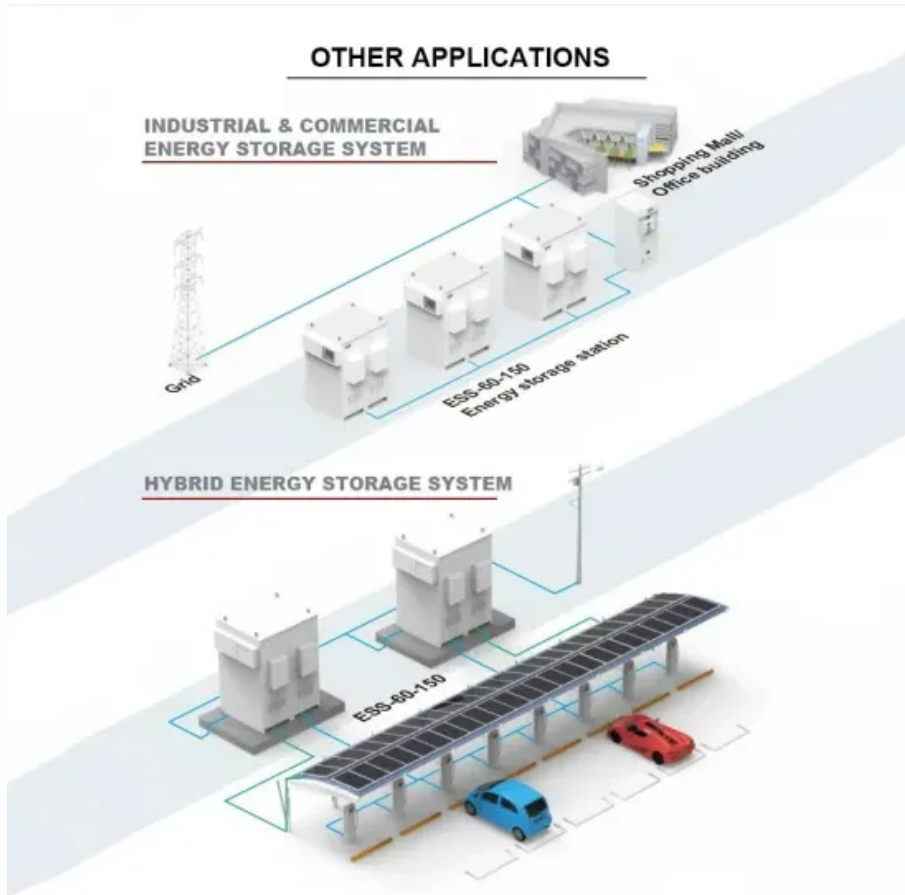


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Overview

Realistically, there are no commercially viable clean energy systems capable of replacing baseload electricity generated by Bulgaria's coal power plants. Even if the EU supports safer small modular nuclear reactors (SMRs) and advanced geothermal, their deployment remains a long way. As of 2025, Bulgaria's electricity consumption presents an interesting mix of sources, predominantly featuring both low-carbon and fossil energy. Solar. Bulgaria lags behind most of Europe when it comes to clean energy production. But new laws and a nascent democratic energy movement led by a tiny cooperative called Izgrei are pointing the way forward. Several years ago in Belozem, a wisp of a village in south-central Bulgaria, two unlikely young. In 2023, Bulgaria accounted for around 1.2 % of the EU's net greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions, and achieved a net emissions reduction of 22.4 % between 2005 and 2023, while its net carbon removals in the land use, land-use change. Four Soviet-era nuclear reactors at the Kozloduy nuclear power plant have been closed (Units 1 & 2 in December 2002, and Units 3 & 4 in December 2006), which has made Bulgaria one of the most coal-dependent nations in the EU. With access to EU funding, policy frameworks, and environmental regulations, the country has taken steps toward renewable energy adoption, energy security, and sustainability.

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Overview of renewable energy in Bulgaria

At the end of 2023, the Bulgarian Energy from Renewable Sources Act was amended to facilitate the development of new renewable energy projects.

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