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Zinc-based liquid flow battery price analysis



Overview

A 2023 study by Pacific Northwest National Laboratory found zinc hybrid cathode flow batteries achieved levelized storage costs of \$120–140/MWh, 30% lower than lithium-ion equivalents for 8-hour discharge applications. How much does an alkaline zinc-iron flow battery cost?

In this work, a cost model for a 0.1 MW/0.8 MWh alkaline zinc-iron flow battery system is presented, and a capital cost under the U.S. Department of Energy's target cost of 150 \$ per kWh is achieved. Besides, the effects of electrode geometry, operating conditions, and membrane types on the system cost are investigated.

What are the advantages of zinc-based flow batteries?

Benefiting from the uniform zinc plating and materials optimization, the areal capacity of zinc-based flow batteries has been remarkably improved, e.g., 435 mAh cm⁻² for a single alkaline zinc-iron flow battery, 240 mAh cm⁻² for an alkaline zinc-iron flow battery cell stack, 240 mAh cm⁻² for a single zinc-iodine flow battery.

Do all zinc-based flow batteries have high energy density?

Indeed, not all zinc-based flow batteries have high energy density because of the limited solubility of redox couples in catholyte. In addition to the energy density, the low cost of zinc-based flow batteries and electrolyte cost in particular provides them a very competitive capital cost.

How much does a zinc-iron redox-flow battery cost?

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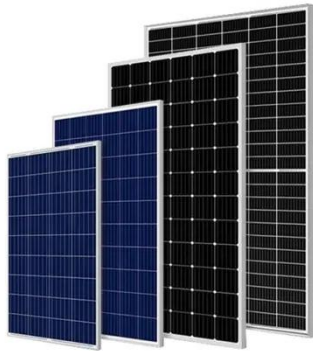
What technological progress has been made in zinc-iron flow batteries?

Significant technological progress has been made in zinc-iron flow batteries in recent years. Numerous energy storage power stations have been built worldwide using zinc-iron flow battery technology. This review first introduces the developing history.

How much does a Zn-Fe flow battery cost?

It is worth noting that the working current density of alkaline Zn-Fe flow batteries is ranging from 35 to 160 mA cm⁻². In this range, the capital costs of all flow rates are under 150 \$ kWh⁻¹, which meets the DOE's target cost for energy storage technologies.

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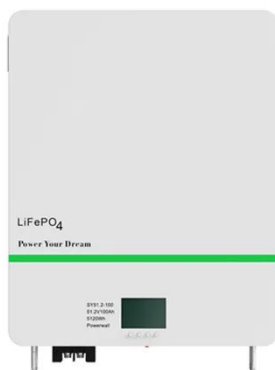


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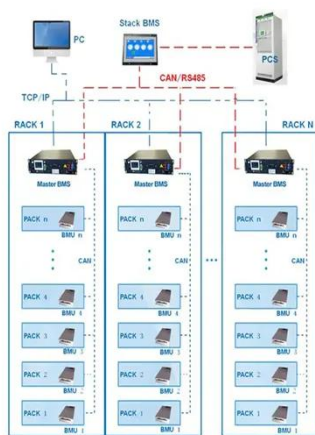
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