

# Polish grid-side energy storage







#### **Overview**

How can Poland achieve a large system-born energy storage system?

Large system-born energy storage: Initiating programs aimed at energy storage, primarily hydrogen-based, corresponding to grid capacity. To unlock the full potential of renewables, Poland must invest in its power grid. An estimated EUR 25 billion upgrade is needed to accommodate the transition.

What is Poland's energy storage program?

The program, "Electricity storage facilities and infrastructure for improving the stability of the Polish power grid," is aimed at companies planning to invest in energy storage facilities with a capacity of at least 2 MW and a minimum capacity of 4 MWh.

Should Poland invest in its power grid?

To unlock the full potential of renewables, Poland must invest in its power grid. An estimated EUR 25 billion upgrade is needed to accommodate the transition. This investment will enhance grid capacity, improve interconnections, and facilitate the integration of clean energy sources.

How can the Polish Northern Grid be strengthened?

Specifically, the Polish northern grid must be strengthened to handle offshore power and other locally-sourced energy, enabling the transfer of this energy to southern regions. Grid operators are constructing new 400 kV lines or replacing existing 220 kV lines with 400 kV dual lines.

Why should Poland invest in energy storage?

Development of energy production and consumption forecasting systems. Energy storage subsidy programs support the transformation of Poland's electricity grid into a more flexible and resilient system. Investments in storage facilities enable better integration of RES, improve grid stability and enhance the country's energy security.



What are Poland's energy storage subsidy programs?

Poland's 2024-2025 energy storage subsidy programs are a key element in the country's energy transition. With the growing demand for stable energy sources and the integration of renewables into the grid, energy storage facilities take on special importance.



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