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Albania Underground Energy Storage Project



Overview

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What is the potential capacity of a pumped hydroelectric plant in Albania?

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When will a new hydropower plant be completed in Albania?

The feasibility study is scheduled to be completed next year. If the outcome is positive, the plan is to complete the new facility in 2030. In comparison, Albania's biggest three hydropower plants are on the Drin river. Together with privately owned Ashta 1 and 2, the last ones in the cascade, they have 1.4 GW in total capacity.

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