

How big is China's offshore wind turbine manufacturing capacity?

With recently invested offshore wind turbine assembly facilities located in Zhejiang, Shandong, Liaoning and Hainan Provinces coming online in the next two years, the annual offshore wind turbine manufacturing capacity in China is likely to reach 20 GW from today's 16 GW.

How many offshore wind farms are there in 2024?

There were only three investments in offshore wind farms in the first half of 2024. Europe's governments awarded 19.7 GW of new wind capacity in auctions in H1 2024: 6.5 GW onshore and 13.2 GW offshore. This is already 72% of what they auctioned in the whole of 2023.

How many MW is a Kincardine floating offshore wind farm?

In 2021 the UK's Kincardine floating offshore wind farm came online, taking global floating offshore wind capacity to 139 MW, while Equinor has now commenced construction of its Hywind Tampen floating project.

Are offshore wind farms affecting steel prices?

Looking at a materials breakdown for offshore wind farms, 90% of offshore wind, in tonnes per MW is steel. But over the last two years, steel prices have increased by 50% from the start of 2020 to the end of 2021, and are being further impacted because of the invasion of Ukraine.

How does the cost base affect an offshore wind farm?

This means that changes in the cost base of companies providing critical elements of an offshore wind farm, including the towers, substations, cables, jackets, as well as critical components such as generators, can also have a significant impact on project costs and economic viability.

How long does a wind farm lease last?

The lease for the land has been secured and signed for 20 years, with the option to renew. The associated royalties have been fixed for 20 years and can be renegotiated after expiry of the 20-year period. The wind farm developer has secured the permits from the local government to build and operate the wind farm for 20 years.

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