



# Marseille Airport uses 10MWh off-grid solar-powered containers





## Overview

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Each unit combines a helical wind turbine, high-efficiency solar panels, and a smart energy storage system, delivering reliable 24/7 lighting throughout the year. This deployment contributes to the Port's identity as a forward-thinking, tech-driven hub, while also reducing its. Aiming for energy self-sufficiency and “zero net carbon emissions” by 2030, Aéroport Marseille Provence has launched an ambitious smartgrid initiative and commissioned the Adaltys/Finance Consult/Artelia consortium to support it. After assessing the site's energy system, our teams studied several. Emissions directly controlled by Marseille Provence Airport have already fallen by more than 70% as a result of improved energy management in our operations. Setting an example is a prerequisite for engaging all our partners in the decarbonisation of our activities. Atlanta's Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport, the busiest airport globally, uses enough electricity to power 100,000 average American homes. These energy needs continue to grow as air travel expands, with global passenger numbers expected to double by 2040. Case in point: in March, a substation fire cut the power to London's Heathrow Airport. Because microgrids are separated from the main electrical grid, they enhance the reliability and stability of a power supply, minimize disruptions during emergencies or grid outages, and help airports maintain smooth operations.



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### [Microgrids: The Future of Resiliency at Airports , Kimley-Horn](#)

Explore how microgrids enhance airport energy resilience, sustainability, and efficiency, with insights on benefits, challenges, and implementation tips.

### **Aéroport Marseille Provence**

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As part of the design-build contract for three new silo car parks at Marseille-Provence airport, Eiffage Énergie Systèmes is participating in the construction of green buildings, each ...

### **Off-Grid Wind & Solar Masts**

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## Marseille Provence airport : Transitions

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## Marseille Microgrid Energy Storage System: Revolutionizing ...

The system stores surplus solar energy during peak production hours (typically 11 AM-3 PM), releasing it during evening demand spikes. Field data shows a 40% reduction in grid dependency for ...



## Power Outage? No Problem at Airports With Microgrids

The 8,800-acre airport campus uses five natural gas generators and 10,000 solar panels. The airport claims it saves about \$1 million a year in electricity costs.



## Solar-Powered Airports Transform



## European Aviation's Energy Future

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## **Solar-Powered Airports (2026) , 8MSolar**

Powered by dedicated solar arrays, these systems may continuously improve air quality within a 5-kilometer radius of the airport. Real-time monitoring might adjust purification levels based ...

## Rapid decarbonisation of Paris, Lyon and Marseille's power, transport

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