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# **Will flow batteries become mainstream**



## Overview

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With ongoing advancements in efficiency, cost reduction, and recycling capabilities, flow batteries are set to become a mainstream energy storage solution in the coming years. Are flow batteries the future of energy storage?

Governments around the world are advocating for increased adoption of renewable energy sources, such as wind and solar. To address the challenge of intermittency, these energy sources require effective storage solutions, positioning flow batteries as a prime option for long-duration energy storage.

Are flow batteries sustainable?

Flow batteries represent a versatile and sustainable solution for large-scale energy storage challenges. Their ability to store renewable energy efficiently, combined with their durability and safety, positions them as a key player in the transition to a greener energy future.

What is a flow battery?

Unlike traditional lithium-ion or lead-acid batteries, flow batteries offer longer life spans, scalability, and the ability to discharge for extended durations. These characteristics make them ideal for applications such as renewable energy integration, microgrids, and off-grid solutions. The basic structure of a flow battery includes:

How will the flow battery market grow?

The flow battery market is expected to grow significantly as the share of renewables increases in the primary energy mix. Despite their higher CapEx cost compared to lithium-ion batteries, flow batteries are expected to be used extensively for both front-of-the-meter and behind-the-meter applications in the next several years.

Are flow batteries already in use?

Flow batteries are already a reality. Fort Carson, a US military base, has

contracted Lockheed Martin to build a 10 MWh redox flow battery to store its solar farm's energy. Unlike other new battery technologies that are still in development, flow batteries are already being implemented.

### What is flow battery systems manufacturing?

The manufacturing of flow battery systems is the focus of the "\$24.5 Million for Manufacturing Innovation" funding opportunity. Flow batteries are electrochemical batteries that use externally stored electrolytes, making them cost less, safer, and more flexible and adaptable. The funding opportunity will award up to \$20 million for R&D projects in this area.

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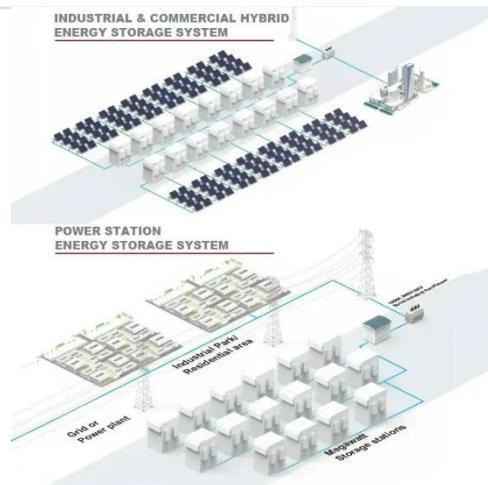


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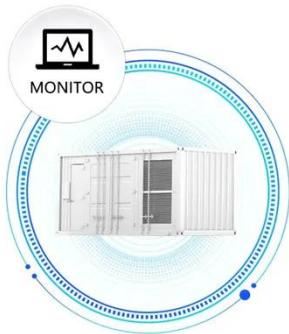
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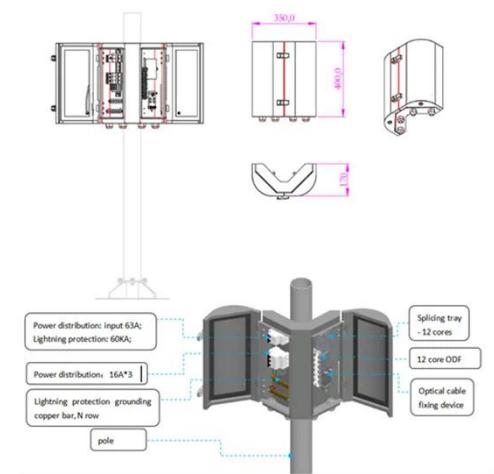


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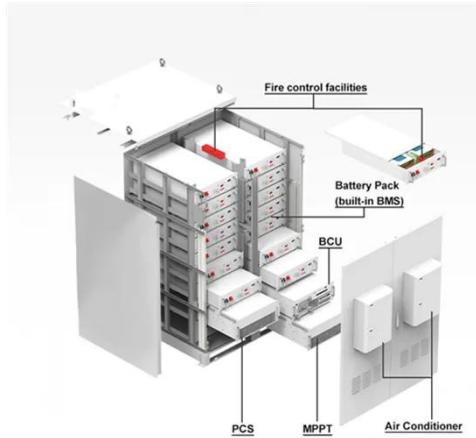
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