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Overview

Why do we need energy storage?

Because power systems are balanced at the system level, no dedicated backup with energy storage is needed for any single technology. Storage is most economical when operated to maximise the economic benefit of an entire system. Don't we need storage to reduce curtailment?

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Where is storage located in a power plant?

Storage can be located at a power plant, as a stand-alone resource on the transmission system, on the distribution system and at a customer's premise behind the meter. Do wind and solar need storage?

All power systems need flexibility, and this need increases with increased levels of wind and solar.

How do energy storage systems work?

This is where energy storage systems come into play. Large batteries can store energy when production is high and release it when demand soars, ensuring a consistent power supply. Innovations like lithium-ion batteries and pumped hydro storage are proving critical in balancing the supply and demand of renewable energy.

What is a battery energy storage system (BESS)?

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