# The Garob Wind Farm, South Africa

In operation

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The Garob wind farm, which is located near the remote **Northern Cape** town of Copperton in the Siyathemba Local Municipality, is able to generate 573 GWh every year, potentially preventing the annual emission of approximately 600,000 tons of  $CO_2$  into the atmosphere. The facility, which has an operational capacity of 140 MW generated by 46 turbines, is situated in an area that is fast becoming a **renewable energy hub** in South Africa due to its growing number of solar and wind farms.



### Technology

Wind



#### Status

In operation



#### **Operating capacity**

140 MW



#### **Energy production**

537 GWh per year

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#### CO<sub>2</sub> emissions avoided

600,000 metric tons per year



#### Energy needs met

74,583 households each year