

Can the Faroe Islands convert their energy system to renewable sources?

A number of researchers have studied the conversion of the Faroe Islands' energy system to renewable sources. These studies looked at a single island or more broadly [ 51, 53] and their primary focus was on the techno-economic optimization of the new system.

What are the key innovations in energy planning for the Faroe Islands?

The key innovations of this paper for islands, and global energy transition planning, are: The central incorporation of social perspectives into the energy planning for the Faroe Islands via explicit elicitation of criteria weights of local stakeholders.

What technical scenarios were developed for the Faroe Islands?

Different technical scenarios were developed for the Faroe Islands based on the goal of achieving 100% green electrical energy production by 2030 along with greater electrification of transport, industry and heating. This section describes the key characteristics of these scenarios and some of the main energy system-related assumptions.

Is offshore wind power a development preference for the Faroe Islands?

In the case of the Faroe Islands, offshore wind power was not directly evaluated for development preference. However, in narrative analysis offshore technologies were suggested to be preferable to onshore technologies.

How is electricity produced in the Faroe Islands?

Electricity on the Islands is currently produced through a combination of fossil (about 100 MW) and renewable sources (about 62 MW). Fig. 1. Placing the Faroe Islands, inset in red [50 ]. Space heating on the islands is primarily from oil burners and in 2016 made up 24% of the imported oil usage [51 ].

Will Faroese achieve 100 percent green electricity by 2030?

The Island's power company, SEV, has a stated goal of achieving a "100% green electrical energy onshore by 2030." Furthermore, there are incentives in place to encourage Faroese consumers to purchase heat pumps and electric vehicles while the district heating system is also being expanded [53 ].

Whale Hunting in the Faroe Islands has increasingly come under scrutiny as global concerns about animal welfare and environmental conservation have come to the fore. To many outside observers, the sight of ...

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