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# Energy Storage Cost Vanadium Flow



## Overview

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Can a vanadium flow battery be used in large-scale energy storage?

Performance optimization and cost reduction of a vanadium flow battery (VFB) system is essential for its commercialization and application in large-scale energy storage. However, developing a VFB stack from lab to industrial scale can take years of experiments due to the influence of complex factors, from key materials to the battery architecture.

Are vanadium redox flow batteries cost-effective?

Learn more. Vanadium redox flow batteries (VRFBs) are promising for large-scale energy storage, but their commercialization is hindered by the high cost of vanadium electrolytes. This study introduces a cost-effective Mn-V/V redox flow battery by partially replacing vanadium ions with abundant manganese ions.

Does reselling vanadium electrolyte preserve its operative value?

In addition, the vanadium electrolyte after regeneration preserves its operative value because it is not affected by cross-contamination and aging effects. However, no market quotations are available at present for vanadium reselling, so that in a prudential analysis it was assumed EOL cost equal to zero, consistently with most literature [13, 23].

Is EoL cost a Prudential assumption for vanadium reselling?

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What is the capital cost target for energy storage (es)?

The US Department of Energy (DOE) fixed a capital cost target for ES of

100-150 \$ kWh<sup>-1</sup> (94-140 € kWh<sup>-1</sup>) and a Levelized Cost of Storage (LCOS) of 0.05 € kWh<sup>-1</sup> cycles<sup>-1</sup>. The latter is a more complete, though somewhat neglected, economic indicator as it is detailed further on.

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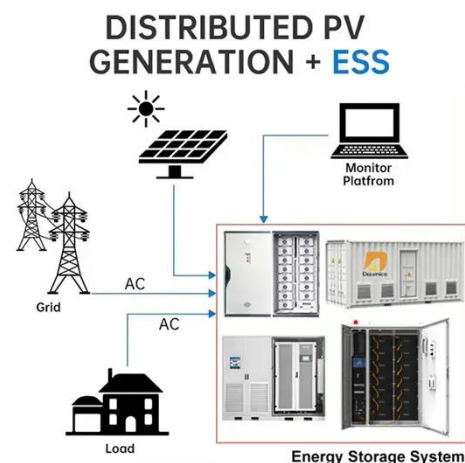


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However, there are two key differences between the capacity supplied by a thermal power plant and by a VRFB: (1) the marginal cost of the energy provided by a VRFB fed by VER is null, ...



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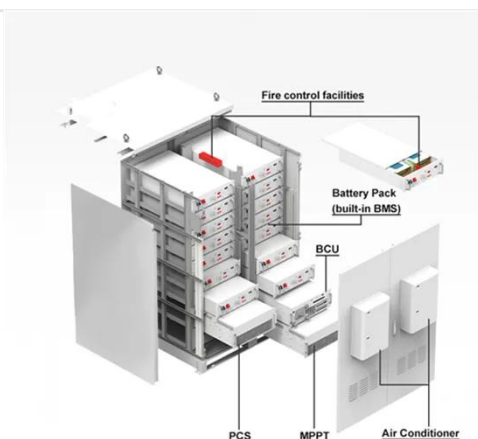


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