

# German Energy Storage Power Station Procurement

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## Overview

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Do battery storage systems need a permit in Germany?

In Germany, in most cases, neither environmental nor energy industry permits are required for battery storage system alone, though it must comply with the regulation on electromagnetic fields (26. BImSchV). Battery storage systems must be registered in the market master database (Marktstammdatenregister).

Where is energy traded in Germany?

Energy is traded at the European Energy Exchange (EEX) in Leipzig, Germany. Over 4000 firms participate in the German energy stock market. Certified market participants (only companies) can buy and sell electricity for determined time-windows.

How do storage systems work in Germany?

Most storage systems in Germany are currently used together with residential PV plants to increase self-consumption and reduce costs. Inexpensive storage systems can be built using Second-Life-Batteries (Bundesnetzagentur für Elektrizität, Gas, Telekommunikation, Post und Eisenbahnen, 2020).

Who produces electricity in Germany?

The producers of electricity: They generate electricity. The Transmission System Operators - TSO (German: Übertragungsnetzbetreiber - ÜNB) : There are four TSOs in Germany: 50Hertz, Amprion, Tennet and Transnet BW.

What is Germany's Electricity Market 2.0?

In Germany, the so called electricity market 2.0 was initialized in 2017 by the lawmakers with the goal of enhancing fair competition in the electricity market. The undertaking should increase the competitiveness of flexible electricity producers, flexible consumers and flexible energy storage operators.



When will Germany's new capacity market mechanism start?

BMWK noted that this set of procurements comes ahead of the introduction of Germany's new capacity market mechanism, planned to start in 2028. The LDES tenders had originally been anticipated to be held late this year and in 2025, but it is understood the timeframe has moved back a year.



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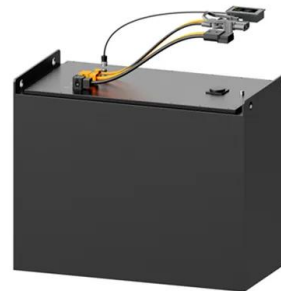
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Lack of technology neutrality Overall, the electricity storage strategy lacks technology neutrality. In addition to battery storage and pumped-storage power plants, individual cases require ...

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