



# USTDA

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## Connecting U.S. Expertise to Power Africa

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### Mission

The U.S. Trade and Development Agency helps companies create U.S. jobs through the export of U.S. goods and services for priority development projects in emerging economies. USTDA links U.S. businesses to export opportunities by funding project preparation and partnership building activities that develop sustainable infrastructure and foster economic growth in partner countries.

### Impact through USTDA's Power Africa Portfolio



**90 Activities**  
supporting project  
preparation assistance

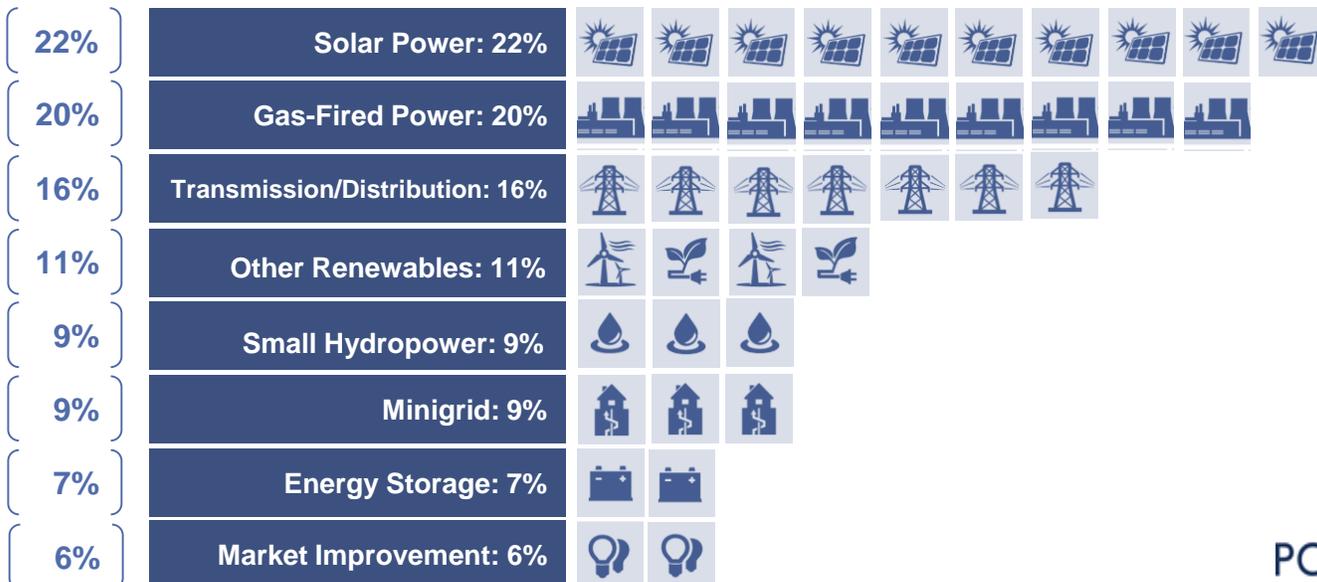


**3,766 Megawatts**  
of new power generation  
under development



**7.1 Million**  
African homes expected  
to be powered

### Investment in Power Africa by Sector





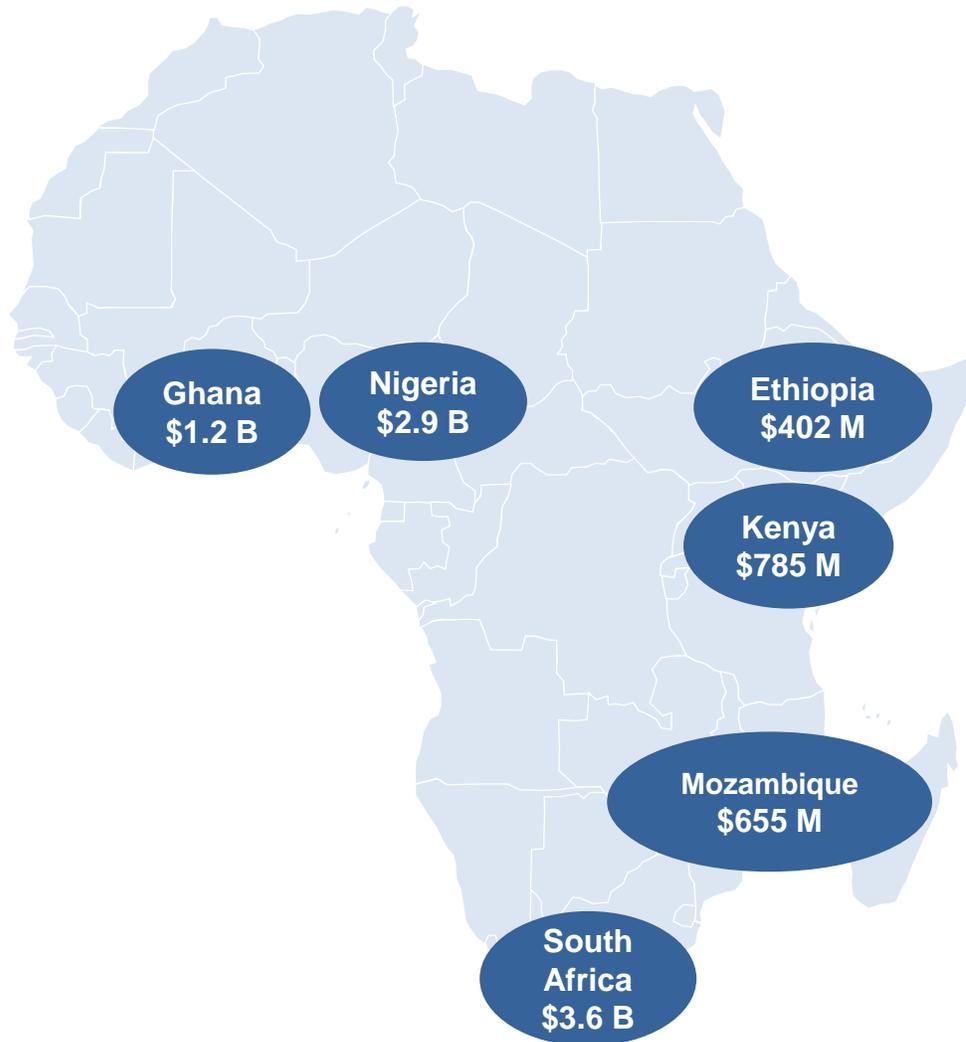
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USTDA's investments provide project preparation to catalyze new power generation, transmission, and distribution infrastructure. Through Power Africa, **USTDA's early project intervention seeks to leverage public and private financing** across several countries, as indicated on the map below.




**\$11.5 B**  
USTDA's investments could help leverage over \$11 billion in financing from public and private sources.



**\$5.2 B**  
These projects could generate over \$5 billion in U.S. export opportunities.



**353**  
Over 350 U.S. companies, business associations, and universities have participated in USTDA-funded Power Africa reverse trade missions.



USTDA provided a grant to Amahoro Energy, a Rwandan company formed to electrify the Shyira Hospital and to provide reliable power to villages in the rural Musanze district. The feasibility study, conducted by U.S. engineering firm Knight Piésold and Co., helped Amahoro Energy refine plans to develop a greenfield run-of-river hydropower plant and expand a small brownfield site. When it comes online, the project will provide electricity to an estimated 22,500 households and businesses.

