



Role of DOE Energy Storage Program

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ES Program: Where We Are – Where We Are Going



Grants and Cost Shared Projects



Energy Independence and Security Act (2007)



The Recovery Act (2009)



Research and Development



Demonstration



Market Enablement



Resilient, Secure Power Grid



Enable Flexible Grid of the Future



Support Grid-at-the-Edge Paradigm

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Energy Storage Vision



Added storage at generation to ease issues of supply intermittency or load ramping.



Strategically located storage across the transmission and distribution lines to improve reliability, efficiency, ramping, and resilience.



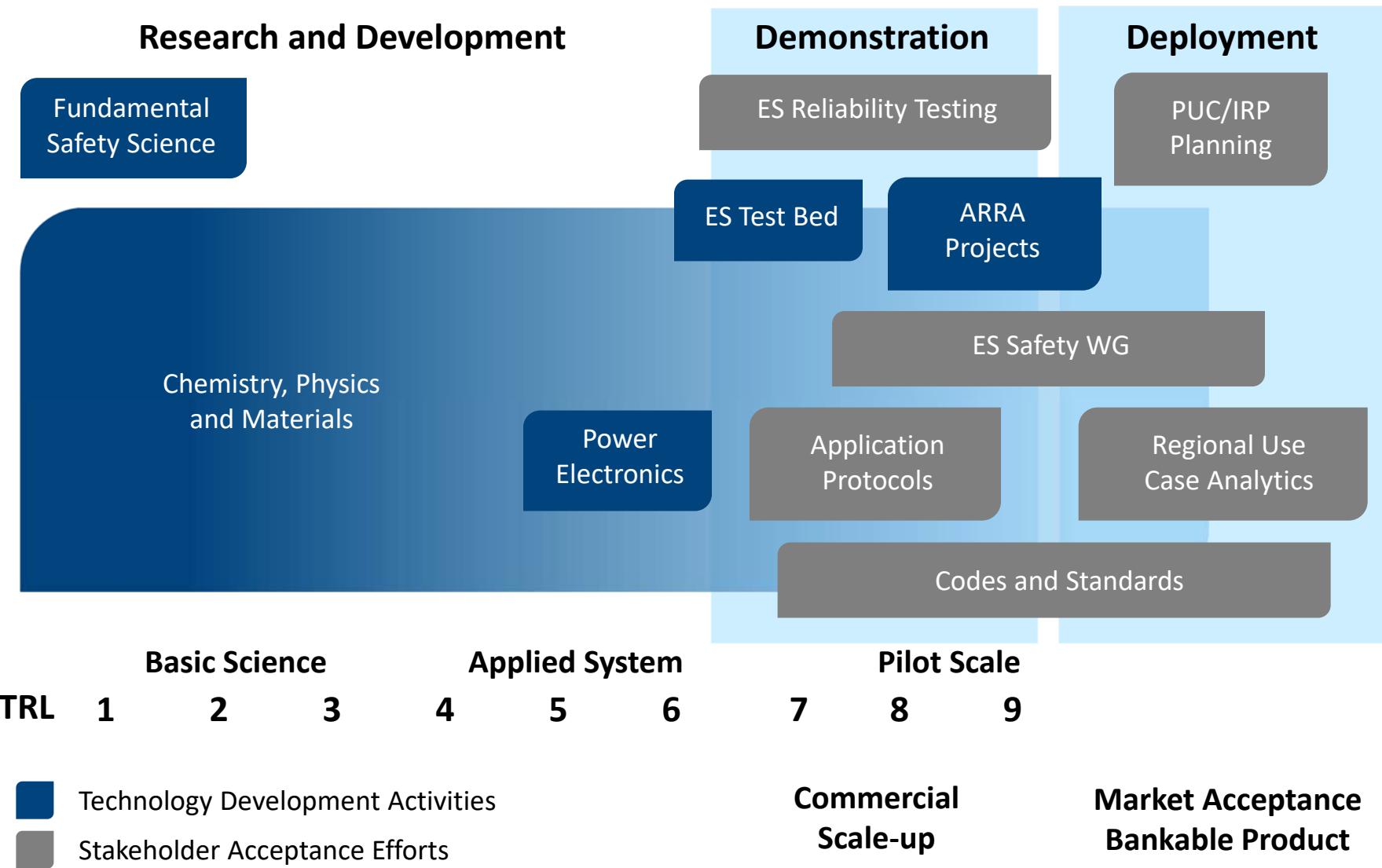
Storage at Load to support distributed resources and add redundancy to improve resilience

Energy Storage Program Objectives



Program Areas	Goals	Objective
 Cost Competitive Technology	Capability and cost to meet industry requirements.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Materials and chemistrySystems and manufacturingCost reductionExpanded applications
 Reliability & Safety	Increase user confidence	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Lab testingCodes and standardsGuidebooksR&D Improvements
 Regulatory Environment	Barriers and requirements equal or comparable to other grid resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Policy analysisValuation methodsResolution of benefits
 Industry Acceptance through Demonstrations	Develop locational value and technical use cases	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Stakeholder engagementProving successSeamless integrationConsumer benefits

Technology Deployment



Cost Competitive Technologies



Program Areas


Cost Competitive Technology

Goals

Capability and cost to meet industry requirements.

Objective

- Materials and chemistry
- Systems and manufacturing
- Cost reduction
- Expanded applications

Mission:

- Develop improvements in materials and chemistries that can significantly reduce the capital and operational costs of energy storage technologies

Current Targets:

- V/V Redox Flow: Demonstrate < \$300/kWhr system cost.
- Organic Flow Batteries: 50% reduction in cost over V/V systems.
- Zn-MnO₂: Bring material cost for system < \$60/kWhr
- Na-Metal Systems: Achieve lifetimes exceeding current Na-S system with reduced cost structure.
- Power Electronics: <\$0.05/W
- Polymeric Membranes: 10x reduction in cost compared to Nafion

⚡ Reliability & Safety



Program Areas



Reliability & Safety

Goals

Increase user confidence

Objective

- Lab testing
- Codes and standards
- Guidebooks
- R&D Improvements

Mission:

Validate and improve the safety and reliability of energy storage systems to decrease human and financial risk while accelerating acceptance of new storage:

Current Efforts:

Energy Storage Safety Working Group (ESSWG) with industry stakeholders

Energy Storage Reliability Workshop.

Safety Codes and Standards Documentation.

Development of safer materials.



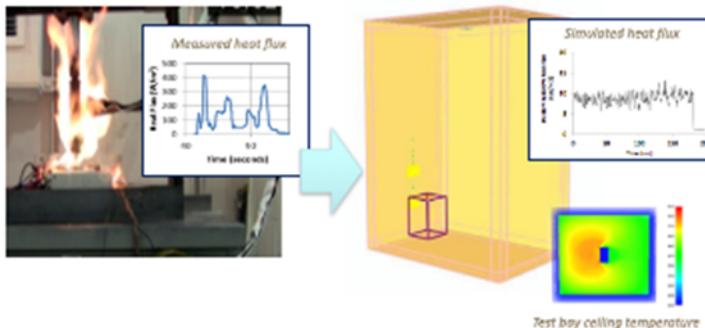
Greater Commercial and Societal Acceptance of Energy Storage requires significant advance in Safety and Reliability R&D and the field validation of system performance.



ESS Safety tied into industry to effect maximum impact



Thermal runaway experiment and modeling



Objective: ESS safety R&D dictated by industry priorities solicited through our diverse working group.

- Fire Suppression testing and analysis
- Thermal runaway research
- System scale burn test
- Commodity classification development
- Fire and vent gas modeling and analysis

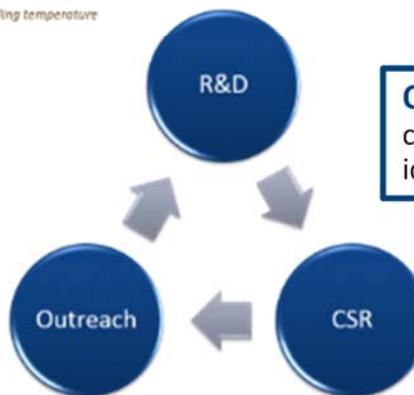
Commercial suppressants



Objective: Provide awareness to first responders and authorities with jurisdiction; metering perception of risks with reality.

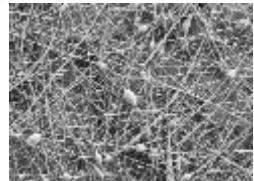


Objective: Distill codes and regulations, providing common sense feedback to code bodies while identifying gaps to facilitate safe and efficient adoption.





ESS Safety: R&D for Making Systems Safe and Reliable



Materials R&D to date:

- Non-flammable electrolytes
- Electrolyte salts
- Coated active materials
- Thermally stable materials

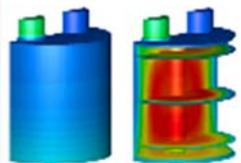
Materials R&D needs:

- Viable flow batteries
- Aqueous electrolyte batteries
- High specific heat suppressants
- Vent gas composition



Testing

- Electrical, thermal, mechanical abuse testing
- Failure propagation testing on batteries/systems
- Suppressants and delivery with systems and environments
- Large scale thermal and fire testing (TTC)



Simulations and Modeling

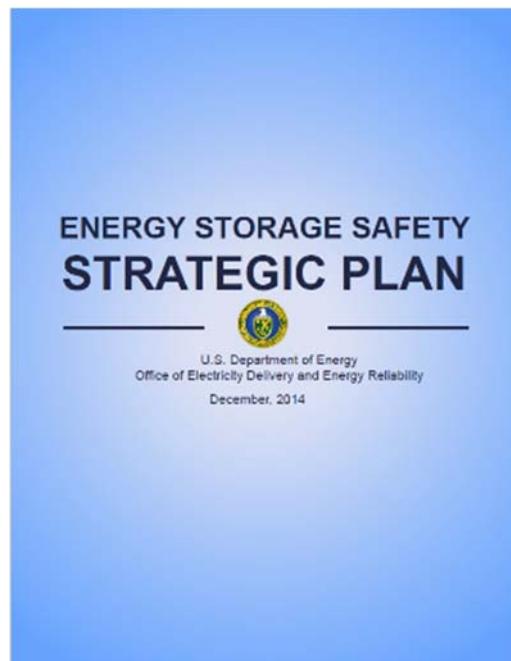
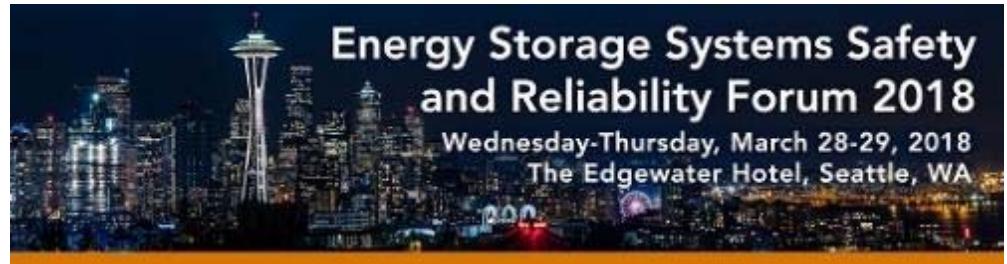
- Multi-scale models for understanding thermal runaway
- Validating failure propagation models
- Fire Dynamic Simulations (FDS) to predict the size, scope, and consequences of battery fires



Procedures, Policy, and Regulation

- UL 1973-13 Batteries for Use in Stationary Applications
- ANSI/UL 9540-P (ESS Safety)
- UL 1974 (Repurposing)
- IEEE 1635-12 (Ventilation and thermal management)

Energy Storage Safety and Reliability



Research & Development

Research & Development Overview

Safety Research Priorities

Finding Research Collaborators

Collaborative Research Publications

Codes & Standards

Overview of Codes and Standards

Status of Codes and Standards

Adoption of Codes and Standards

Documenting and Verifying
Compliance

Task Forces

Large Scale ESS Fire Performance
Testing Protocol

Publications

External Resources

For more information on the
Energy Storage Safety Working
Group (ESSWG) visit our website

*The goal of the energy storage
safety working group is to
“Foster confidence in the
safety and reliability of
energy storage systems.”*

<http://www.sandia.gov/energystoragesafety/>



DOE OE Energy Storage Systems Safety Roadmap



Regulatory Environment



Program Areas



Regulatory Environment

Goals

Barriers and requirements equal or comparable to other grid resources

Objective

- Policy analysis
- Valuation methods
- Resolution of benefits

Mission: Reducing institutional and regulatory across federal, state and municipal entities.

Current Efforts:

- Workshops on energy storage with commissioners and staff
- Provide information on valuation of energy storage assets
- Support technical assistance on energy storage
- Pilot projects and deeper relationships established with:



Outreach to PUCs



2016 Southwestern Public Utilities Commission (SW PUC) Energy Storage Workshop | May 3, 2016



Energy Storage Technology Advancement Partnership (ESTAP)

Energy Storage State Policy Update

Pacific Northwest Regulatory Workshop: Drivers

US DOE and PNNL hosted Northwest utility regulatory commissioners and staff on July 22-23, 2015 at the Laboratory main campus in Richland, Washington.



Energy Storage Seminar Western State Regulatory Commission Staff

November 6, 2017
Western Electricity Coordinating Council offices
155 North 400 West, Suite 200, Salt Lake City, Utah





Example Impact: FERC 755



- 2008 OE/Sandia sponsored study showed that flywheel energy storage could provide 2-4X more regulation service per MW than conventional resource, yet was paid the same.
- FERC Order 755, enacted in 2011, increased the pay for “fast” responding sources like batteries or flywheels that are bidding into frequency regulation service markets.
- First enacted by PJM
- 2/3 of US energy storage now deployed in PJM to provide frequency regulation services.

SANDIA REPORT
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Design & Development of a 20-MW Flywheel-based Frequency Regulation Power Plant

Robert Rounds and Georgianne H. Peek

A Study for the DOE Energy Storage Systems Program

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Industry Acceptance through Demonstration



Program Areas



Industry Acceptance
through Demonstrations

Goals

Develop locational value and
technical use cases

Objective

- Stakeholder engagement
- Proving success
- Seamless integration
- Consumer benefits

Mission: The development, deployment, and operation of energy storage through controlled testing and field validation of prototype commercial storage technologies is critical for industrial acceptance.

Current Efforts:

- Identify applications
- Develop use case analysis and provide cost-benefit analysis
- Deliver technical assistance on procurement, siting, and commissioning.
- Establish control architecture
- Capture real-world successes



Need WA, CA, TN, HI





Industrial Acceptance



Where we have been



Where we are today



ARRA - Initial evaluation of grid connected ES projects

Additional projects to enable applications in renewables, resiliency, and critical infrastructure

Where we are going

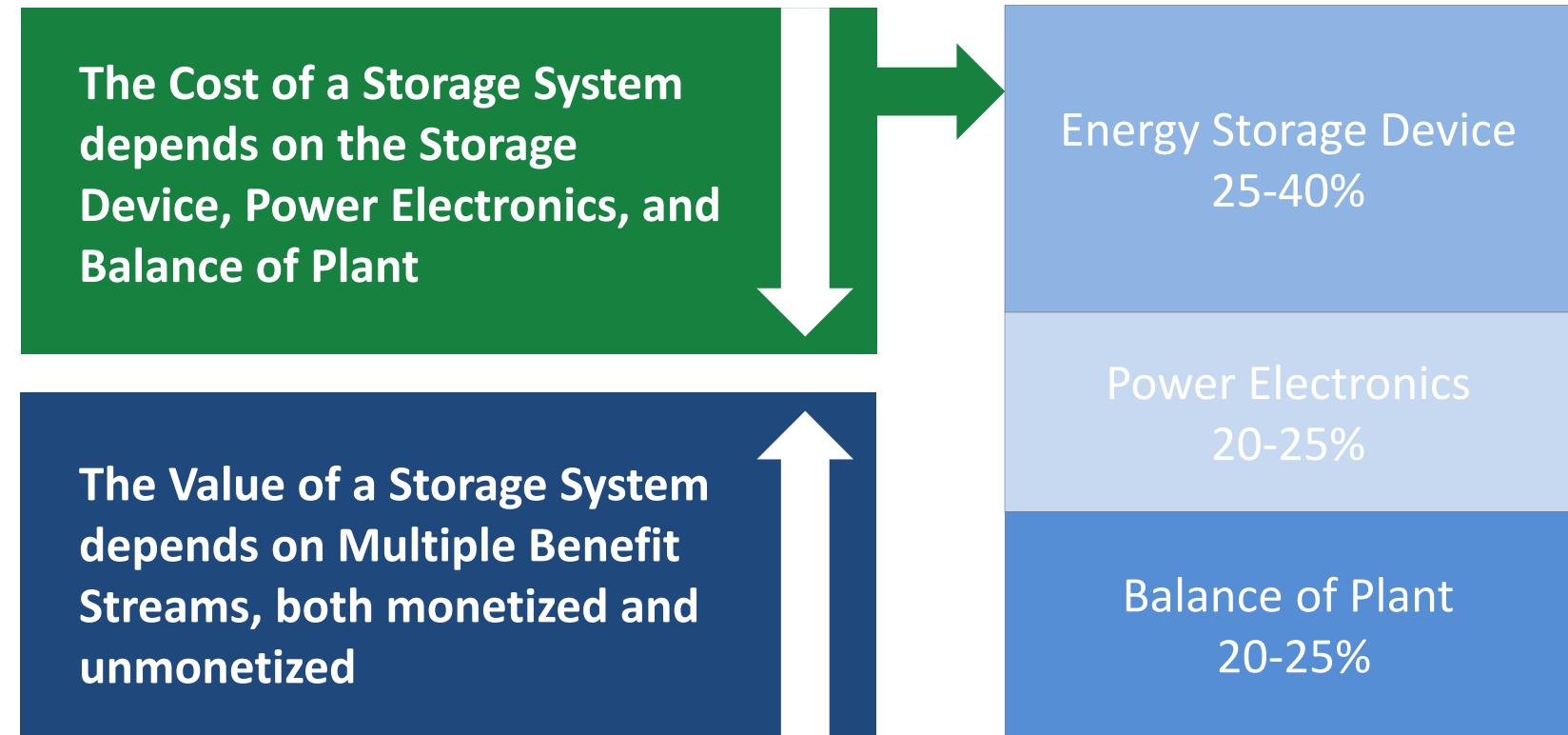


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Storage Economics and Policy Implementation



Economics of Storage



Analysis of energy storage value streams is location dependent

- Market area
- Vertically integrated utility

Often there is a technical performance component

- Stability analysis
- Transient response from a generator drop
- Ramp rate limiting for renewable integration

Until policy and regulations catch up, storage owners are not compensated for some potential services

- Carbon reduction
- Synthetic inertia
- Voltage support



J. Eyer and G. Corey, "Energy Storage for the Electricity Grid: Benefits and Market Potential Assessment Guide", Sandia National Laboratories, SAND2010-0815, February 2010.

Market Area Results



CAISO

- Frequency regulation is the optimum policy. DA/RT energy arbitrage has potential

ERCOT

- Frequency regulation is the optimum policy. Location does not matter

PJM

- Frequency regulation is the optimum policy.

ISO NE

- Frequency regulation. Forward Capacity Market (FCM) payment reduction
- Regional Network Services (RNS) payment reduction

MISO

- Frequency regulation is the optimum policy

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Reports available at: <http://www.sandia.gov/ess/>



Office of Electricity Delivery
& Energy Reliability

Vertically Integrated Utilities



Cost savings are typically the primary benefit of energy storage

- Production cost modelling analysis
 - Improved operation of traditional generators
 - Reduced curtailment of renewables
 - Reduced reserve requirements (e.g., turn off must-run generators)
- Transmission and Distribution (T&D) deferral
 - Can be a very large savings
 - Very location specific
 - Often there are competing alternatives (e.g., demand response, conservation, etc.)
- Distribution level
 - Voltage support
 - Renewable integration
 - Grid resiliency

Recent case studies

- Nevada Energy, Southern Co, Maui Electric Co, Hawaiian Electric Co

Following reports on these studies are available at: Reports available at: <http://www.sandia.gov/ess/>

SAND2013-4902 (2013); SAND2013-2251 (2013) SAND2012-10314 (2012)

J. Ellison, L. Rashkin, J. Serio, R. Byrne, "The Benefits of Grid-Scale Storage on Oahu," Journal of Energy Storage, 2018.



Different approaches for estimating value streams

- Market areas
- Vertically integrated utilities

Analysis is typically very location dependent

- Technical requirements
- Policy & regulations

Once applications and value streams have been modelled and quantified – selecting the appropriate technology is the next step

- Return-on-investment can vary significantly by energy storage technology

The efficacy of algorithms to operate the system should be evaluated – potential impact on revenue / grid benefits

ES Optimization & Evaluation Tools



What is it?

- Open-source unified tool set for energy storage stake holders:
 - Analyze value of energy storage across the country
 - Optimal sizing and placement
 - Optimal microgrid management
 - Technology selection



Why use it?

- No other unified tools are available.
- Our tool is general, free, open-source, and easy-to-use.
- Interfaces with other Sandia software tools such as Prescient (Production Cost Model Tool), Microgrid Design Tool (R&D 100 winner!)



When is it available?

- Release Date: July 1, 2018

Energy Storage Optimization & Evaluation Tool



Select an ISO to place the energy storage device in.



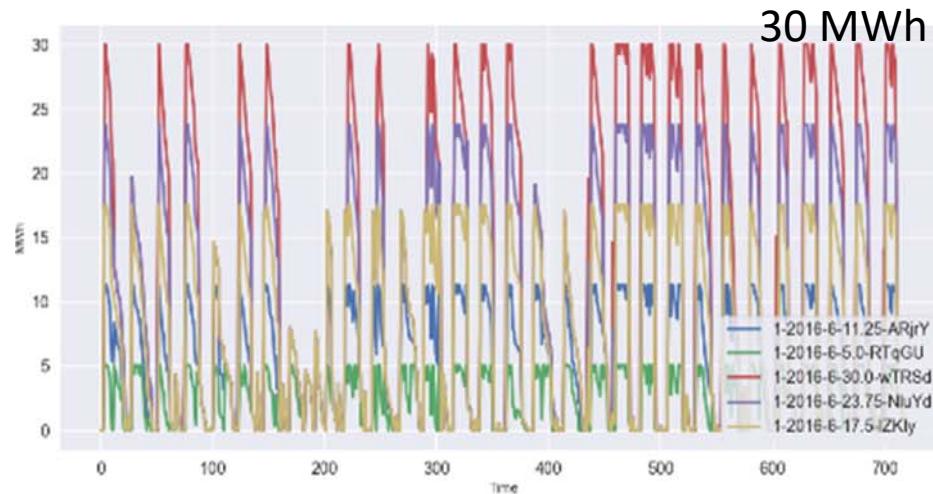
ISOs (Independent System Operator) have different market structures, resulting in different opportunities for generating revenue.



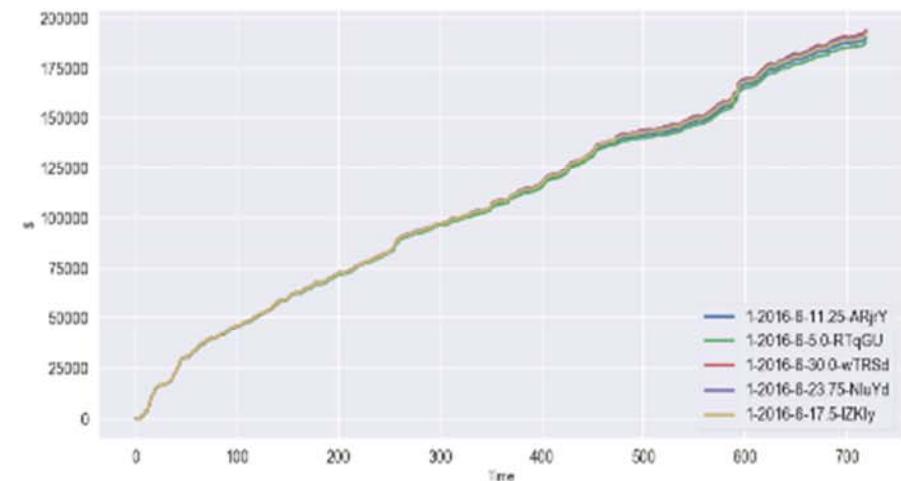
Parameters

storage efficiency	0.88
conversion efficiency	0.85
minimum state of charge (MWh)	0.00
maximum state of charge (MWh)	32.00
maximum power charge (MW)	5.00
maximum power discharge (MW)	5.00

State of Charge [MWh]



Revenue [\\$]



Program Outreach Tools



DOE/EPRI One-stop shop for Current ES Technologies and Applications, Life Cycle System Cost Methodology, 10000+ Downloads in 2017



DOE Global Energy Storage Database: 1600+ Projects; 2.2 Million page visits



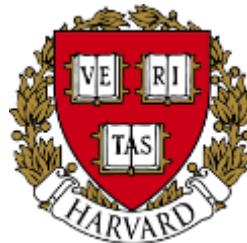
Sample Partnerships



Major Universities



IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY



MICHIGAN STATE
UNIVERSITY

Oregon State
UNIVERSITY



ASU ARIZONA STATE
UNIVERSITY



UNIVERSITY OF
TEXAS
ARLINGTON



NC STATE UNIVERSITY



UC San Diego

UCLA

Illinois Institute of Technology

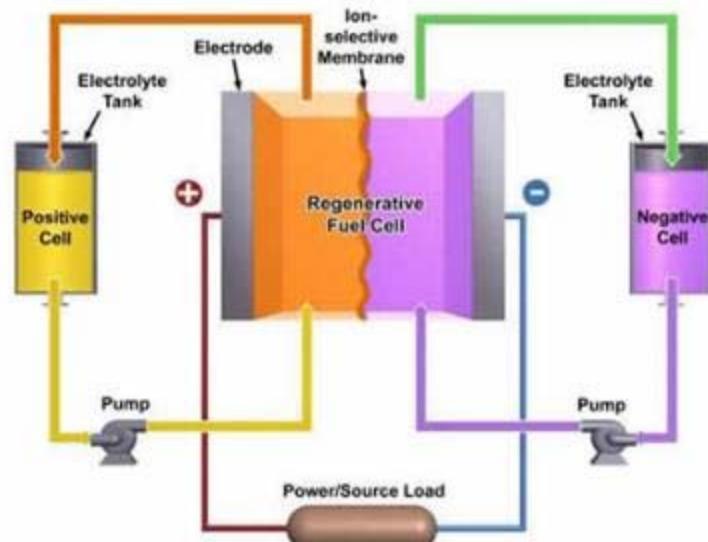
Stanford University

NM
STATE



Washington State Clean Energy Fund selected projects with UET vanadium flow battery:

- Avista, PNNL, Washington State University
- Snohomish, PNNL, University of Washington



Vermont Public Service Department, DOE, Green Mountain Power:

- Contributes to an economic development effort
- 7,700 solar panels can generate 2 MW, backed up by a 4-MW battery storage system
- System can be islanded to provide resilient microgrid



Stafford Hill Solar Farm. Photo credit: Eric Hudiburg



Sterling, MA:

\$1.5M grant from MA-DOER under Community Clean Energy Resiliency Initiative

- Part of the Commonwealth's broader climate adaptation and mitigation efforts
- Grant program focused on municipal resilience
- Uses clean energy technology solutions to protect communities from interruptions in energy services due to severe climate events

Cordova, AK:

Existing run-of-the-river hydro-diesel islanded microgrid

- No water storage
- Peak loads supplemented by diesel
- Storage and demand managed loads
- Storage: frequency regulation and spinning reserve
- Demand management: increase hydropower utilization (electro-thermal storage)

Eugene, OR:

Joint solicitation with Oregon DOE for storage deployments

- Provide "resilient backup power" in case of grid outage to support critical facilities that provide electricity, water and communication services
- Also includes electric vehicle charging stations and a community solar installation
- Solar operation enables EWEB customers to buy into a PV system and receive a share of the electricity cost savings

On the Horizon



R&D prototyping new aqueous soluble organic flow battery chemistries for 2X reduction in cost



Expand Safety Forum to include national and international community for adoption of codes and standards



Expand regional workshops to engage utility regulatory commissions



Expand technical assistance to states on demonstrations with 8MW+ of energy storage assets

Program Philosophy and Leadership



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