
Burundi energy storage project access electricity price adjustment

Is poor quality power service undermining economic growth in Burundi?

Poor-quality power service is undermining opportunities for economic growth in Burundi and the lack of investments has compromised access to expansion efforts.

What is the ascent Burundi project?

The ASCENT Burundi Project will support the Government of Burundi's (GoB) Universal Access Program, launched in 2023 and will reinforce the medium voltage network across the country while rehabilitating, modernizing, and expanding Bujumbura's distribution network.

How will the goB support grid electrification in peri-urban and rural areas?

To accelerate efforts in expanding electricity access, the GoB will be partnering with the private sector to support grid electrification in peri-urban and rural areas. The project will support a distribution pilot led by Weza Power - a newly created private utility that signed an Interim Public Partnership Agreement with the government.

1. GENERAL OBJECTIVES OF THE LAW Burundi is one of the least electrified countries in the world, with only about 11% of Burundi's 11 million inhabitants having access to ...

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In April 2024, a major step toward improving electricity access in Burundi was achieved through a partnership between the International Finance Corporation (IFC), Virunga Power and the ...

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Burundi triples electricity capacity in five years, reaching 166.29 MW in 2025. Jiji-Mulembwe hydropower complex aims to supply 15,000 households and 7,000 businesses. ...

A new project funded by the World Bank will support increased access to electricity in Burundi and help improve the performance of the country's energy sector.

This new initiative is poised to transform the energy landscape in Burundi by focusing on the development of solar mini-grids and battery storage systems. Such advancements are ...

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