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Microgrid Energy Storage Business Model



Overview

This report, produced in partnership with the Electric Power Research Institute (EPRI), highlights basic microgrid technologies, drivers of microgrid adoption, use cases, barriers and challenges, and the three discrete business models that are supporting modern microgrid build-out, including a third-party model, unbundled model, and integrated utility model. What is a microgrid business model?

With respect to microgrids, a business model defines the way in which a microgrid project or business is planned, implemented, and executed to meet strategic objectives. Strategic objectives can range from community resiliency to renewable energy integration to greater profit for a new economy enterprise such as a data center.

How will the microgrid energy storage business model evolve?

The rapid increase in user-side energy storage such as new energy vehicles, power battery cascade utilization and household photovoltaics will also lead to the rapid development of the microgrid energy storage business model. The microgrid model originating from the user side will drive the establishment of the energy storage market mechanism.

What are the application scenarios of microgrid energy storage?

The application scenarios of microgrid energy storage are divided into small off-grid energy storage, island microgrid energy storage and household energy storage. Small off-grid energy storage systems are used in remote areas that cannot be reached by the power grid.

Can a microgrid be commercially & financially viable?

For a microgrid to be commercially and financially viable, it must address both the technical (e.g., plan, operations, components, and functions) and commercial (e.g., revenue, expense, and profit) components of the business model definition.

How to realize the large-scale commercialization of energy storage?

Therefore, to realize the large-scale commercialization of energy storage, it is necessary to analyze the business model of energy storage. Providing readers with an overview of energy storage will contribute to the future development of energy storage business models.

What is a composite energy storage business model?

The composite energy storage business model is highly flexible and can fully mobilize power system resources to maximize the utilization of energy storage resources. The model can reduce the risk of energy storage investment and accelerate the development of energy storage.

4.3.2. Microgrid model

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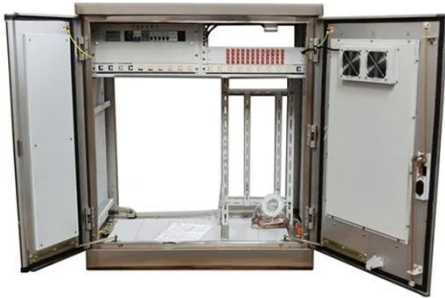
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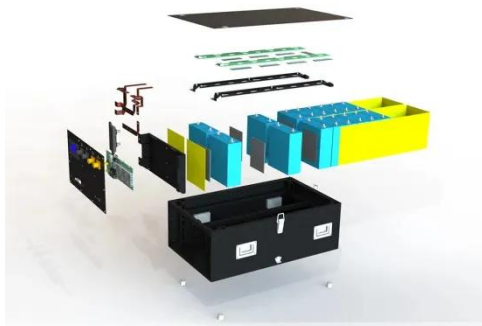
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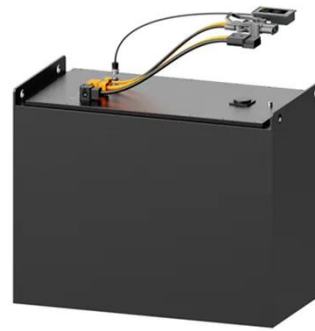
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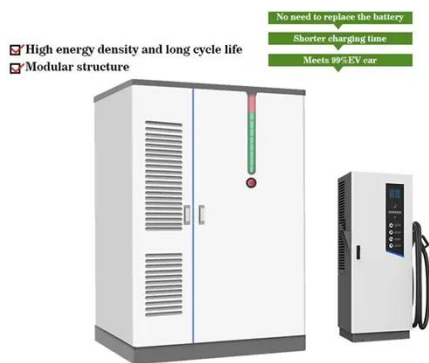
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