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Large-scale energy storage revenue calculation



Overview

How do I evaluate potential revenue streams from energy storage assets?

Evaluating potential revenue streams from flexible assets, such as energy storage systems, is not simple. Investors need to consider the various value pools available to a storage asset, including wholesale, grid services, and capacity markets, as well as the inherent volatility of the prices of each (see sidebar, “Glossary”).

What is a revenue based energy storage system?

The sales generated by the project are referred to as revenue. The revenues for an energy storage system performing energy arbitrage service are the product of the agreed energy price with the net discharged power.

What is the 'value stack' in energy storage?

Owners of batteries, including storage facilities that are co-located with solar or wind projects, derive revenue under multiple contracts and generate multiple layers of revenue or 'value stack.' Developers then seek financing based on anticipated cash flows from all or a portion of the components of this value stack.

How is energy arbitrage revenue calculated?

The revenues for an energy storage system performing energy arbitrage service are the product of the agreed energy price with the net discharged power. The operating profit, or EBITDA, is calculated by subtracting the project's revenue from the operating expenses (Earnings Before Interests, Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization).

Should energy storage be undervalued?

The revenue potential of energy storage is often undervalued. Investors could adjust their evaluation approach to get a true estimate—improving profitability and supporting sustainability goals.

How are financial and economic models used in energy storage projects?

Financial and economic modeling are undertaken based on the data and assumptions presented in Table 1. Table 1. Project stakeholder interests in KPIs. To determine the economic feasibility of the energy storage project, the model outputs two types of KPIs: economic and financial KPIs.

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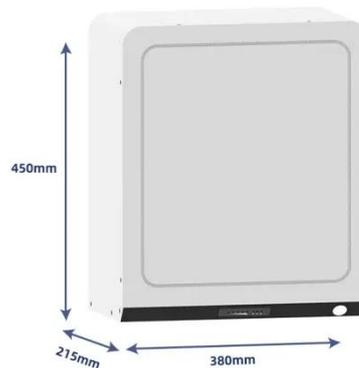
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