

# Hungary coal-to-electricity energy storage equipment



## Overview

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The scheme aims at enhancing the flexibility of the Hungarian electricity system by supporting storage investments to facilitate smooth integration of high capacity of variable renewable energy sources in the Hungarian electricity system. The European Commission has approved a €1. It also targets reducing Hungary's dependency on fossil fuel imports, notably natural gas from Russia, while accelerating the energy transition in line with the REPowerEU Plan and the Green Deal. Gábor Czepek, Parliamentary State Secretary of the Ministry of Energy, announced in a video on social media that Hungary's largest energy storage facility is being built in Szolnok (central Hungary), noting that the issue of storage capacity is key to the country's energy sovereignty. Hungary's National Energy Strategy for 2030 has also been amended to incorporate a vision for 2040 that focuses on clean, smart, and inexpensive energy. Hungary's subsidy scheme for energy storage will drive huge growth in battery energy storage system (BESS) deployments over the next few years. Hungary has 40MWh of grid-scale BESS online today but that will jump 3,400% to around 1,300MWh over the next few years thanks to opex and capex support. Hungary has no coal plants under construction or in planning stages and is a small coal producer and consumer. In March 2021, Hungary committed to shut down its last coal power plant in 2025, as part of its membership pledge with the Powering Past Coal Alliance (PPCA). However, the country's five.

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Minimum requirement of two hours of power capacity. Storage facilities with a higher power capacity can participate in the tender but will not be remunerated for the additional energy capacity.



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In June 2021, the Hungarian group Alteo began a battery energy storage project. They plan to build a second energy storage facility with a capacity of 5 MW at the Kazincbarcika Heating Power Plant.



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