

Title: Electricity consumption iraq

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How much electricity does Iraq use?

Iraq generates 75,453,460 MWh of electricity as of 2016 (covering 196% of its annual consumption needs). Iraq consumed 38,460,460 MWh of electricity in 2016. Iraq imported 11,965,000 MWh of electricity in 2016 (covering 31% of its annual consumption needs). Iraq didn't export any electricity in 2016.

What is the main energy source in Iraq?

Hydropower and solar are combined for primary energy production and primary energy consumption, and hydropower accounts for the majority. Because of frequent government gridlock, Federal Iraq often faces delays in forming key legislation, passing annual budgets, and financing major energy projects by the government and foreign investors.

Is Iraq boosting energy sector?

72 U.S. Energy Information Administration, International Energy Statistics. 73 Shafaq News, "Iraq unveils 15,000MW power projects to boost energy sector," January 27, 2025; International Monetary Fund, 2022 Article IV Consultation with Iraq, February 2023, page 12.

Why does Iraq have a high demand for electricity?

According to the United States Department of Energy officials, demand for electricity has been stimulated by a growing economy and a surge in consumer purchases of appliances and electronics. [obsolete source] In addition, electricity is subsidized in Iraq, which leads to increased demand.

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In 2021, the majority of Iraq's electricity consumption was attributed to the residential sector, which used 65.0% of the total. This was followed by the commercial and public services sector at 21.6%, and ...

Iraq relied on fossil fuels for over 98% of its electricity in 2023. Its emissions per capita, 2.3 tCO₂, were slightly above the global average of 1.8 tCO₂. Iraq's power sector emissions grew ...

NOTE: This time series graph shows the Electricity Consumption of Iraq based on our stored data from 2004 to 2024, taken from the CIA World fact books of the respective years.

- Iraq's Energy Supply & Demand: Iraq's energy sector relies heavily on oil (75% of consumption) and gas (54% of power mix), with significant reserves. Electricity generation has grown rapidly, but ...

The data indicates electricity consumption in Iraq is growing. In 2023, the average electricity consumption per person rose to 3404 kWh compared to 3118 kWh per person in 2022, representing ...

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Shafaq News/ Iraq's per capita energy consumption reached 15,333 kilowatt-hours (kWh) in 2023, according to data from Our World in Data, a platform that compiles global research and ...

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