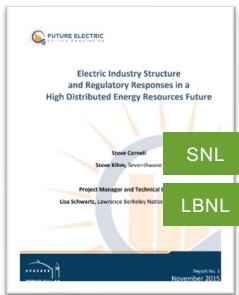




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Meeting the Moment with Energy Storage

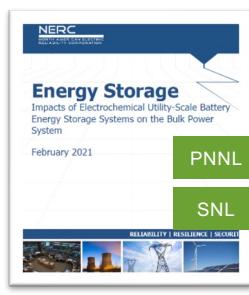
Assisting Decisionmakers



FERC

"And I'm so proud that last year, the Commission issued Order No. 841. This rule removes barriers to the participation of electric storage resources in the capacity, energy, and ancillary services markets operated by the regional organized power markets that FERC oversees."

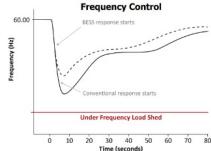
- FERC Chair N. Chatterjee, 7/2019



NERC

"Battery storage [i]n installations in the Texas and Western Interconnections are improving frequency control. These improvements are a result of quicker response times arresting the frequency closer to the target of 60Hz."

- NERC 6/2025



State Commissions

Vermont Public Utility Commission
PROPOSED RULE REGARDING THE INSTALLATION, CONSTRUCTION, OPERATION, AND AGGREGATION OF ENERGY STORAGE FACILITIES

8/20/2025
Docket #21-3883

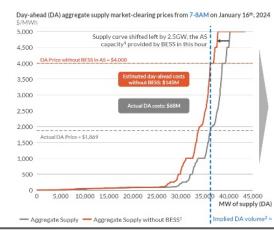


"Duke, through an ERCOT stakeholder committee, create[ed] a special pilot project...to demonstrate the major technical capabilities of the BESS." - 2012

Regional Transmission Operators

"Across January 15th and 16th, BESS saved a total of \$750M in costs to the day-ahead market [in ERCOT]."

- Aurora Energy Research, 4/2024



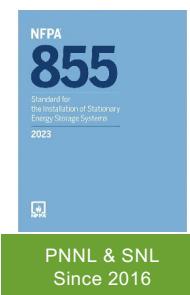
"This [DOE] project successfully demonstrated an early stage CES [Community Energy Storage] system" – DTE, 2015

Utilities

"DTE is seeking between 1,500-3,000 MW of firm MISO-accredited capacity from qualifying resources including...thermal, storage, emerging technologies, distributed energy resources, and other capacity resources."

Non-Price Criteria - Resource Optionality: e.g. "ability to adapt to new market rules or changes in such rules, ...ability to add future storage to the site, etc."

- DTE All-Source RFP, 2/2025



Local Jurisdictions

"NFPA 855 has requirements that training of operations staff as well as emergency responders be provided by the system owner or operator."

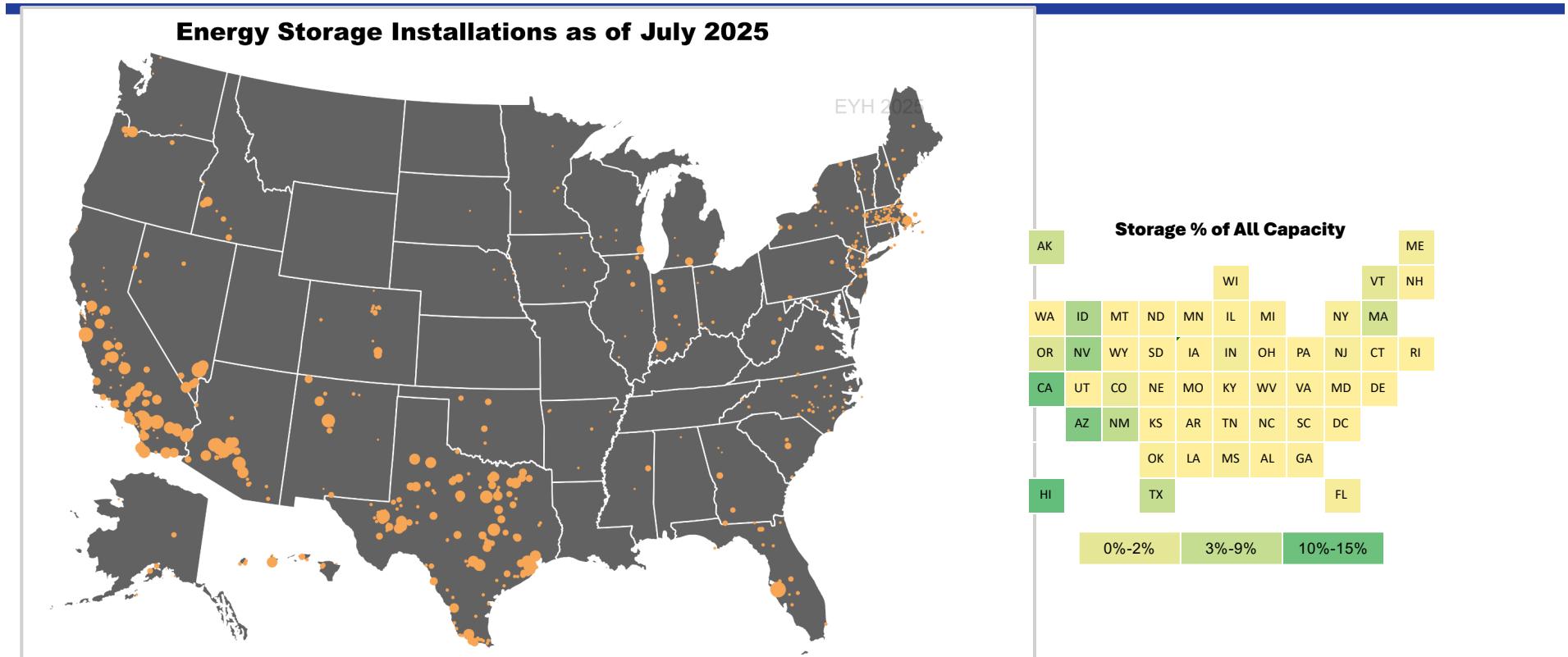
"Language in local codes [and] ordinances is frequently adapted from standard NFPA 855"

PNNL, Siting and Permitting of Energy Storage, 2025



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Deployment Geography



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Emerging Use Cases: Baseload, Delivery, Affordability, AI



F. Wang et al., "Leveraging Energy Storage Resources to Improve Combined Cycle Gas Turbines Operational Efficiency," 2022 IEEE Power & Energy Society General Meeting (PESGM), Denver, CO, USA, 2022, pp. 01-05, doi: 10.1109/PESGM48719.2022.9917129.



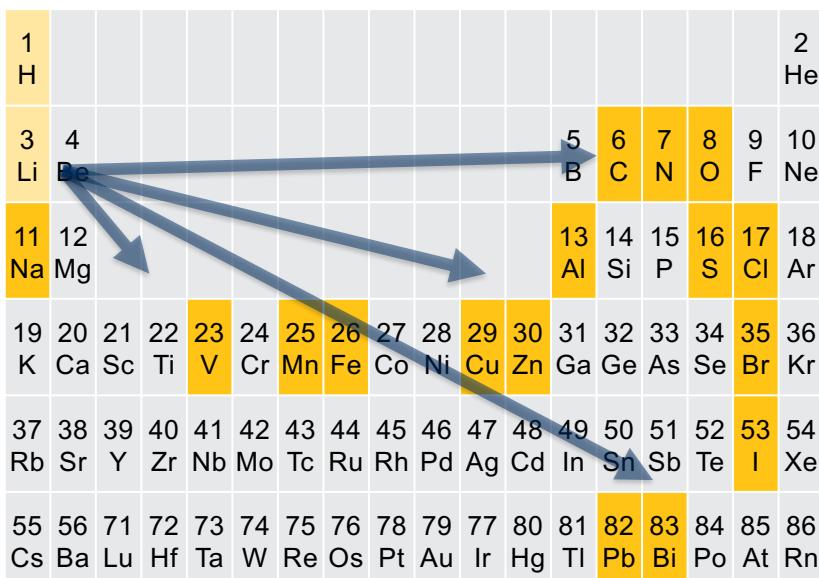
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Broadening and Securing the Supply Chain

Elements being (re-) investigated for ESS applications



Secretary Wright with Will Chueh at the SLAC National Accelerator Laboratory-Stanford Battery Center



Secretary Wright at the Grid Storage Launchpad | Photo: Andrea Starr | PNNL



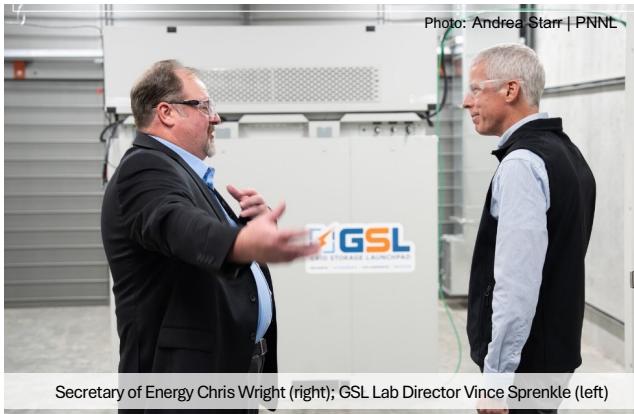
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Model Selection Platform

Central repository of 70+ DOE, other governmental, and industry storage-relevant models, tools, or data with guided and natural language-guiding matching

<http://msp.pnnl.gov>

The screenshot shows the Model Selection Platform (MSP) interface. At the top, there's a search bar and filters for Category (All Categories), Institution (All Institutions), Energy Sector (All Energy Sectors), and Availability (All Availabilities). Below the search bar, it says "76 results". The main area displays a grid of 12 model cards, each with a thumbnail, name, and a brief description. The models include: ADOP (Automotive Deployment Options Projection Tool), AHA (All Hazards Analysis), A-LEAF (Argonne Low-carbon Electricity Analysis Framework), ATB (Annual Technology Baseline), Caldera, CHEERS, CoCuNi, CReST, CMBAT, and CNet-VCT. Each card also has a "View Details" button.



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