

The World Bank announced it had approved financing for Botswana's first grid-scale battery energy storage system as part of the agency's first lending operation to support renewable energy development in the African nation.



Lefoko Moagi, Botswana's minister of minerals and energy, said the finance will "support us [Botswana] to harness our rich renewable energy resources for a reliable, affordable and sustainable energy future" and will be "an important driver of economic growth."



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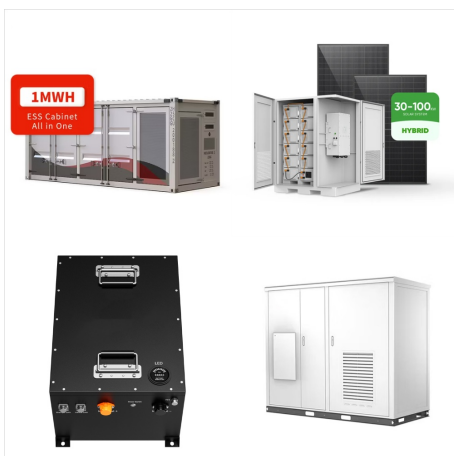
BOTSWANA BATTERY HOME ENERGY STORAGE



The World Bank and the Green Climate Fund have approved a package of loans and grants totalling \$125.5 million (P1.7 billion) to help Botswana develop a 50-megawatt utility-scale battery energy storage system. The energy storage system, a key project under government's Integrated Resource Plan (IRP), will support the wave of renewable energy



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Botswana has received an \$88 million loan from the World Bank for its first utility-scale battery energy storage system (BESS). The 50 MW/200 MWh project will allow for the stable integration and management of renewable energy on the nation's grid.

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