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The present project included the design and tendering of two mini-grid PV systems in Areza and Maidma (total 2.25MWp PV), designed as hybrid plants with storage units (3.4 MWh Li-Ion Battery), and diesel gen-sets (5 gensets; total 1.3 MVA). The renewable energy fraction of the system is higher than 70%.

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Solarcentury has completed and commissioned two solar hybrid mini-grid systems with a combined capacity of 2.25 MWp in the Eritrean off-grid rural communities of Areza and Maidma, the UK-based solar power company said Tuesday.

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40,000 people and businesses where there is no main grid power. These communities were previously served by small diesel generators which are environmentally damaging, costly to run, and only able to provide limited

power.

The two sites at Areza (1.5 acres) and Maidma (2.5 acres) showcase the use of solar hybrid power systems to

provide grid quality power to rural populations. Tesfai Ghebrehiwet, project manager, Ministry of Energy and

Mines, said that ...

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The proposed project entails the installation of a solar photovoltaic (PV) hybrid mini-grid system at the Fanko

site of the sub-zoba of Tesseney, Eritrea. The primary goal is to address Eritrea"s unmet energy needs by

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