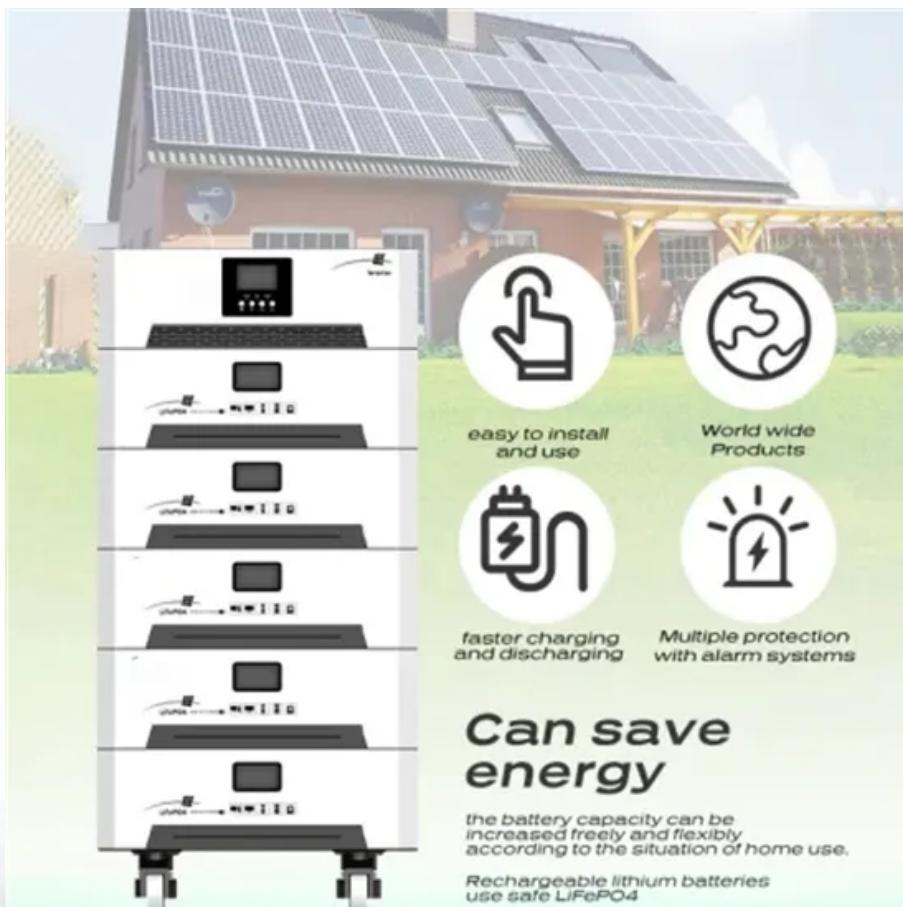


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Overview

What is Japan's first energy storage project?

In 2015, we started Japan's first demonstration project covering energy storage connected to the power grid in the Koshikishima, Satsumasendai City, Kagoshima. This project is still operating in a stable manner today. One feature of our grid energy storage system is that it utilizes reused batteries from EVs.

What is Japan's energy storage policy?

As policy, technology, and decarbonization goals converge, Japan is positioning energy storage as a critical link between its climate targets and energy reliability. Japan's energy storage policy is anchored by the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI), which outlined its ambitions in the 6th Strategic Energy Plan, adopted in 2021.

Who are Japan's major energy companies?

These have come from a mix of major Japanese industry players, including electric utilities and large corporates, and international players like technology providers Tesla, LS Electric and Sungrow, and developers such as Eku Energy and Gurin Energy.

How is Japan's energy storage landscape changing?

Japan's energy storage landscape is shifting, pushed by household demand, corporate ESG mandates, and domestic battery manufacturing. The residential lithium-ion market, projected to grow at a CAGR of 33.9% through 2030, remains one of the fastest-expanding segments.

What is containerized energy storage?

ABB's containerized energy storage solution is a complete, self-contained battery solution for a large-scale marine energy storage. The batteries and all control, interface, and auxiliary equipment are delivered in a single shipping

container for simple installation on board any vessel. How does containerized energy storage work?

Can EKU energy commercialise large-scale batteries in Japan?

For Eku Energy, the LTDA is important to the business model of its Japanese projects but the developer, perhaps best known for projects in the UK and Australia, sees three pathways to commercialisation for large-scale batteries in Japan. The company secured a 20-year tolling agreement for its first Japan project, the 30MW/120MWh Hirohara BESS.

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