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Why should Honduras invest in energy resources?

The population of Honduras suffering from povertywill be directly benefited by the resources generated by promoting the best use of the country's energy resources and the proper positioning of government resources. Additionally, this would reduce conflicts in the installation of generation and T&D plants, which results in lower electricity costs.

How will energy deficiency affect the population of Honduras?

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### Is Honduras affordable?

According to this statistic, Honduras has an affordability rate of 94%. However, when comparing this indicator with the other countries of the Central American region, Honduras is the next to last country with affordability ratings, being above only to Nicaragua (82%); the other countries, has an affordability value equal to 100%.

The Honduras Scaling-Up Renewable Energy Program in Low-Income Countries (SREP) is giving US\$30 million in grants and near-zero interest for a diverse programme of investment plans (rural electrification, cookstoves, regulatory reform initiatives)

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Roatán, Honduras 21 October 2015. Today marks the launch of the "Development of Renewable Energy in Bay Islands (ERIBA)" project at an official event on the main island of Roatán.

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feasibility of using wind and solar energy sources. The assessment will be used to prepare a strategy in order to reduce progressively the use of fossil fuel in the islands.

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