

How has the energy sector impacted the economy of Zambia?

to 15.5 percent<sup>9</sup> as of August 2024. The Government of the Republic of Zambia (GRZ) has also taken steps to manage public debt, securing International Monetary Fund (IMF) support in 2022 to enhance fiscal stability. The energy sector has had a substantial macro-fiscal impact, particularly in driving economic activities within the mining, agricultural

What is the access to electricity in Zambia?

regional electricity trading hub. Access to electricity in Zambia remains low covering only 53.6% of the population with access in rural areas at only 3.9% and in urban areas at 80.3%<sup>10</sup>. According to the Multi-Tier Framework (MTF) data for Zambia, a large portion of the population remains at Tier 1 or 2, indicating limited access to electricity.

How much energy does Zambia use?

0.01%), and Electric stove (8.6%). Zambia's total installed capacity is 3,811.3 MW, and its energy mix is predominantly hydro-based, with renewable energy contributing more than 83 percent of total electricity generation. In recent years, significant strides have been made in diversifying renewable energy

How will Zambia's energy demand change in 2050?

minerals further increases demand. The IRP estimates mining energy demand will grow from 886 MW in 2020 to 1,552 MW by 2030 and 2,052 MW by 2050, reflecting a 75 percent increase by 2030 and 132 percent by 2050. This growth aligns with Zambia's ambition to triple copper production from 800,000 tonnes to

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How many households are electrified in Zambia?

61,557 households are electrified.<sup>30</sup> In Zambia, all electrified households have prepaid meters, which are also referred to as "metered households."<sup>31</sup> The sector's workforce is currently small, accounting for only 0.3 percent of Zambia's total workforce, with a significant gender imbalance--91.7 p



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