







CFI Demonstration Experience in Jeju : Best Practice for Jeju's efforts and achievements to build a carbon-neutral society

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Carbon Free Island JEJU 2030

The Carbon-Free Island 2030 (CFI 2030) initiative will transform the city of Jeju into a net-zero hub utilizing state-ofthe-art technology including renewable energy, electric vehicles (EVs), smart grids and microgrids. Started in 2012, The promotion of CFI 2030 holds great significance in that Jeju has presented a vision for leading the future as the forefront of South Korea's carbon neutrality frontier.

CFI Design Direction for Sustainable Development

Jeju's CFI 2030 energy transition began with concerns for the environment and the future. aiming to provide environmental, social, and economic value and sustainability for future generations.

Environment

- GHGs reduction
- Fine dust reduction

Improving the quality of life by eco-friendly approaches

SOCIAL

- Improve citizens' quality of life
- Social Value Creation by Citizen Participation

Returning development profits to the community

SUSTAINABLE

ecofriendly economic effects

Acquiring

ECONOMIC

- Reduction of economic losses due to environmental destruction

- Upbringing energy new industry





Carbon Free Island JEJU by 2030



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Wind of Change, Decade-long Challenges

Transition to a Clean Mobility (Reducing GHG emissions 60,883tCO²eq)







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Secure energy supply and welfare (GHG reduction by 449,383t CO2eq/yr)



 \checkmark Target delivery rate at over 90% with 10 years to go

Wind resource development revenue sharing

 \checkmark Supplying power to 4,000 vulnerable households (300M KRW/yr)

Solar PV subsidy and after-service in community areas (315 stations / 1,558kw)





Energy Generation Facilities in Jeju Region

Increase in Renewable Energy Generation Facilities, Diverse Energy Sources, and Complex Energy Mix





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Curtailment of JEJU

- > First occurrence of excess generation in 2015, rapid increase since 2019.
- In 2022, 104 of wind power curtailment (25.6 GWh) and 28 of solar power curtailment (3.2 GWh) equivalent to two days' power usage for Jeju residents.

Year	Number of Curtailment	Amount of Curtailmen t (MWh)	Total Generation (MWh)	Propogation (%)
2015	3	152	352,031	0.04
2016	6	252	470,324	0.05
2017	14	1,300	541,225	0.24
2018	15	1,633	534,879	0.31
2019	46	9,223	548,385	1.68
2020	77	19,449	576,396	3.37
2021	64 <mark>(1)</mark>	12,016	527,766	2.28
2022	104(28)	25,634	572,340	4.48
2023	117 <mark>(64)</mark>	26,197	515,063	5.09





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IEA – Key transition Challenges in different phases of integration of renewalbes

- The integration of variable renewable energy sources (VRE) into electricity systems can be categorised into six distinct phases, which can help to identify.
- relevant challenges and integration measures (IEA, 2017)



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IEA – different phases of integration of renewables

- in the Jeju region, the proportion of variable renewable energy in the total power generation was 19.2% in 2022, corresponding system integration phase 3 according to the International Energy Agency (IEA) standards.
- "Renewable energy is at a stage where it is driving changes in grid operation patterns. Measures are needed to address variability and excess generation.

Figure 2. Annual VRE share and corresponding system integration phase in selected countries/regions, 2018



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Note: China = the People's Republic of China.

Source: IEA (forthcoming), Renewables 2019: Analysis and Forecasts to 2024.

IEA- ways to source flexibility to balance power systems:

- There are four main ways to source flexibility to balance power systems:
- make the power generation fleet more flexible;
- make demand more flexible;
- deploy energy storage
- upgrade and improve electricity grids and their operation

All of these require

appropriate regulatory frameworks and market design if they are to function correctly.



As flexibility needs increase, they place increasing demands on power plants, grids, demand-side flexibility and storage, with implications for regulatory and market design

Note: DSR = demand-side response.



Solutions to Overcome Limitations in Jeju



Accelerating RE & EV to achieve carbon neutrality



✓ Reducing curtailment: Distributed Energy Action Plan

• Expanding large-scale ESS and sector-coupling (P2X)

\checkmark Just transition for base load sectors

Carbon

Neutrality

Expans ion Thermal plants Hydrogen & clean energy

✓ Balance between RE and low-carbon base load

• Designating special districts for distributed energy

\checkmark Local action plan based on the Carbon Neutral Green Growth Act

• GHG reduction across all sectors (power, industry, mobility, etc)

✓ Climate budget for climate change response

Strengthening social security against climate crisis

✓ Advancing Jeju's hydrogen economy

• P2H in mobility and agriculture sectors

Voluntary RE100 participation for Carbon-intensive industries

• Increase RE usage through the RE100 initiative



Efforts to achieve carbon neutrality





Scientific/technological effect

Securing optimal operating technology



- Securing technology and establishing a domestic production system
- Securing power system flexibility
- Establishment of green hydrogen production management system using new technology

Economic/industrial effect

Activation of the industrial ecosystem



- Activation of domestic industry for green hydrogen production
- Securing economic feasibility by using surplus electricity
- Overseas export of green hydrogen production technology

Socio-environmental effects Early achievement of 2050 carbon neutrality



- Eliminate power system instability
- Green hydrogen production safety standards through legal improvement
- Contribute to carbon reduction by using renewable energy and diversifying demand for green hydrogen



CFI Results & impact realized

New & Renewable energy generation & Electric Vehicles



Highest New & Renewable energy generation rate in Korea (19.2% /2022)

First offshore wind power in Korea (2017)



EV Battery Recycling Center (2019)



First in Korea to reach 30K Evs (2023)



Using echnological Innovation and Efficiency (2020 -)

Smart City Projects for 'CFI 2030 Jeju'



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Global efforts to realize CFI 2030

CFI JEJU 2030 Initiative was introduced at Paris UN Climate Change Conference in COP21 (2015)



Knowledge sharing, and Policy and RE development for PICs (Pacific Island Countries) linked to the World Bank(2021)



THE WORLD BANK

Promoting international cooperation for the development of energy projects in Africa (2020)

O JEJU ENERGY CORPORATION



Winning the 2021 P4G Energy Sector State-of-the -Art Best Partnership, CFI partnerships are striving f international cooperation to carbon-neutral.(2021)



arbon Free Island GAP Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) **Development in Pacific Island Countries (PICs)** Photo: Jeju Island / CFI2030 Final Report for the World Bank 2021 P4G State-of-the-Art Partnership SECTOR WINNER September 30, 2021 CARBON-FREE ISLAND 2030 (CFI2030) initiative will transform the city of Jeju into a net-zero hub utilizing state-of-the-art technology including



Green Growth Trust Fund



renewable energy, electric vehicles, smart grids and microgrids.

P4G

Jeju and the Republic of Korea will lead the way

to global achievements.

Real-time Renewable Energy Supply and Demand in Jeju (제주지역 실시간 신재생에너지 수급현황)

https://www.jeju.go.kr/cfi/presenteng.htm

Real-time Power Supply and Demand in Jeju (제주지역 실시간 전력수급현황)

https://www.jeju.go.kr/cfi/livegrapheng.htm

