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## Overview

How can Cuba build a more resilient energy system?

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What is the energy situation in Cuba?

The energy situation in Cuba is critical. The Cuban electrical system has suffered for years due to a lack of investment, aging infrastructure, and difficulties in obtaining fuel. First published in Spanish by El Toque and translated and posted in English by Havana Times.

Should Cuba update its energy grid?

While small-scale, such renewable energy initiatives can reduce pressure on the energy grid and provide relief in especially vulnerable places. Due to rising temperatures and increasingly unreliable energy infrastructure, action to update Cuba’s energy grid is urgently necessary.

How can EDF help a Cuban community resilience?

In fact, EDF is making strides by supporting trainings in clean energy solutions in a few Cuba communities via an ecosystem-based adaptation project to increase community resilience funded by the Caribbean Biodiversity Fund.

How does US policy affect Cuba?

The lack of adequate energy generation, coupled with deteriorating energy transmission infrastructure and barriers to foreign investment due to U.S. policy toward Cuba, result in risks for Cubans and problems for everyday activities on the island, especially in conditions of severe heat.

Is Cuba's energy infrastructure in a precarious state of aging and disrepair?

The report highlights the issue that not only is Cuba’s energy infrastructure in a precarious state of aging and disrepair, but also that its entire energy system relies heavily on external aid and imported fossil fuels.

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The Cuban regime plans to eliminate daytime blackouts by 2026 with 2,000 MW of solar energy. Additionally, it aims to reduce the consumption of fossil fuels.

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