



ECA's SDG7 initiative for Africa

The initiative is a mechanism built on three pillars - sustainability, governance and finance – to bring together countries, financiers and developers of clean energy projects to align interests and combine scale and speed to fast-track financing from the private sector for deployment of clean energy in Africa.



10,000 megawatts (MW) of renewable electricity capacity in Africa by 2025. Initial pilot countries include Angola. Ethiopia, Kenya, Morocco, Senegal, South Africa and Togo.

Climate change – managing risks and harnessing opportunities

Climate change, population growth, economic growth, industrialization, rising middle class, urbanization leading to increased demand for energy. Climate change poses risks and opportunities to secure, reliable and affordable energy



22,000 MW clean power actions in Africa's NDCs – close to US\$ 50 billion of investment

Room for greater ambition. Can realistically add 200 GW by 2030 ~ investment opportunity of about US\$400 billion.



Country	Project	Financial Close (Date)	Tariff @ FC	Technology
South Africa	REIPPPP 4	N/A	ZAR 65c / kWh (average)	Solar & Wind
Morocco	Noor Power Plant	12 May 2015	EUR4.2c/kWh	Solar CSP
Zambia	Scaling Solar: Bangweulu	December 2017	USD 6.015c / kWh	Solar PV
Namibia	Hardap	H1 2018	USD 6.05c / kWh	Solar PV
Senegal	Scaling Solar: Kahone	September 2017	EUR 3.8016c / kWh	Solar PV

Increasing experience in Africa with deployment of non-hydro renewables – so far at close to 9,000 MW, with most of this capacity delivered by independent power producers with competitive tariffs.

