

How can a large wind turbine generate electricity when there is no wind

Modern commercial wind turbines produce electricity by using rotational energy to drive an electrical generator. They are made up of one or more blades attached to a rotor and an ...

Wind turbines work on a simple principle: instead of using electricity to make wind--like a fan--wind turbines use wind to make electricity. Wind turns the propeller-like blades of a turbine around a rotor, ...

A simple explanation of how wind turbines generate electric power, including a comparison of full-size and micro turbines.

To truly understand how wind turbines generate power--from the movement of their blades to the delivery of electricity into the grid--it is essential to explore every stage of the process, ...

Wind turbines can turn the power of wind into the electricity we all use to power our homes and businesses. They can be stand-alone, supplying just one or a very small number of homes or ...

However, it has been demonstrated that wind turbines can meet our energy needs even without wind through a combination of energy storage, grid integration, low wind technology, hybrid systems, and ...

Wind flows over the blades creating lift (similar to the effect on airplane wings), which causes the blades to turn. The blades are connected to a drive shaft that turns an electric generator, ...

No, wind turbines do not generate electricity when it's not windy. They also don't generate electricity when the wind speed drops below what's called the "cut-in-speed".

Once a turbine is going, it can take hours to slow back down, and that could explain why they are turning without wind. They could also be drawing power from the grid to rotate the blades during cold periods ...

How Do Wind Turbines Work Without Wind? How Fast Do Wind Turbine Spin? Have you ever been driving on a windless day and seen the windmills turning? How can that be? The fact is, if they are turning, there must have been some wind blowing. It could be just slightly windy; it only takes a slight breeze of to turn a turbine. Once a turbine is going, it can take hours to slow back down, and that could explain why they are... See more on energywarden Reviews: 9 Published: Nov 9, 2019 #b_results .b_vidAns{border-radius:6px;box-shadow:0 0 0 1px rgba(0,0,0,.05);padding:16px 20px;gap:10px;background:#fff}@charset "UTF-8";#b_results .b_ans.b_vidAns{box-shadow:none!important;padding:var(--smtc-gap-between-content-medium) 0!important;background:var(--bing-smtc-background-ctrl-fade-on-image-stop-0)}#b_results #serpvidans.vsa

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8px;line-height:14px;color:#fff;display:inline-block;vertical-align:middle;border-radius:2px;font-weight:bold}
.mc_bc_w .pivot{text-align:center;margin-right:1px;height:14px}.vsarr .mmgrid .mc_bc_w
.mc_bc{background-color:rgba(0,0,0,.75);opacity:1}.mmsi{height:16px;width:16px;position:relative;top:5px;
padding-right:var(--smtc-gap-between-content-xx-small)}.mmsi-microsoftnews,.mmsi-msn{top:3px}.vrhdata
{display:none}.vrhc line.nhvpv .pffvi,.vrhc line.nhvpv[data-tps="S"] .pffvt,.vrhc line.nhvpv[data-tps="M"]
.pffvt,.vrhc line.nhvpv[data-tps="L"] .pffvt{display:inline-flex}.vrhc line.nhvpv .vrhtc.pffv
.vrhol{display:none}.vrhc line.nhvpv .vrhtc.pffv
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.player_ol{background:var(--mai-smtc-background-ctrl-on-image-hover);transition:background-color
.5s;display:flex;align-items:center;justify-content:center;padding:var(--smtc-gap-between-content-x-small);ga
p:var(--smtc-gap-between-content-x-small);box-sizing:border-box}.mc_vtvc_th img{transition:all .3s
ease-out}.nhvpv+.mc_vtvc_th
img{transform:scale(1.1)}.smtplayerhtml5{height:100%;width:100%;overflow:hidden}.smtplayerhtml5
video{min-height:100%;min-width:100%}.smtplayerhtml5
.videoplaying{background-color:#000}.smtplayerhtml5.hide{display:none}.pffvt{display:none;color:var(--ma
i-smtc-foreground-ctrl-on-image-rest);font:var(--bing-smtc-text-global-subtitle2-strong)}.pffvi{mask:url(/rp/ui
07wU6K7FR_inzG7DRbP1i8fGo.svg) center
no-repeat;mask-size:12px;background:var(--bing-smtc-background-card-on-image-default);width:20px;height
:20px;flex-shrink:0;align-self:flex-start}[data-tps="L"]
.pffvt{font:var(--bing-smtc-text-global-subtitle2-strong)}[data-tps="L"]
.pffvi{width:22px;height:22px;mask-size:16px}[data-tps="S"] .pffvt{font-size:0}[data-tps="S"]
.pffvi{width:24px;height:24px;mask-size:24px;align-self:center}.hvpv.h5s
.pffvt{display:inline-flex}.hvpv.h5s .vrhct.pffv .vrhol{display:none}.hvpv.h5s .vrhct.pffv
.player_ol{background:var(--mai-smtc-background-ctrl-on-image-hover);transition:background-color
.5s;display:flex;align-items:center;justify-content:center;padding:var(--smtc-gap-between-content-x-small);ga
p:var(--smtc-gap-between-content-x-small);box-sizing:border-box}.pffvt{text-decoration:underline}.vrhct
.vrhol{position:absolute;width:100%;height:35px;max-height:35px;bottom:0;left:0;padding:0;background:non
e;display:block;z-index:9}.vrhct .vrhol.hide,.vrhct .vrhol
.hide{display:none}.vrhot{white-space:nowrap;text-overflow:ellipsis;overflow:hidden;display:inline-block;po
sition:absolute;max-width:240px;height:18px;line-height:14px;margin-left:8px;top:10px;left:0;right:0;border-
radius:2px;padding-right:8px}.vrhot
div{display:inline-block}.vrhot
nt{color:#fff;font-size:11px;font-weight:bold;background-color:rgba(0,0,0,.75);padding:2px
8px;margin-left:0;top:0;box-sizing:border-box;position:relative}.vrhct
.ricons{position:absolute;right:8px;top:10px;left:auto;bottom:auto;height:18px;display:inline-block;cursor:poi
nter}.vrhol.icons_1 .vrhot{margin-right:27px}.vrhol.icons_2 .vrhot{margin-right:49px}.vrhol.icons_3
.vrhot{margin-right:79px}.vrhol
.vrhot
nt,.vsb_tr_chd .vrhol.icons_1
.vrhot{margin-right:0}.vpb{position:absolute;display:block;bottom:0;left:0;height:4px}.vpb
div{position:absolute} .vpb
nt{width:0;background:#fff}.vpb
nt.test{display:none}.vpb.back{background-color:#999}.vrhct
.vrhol.npb{height:36px;max-height:36px}.vrhol
.vadda{width:22px;height:18px;padding:0;margin-right:0;margin-left:2px;bottom:0;position:relative;display:i
nline-block;z-index:1;background:rgba(0,0,0,.75);border-radius:2px;overflow:hidden}.vrhol
.vadda.hide{display:none}.vrhol .vadda .mc_vfaa{margin:3px 5px}.ricons .vol{float:left}.ricons
.adultFlag{float:right}.vol{width:22px;height:18px;bottom:0;margin-left:1px;margin-right:1px;position:relati
ve;display:inline-block}.vol.hide,.vol
.hide{display:none}.vol
.bg{background:rgba(0,0,0,.75);border-radius:2px}.vol.bg,.vol
nt{position:absolute;bottom:0}.vol
.vol.bg.volnb{border-radius:0 0 2px 2px}.vol .volsliderHandle.bg{border-radius:2px 2px 0 0}.vol nt
.volsliderHandle{height:70px;display:none;width:22px;float:left;bottom:18px;position:absolute;display:block
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}.vol
nt
.volsliderHandle.hide{display:none}.volsliderHandle
.vsb{height:54px;width:4px;background-color:#999;margin:9px
8px;position:relative;display:block;border-radius:2px}.volsliderHandle
.vsh{height:6px;width:14px;padding:9px
7px
9px
7px;margin:0
-12px;display:block;position:absolute;top:30px}.volsliderHandle
.vshi{height:4px;width:14px;background-color:#fff;border-radius:2px}.volMuteIcon{width:16px;height:14px;
margin:2px
4px;float:left}.volMuteHandle{width:22px;height:18px}.vo{background:url(/rp/fFZxBXEIP9WYOO0jhTaEl
yLhEVU.svg)
no-repeat}.vm{background:url(/rp/fsX-ZVd03wB2TL0vmQJxSp4U9vs.svg)
no-repeat}.vl{background:url(/rp/YXYMPC1Rry_XJGc7Yg8lR4B2eEs.svg)
no-repeat}.vf{background:url(/rp/NosrlR4amKTs1zYxWy3laZN3HRk.svg)
no-repeat}@media(forced-colors:active){.vol{forced-color-adjust:none}.vrhc
line
.vt_vp,.vrhc.popout
.vt_vp,.vrhc.mousefollow
.vt_vp{position:absolute;bottom:0;border:hidden;padding:0;top:0;left:0;z-index:3}.vrhc
.hide{display:none}.vrh_clc
.vt_vp,.vrh_clc
.vrhc
.vrhi,.vrh_clc
.player_ol{cursor:pointer}.vrh_clc
.cico{border-radius:0}.vrhc{border:hidden;top:0;left:0;padding:0}.vrhc.mousefollow
.vrhc,.vrhc.popout
.vrhc{background-color:#999}.vrhctp.load
.player_ol{background:url(/rp/J_o2maogFDeUOsovPJL-ofEuxJ4.gif) center center no-repeat}.vrhc
line
.vrhc
.vrhi,.vrhc.popout
.vrhc
.vrhi,.vrhc.mousefollow
.vrhc
.vrhi{position:absolute!important;border:hidden;z-index:2;padding:0;left:0;top:0}.player_ol{position:absolute
;width:100%;height:100%;bottom:0;border:hidden;z-index:7}.vrhc.popout,.vrhc
line,.vrhc.mousefollow{border-radius:6px;overflow:hidden;display:table-row-group;background:none}.vrhc.p
opout,.vrhc.mousefollow{z-index:4;box-shadow:0 4px 4px rgba(0,0,0,.1),0 2px 80px rgba(0,0,0,.2)}.vrhc
line{z-index:1;margin:0}.vrhc.popout,.vrhc
line{position:absolute;top:0}.vrhc.popout{border:1px solid
#fff}.vrhc.mousefollow{position:fixed}.vrhcp{position:relative;top:0;left:0;display:table-row}.vrhcp
.vrhc{position:relative;overflow:hidden}.vrhc.hide{display:none}@keyframes
vh_fadein{from{opacity:0}to{opacity:1}}.vrhc.not(.hide){animation:vh_fadein
250ms}.vrhc
line
img{color:transparent}.vrhc
line.fullsize{height:100%}.vrhc,.vrhc:hover,.vrhc.link,.vrhc.active,.vrhc.visited{color:#000;text-decoration:no
ne}.vrhc.vrh_clc{cursor:pointer}.a.hover-anchor{display:block;height:100%;width:100%;text-decoration:none
}.vrhstat{height:0;overflow:hidden}.mmlist
.mc_vtvc
.mc_vtvc_meta { padding: 12px 16px 16px 16px; }
.mmlist
.mc_vtvc
.mc_vtvc_meta_w { height: 112px; margin-top: -0px; }
.mmlist
.mc_vtvc
.mc_vtvc_title {
height: 44px; line-height: 22px; margin-bottom: 0px; margin-top: 0px; }
.mmlist
.mc_vtvc
.mc_vtvc_meta_block_area { height: 40px; }
.mmlist
.mc_vtvc
.vtmu,
.mmlist
.mc_vtvc
.vtpl { bottom:
120px; }
.mmlist
.mc_vtvc
.th_dock { height: 112px; }
.mmlist
.mc_vtvc
.th.cico { height: 131px; }
.mmlist
.mc_vtvc{margin:10px
1px
0}.mmlist
.mc_vtvc
.con_rc{display:flex}.cardless
.mmlist
.mc_vtvc
.con_rc{height:112px}.mmlist
.mc_vtvc
.mc_vtvc_meta{display:flex;flex-direction:column;justify-content:space-between;margin:0
10px
4px
12px;padding:0}.mmlist
.mc_vtvc
.title{font-weight:400;font-size:16px;height:44px;line-height:22px;margin-bottom:0;margin-top:0;c

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olor:unset}.mmlist .mc_vtvc_meta_row{font-size:13px}.mmlist .mc_vtvc
.mc_vtvc_meta_block_area{height:unset}.mmlist .mc_vtvc .vtmu,.mmlist .mc_vtvc
.vtpl{bottom:8px}.cardless .mmlist .mc_vtvc{box-shadow:none}.cardless.mmlist
.mc_vtvc_center_play{width:32px;height:32px}.cardless.mmlist
.mc_vtvc_title{font-size:16px;color:unset}.cardless.mmlist
.mc_vtvc_meta_row{line-height:20px}.cardless.mmlist
.mc_vtvc_meta_pubdate{padding-bottom:2px;color:#666}.cardless.mmlist .mc_vtvc_th,.cardless.mmlist
.mc_vtvc_th .cico,.cardless.mmlist .mc_vtvc_th div.rms_img{border-radius:6px}.cardless.mmlist
.mc_vtvc_th{height:111px}.cardless.mmlist
.mc_vtvc_htc{border-radius:6px;overflow:hidden}#serpvidans.vasac.cardless{box-shadow:none}.cardless.m
mmlist .mc_bc{padding:2px 8px;line-height:14px;border-radius:2px;font-weight:normal}.mmlist
.mc_vtvc: hover
.mc_vtvc_title{text-decoration:underline}.mmgrid>div{width:197px;display:inline-block;margin-right:8px;m
argin-bottom:8px;box-shadow:0 0 0 1px
rgba(0,0,0,.05);position:relative;vertical-align:top;overflow:hidden;white-space:normal;border-radius:6px}.vs
arr .mmgrid>div,.vsarr1stbig .mmgrid>div{margin-right:8px;margin-bottom:8px}#serpvidansrr .mc_vtvc
.mc_vtvc_meta{height:auto}#serpvidansrr .mc_vtvc
.mc_vtvc_title{display:-webkit-box;-webkit-line-clamp:2;-webkit-box-orient:vertical}.mmgrid
.mc_tc{border:0}.vsa .mmgrid>div:nth-child(3n){margin-right:0}.vsa
.b_moreLink{padding-top:4px}#serpvidansrr
.mc_vtvc_meta_row{line-height:18px;font-size:100%;height:17px}.vsarr
.mmgrid>div:nth-child(2n){margin-right:0}#serpvidansrr .mc_vtvc .vtmu,#serpvidansrr .mc_vtvc
.vtpl{bottom:128px}.vsarr1stbig .mmgrid>div:nth-child(2){margin-right:0}#serpvidansrr.uipolish
.mc_vtvc_meta_pubdate,#serpvidansrr.uipolish .mc_vtvc_meta_channel,#serpvidansrr.uipolish #vidans2
.b_videocard .video_metadata .video_source{color:#767676}#serpvidansrr #vidans2 .b_videocard
.video_metadata_container,#serpvidansrr #vidans2 .b_videocard .video_metadata_container
.video_metadata>h3{width:100%}@media(max-width:1362.9px){#serpvidansrr
.mmgrid>div{width:168px;height:206px}#serpvidansrr .mmgrid>div .cico,#serpvidansrr .mmgrid>div .cico
.rms_img{width:168px;height:100px}#serpvidansrr .mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_meta{padding:12px}#serpvidansrr
.mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_title{height:32px;line-height:16px;margin-bottom:16px}#serpvidansrr .mc_vtvc
.mc_vtvc_meta_block_area{height:34px}#serpvidansrr
.mc_vtvc_meta_row{line-height:15px;font-size:13px;height:15px}#serpvidansrr
.mc_vtvc_meta_pubdate{padding-bottom:4px}#serpvidansrr .mc_vtvc .vtmu,#serpvidansrr .mc_vtvc
.vtpl{bottom:114px}#serpvidansrr #vidans2 .b_videocard .videoPlayer,#serpvidansrr #vidans2 .b_videocard
.videoPlayer .cico,#serpvidansrr #vidans2 .b_videocard .videoPlayer .cico
.rms_img{width:343px!important;height:194px!important;margin-right:0} @media(max-width:1274.9px){#s
erpvidansrr .mmgrid>div{width:124px;height:164px}#serpvidansrr .mmgrid>div .cico,#serpvidansrr
.mmgrid>div .cico .rms_img{width:124px;height:76px}#serpvidansrr .mc_vtvc
.mc_vtvc_meta{padding:8px}#serpvidansrr .mc_vtvc
.mc_vtvc_title{height:32px;line-height:16px;margin-bottom:12px}#serpvidansrr .mc_vtvc
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.mc_vtvc_meta_block_area{height:28px}#serpvidansrr
.mc_vtvc_meta_row{line-height:13px;font-size:11px;height:13px}#serpvidansrr
.mc_vtvc_meta_pubdate{padding-bottom:2px}#serpvidansrr .mc_vtvc .vtmu,#serpvidansrr .mc_vtvc
.vtpl{bottom:96px}#serpvidansrr #vidans2 .b_videocard .videoPlayer,#serpvidansrr #vidans2 .b_videocard
.videoPlayer .cico,#serpvidansrr #vidans2 .b_videocard .videoPlayer .cico
.rms_img{width:256px!important;height:144px!important;margin-right:0}#serpvidansrr .maskthumb
.mc_bc_w{padding:8px 4px 4px 8px}#serpvidansrr.withsplitline
.mmgrid>div:nth-last-child(1),#serpvidansrr.withsplitline
.mmgrid>div:nth-last-child(2){margin-bottom:24px}#serpvidansrr.withsplitline .mmgrid{border-bottom:1px
solid #ecec;#margin-bottom:16px}#serpvidansrr #vidans2 .b_videocard
.video_metadata{max-width:auto;padding:12px 16px}#serpvidansrr #vidans2
.b_videocard{margin-bottom:12px;box-shadow:0 0 1px rgba(0,0,0,.05),0 2px 3px
rgba(0,0,0,.1);border-radius:6px}#serpvidansrr .b_rich{padding-top:0}#serpvidansrr #vidans2
.videoPlayer{border-radius:6px 6px 0 0;overflow:hidden}#serpvidansrr #vidans2 .b_videocard
.video_metadata>h3{white-space:nowrap;overflow:hidden;text-overflow:ellipsis;-webkit-line-clamp:1;line-he
ight:15px;height:15px;font-size:13px;color:#000;margin-bottom:20px;font-family:"Arial",Helvetica,Sans-Seri
f;font-style:normal;display:block}#serpvidansrr.vsarr1stbig #vidans2 .b_videocard .video_metadata
.actionmenu{display:none}#serpvidansrr #vidans2 .b_videocard .video_summary,#serpvidansrr #vidans2
.b_videocard .video_source{line-height:15px}#serpvidansrr #vidans2 .b_videocard .videoPlayer
.vtbc{right:0}.vsb_tr_c{position:relative;width:100%;overflow:hidden;background:#1d1b28;height:583px;ma
rgin-bottom:16px}.vsb_tr_c.tr_nh{height:294px}.vsb_tr_c .mm_vrc h2,.vsb_tr_c .mm_vrc
.see_more{display:none}.vsb_tr_c .mm_vrc>div{padding-bottom:20px}.vsb_tr_c
.vsb_tr_t{position:absolute;top:16px;left:160px;font:normal 16px/19px
"Arial",Helvetica,Sans-Serif;font-weight:700;color:#fff;z-index:1}.vsb_tr_c
.vsb_tr_t::after{width:17px;height:12px;display:inline-block;background-size:7px
12px;background-repeat:no-repeat;background-position-x:right;opacity:.7;content:""}.vsb_tr_c
.vsb_tr_t:hover::after{opacity:1}.vsb_tr_c .mm_vrc
.mc_vtvc{background-color:#585858;border-radius:6px}.vsb_tr_c .mm_vrc
.mc_vtvc_con_rc{border-radius:6px}.vsb_tr_c .vsb_tr_chd{position:absolute;bottom:0;width:100%}.vsb_tr_c
.onhov .mc_vtvc_ban_lo{display:none}.vsb_tr_chd .mc_vtvc_tot
.mc_vtvc_title{line-height:15px}.vsb_tr_chd .mc_vtvc_tot .mc_vtvc_meta_row,.vsb_tr_chd .mc_vtvc_tot
.mc_vtvc_meta_row a{color:#dadada}.vsb_tr_chd .grad_b{top:30%;height:auto}.vsb_tr_chd .mc_vtvc_tot
.mc_vtvc_meta_row{font-size:12px;line-height:16px;height:16px}.vsb_tr_chd .mc_vtvc_tot
.meta_pd_content{display:none}.vsb_tr_chd .mc_vtvc_tot .mc_vtvc_title strong{font-weight:500}.vsb_tr_c
.slide video{object-fit:cover}.vsb_tr_c .mc_vtvc_th .cico{width:100%;height:100%}.vsb_tr_c
.vrhcac{width:647px;position:absolute;width:calc(42% - 160px);bottom:200px;margin:0 0 0
160px;height:auto;padding:0;pointer-events:auto}.vsb_tr_c .vrhcac .mc_vtvc_title{font:normal 30px/35px
"Arial",Helvetica,Sans-Serif;font-weight:700;height:70px;overflow:hidden;color:#fff;text-overflow:ellipsis;di
splay:-webkit-box;-webkit-box-orient:vertical;-webkit-line-clamp:2}.vsb_tr_c .vrhcac
.mc_vtvc_meta_block_area{height:50px;margin:12px 0 0 0}.vsb_tr_c .vrhcac
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.mc_vtvc_meta_row{font:normal 13px/15px "Arial",Helvetica,Sans-Serif;margin:5px 0 5px 0;color:#dadada}.vsb_tr_c .mm_vrc .b_overlay .btn.bigrounded .cr>div,.vsb_tr_c .mm_vrc .b_overlay .btn.bigrounded .cr>div:hover{background-image:url(/rp/qA6EopzJjTm5qQJvnXlrWGPNP778.svg)}.vsb_tr_c .vsb_tr_t::after{background-image:url(data:image/svg+xml,%3Csvg%20width%3D%227%22%20height%3D%2214%22%20viewBox%3D%220%200%207%2014%22%20fill%3D%22none%22%20xmlns%3D%22http%3A%2F%2F2000%2Fsvg%22%3E%0D%0A%20%20%20%20%3Cpath%20d%3D%22M0.186925%201.19491L5.4643%207L0.186925%2012.8051C-0.0623082%2013.0792%20-0.0623082%2013.5214%200.186925%2013.7944C0.436158%2014.0685%200.838112%2014.0685%201.08628%2013.7944L6.81334%207.49465C6.93212%207.36515%207%207.18433%207%207C7%206.81567%206.93212%206.63485%206.81334%206.50535L1.08628%200.205616C0.837052%20-0.0685388%200.435097%20-0.0685388%200.186925%200.205616C-0.0612477%200.479772%20-0.0623082%200.92192%200.186925%201.19491Z%22%20fill%3D%22white%22%20fill-opacity%3D%220.7%22%2F%3E%0D%0A%3C%2Fsvg%3E)}.va_tt .mm_vrc{padding:11px 2px 0 0}.va_tt .vsb_tr_t{position:relative;top:auto;left:auto;font:normal 18px/22px "Arial",Helvetica,Sans-Serif;font-weight:400;color:#4007a2;z-index:auto}.b_dark .va_tt .vsb_tr_t{color:#82c7ff}.va_tt .vsb_tr_tp,.va_tt .vsb_tr_tl{display:inline-block;margin-right:5px}.va_tt .vsb_tr_chd{position:relative}.vsb_tr_c.va_tt{--va-st-padding-bottom:16px;height:auto;background-color:transparent;margin-top:22px;overflow:visible;padding-bottom:var(--va-st-padding-bottom);margin-bottom:0}.va_tt .mc_vtvc_ban_lo,.va_tt .vsb_tr_t::after,.va_tt .mc_vtvc_hover .mc_vtvc_center_play,.va_tt .vsb_tr_chd .vt_onhv .mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_meta{display:none}.va_tt .mc_vtvc_hover .mc_vtvc_ht,.va_tt .mc_vtvc_hover .mc_vtvc_htb{display:table-cell}.va_tt .mc_vtvc_htb{padding-top:50px;background:linear-gradient(360deg,rgba(0,0,0,.6) 60.35%,rgba(0,0,0) 100%);font-size:11px;line-height:13px}.va_tt .mc_vtvc_ht{padding:0 24px;text-shadow:0 1px 2px rgba(0,0,0,.2)}.va_tt .mc_vtvc_center_play{bottom:52px}.va_tt .mc_vtvc_hover .mc_vtvc_title{max-height:52px;white-space:normal;display:-webkit-box;-webkit-box-orient:vertical;-webkit-line-clamp:4}#serpvidans .va_tt .slide{margin-right:0;vertical-align:bottom;transition:width .2s,height .2s}#serpvidans .va_tt .slide:not(:first-child){margin-left:8px}#serpvidans .va_tt .mm_vrc>div{padding-bottom:0}.va_tt .vsb_tr_chd .mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_meta{height:auto;padding:8px;color:#ddd}.va_tt .vsb_tr_chd .mc_vtvc_th_dock{height:72px;position:absolute;bottom:0;background:linear-gradient(360deg,rgba(0,0,0,.55) 60.35%,rgba(0,0,0) 100%)}.va_tt .mc_vtvc_meta_row_channel{font-size:13px;line-height:15px;font-weight:500;color:#fff;white-space:nowrap;overflow:hidden;text-overflow:ellipsis;margin-bottom:6px}.va_tt .vsb_tr_chd .mc_vtvc .mc_vtvc_title{height:auto;font-size:11px;line-height:13px;color:#ddd;white-space:nowrap;overflow:hidden;text-overflow:ellipsis}.va_tt .slide .mc_vtvc{width:100%}.va_tt .slide video{object-fit:cover}.va_tt .mc_vtvc_th .cico{width:100%;height:204px}.va_tt .b_overlay .btn.bigrounded{top:auto;bottom:0;margin-bottom:93px}.va_tt .vt_onhv .mc_vtvc_htb{padding-top:86px}.va_tt .vsb_tr_chd .mc_vtvc .vtmu,.va_tt .vsb_tr_chd .mc_vtvc .vtpl{bottom:6px}.va_tt .vcmt_ct,.va_tt .vcmt_ctt{display:block;margin-bottom:4px;font-size:11px}.va_tt .vasyt::before{content:"";background:url(
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EnergySee MoreWind turbines work on a simple principle: instead of using electricity to make wind--like a
fan--wind turbines use wind to make electricity. Wind turns the propeller-like blades of a turbine around a
rotor, ...

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How can a large wind turbine generate electricity when there is no wind

Curious about how wind turbines work when there's no wind? This article explains how turbines generate electricity, even when it's not windy outside!

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