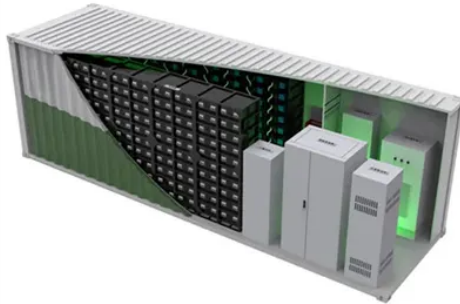


Western Chile Energy Storage Project



Overview

Portuguese utility EDP (ELI:EDP) has commenced the operation of the 240-MWh Punta de Talca battery energy storage system (BESS) in Chile, its first in South America. The BESS project required an investment of approximately USD 44 million (EUR 38m). With 23 energy storage projects already approved, totaling an impressive 3,000 MW of capacity, Chile is at the forefront of innovation and efficiency in Latin America. During its recent participation in COP28 in Dubai, Chile not only reaffirmed its commitment to renewable energy, but also. In November 2025, Generadora Metropolitana, a joint venture between AME and EDF Power Solutions Chile, officially announced the commencement of construction on the Dune Plus energy storage project in María Elena, Antofagasta Region, Chile. It proposed a law to allow the tender of 2 GW of BESS at a \$2 billion cost.



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Chile Energy Storage Project Tender Announcement: What You Need

Why Chile's Latest Tender Is a Big Deal for Renewable Energy Buffs If you're in the energy storage game, Chile's 2025 tender announcement is like spotting a rare bird in the Atacama

Chile seeks multi-gigawatts of large-scale storage for

Gabriel Boric (front row centre), president of Chile since 2022. Image: Biblioteca del Congreso Nacional de Chile. The government of Chile will launch

Chile's Atacama Desert is becoming a sweet spot for energy storage

The Atacama desert in northern Chile is emerging as a magnet for investment in energy storage that allows vast solar plants to extend supply after sundown. The latest project comes from

Chile Energy Storage

Chile's goal to achieve 80% renewable grid by 2030 and a 100% zero emissions grid by 2050, will require an estimated 2,000 MW of energy storage every 10 years.

ACCIONA Energía Announces New 980MWh Battery Storage Project

ACCIONA Energía has announced the development of a new battery energy storage system (BESS) in Chile's Atacama Desert, further expanding its energy storage capabilities in the

Chile Already Halfway to 2 GW Energy Storage Target

Chile's energy storage sector is experiencing significant growth, as outlined in the latest "Report on Projects Under Construction and Investment in the Energy Sector" by the Chilean Ministry

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Chile accelerates \$4.1 billion energy storage construction projects

Chile's energy storage boom forms part of a larger expansion of the energy sector. The country currently has 53 power plants under construction, representing 3,325 MW of capacity and US\$ 4.605 billion in

AES Andes commissions 211MW solar-plus-storage plant in Chile

This latest solar-plus-storage project from AES Andes is part of a 667MW solar PV and 259MW BESS hub in Antofagasta, Chile. Image: AES Andes. Utility AES Andes has started

Chile moves on storage to "decarbonize the night"

Solar and energy storage deployment is booming in Chile, spurred on by supportive government policy that has been markedly stable for 15 years. Indeed, the nation leads Latin

ACCIONA Energía doubles energy storage plans in Chile

ACCIONA Energía will build a new 1GWh battery energy storage system (BESS) in Chile, strengthening renewable energy integration and improving grid stability.

Chile Energy Storage Market 2026 Technical Blueprint for Mining

Discover how mining operations in Chile can deploy large-scale battery energy storage systems (BESS) and learn about the technical specifications and control strategies for pairing

Chile accelerates \$4.1 billion energy storage construction projects

Chile is undergoing a transformative shift in its energy sector, marked by a significant surge in energy storage construction. According to the Energy Sector Construction and Investment Projects Report

Large scale battery storage on the rise in Chile

Three utility scale battery energy storage projects collocated with solar plants were announced last week in Chile.

Chile moves on storage to "decarbonize the night"

Chile has emerged as a world leader in hybrid systems and standalone energy storage since implementing its Renewable Energy Storage and Electromobility Act in 2022. Ensuring projects

CIP building 1.1 GWh standalone battery storage project

"The project has issued the final notification for its execution and will be one of the first projects of this type to reach commercial operations in Chile,"

EDP switches on 240-MWh BESS in Chile, its 1st in South America

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Chile maps out 85 energy storage projects

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Greenergy Unveils Plans for World's Largest Battery

Spanish renewable energy developer Greenergy recently announced plans to construct a battery storage project in Chile.

Chile approves 360 MWh battery system for co-located project

Chile's Environmental Assessment Service (SEA) and the National Electric Coordinator approved the project after a technical review, which confirmed its grid connection plan and

Chile advances regulation to support ambitious storage goals

- Chile passed an Energy Storage Bill in late 2022 allowing standalone BESS to receive revenue both from arbitrage and from reserve capacity. The government promised to provide further clarity about

Chile already halfway to 2 GW energy storage target

The energy storage boom in Chile is highlighted in the latest "Report on Projects Under Construction and Investment in the Energy Sector," published by the Chilean Ministry of Energy. The ...

EDF joint venture kicks off large-scale BESS and solar

A joint venture (JV) between EDF and developer AME has begun construction of large-scale battery and solar photovoltaic (PV) projects in Chile,

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Chile continues to be Latin America's hotspot for energy storage deployments, with a major new deal for Greenergy and Engie bringing a project online in the past week.

Chile's \$2 Billion Energy Storage Boost Challenges U.S. Supremacy

Chile's energy storage incentives have already borne fruit. At present, there are 85 energy storage projects in various stages of development nationwide, with a total capacity of 6.4 GW.

Chile's Largest Energy Storage Project Dune Plus

As the project progresses, it is expected to bring more stable clean power supply to northern Chile, support sustainable mining development, and

Greenergy unveils 3.5-GWh Elena BESS in northern Chile | Energy

Spanish renewables company Greenergy Renovables SA (BME:GRE) on Monday inaugurated its 3.5-GWh Elena battery energy storage system (BESS) in Chile, adding another

Chile strengthens its position in energy and storage projects

Chile continues to establish itself as a relevant market for the development of energy, transmission, and storage projects. According to the Ministry of Energy's project report as of April

Enel starts building solar-plus-storage with 67MW BESS in Chile

Enel Green Power Chile has started construction on a solar-plus-storage project with a 67MW battery energy storage system (BESS).

Supporting The World's Largest Energy Storage Portfolio in Chile

This is supported by significant projects like Greenergy Renovables' Oasis de Atacama, the world's largest hybrid solar and battery storage initiative. Societe Generale played a crucial role

Chile approves plan to allocate public land for energy

Advertisement From pv magazine LatAm The Chilean government has approved a resolution to allocate public land for energy storage projects that

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First phase of 2 GW/11 GWh solar-plus-storage project

The project, to be developed over seven phases, is set to have a total storage capacity of 11 GWh alongside 2 GW of photovoltaics.

Top five energy storage projects in Chile

Listed below are the five largest energy storage projects by capacity in Chile, according to GlobalData's power database. GlobalData uses proprietary data and analytics to provide a

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