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Hong Kong's Climate Action Plan 2030+

- Released 20 JAN 2017 by HKSAR Government
- Hong Kong has developed the 4Ts operational framework to guide its climate policies (targets, timeline, transparency, together)

Targets

- 26 – 36% absolute carbon reduction by 2030 compared to 2005
- Peak emission by 2020

Solutions

- Reduce emissions from electricity generation
 - Phase out coal by 2030, and replace coal with natural gas
- Increase renewable electricity share (solar, wind, and waste) to 3 - 4% by 2030
- Improve energy efficiency (e.g. district cooling, smart meters)
- Promote public transport and new vehicle technologies (e.g. hybrid, electric)
- Promote sustainable consumption and green lifestyle choices
- Adapt to climate change
 - Improve Water security and manage urban green areas

Opportunities

Suggestions from HKCCI

- A carbon reduction target of 40% by 2030
 - Promote energy saving and improve energy efficiency in existing buildings
 - Decarbonise transport sector through low-carbon transport technologies
 - Utilise waste as a resource by adopting circular economy concepts
- A renewable electricity target of 4-5% by 2030
 - Introduce feed-in tariff to promote distributed renewable installations
 - Incorporate renewables into buildings
- Provide climate risk assessments and adaptive solutions to businesses

 **News & Info**

23 FEB 2017 | News

What 4 million solar panels look like from space

- The largest solar farm in the world, in China, generates as much electricity as a large nuclear power plant

15 FEB 2017 | News

Bike-sharing faces bumpy road in main cities

- Statistics show more than 10,000 sharable bikes have been damaged in various ways in China
- Bike-sharing is regarded as a way for large cities to reduce congestion, cut air pollution, and improve health

12 FEB 2017 | News

HK government keen on fintech advancement in city, says minister

- City lags mainland peers in fintech adoption, but efforts are on to bridge the gap

12 FEB 2017 | News

Germany's Covestro makes wind energy breakthrough in Shanghai

- Company expects R&D innovation to reduce turbine costs and boost wind power competitiveness
- Blades are cheaper, lighter, and quicker to produce

09 FEB 2017 | News

Power statistics China 2016: Huge growth of renewables amidst thermal-based generation

- Renewables had a share of more than 25 percent
- Year-on-year growth for thermal power generation was largest

16 JAN 2017 | News

How China has embraced renewable energy and Hong Kong hasn't, and what's behind city's green power inertia

- Funding bodies lack enthusiasm and are 'overly risk averse' about funding green energy research and development

30 JAN 2017 | News

HK's Cathay Pacific seeks 80pc emissions reductions on some long flights with big switch to biofuels

- Airline among world's first to adopt fuels made largely from landfill rubbish

24 FEB 2017 | Info

The six-monthly report on HK 1 July to 30 December 2016

- From British Consulate General HK



Upcoming Events in Hong Kong

Date 2017	Event	
09 MAR	Sustainability Reporting and Green Financing: From Canada to Greater China & Asia	More info
21-22 APR	4 th International Conference on Climate Change	More info
27 APR	The HKIE Environmental Division Annual Forum	More info
16 MAY	BEC EnviroSeries Conference 2017	More info
05-07 JUN	World Sustainable Built Environment Conference 2017 Hong Kong	More info
26-29 OCT	Eco Expo Asia – International Trade Fair on Environmental Protection*	More info

* HKTDC Exhibitions with Startup Zone in 2017/18

- Industry-specific exhibitions with startup zone
 - Ideal platform for SMEs to get connected with the business world
- [Read more...](#) | [Registration](#) (deadline 31 MAR 2017)

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