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# Why should you invest in PNG?

PNG's diverse landscapes, ecosystems and rich flora sustain a population of 8.9 million. PNG's low on-grid electrification rate of approximately 15%, along with the high renewable energy (RE) targets, presents large opportunities for both on-grid and off-grid investments.

#### What is the economic potential of PNG?

The economically feasible sites total about 4,200 MW,producing roughly 37,000 GWh/year,which presents a sizeable investment opportunity. These estimates exclude micro- and mini-hydro for rural communities. Geothermal: The geothermal resource potential of PNG is believed to be vast.

### Does PNG have geothermal power?

PNG also has geothermaland biomass potential but harnessing these resources has proven to be costly and difficult. Due to its high rainfall, PNG has about 15 GW of hydropower potential, although detailed studies on the full potential are lacking. Grid electricity generation is primarily through oil, gas, and hydropower (Figure 12).

## How big is Papua New Guinea?

Papua New Guinea (PNG), with a total land area of 46 million hectares, comprises the eastern half of the island of New Guinea and 600 smaller islands. PNG's diverse landscapes, ecosystems and rich flora sustain a population of 8.9 million.

#### Why do we need to invest in PNG's Power Sector?

This underlines the scale of investments needed in PNG's power sector, and the urgency for government and development partners to implement improvements. The opportunity to invest in the power sector in PNG is very large, growing and aligned with the interests of key stakeholders. FIGURE 11. PNG'S DOING BUSINESS RANKING BY TOPIC

### Can Papua New Guinea reach a 70% electrification rate?

Investments are also needed to achieve the goal,announced by the Government of Papua New Guinea (GoPNG) in 2018 at the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) meeting in Port Moresby,of reaching a 70% electrification rate by 2030.

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The event is set to take place in Wards Rd, Port Moresby, Papua New Guinea. The Papua New Guinea Energy Summit is an essential event for anyone looking to gain insight into the energy industry in the region. With a wide range of exhibitors and visitors, the event offers a great platform for networking and business development. ...

"Papua New Guinea is not only one of the world"s megadiverse countries, but its location on the Coral Triangle also makes it one of the world"s most megadiverse marine environments. Kimbe Bay is the anchor of the Coral ...

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Energy intensity can therefore be a useful metric to monitor. Energy intensity measures the amount of energy consumed per unit of gross domestic product. It effectively measures how efficiently a country uses energy to produce a given ...

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The World Bank has approved the National Energy Access Transformation (NEAT) Project, a \$204 million initiative that will improve the lives of over 400,000 Papua New Guineans by providing reliable electricity. The project will bring electricity to rural households; expand renewable energy generation; support the modernization of the country"s electricity ...

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sources and incentives. Industry snapshot. According to the World Bank as of 2022, about 19% of PNG's population has access to electricity, but grid penetration in provincial capitals is less than 14%. PNG's per capita consumption ...

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