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# **Burundi Outdoor Energy Storage Project**



## Overview

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Does Burundi have solar power?

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What is the primary energy supply in Burundi?

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How can Burundi benefit from the 2015 Electricity Act?

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