

Spain Megawatt Energy Storage Frequency Regulation Project







Overview

How does Spain regulate electric power storage facilities?

Regulation of Electric Power Storage Facilities: In 2020, Spain introduced a specific regulation (Royal Decree 1183/2020) that defines the administrative procedures for the deployment of storage systems, including BESS. This decree aims to streamline the permitting process, addressing the complexities and delays previously encountered.

What is Spain's regulatory framework for energy storage?

Spain's regulatory framework for BESS is set in its Strategy for Energy Storage. The Strategy identifies the required regulatory measures – such as grid access, market structure, and addressing double tolling – that are currently needed to ensure the deployment of a solid energy storage market.

Why do we need battery energy storage systems in Spain?

Due to the large capacity of installed hydroelectric and thermal storage systems and the resilience of the Spanish power grid, the need for Battery Energy Storage Systems (BESS) in Spain has been relatively low. The lack of a clear regulatory framework for BESS has also hindered its development in Spain so far.

Does Spain need a Bess energy system?

Currently, Spain has 6.3GW of hydroelectric and 1GW of thermal storage capacity installed. In fact, the non-BESS storage capacity in Spain is higher than in any other European country. As a result, the need for BESS to integrate renewable energy sources into the electricity system is less immediate than in the UK, for example.

How much energy storage capacity does Spain have?

When it comes to installed energy storage capacity in general, Spain is one of the leading countries within Europe (see figure 2). Currently, Spain has 6.3GW



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Will ERDF funds support storage deployment in Spain?

The recent approval of the use of the European Regional Development Fund (ERDF) funds to support the storage deployment in Spain opens the door for a first batch of around 2GW distributed in close to 100 projects, heavily supported by public financing.



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"Kokam specializes in the development of advanced battery technologies for the world's most demanding Energy Storage System applications, including frequency regulation, ...

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Kokam's 56MW project has the largest Lithium NMC energy storage ...

Kokam, a leading provider of innovative battery solutions, announced that it has successfully deployed two Lithium Nickel Manganese Cobalt



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Together these systems currently provide KEPCO with 56 MW of energy storage capacity for frequency regulation. When the new 36 MW ESS project is completed, Kokam will have ...

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Spain approves legislation to encourage energy storage and ...

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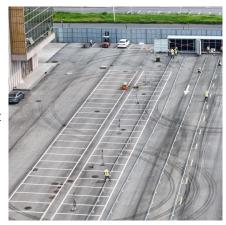




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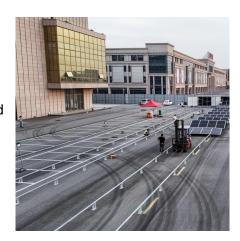




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