

Can mini-grids bridge the energy gap in Myanmar?

Bridging the Energy Gap: Demand Scenarios for Mini-Grids in Myanmar<sup>66</sup> Two villages - Kan Le and Myo Khin Thar - have a telecom tower near enough to be effectively used as anchor load. This could allow mini-grid developers to cover their bottom line and rely on other productive demand in the village to improve the system's viability.

How much electricity do mini-grids use in Myanmar?

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Can microgrids be used in rural electrification in Myanmar?

In Myanmar, SHSs were deployed in off-grid areas by the government (Greacen, 2015; Sovacool, 2013). In the current study, we focused on microgrids, which have a distributed power source and supply electricity to households. In the context of rural electrification in Myanmar, we use microgrids to mean only the isolated system from the main grid.

How does the main grid work in Myanmar?

Main grid extension often prioritises urban or peri-urban areas, where demand is higher, while sparse rural areas are seen as less of a priority. In addition, electricity tariffs on the main grid in Myanmar are subsidised and kept very low. The tariff for the residential sector is 35-50 MK/kWh (0.026-0.036 US\$/kWh)<sup>2</sup>.

Does Myanmar have an Off-Grid Initiative?

The Government of Myanmar recognizes this and has launched an off-grid initiative managed by Myanmar's Department of Rural Development (DRD), funded by a USD 90 million (MMK 119.7 billion) loan by the World Bank, of which USD 7 million is dedicated to mini-grid development.

Are microgrids a cheapest power source in Myanmar?

Discussion The LCOE values of microgrids powered by solar PVs and batteries in Myanmar are still high, but lower than those of diesel power sources depending on fuel price - and these systems are expected to be one of the cheapest power sources in the near future in combination with LIBs.

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This guidebook shares training materials and knowledge on the major aspects of mini-grid development for

rural electrification in Myanmar. It is intended to serve government officials, ...

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Examples of storage technologies include fly wheels, compressed air energy storage, batteries, and pumped-hydro storage, among others. Demand response typically involves a voluntary and compensated programs that enable a power system to encourage or directly control load reduction as needed to maintain grid stability.

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access and calls for finding a way to realise the Government of Myanmar's goal to reach 100% electrification by 2030. To achieve this ambitious target, both centralised (main-grid extension) and decentralised approaches should be considered. In this study, we focused on distributed microgrids amongst electrification options.

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