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Hydropower energy storage profit plan

Overview

Liberalization of electricity markets and dissemination of renewable energy sources leads to the variability of electricity prices, intermittency of generation and thus the necessity to develop new electrical.

Is pumped storage hydropower a valuable energy storage resource?

March 2021 While there is a general understanding that pumped storage hydropower (PSH) is a valuable energy storage resource that provides many services and benefits for the operation of power systems, determining the value of PSH plants and their various services and contributions has been a challenge.

How to assess the profitability of pumped storage hydropower plants?

To assess the profitability, an investment analysis tool for pumped storage hydropower plants was created in MathWork’s MATLAB, focusing on one of Fortum’s already existing pumped storage hydropower plants. The investment analysis tool was built for several cases with fixed operating schedules using a weekly timeframe.

How can pumped storage hydropower operations maximise profit?

In a highly volatile market, there is a great possibility to yield large amounts of profit. However, to fully maximise profit, especially in a low volatility market, constant optimisation of pumped storage hydropower operations through advanced forecasting and modelling is crucial. Teknisk-naturvetenskapliga fakulteten, Uppsala universitet.

What is pumped storage hydropower (PSH)?

Pumped storage hydropower (PSH) currently accounts for over 90% of storage capacity and stored energy in grid scale applications globally. The current storage volume of PSH stations is at least 9,000 GWh, whereas batteries amount to just 7-8 GWh.

Are pumped storage hydropower projects regulated?

Hydropower projects, including pumped storage hydropower, are subject to the same codes and regulations as conventional hydropower.

Does market volatility affect the profitability of pumped storage hydropower projects?

The results obtained from the investment analysis tool indicated that market volatility plays a crucial role in determining the profitability of pumped storage hydropower projects. In a highly volatile market, there is a great possibility to yield large amounts of profit.

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The impact of pumped hydro energy storage configurations ...

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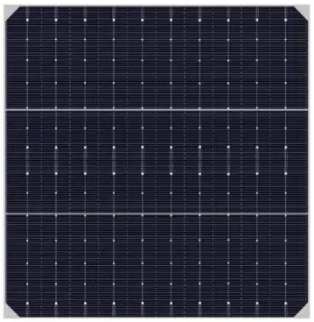

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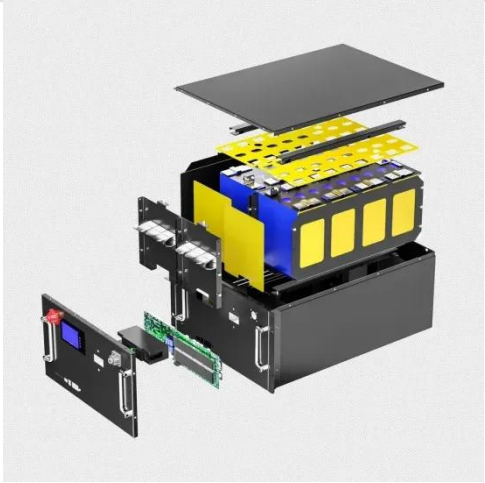

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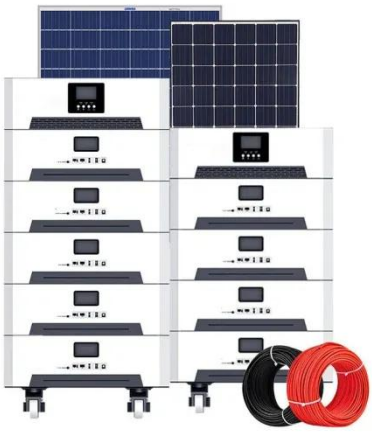

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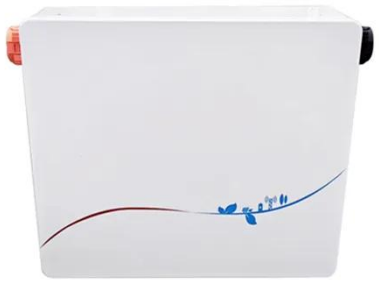

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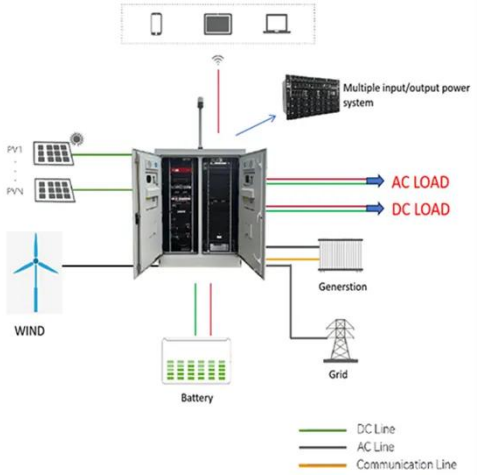

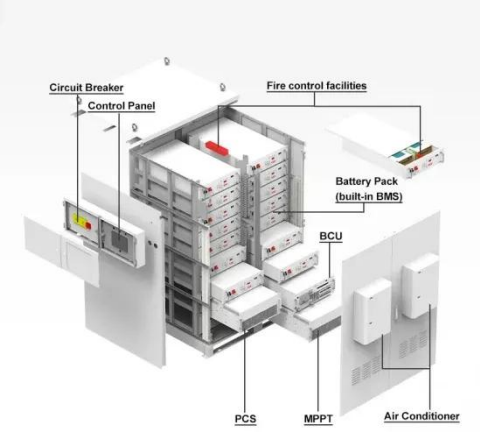

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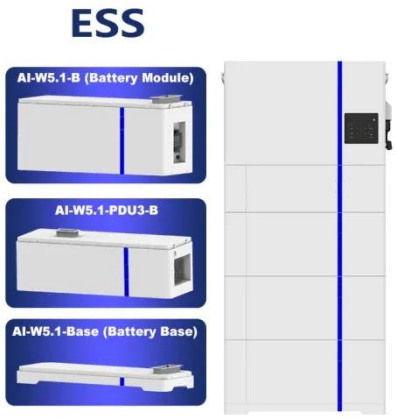

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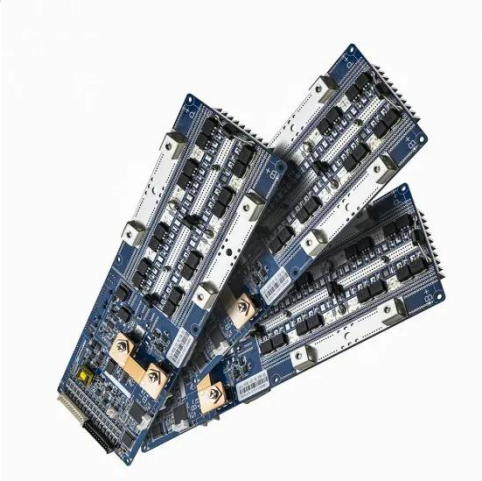

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