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# **Battery energy storage makes money**



## Overview

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Batteries make money in power markets through arbitraging the value between charging and discharging power. The greater the difference between high and low power prices across the day, the larger the profit for a battery asset.

What is a battery energy storage project?

A battery energy storage project is a system that serves a variety of purposes for utilities and other consumers of electricity, including backup power, frequency regulation, and balancing electricity supply with demand.

How can energy storage be profitable?

Where a profitable application of energy storage requires saving of costs or deferral of investments, direct mechanisms, such as subsidies and rebates, will be effective. For applications dependent on price arbitrage, the existence and access to variable market prices are essential.

Why should you invest in energy storage?

Investment in energy storage can enable them to meet the contracted amount of electricity more accurately and avoid penalties charged for deviations. Revenue streams are decisive to distinguish business models when one application applies to the same market role multiple times.

What is the 'value stack' in energy storage?

Owners of batteries, including storage facilities that are co-located with solar or wind projects, derive revenue under multiple contracts and generate multiple layers of revenue or 'value stack.' Developers then seek financing

based on anticipated cash flows from all or a portion of the components of this value stack.

### How will Price Spreads affect battery storage?

Cannibalisation of price spreads from other battery storage assets presents a significant risk, particularly in the BM which has smaller overall volumes. In addition, the entry of competing sources of flexibility, such as interconnection and Demand Side Response (DSR), will also dampen spreads and reduce the opportunities for batteries.

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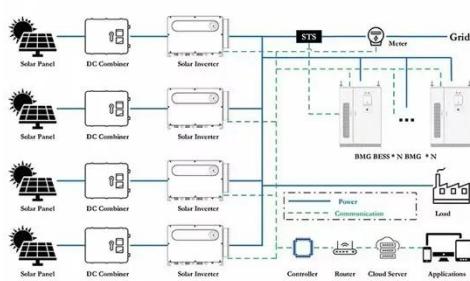
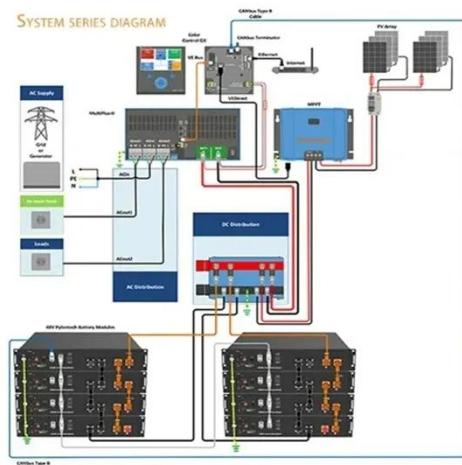


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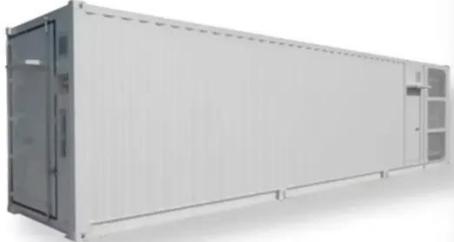
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