increase to nearly 20% by 2030, up from 13% in 2023.



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...

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