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# Jamaica distributed energy storage power generation project



## Overview

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"Strengthening Energy Sector Resilience in Jamaica" (SESR-Jamaica) was a three-and-a-half-year public-private partnership project of the Cadmus-led Jamaica Energy Resilience Alliance (JERA) and the United States Agency for International Development (USAID). Under the project and with USAID support.

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During Hurricane Melissa, Jamaica's solar microgrids proved crucial in maintaining power, water, and communication for residents, highlighting the importance of resilient energy systems in disaster scenarios. Jennifer Hue's solar and storage system served as a community sanctuary, helping residents.

The Jamaica Public Service Company (JPS) is preparing to make a transformative \$17 billion investment in its infrastructure for the upcoming year. This bold initiative aims to modernize the nation's energy grid, enhance resilience, and align with global clean energy trends. Speaking at the Montego.

Battery energy storage systems (BESS) are now emerging as a cornerstone technology to address these challenges—helping Jamaica stabilize its grid,

unlock more renewable energy, and reduce electricity costs for both consumers and businesses. The country's electricity cost can reach as high as \$0.32.

Jamaica, better known for its blue mountain coffee than power grids, is quietly becoming the Caribbean's laboratory for renewable energy innovation. With 98% of its electricity historically coming from imported fossil fuels, the country's pivot toward solar storage and wind integration isn't just.

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