

Netherlands europe renewable energy



Overview

The leading renewable sources in the country are biomass, wind, solar and both geothermal and aerothermal power (mostly from ground source and air source heat pumps). Despite the historic usage of wind power to drain water and grind grain, the Netherlands today lags 21 of the 26 other member states of the European Union in the consumption of energy from renewable sources. In contrast, resources such as coal, oil and natural gas are not renewable as they are limited. The indicator shows the gross final consumption of energy from renewable energy sources (RES), expressed as a share of the gross final consumption of energy from all sources.

*Note: As of Final updated National Energy and Climate Plan (NECP) 2021-2030. This was 2%. In 2023, 48 percent of electricity was generated from renewable sources such as solar, wind and water. 3 % between 2005 and 2023. The renewable energy landscape in the Netherlands continues to evolve rapidly. It is expected that a new Heat Act will follow shortly. Other important developments include measures to mitigate grid.



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Electricity spot price in Netherlands today

Electricity spot prices in Netherlands today, hour by hour. Including prices for the last 30 days.

Renewable energy

In the Netherlands, wind power and solar energy are currently the main sources of renewable energy: wind turbines generated 21 TWh in 2022 (approx. 18% of electricity demand) and solar panels

Renewable electricity - Renewables 2025 - Analysis

Renewables 2025 - Analysis and key findings. A report by the International Energy Agency.

Renewable Energy 2025

In 2024, the Netherlands had a 19.8% share of renewables (ie, wind energy, solar energy, geothermal heat, biomass, renewable cold and ambient heat) in its energy mix. This is an

The Netherlands

The Netherlands plays an important role in Europe as a hub for global energy trade, through its open market and integrated supply chains. However, the outlook for

The Netherlands is accelerating the transition to

As the Netherlands transitions to a more decentralized, renewable energy mix, digital innovations will help to optimize energy distribution, aided by one of the

Netherlands" renewables drive putting pressure on its

Energy firm Eneco can remotely reduce the amount of electricity generated by its wind farms Tennet, the government-owned agency that runs the

Climate and Energy Outlook of the Netherlands 2025

As such, renewable energy significantly contributes to Dutch energy independence, which is included in this KEV 2025 for the first time. Energy independence is now at a record high: nearly 80% of Dutch

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Renewable energy in the European Union

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EBRD, EU, And The Netherlands Launch Ukraine Renewable Energy

The European Bank for Reconstruction and Development, together with development partners, is creating a new mechanism to accelerate renewable energy investments in Ukraine and

Netherlands'' renewables drive putting pressure on its power grid

As for electricity production, the Netherlands has significantly reduced extraction of gas from its large North Sea reserves, and has replaced 43-48% of overall production with wind and solar.

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Information from the Government of the Netherlands

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Share of renewable energy in final energy consumption | Netherlands ...

The 2030 estimate for the share of renewable energy is 33.4% [29.9-36.9%], based on the proposed and agreed policy. The (new) EU target for the Netherlands (39%) falls outside the

Nearly half the electricity produced in the Netherlands is now renewable

In 2023, 48 percent of electricity was generated from renewable sources such as solar, wind and water. Between May and July, over half of the electricity generated in the Netherlands was

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Renewables such as solar panels, wind turbines and hydroelectric dams generate electricity without burning fuels that emit greenhouse gases and other pollutants.

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Increased renewable energy sources will help the EU transition towards a prosperous, sustainable, climate-compatible and independent

The Netherlands | Ember

As of 1 January 2026, The Netherlands was aiming for 75% of renewable electricity generation and 50 GW of renewable capacity by 2030. For the country's latest renewables targets,

"Europe is becoming a solar powerhouse": Solar tops

Europe can partly credit its solar success to overwhelming public support for renewable energy sources, especially when they offer visible

Latest news

Commission approves €23 billion Italian State aid scheme to support renewable electricity production 1 min read Press release 5 June 2026

The Netherlands" climate action strategy

The Netherlands reached its 2020 EU targets for GHG emissions and energy consumption, but had to make use of statistical transfers from other Member States to reach its 2020 target for the share of

Energy prices

European energy prices data for electricity, natural gas, diesel and Euro 95 across EU member states.

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