

How can Thailand manage its energy transition?

Thailand can manage its energy transition and solve the energy trilemma of sustainability, security and affordability by accelerating renewable power additions and grid capacity expansion, while limiting new thermal power capacity addition.

What are the challenges in energy transition of power sector in Thailand?

The challenge issues in energy transition of power sector in Thailand were collected, and categorized into 9 main groups, namely investment, market entry, supply chain, grid integration, social acceptance, fossil industry, capabilities, political will and joint visioning, and actors and institutions.

Why is Thailand transforming the energy sector?

The Thailand energy sector stands at a pivotal moment in its development, propelled by a convergence of political will, private sector innovation, and international cooperation. The country is not merely adapting to the energy transition--it is helping to define it for the ASEAN region.

How will Thailand's energy policy affect the energy sector?

As Thailand plans to add significant amount of renewables capacity in the next 13 years, the government would consider more flexible gas power contract. As a result, thermal power plants will likely see their operational hours cut further. This will lead to costlier coal and gas power. Source: BloombergNEF.

What is Thailand's power development plan?

Thailand's Power Development Plan (PDP) outlines an ambitious goal: for renewables to exceed 50% of the national power mix in the future. Projects like floating solar farms on dam surfaces are already being piloted and could add up to 500 MW of capacity. But even as policies shift forward, challenges on the ground remain.

How can Thailand improve its energy security?

By adding more renewables to its power system, Thailand can dramatically reduce the need to run gas power plants as baseload generators, thus reduce annual gas consumption (Figure 38 and Figure 39). This will in turn strengthen Thailand's energy security and reduce exposure to volatility of global LNG prices.

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The total installed capacity on the Electricity Generating Authority of Thailand ("EGAT") system as of



September 2023 was 48.799 GW, whereas peak demand in 2023 ...

The study focuses on the power sector, including both the supply side (electricity generation) and the demand side (electricity consumption in the residential, commercial, industrial, and ...

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Therefore, this study aims to investigate the prioritized challenges in energy transition of power sector in Thailand with a high likelihood of being solved and a high impact on Thailand"s ...

Instead of adding more thermal power plants, Thailand needs to consider an orderly phase out of its thermal power plants in coordination with expansion of clean power sources.

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A series of challenges impede Thailand"s energy transition. The PDP"s timeline is criticized for its sluggish progression, particularly in solar and storage deployment, which are ...

In 2023, Thailand's primary energy consumption consisted of 83% petroleum (42% natural gas and 41% petroleum products), 14% coal and lignite, and 3% hydropower and imported power.

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