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This document presents the main strategies and projects developed in France as well as various recommendations to accompany and support its energy transition policy.

France uses nuclear to produce around 70% of its electricity needs from 56 active reactors in 2023. A 2014 plan to reduce the nuclear supply was reversed in 2019 and in 2022 plans to build six new ...

As an early leader in setting out an ambitious energy transition, France legislated a net zero emissions target for 2050 in its 2019 Energy and Climate Act and aims at reducing by 55% its ...

The French government has launched a public consultation on its third Multiannual Energy Program (PPE3) for the 2025-2035 period, setting ambitious targets for offshore wind, marine ...

France's updated National Low-Carbon Strategy, or SNBC-3, foresees the end of oil use between 2040 and 2045. Fossil gas would be phased out by 2050. It also aims to boost electricity's ...

A call to action that outlines the contours of a systemic energy transformation, based on three pillars: stability of energy policies, transformation of demand, and fair and transparent ...

The aim by 2030 is to double the pace of development of photovoltaic energy, biogas and district heating networks, and to quadruple the pace of deployment for geothermal energy. These ...

A pioneer in the continent's carbon-neutral strategy by 2050, it is investing intensively in research and innovation. French cities such as Paris, Nantes and Bordeaux are at the heart of this ...

France's energy policy is driven by the multi-annual energy programme (PPE). The current PPE-2 establishes the priorities for action between 2019 and 2028, and sets out the overall objective for ...

The electricity sector in France is dominated by nuclear power, which accounted for 72.3% of total production



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in 2016, while renewables and fossil fuels accounted for 17.8% and 8.6%, respectively. France has the largest share of nuclear electricity in the world. The country is also among the world's biggest net exporters of electricity. The French nuclear power sector is almost entirely owned by the French government and the de...

France managed to reach its target of generating 23 percent of its gross final energy consumption from renewable sources four years behind schedule. In 2024, 94 percent of France's electricity was ...

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