

Coal mines and new energy storage



Overview

This article examines how five innovative technologies can transform abandoned or in-use coal mines into sustainable energy centres. From solar thermal to compressed air energy storage, these solutions offer a path to a more sustainable future while addressing the decline in coal. In the context of sustainable development, revitalising the coal sector is a key challenge. When solar and wind generate more power than needed, this energy lifts containers. A collaborative effort involving The Nature Conservancy (TNC), its Cumberland Forest Limited Partnership, Sun Tribe Development, and ENGIE is set to revitalize 17 former coal mining sites across Appalachia, converting them into clean energy ventures.

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