

Safe and low-cost chemical energy storage in Armenia



Overview

How has energy security changed in Armenia?

Armenia's energy security has greatly improved since the gas and power supply crisis in the early to mid-1990s. During the crisis, energy sector management was dysfunctional, losses were extremely high, and the collection rate was below 50%. This resulted in acute supply shortages, with households receiving only a few hours of power per day.

How reliable is the energy system in Armenia?

Energy system reliability in Armenia is now considered adequate, as investments in electricity and gas infrastructure, increased residential access to gas and operational improvements since the mid-1990s have led to significant declines in outages and losses.

Why does Armenia need a nuclear power plant?

Armenia depends on imports to meet much of its energy needs, particularly natural gas from the Russian Federation. It is one of the few ex-Soviet republics to avoid significant energy subsidies, and it is the only country in the Caucasus region to possess a nuclear power plant.

How much oil can be stored in Armenia?

Up to 1.2 Mt of light oil products and 0.9 Mt of fuel oil can be stored, but most depots do not comply with modern standards and many need repairs. Meanwhile, upgrades to the Abovyan underground gas storage facility in 2012 doubled its capacity to 135 mcm. Armenia is not under any international obligation to hold oil stocks.

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