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How does the European Union support South Africa's green hydrogen projects?

In September 2024, the European Union announced two grants totalling approximately \$35 million to enhance South Africa's green hydrogen initiatives. Green hydrogen projects utilize renewable energy to separate water into hydrogen and oxygen, producing fuel applicable across various sectors, including transportation, petrochemicals, and steel.

Should South Africa build a hydrogen hub?

As South Africa prepares to build a major hydrogen hub, there are concerns over infrastructure gaps, and whether communities will see the rewards. Map of the Hydrogen Valley and planned green hydrogen projects designated as Strategic Integrated Projects (SIPs) by the South African government; hydrogen production capacity by 2050 in parentheses.

Why is green hydrogen important in South Africa?

Green hydrogen is essential for decarbonization efforts in South Africa and Europe. European nations are investing in green hydrogen projects across Africa to ensure a reliable fuel supply. In March 2025, the EU announced that it would financially support green hydrogen projects in South Africa as part of a EUR4.7bn Global Gateway Investment Package.

Will South Africa produce green hydrogen by 2030?

According to a report by National Business Initiative, South Africa could produce green hydrogen for \$1.60 per kg by 2030, one of the lowest costs worldwide. The Hydrogen Roadmap targets at the following impact of its measures:

Akuo Energy, Hive Hydrogen, Africoast, and Golden Sunshine has secured permits for a 1.43 GW solar project to power Coega ammonia plant by 2029.

As one of the largest solar energy projects in Africa, the \$3.6 billion Tafouk 1 Mega Solar Project, is set to play a crucial role in Algeria's ...

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Hive Hydrogen South Africa's Coega Green Ammonia project has received permission for the development of a 1,430 MW solar PV cluster to supply 40% of its power ...

The Coega Green Ammonia project in Nelson Mandela Bay has reached another milestone - the permitting of a 1 430 MW solar PV cluster development phase that will supply ...

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In South Africa, the solar resource is particularly abundant, and this paper investigates several ways of integrating mainly concentrating solar energy (electricity and/or ...

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It will use on-site solar power, supplemented by grid-based renewable energy, to power advanced electrolyzers that produce green hydrogen in gas form.

It will be developed by Hive Hydrogen South Africa, a company backed by Hive Energy and Built Africa. The project, which will ...

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a South African green and sustainable hydrogen economy. The project is structured around the four areas of intervention (1) Strategy, policy and regula-tory framework, ...

Funding: \$78.5M Wetility has created an affordable solar energy installation product tailored to residential properties in South Africa.

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