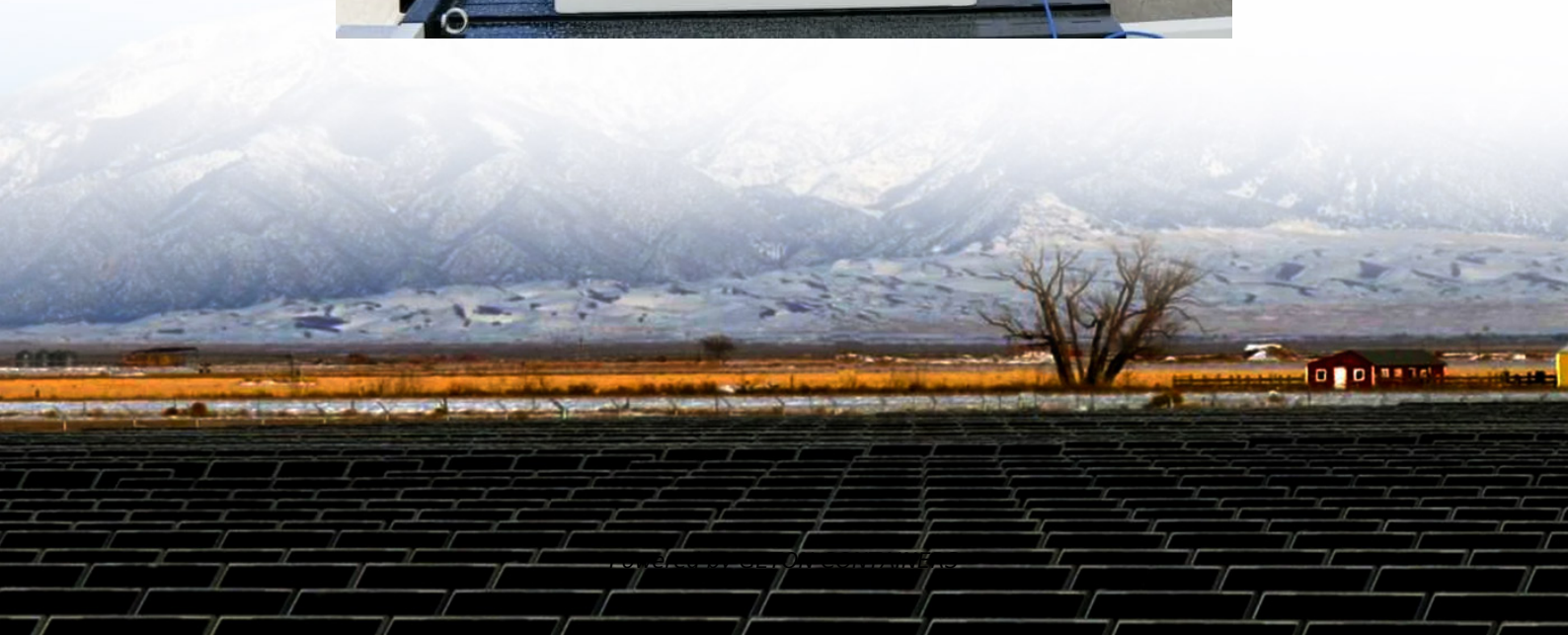


# Energy storage balance system





## Overview

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How to balance the energy system?

To balance the energy system, storage (mostly electricity storage) is introduced first to a degree which results in no curtailment or power plant production (Variant 2 - labelled “100% storage”), meaning that the storage can fully balance the production of variable RES with the energy consumption. Fig. 3 shows the balancing cost of such a solution.

What are energy storage systems?

Energy storage systems allow energy consumption to be separated in time from the production of energy, whether it be electrical or thermal energy. The storing of electricity typically occurs in chemical (e.g., lead acid batteries or lithium-ion batteries, to name just two of the best known) or mechanical means (e.g., pumped hydro storage).

Why do we need energy storage?

Because power systems are balanced at the system level, no dedicated backup with energy storage is needed for any single technology. Storage is most economical when operated to maximise the economic benefit of an entire system. Don't we need storage to reduce curtailment?

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Can energy storage planning account for power imbalance risks across multiple time scales?

To address the complexities arising from the coupling of different time scales in optimizing energy storage capacity, this paper proposes a method for energy storage planning that accounts for power imbalance risks across multiple time scales.



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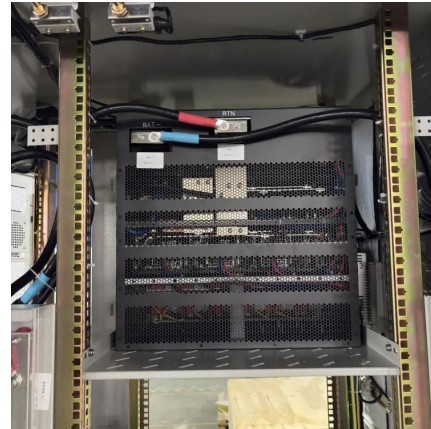


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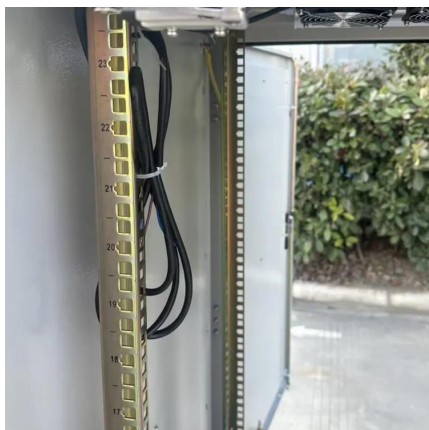
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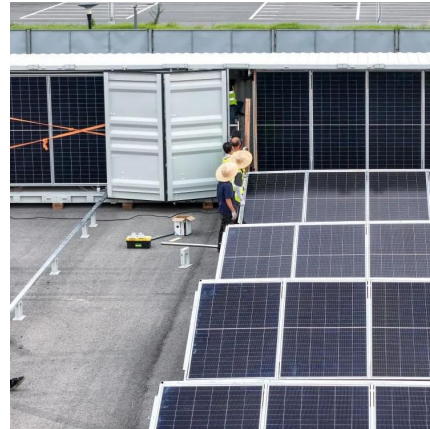




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