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What are the integrated energy storage projects



Overview

How will a 100MW battery energy storage system work?

The facility will serve as a large-scale battery energy storage system capable of charging from, and discharging into, the New York power grid. When fully functional, the 100MW battery energy storage project will be able to discharge electricity to the grid particularly during peak demand.

Why is energy storage important?

Energy storage is essential for creating a cleaner, more efficient, and resilient electric grid. Additionally, these projects will provide meaningful benefits to Disadvantaged Communities and Low-to-Moderate Income New Yorkers. Energy storage is essential to a resilient grid and clean energy system.

How will energy storage affect New York's energy grid?

In June 2024, New York's Public Service Commission expanded the goal to 6,000 MW by 2030. Storage will increase the resilience and efficiency of New York's grid, which will be 100% carbon-free electricity by 2040. Additionally, energy storage can stabilize supply during peak electric usage and help keep critical systems online during an outage.

What are the different types of energy storage technologies?

The following section describes a high-level summary of various energy storage technologies. These are classified into four categories – mechanical storage, electrical storage, thermal storage, and electrochemical storage.

What is battery storage technology?

Battery storage technology allows us to store power safely during low energy use times, such as nighttime, and use that reliable power reserve when our customers need it most, such as during storms and heatwaves. The Fox Hills energy storage system went into service on August 20, 2023.

Should energy storage be included in the electric grid?

Integrating storage in the electric grid, especially in areas with high energy demand, will allow clean energy to be available when and where it is most needed. As New York continues to invest and build a cleaner grid, energy storage will allow us to use existing resources more efficiently and phase out the dirtiest power plants.

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