

# How many kilograms of generator does a wind cannon use



## Overview

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A small wind energy system has a power output as much as 100 kilowatts. A 100-kilowatt turbine operating in a sufficiently windy location (on average 12MPH) can produce enough electricity over a year for 20 typical homes. Let's cut through the confusion surrounding pneumatic wind cannons and their surprising lack of kilowatt-producing capabilities. Picture this: you're at a county fair watching a pneumatic wind cannon blast paper targets into oblivion. The operator proudly claims it uses "wind power," and suddenly, the Wind Cannon (Windkanone) or Whirlwind Cannon (Wirbelwind Kanone) was an unsuccessful anti-aircraft cannon developed in Nazi Germany during World War II. [2][3] It was one of Adolf Hitler's wonder weapons and aimed to utilize powerful blasts of air to disrupt enemy aircraft. When air blows through them, they. The cannon worked by the ignition of critical mixtures of hydrogen and oxygen in molecular proportions as near as possible. The powerful explosion triggered off a rapidly-ejected projectile of compressed air and water vapor, which, like a solid "shot" of air, was as effective as a small shell.

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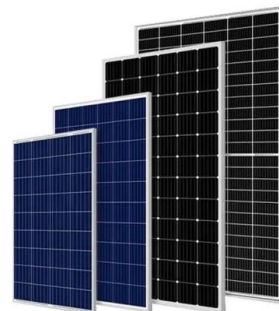
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### [Guide to Small Wind Energy Systems](#)

The size of a turbine and the speed of the wind determine how much electricity (power) a wind energy system will produce. A small wind energy system has a power output as much as 100 kilowatts.



### **Wind Electric Generator**

Wind electric generators are systems that convert wind energy into electricity, designed to operate under varying wind speeds and influenced by factors such as mean wind speed and turbine speed ...



## Wind Energy Factsheet

Horizontal axis wind turbines (HAWT) are the predominant design, featuring blades (usually three) symmetrically mounted to a hub connected via a shaft to a gearbox and generator.



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