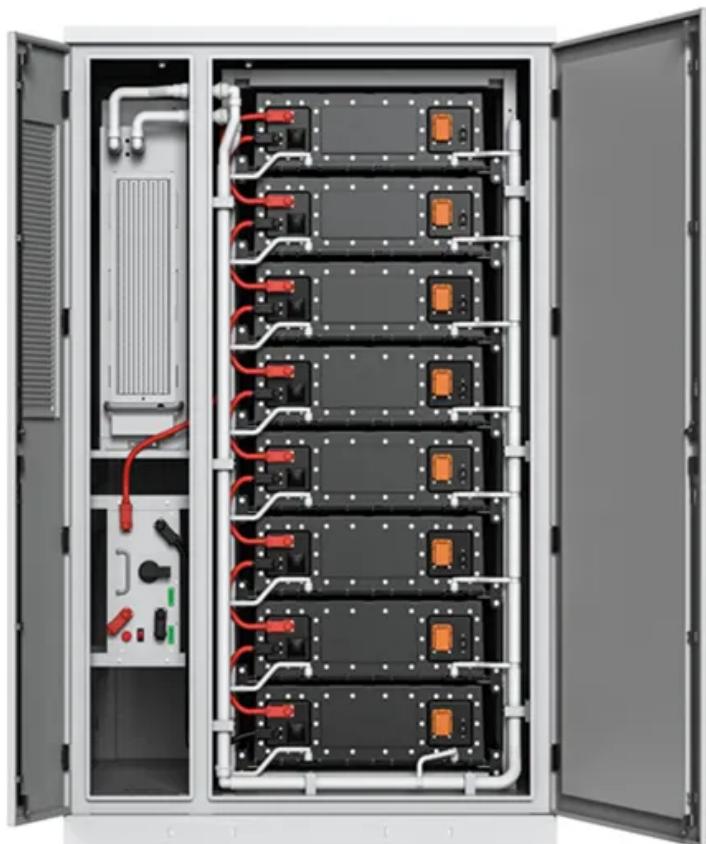


LFP battery system project financing options in Chile 2025



Overview

Why are project finance transactions increasing in Chile?

Fitch Ratings-Sao Paulo/New York-01 April 2025: Project finance transactions in Chile are expected to increase due to the recent commissioning of large battery energy storage systems (BESS), Fitch Ratings says. This should balance electricity supply and demand while reducing price volatility for renewable energy generators.

Are battery energy storage systems a viable alternative for Chilean power producers?

With transmission lines at overcapacity and permitting delays slowing the development of new grid infrastructure, battery energy storage systems (BESS) have surged as a profitable alternative for Chilean power producers.

How much does a battery cost in Chile?

In fact, batteries charged at nearly \$0/MWh during the day in the sunny, northern desert regions of Chile, sell energy at night for over \$100/MWh. Although projects such as Engie's BESS Coya are already enjoying these large spreads, this capacity payment will partially de-risk Chile's dependence on volatile, but still profitable, merchant revenues.

How much battery storage does Chile have?

Chile has an operational installed capacity of approximately 1GW in batteries, and another 3GW is under construction. Battery storage has been largely financed by bank lending in recent years, but we believe larger projects could increase the scope for bond financing.

Should solar batteries be used in Chile?

Attendees at the Energy Storage Summit Latin America hosted by our publisher Solar Media in October last year heard that with solar PV in Chile—one of the sunniest countries in the world, particularly in the Atacama

Desert region—at risk of rampant curtailment, the addition of batteries is being seen as a necessary mitigation of that risk.

Will new solar assets in Chile have storage components?

New utility-scale renewable and PMGE assets in Chile (most of which are distributed solar plants smaller than 9 MW) will likely all have storage components moving forward.

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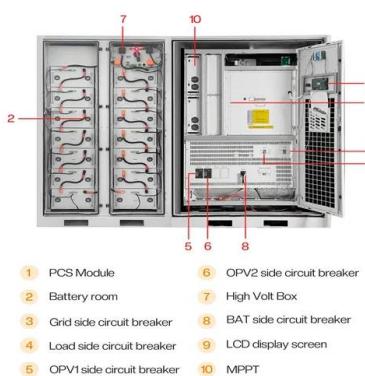
ReUse

The objective of the ReUse project is to improve the circularity and sustainability of the entire low-value LFP battery waste stream - from production scrap to end-of-life LiB - by developing new recycling processes that maximize the recovery

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This work incorporates base year battery costs and breakdowns from (Ramasamy et al., 2022) (the same as the 2023 ATB), which works from a bottom-up cost model. Base year costs for ...



First Phosphate, American Battery Factory and ...

The initiative ("LFP Project America") is to support ABF's eventual need for up to 40,000 tonnes of annual fully localized LFP CAM for LFP battery cell production in North America by 2028.

IEA Report: LFP Dominates as EV Battery Prices Fall

IEA report highlights major shifts in EV battery prices, rising LFP adoption, and China's increasing dominance in global manufacturing.

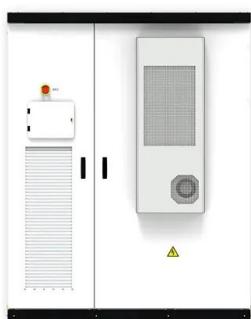


Portable LFP Battery Market to Soar to \$70.3 Billion by 2034 at ...

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Non-lithium R& D leads recent U.S. battery supply ...

The U.S. battery energy storage system (BESS) supply chain continues to grow slowly but surely -- both lithium-ion battery production and next-generation, non-lithium battery innovation. Here's all of the latest intel on ...

China's Tsingshan plans \$233m investment in Chilean ...

China's Tsingshan is planning to invest \$233.2m (1.71bn yuan) to set up a lithium iron phosphate (LFP) production plant in Chile. Planned to be built in Chile's Antofagasta region, the proposed plant will have the capacity to ...



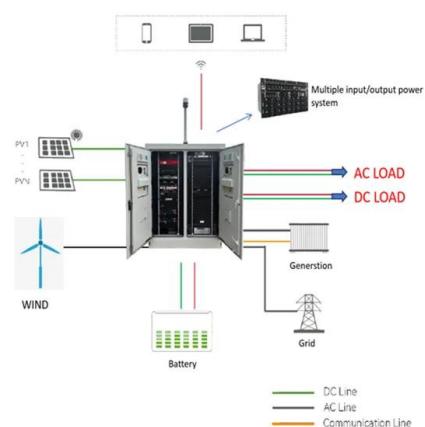
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The battery storage technologies do not calculate LCOE or LCOS, so do not use financial assumptions. Therefore all parameters are the same for the R& D and Markets & Policies Financials cases. The 2023 ATB represents cost and ...



Zelestra and Sungrow partner to deploy Li-ion BESS' at major ...

Renewable energy company Zelestra, and energy storage system firm Sungrow have formed a partnership to deploy lithium-ion battery storage at a renewable energy project ...



Battery Energy Storage Systems (BESS) in Chile

The anticipation of the capacity market, the high energy spreads, and the lack of an ancillary services market in Chile has led project ...

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Chinese LFP battery giants like CATL and BYD are accelerating overseas. Explore key projects, market trends, and why Tesla and Ford are switching to LFP tech.



Cost Projections for Utility-Scale Battery Storage: 2023 ...

Executive Summary In this work we describe the development of cost and performance projections for utility-scale lithium-ion battery systems, with a focus on 4-hour duration ...

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BYD considers battery materials factory in Chile

BYD is investing an estimated \$290 million in the project in the Antofagasta region, which could produce 50,000 tonnes of LFP cathode material per year. Commissioning is planned for the end of 2025.



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Chilean Battery Energy Storage Systems Stabilize Energy ...

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Stellantis and CATL to Invest Up to EUR4.1 Billion in Joint ...

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BYD withdraws plans to build lithium plant in Chile as ...

Tsinghsan told Reuters that the company had withdrawn plans for a \$233 million project to produce 120,000 tons of lithium iron phosphate (LFP) per year. Chile's economic development agency Corfo said both projects had been ...



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