### Brunei solar powerhouse



Will Brunei generate 100 mw of solar energy by 2025?

Brunei has set a target of generating 100 MW of solar energy by 2025as part of the government's initiative to slash greenhouse gas emissions by 20 percent over the next 10 years. With the vast majority of the country's electricity generated by gas-powered plants, Brunei has one of the highest annual carbon footprint per person in the region.

#### Will Brunei build a solar power plant in 2022?

Construction of the solar power plant is slated to start in 2022,with \$50,000 earmarked to conduct a land survey in Kg Sg Akar. Both the Bukit Panggal and Belingus solar farms will produce 15 MW of solar energy. Apart from the three new solar power plants,Brunei will expand its solar energy project in Seria from 1.2 MW to 4.2 MW.

#### How will solar power benefit Brunei?

The solar power generated is equivalent to the electricity consumption of approximately 600 households per year and will offset some of the power used by the BSP Head Office. On a national level, the power generated will contribute towards Brunei's target of producing 100MWp renewable energy by 2025.

#### Does Brunei have a solar city?

Brunei also intended to build the Temburong Smart City, which would mostly rely on solar energy and be dubbed the " Green Jewel of Brunei. " However, Brunei has only put in 1.2 MW of solar as of now as a demonstration project. It's reasonable to assume that the implementation of renewable energy is still in its infancy.

#### Can a solar farm be developed in Brunei?

The new solar farms may be developed through public-private partnerships as the ministry seeks to reduce the government's financial burden. Brunei has set a target of generating 100 MW of solar energy by 2025 as part of the government's initiative to slash greenhouse gas emissions by 20 percent over the next 10 years.

#### Does Brunei have a sustainable future?

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