

Energy Storage

Opportunities and Technical Priorities

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EPRI Energy Storage Program Mission

Advance integration and use of safe, reliable, cost-effective and environmentally responsible energy storage

- Technology evaluation and testing
- Techno-economic analysis methods and tools
- Grid integration and control
- Safety and environmental impacts
- Industry collaboration and common approach development Storage Valuation



Storage Integration



Safe

EPRI Guiding Vision



Evaluation and Demonstration





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Agenda

- Energy storage technology intro
- Storage applications and value
- Current EPRI research focus areas
- Available resources





Energy Storage Technology Intro





Energy Storage Complements a Changing Grid Ecosystem

- Renewable energy
- Distributed energy and customer choice
- Electrification
- Resiliency
- Grid modernization and digitization



Capabilities of Storage

- Capacity Resource: Firm power
- Flexibility Resource: Fast response and ramping
- Backup Resource: Energy reserve
- Power Quality Resource: 4-quadrant watts and VARs





Diverse Energy Storage Technologies





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Lithium ion batteries are improving rapidly



Massive R&D investment and manufacturing scale-up for EV are driving performance and cost improvements



Other components and product / grid integration is required



Energy storage products rapidly emerging, but safe, effective usage has learning curve





Storage Applications and Value





Energy Storage Applications

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Modularity of battery storage and diversity of needs opens possibility for many applications



Energy Storage Applications – Generation & Transmission



Transmission-Connected Storage

- Generation capacity (resource adequacy)
- Black start
- Virtual transmission capacity
- Energy time-shifting
- Ancillary services

Bulk storage may complement generators or transmission assets



Energy Storage Applications – Distribution

Distribution-Connected Storage

May provide:

- Virtual distribution capacity
- Enhance power quality
- Resiliency / backup power / microgrid
- Upstream transmission impacts either costs or benefits



May be able to stack distribution and upstream transmission services



Energy Storage Applications - Customer

Customer-Connected Storage

May provide:

- Customer bill savings
 - Retail time-of-use tariff energy shifting
 - Demand charge management
- Backup power / customer microgrid
- Upstream T&D impacts either costs or benefits



May be able to provide upstream grid services via utility programs



Multiple-use value stacking may support costeffectiveness

*Source: Cost-Effectiveness of Energy Storage in California". EPRI <u>3002001162</u> <u>www.epri.com</u>



Monetizing storage is still challenging from a regulatory perspective Value stacking is still primarily in demonstration phase

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Key State Activities Driving Storage Deployments



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Remaining Challenges and Research Priorities





EPRI Energy Storage Research Priorities





New methods and tools important for storage valuation

Storage Value Estimation Tool (StorageVET[®]) is a free, publicly available energy storage project valuation tool informing decision-makers across the electric grid

StorageVET Uses:

- Explore site-specific project value with stacked services
- Communicate results across multiple stakeholders
- Customize cases:
 - All grid services
 - All storage technologies and sizes
 - Any grid location
- Identify high value locations

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A forum advancing the integration of energy storage systems through open, technical collaboration

Publicly Available ESIC Resources

- Energy Storage Implementation Guide
- Energy Storage Cost Template and Tool
- Energy Storage Modeling Bibliography
- Energy Storage Technical Specification Template
- Energy Storage Safety Guidelines
- Energy Storage Test Manual
- Energy Storage Commissioning Guide
- Energy Storage Request for Proposal Guide
- Common Functions for Smart Inverters V4
- StorageVET and Supporting Documentation
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ESIC Stakeholders







Suppliers



Utilities and Grid Operators

s Public Agencies

Research Organizations



Regulators





Standards Development Organizations (SDOs)

The Public

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Energy Storage Publicly Available Resources

- EPRI <u>http://www.epri.com/Pages/Default.aspx</u>
- Energy Storage Integration Council, Publicly available guidelines, tools, and templates <u>http://www.epri.com/esic</u>
- Storage Value Estimation Tool (StorageVET) <u>http://www.storagevet.com</u>
- DOE/EPRI Energy Storage Handbook SANDIA REPORT SAND2015-1002 <u>http://www.sandia.gov/ess/publications/SAND2015-1002.pdf</u>
- Energy Storage Technology and Cost Assessment: Executive Summary. EPRI, Palo Alto, CA: 2018. 3002013858. <u>https://www.epri.com/#/pages/product/00000003002013958/</u>
- Recycling and Disposal of Battery-Based Grid Energy Storage Systems. EPRI. Palo Alto, CA: 2017. 3002006911. https://www.epri.com/#/pages/product/00000003002006911/
- DOE OE Energy Storage Monthly Codes and Standards Update <u>https://www.sandia.gov/energystoragesafety-ssl/codes-standards/status-of-codes-and-standards/</u>
- NFPA 855, Standard for the Installation of Stationary Energy Storage Systems <u>https://www.nfpa.org/codes-and-standards/all-codes-and-standards/detail?code=855</u>
- International Fire Code (IFC) <u>https://codes.iccsafe.org/content/IFC2018</u>
- Cost-Effectiveness of Energy Storage in California <u>http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/NR/rdonlyres/1110403D-85B2-4FDB-B927-5F2EE9507FCA/0/Storage_CostEffectivenessReport_EPRI.pdf</u>
- DOE Energy Storage Database <u>http://www.energystorageexchange.org/</u>
- DOE/Sandia Labs Energy Storage Program <u>http://www.sandia.gov/ess/</u>



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