

# Cost per watt of gravity energy storage





## Overview

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How much does gravity energy storage cost?

Depending on the considered scenarios and assumptions, the levelized cost of storage of GES varies between 7.5 €/kWh and 15 €/kWh, while it is between 3.8 €/kWh and 7.3 €/kWh for gravity energy storage with wire hoisting system (GESH). The LCOS of GES and GESH were then compared to other energy storage systems.

What is gravity energy storage?

Energetic performance of Gravity Energy Storage (GES) with a wire rope hoisting system. GES and GESH offer interesting economic advantages for the provision of energy arbitrage service. Interest in energy storage systems has been increased with the growing penetration of variable renewable energy sources.

Do different sized gravity energy storage systems improve economic performance?

To investigate the economic performance of differently sized gravity energy storage systems, a wind farm with a number of gravity energy storage units has been used. The principle of economies of scale has been applied resulting in a cost reduction for large scale systems.

Does gravity energy storage provide energy arbitrage service?

Techno-economic analysis of gravity energy storage. Energetic performance of Gravity Energy Storage (GES) with a wire rope hoisting system. GES and GESH offer interesting economic advantages for the provision of energy arbitrage service.



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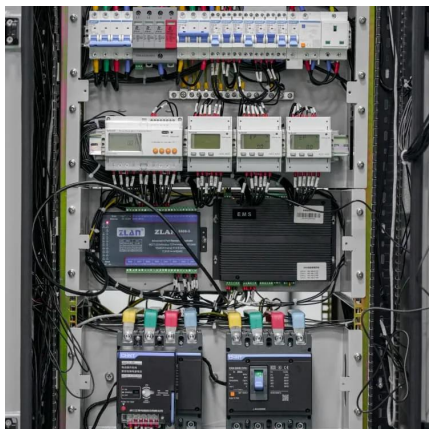




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