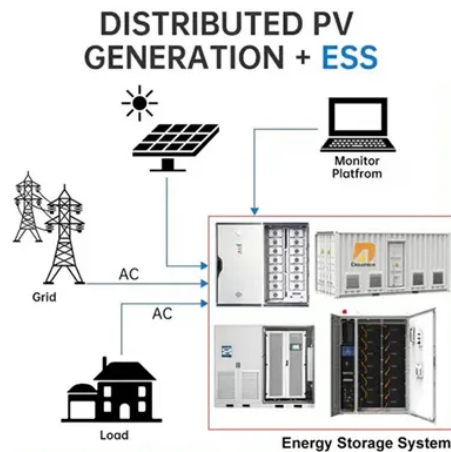


Austria grid-side energy storage



Overview

TL;DR: Battery storage is the key to grid stability in Austria in 2026. Storage demand will increase eightfold to 8.7 GW by 2040 to enable 100% renewable electricity by 2030. Source: Austrian Power Grid (APG), Study: Zusammen2040, available at: <https://www.zusammen2040.at/>. A study 1 carried out by the University of Applied Sciences Technikum Wien, AEE INTEC, BEST and ENFOS presents the market development of energy storage technologies in Austria for the first time. This study focuses on photovoltaic battery storage, heat accumulators in local and district heating. These goals are underpinned by a large hydropower fleet (accounting for around 60% of electricity generation), including 5. Austria has the highest share of renewable energy in electricity consumption in the European. A new energy storage study from PV Austria, conducted with Austrian Power Grid (APG), TU Graz, and d-fine, reveals how critical battery energy storage is for Austria to meet its renewable energy goals of 100% electricity from renewables by 2030 and climate neutrality by 2040. Austria's Storage Gap: Integrating batteries into distribution grids raises technical, economic, and regulatory challenges for distribution system operators (DSOs) and battery investors.



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