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## How much energy does Mexico use?

This page is part of Global Energy Monitor 's Latin America Energy Portal. Mexico derives more than 80% of its total energy supply from fossil fuels. In 2019, oil contributed 45.20%, followed by natural gas (37.84%), coal (6.44%), biofuels (5.02%), wind and solar (2.75%), nuclear (1.62%), and hydro power (1.13%).

### How will Mexico's energy trade pact affect foreign energy investors?

The trade pact provides remedies to foreign energy investors in Mexico when fair market competition is undermined; Bloomberg calculates that the reforms would jeopardize more than \$22 billion of foreign-owned solar, wind, and other renewable-energy installations.

## What are Mexico's energy reforms?

These changes are proposed in the context of a broader push to favor state-run companies, including Mexico's oil behemoth Pemex, in the energy sector. The proposed energy reforms would be a significant setback to the aspirations of the agreement and entail opportunity costs to all.

### Will Mexico's green power be dispatched last?

Most of Mexico's green power is produced by the private sector, which means that it would be dispatched last, despite being cheaper. The prospects of Mexico meeting its climate targets - which the Obrador government declined to revise to be more ambitious at Glasgow - would move from dim to nil as renewable energy suffered this major setback.

#### Where does Mexico get its energy from?

Mexico sources most of its energy imports from the United States. U.S. natural gas pipeline exports to Mexico have increased more than 400% since 2011 (Figure 8). U.S natural gas exports via pipeline totaled 2.1 trillion cubic feet (Tcf) in 2022 (Table 4).

## Does Mexico have geothermal energy?

Geothermal energy in Mexico has large potential but is largely unexplored. The Cerro Prieto geothermal field is among the largest geothermal generating stations in the world. A 2021 study found Mexico has approximately 22 TW of green hydrogen potential.

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and Mexico, authored by nonresident scholar Miriam Grunstein, examines the background of these reforms and their potential impact within Mexico and beyond.

Mexico"s energy production and exploration is growing. In 2022, private companies funded 5% of total oil production, up from almost none in 2017. 3 o Recently, increasing private investment and rising condensate production helped reverse a downward trend in Mexico"s oil production that began in 2004. In 2022, Mexico"s oil production

The results of Mexico"s energy reforms may fall well short of government promises and public expectations, cautioned energy experts Horacio Cuevas and Nicolas Puga. Speaking at the Inter-American Dialogue on June 6th, Cuevas and Puga both warned that ambitious plans to modernize Mexico"s electricity sector could be undermined by a wide ...

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Mexico"s Senate approved a bill that will hand President Claudia Sheinbaum more control over state energy companies, expanding the government"s role as the country"s largest player in the sector.

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