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International Trade Fair and Conferencefor the Solar, Renewables, Storage,Batteries, EV, Power, and Electrical Industry

10 - 12 NOV 2026
Sarit Expo Centre, Nairobi

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Event highlights









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11th
EDITION

3
HALLS

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119
EXHIBITORS

4167
TRADE VISITORS

334
DELEGATES

49
SPEAKERS

13
CONFERENCE SESSIONS

1296
B2B MEETINGS

16
COUNTRIES REPRESENTED

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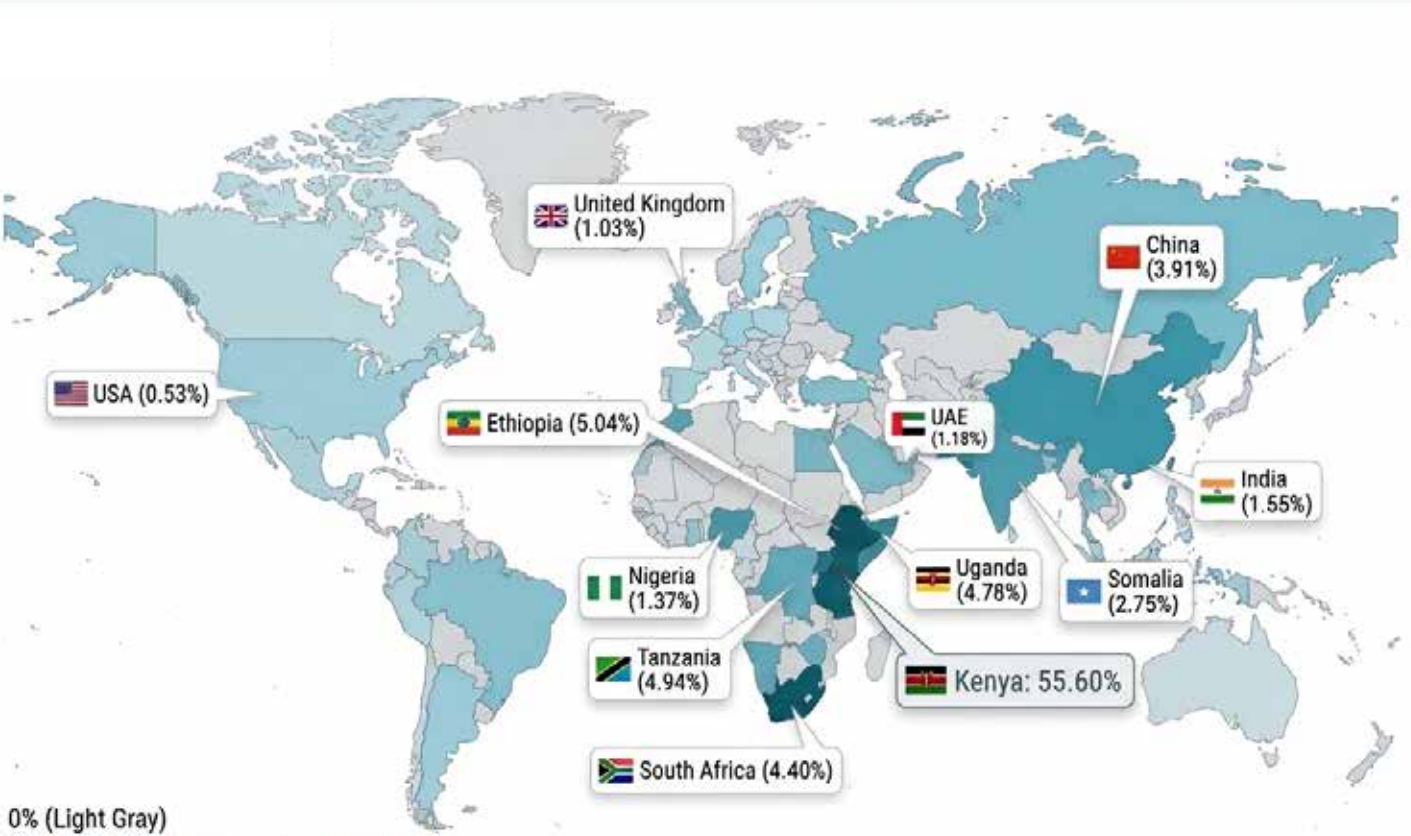

Remaining Countries:
Namibia (1.84%)
Rwanda (1.84%)
Zimbabwe (1.84%)
Burundi (0.92%)
DR Congo (0.82%)
Guinea (0.82%)
Benin (0.41%)
Mauritius (0.41%)
Morocco (0.41%)
South Sudan (0.41%)
Australia (0.25%)
Bangladesh (0.25%)
Canada (0.25%)
France (0.25%)
Germany (0.25%)
Pakistan (0.25%)
Sweden (0.25%)
Turkey (0.25%)
Belgium (0.12%)
Ireland (0.12%)
Israel (0.12%)
Kiribati (0.12%)
North Korea (0.12%)
South Korea (0.12%)
Netherlands (0.12%)
Spain (0.12%)
Switzerland (0.12%)
Taiwan (0.12%)

Visitor Overview

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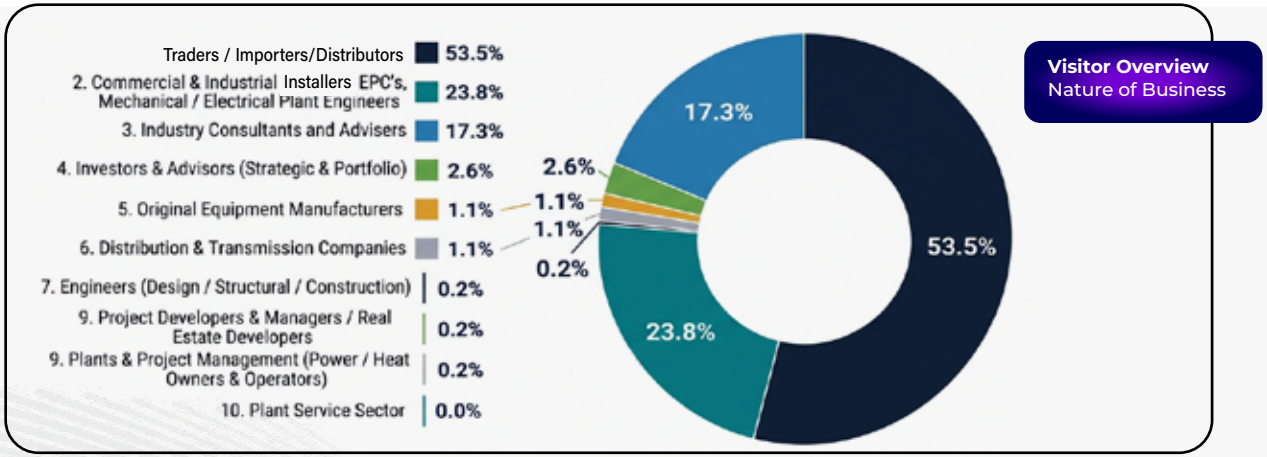
Nature of Business



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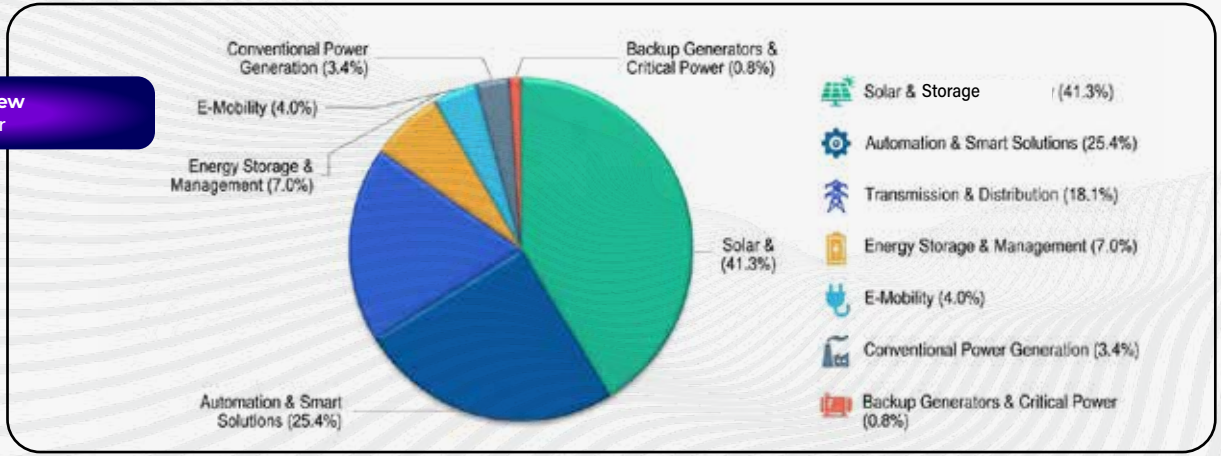
Product Sector



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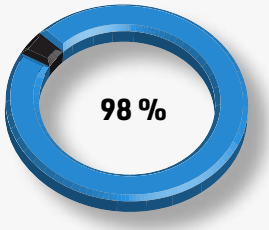
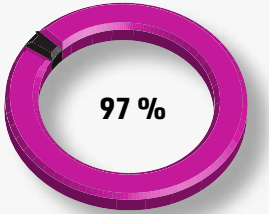
Visitor Overview - Live Visitor Feedback

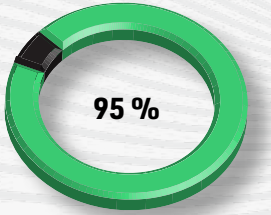




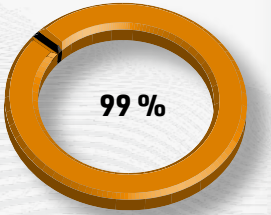
rated **POWERELEC KENYA 2026** as an important platform to attend for their business



rated their experience from good to excellent



were satisfied with **POWERELEC KENYA 2026**



will re-attend 2027 edition of **POWERELEC KENYA**

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1. 'Future of Energy is STORAGE; Decoding Opportunities for C&I, Rooftop and Rural Energy in East Africa'
2. 'Digitalisation leads to Decarbonisation; Building a Smarter, Sustainable and Connected World'
3. 'The Age of Green Capital: Proven Financing Models and Case Studies Driving Africa's Renewable Energy Transition'
4. "A Shark Tank for Women heading the Energy Eco-System in Kenya" CEO Forum
5. 'De-briefing Kenya's future landmark energy infrastructure projects'- Utility Masters' Forum
6. 'Kenya for E-Mobility; Decoding Growth Opportunities for Enterprises'

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Conference Top Speakers



Chief Guest

Thomas Karungu
Secretary - Electrical Power Development
State Department of Energy
Ministry of Energy and Petroleum, Kenya

Ministry of Energy and Petroleum
State Department for Energy



Opening Remarks:

Augo Benard
Channel Business Manager
Sungrow East Africa

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Opening Remarks:

Samson Ondiek
Manager
Economist | Energy Strategist | Policy Analyst, Kenya Power

Kenya Power

KEREA
Kenya Renewable Energy Association



Felicitation:

Murefu Barasa
Chairman
Kenya Renewable Energy Association
KEREA



Felicitation:

Victor Koyier
Director Microgrid
Huawei Sub Saharan Region

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Felicitation:

Hadyr Koumakpai
Vice President
General Manager Africa
JA Solar

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Titus Koech
Head of Solutions
Jinko ESS

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Rizwan Razaq
Middle-East & Africa Director
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Jade Martyn
Sales Director Africa
Sigenergy Africa

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Jenny Fletcher
Co-Founder and CEO
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David Alsina
Sales Director – East & West Africa
BSL BATT



Vishnu Puthenveedu
Executive Product Manager
Huawei Kenya
Digital Power



Geoffrey Kimiti
Executive Chairman
IoT Powerpay Africa Ltd



James Ngomeli
Chief Energizing Officer Brands & Beyond Ltd and Secretary-General
Africa Smart Meters Association



Karanja Njoroge
Managing Director
Dlight Kenya



Anne Chebet Rugut
Head of Commercial & Distribution Sales
KEVI POWER



Dorcas Mwigereri
CEO
SolarJiji Technologies



Prudence Nyambura
Health, Safety Environment and Social Associate
PowerGen Renewable Energy



Dr. Dianah Ngui Muchai
Clean Energy Access
Research Manager, CLASP



Tonny Mutuku
Chief Executive Director
Rockwill Green Energy East Africa



Simon Graaff
Chief Technology Officer
Equator Energy Kenya Limited



Eustace Ochieng Okoth
Technical Director
SAJ EA Region

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Ruth Mawia Mwanzia
Kenyan Entrepreneur Founder
Mentor and Strategic Communications



Michelle Mwambela
CEO
Association for Women in Energy and Extractives in Kenya (AWEIK)



Ann Nderi
Group Head of Sustainability
NCBA Bank



Bianca Gichangi
Managing Partner
Nuera Climate



Juliah Wambui
Director
Juval Innovations (Powerstores – Solar Energy Division)



Eng. Reuben Ngosi
GM
Drilling & Infrastructure Development Geothermal Development Company



Simon Wade
CEO
Kipeto Energy



John M. Mutua
Director Economic Regulation & Strategy
Energy andPetroleum Regulatory Authority



Wangari Muchiri
CEO / Africa Advisor
RE.Think Energy / Global Solar Counci



Elijah Oduor Othieno
Executive Officer
Electric Mobility Association of Kenya (EMAK)



Philip Gorman
Head of Charging Infrastructure
BasiGo



Troy Barrie
Chief Technology Officer
Ariya Finergy



Maxmillian Ochango Ambeba
Advocacy Lead
eBee Mobility Kenya Ltd

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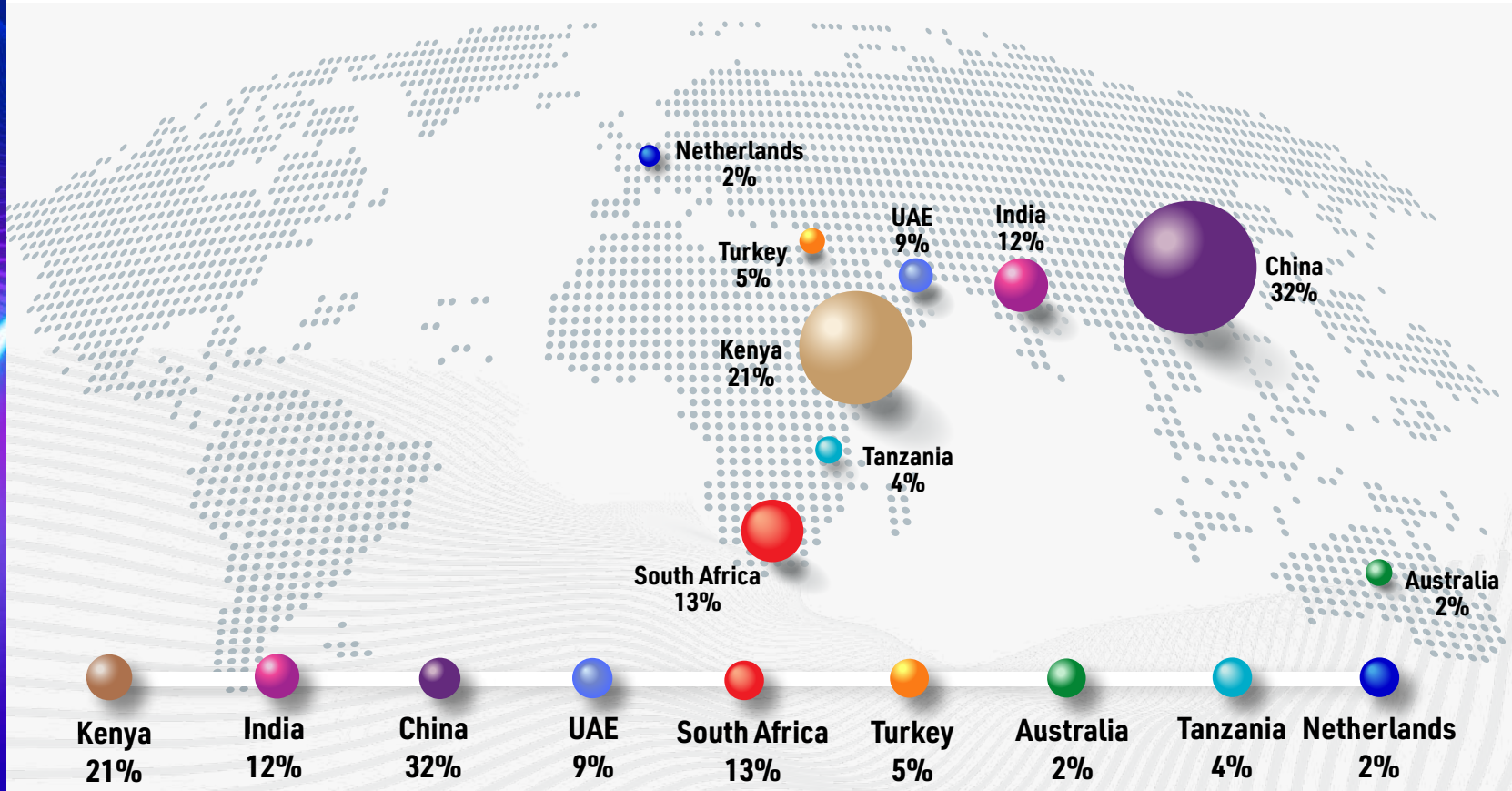

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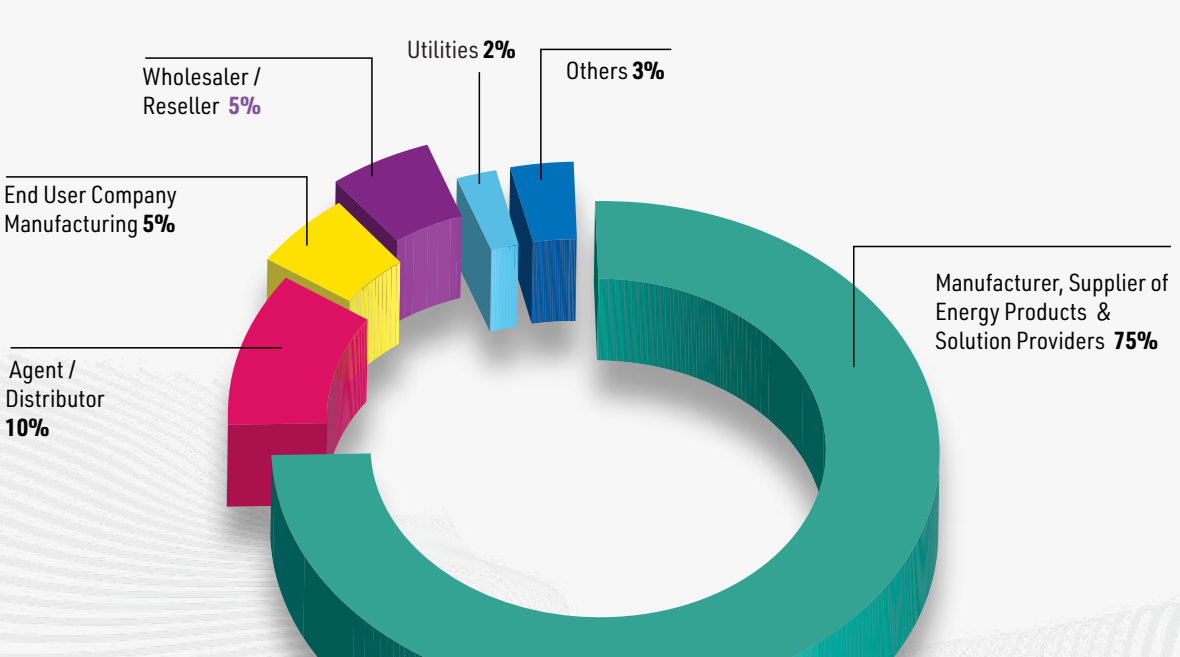

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(From left) Huawei Sub-Saharan Africa Microgrid Director Victor Koyier, Kenya Renewable Energy Association (KEREA) Chairman Murefu Barasa, Kenya Power energy strategist Samson Ondiek and JA Solar Africa Vice President Hadyr Koumakpai cut the ribbon to open the Powerelec Kenya 2026 conference at Sarit Expo Centre in Nairobi on November 10, 2026. The event is billed as East Africa's largest renewable energy gathering, with players from 40 countries.
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Kenya targets 600MW solar capacity as energy storage takes centre stage

by Mercy Sowek and Janet Onyango
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Kenya is targeting 600 megawatts of solar power generation capacity by 2030, as the country seeks to expand renewable energy production and strengthen electricity supply amid rising demand.

The target comes as policymakers and energy industry players turn their attention to energy storage, distributed power systems and investments in clean energy, areas expected to shape the country's next phase of electricity development.

Kenya's installed solar capacity stood at 367.5 megawatts as of June 2023, comprising 212.6 megawatts of grid-connected power and 154.9 megawatts of captive capacity, according to figures contained in the Powerelec Kenya 2026 press kit.

The country has an estimated solar potential of nearly 15,000 megawatts, suggesting significant room for expansion if investment in generation, storage and supporting infrastructure increases.

These issues took centre stage on November 10, 2026, as energy companies, investors and policymakers gathered in Nairobi for Powerelec Kenya 2026, a three-day exhibition and conference at the Sarit Expo Centre.

The meeting comes as Kenya seeks to maintain its position among Africa's leading renewable energy producers while addressing the infrastructure needed to support growing electricity demand. According to the event's press kit, renewables account for up to 91 per cent of Kenya's electricity generation, with geothermal contributing 47 per cent, hydropower 30 per cent, wind 12 per cent and solar two per cent.

However, expanding renewable energy sources also requires investment in systems that can store electricity and support reliable distribution, particularly as the country increases its reliance on variable sources such as solar and wind. Speaking ahead of the conference, Principal Secretary for Energy Alex Wachira said the country was positioning itself for a broader transformation of its energy sector. "Kenya is on its journey to become Africa's Energy Capital by upscaling transition in renewables, AI, nuclear and e-mobility," he said.

Sungrow, which returned as the event's principal sponsor for the third consecutive year, also pointed to the need for reliable solar and storage solutions.

"Kenya's grid is among the greenest in the world, but businesses need power that is there every hour of the day. Our focus this year is helping C&I customers cut diesel use and peak-tariff costs with integrated solar and storage, while giving households a simple, reliable back-up solution," said Nigel Sun, President of Sungrow Sub-Saharan Africa.

The need to attract investment into the sector was also highlighted by Jeen Joshua, Managing Director of VERIFAIR Dubai, the event organiser.

"Kenya is emerging as a key destination for renewable energy investment in East Africa, with growing opportunities in clean-energy development and infrastructure. Collaboration among technology providers, investors, policymakers, and industry stakeholders will be vital to accelerating innovation and sustainable growth," Joshua said.

Victor Koyier, Huawei's Director of Microgrid for sub-Saharan Africa, addressed the role of microgrid technology in strengthening electricity access and supporting reliable power supply in Kenya and the wider region during the opening session.



HOME: Victor Koyier, Director Microgrid Huawei Sub Saharan Region, Murefu Barasa, Chairman Kenya Renewable energy Association (KEREA), Samson Ondiek, manager economist/Energy strategist/Policy analyst Kenya power and Hadyr Koumakpai, Vice president general manager Africa JA Solar, cuts a ribbon to officially open Powerelec Conference on November 10th 2026 in Nairobi. MERCY SOWEK

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KENYA

Powerelec Kenya 2026: Nairobi to Host Major Solar and Energy Exhibition in November

- Nairobi will host Powerelec Kenya 2026 from November 10 to 12, bringing together manufacturers, investors and energy-sector stakeholders from more than 40 countries
- Sungrow and Huawei Digital Power are among companies set to showcase technologies in solar power, energy storage and electric mobility
- The three-day event will feature eight free conference sessions covering energy storage, green financing and women in energy leadership

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Nairobi will host an international solar and energy exhibition in November, bringing together manufacturers, investors and industry players from more than 40 countries to explore opportunities in renewable energy, energy storage and electric mobility

Energy sector leaders to gather in Nairobi for global solar meet





Solar, storage and e-mobility leaders from 40 countries to meet in Nairobi



Kenya targets 100pc green energy by 2030



Kenya plans to attract more in renewable energy, energy storage and power transmission to achieve its goal of generating all its electricity from clean sources by 2030.

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