

# Hungary s electricity storage policy





### **Overview**

The Ministry of Energy plans to increase the size of the energy storage market by combining legislative and financial incentives. The European Commission also recognizes the validity and eligibility of the development intentions, wrote the ministry in its press release. Will Hungary support the installation of new electricity storage facilities?

Hungary notified to the Commission, under the Temporary Crisis and Transition Framework, a Hungarian scheme to support the installation of at least 800 MW/1600 MWh of new electricity storage facilities.

Will Hungarian energy storage projects get subsidy support?

The Hungarian Ministry of Energy has announced that around 50 grid-scale energy storage projects with a cumulative capacity of 440 MW have received subsidy support through a tender launched in February this year.

Will Hungarian electricity storage facilities support a net-zero economy?

The European Commission has approved a €1.1 billion (approximately HUF 436 billion) Hungarian scheme to support electricity storage facilities to foster the transition to a net-zero economy.

How will a €1.1 billion Hungarian measure affect electricity storage capacity?

This €1.1 billion Hungarian measure will facilitate the development of electricity storage capacity. The Hungarian electricity system will be more flexible. The preparation for a higher integration of renewables into the electricity mix, is in line with EU climate and energy targets.

Where will Hungary's largest energy storage system be built?

With funds obtained through a previous program, transmission system operator MAVIR is already building the country's largest energy storage system – a 20 MW project in Szolnok, central Hungary, the ministry said. It added that several projects with even bigger capacity will be installed under



the tender concluded a few days ago.

How much solar capacity does Hungary need?

Hungary has set a target of 12 GW of solar capacity by the start of the next decade. However, grid capacity shortfalls have been dire, hampering primarily the rollout of large-scale solar. The country's revised National Energy and Climate Plan envisages the construction of a total of 1 GW of storage capacity by 2030.



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# Hungary's largest energy storage facility in Szolnok commissioned

The electricity transmission system operator (TSO), Mavir, has built Hungary's largest grid-integrated energy storage facility in Szolnok with non-refundable state support ...

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# Under the Temporary Crisis and Scheme for Energy Storage ...

On 21 June 2023, the European Commission approved with the decision SA.102428 a Hungarian state aid scheme to support energy storage facilities for the integration of weather-variable ...







# Charging ahead: Hungary's newly introduced rules fuel co ...

While the concept of electricity storage was introduced into Hungarian law earlier, comprehensive policies to support the deployment of co-located BESS systems were lacking.

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# Hungary awards funding for 440 MW of storage

"With the successful implementation of the program, domestic energy storage capacity can increase by about 20 times within two years," the ...







# State aid: Commission approves EUR1.1 billion Hungarian ...

The scheme aims at enhancing the flexibility of the Hungarian electricity system by supporting storage investments to facilitate smooth integration of high capacity of variable renewable ...

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Hungary's clean energy transition is the key to reach energy Attila Steiner, Hungary's State Secretary for Energy and Climate Policy, said: "Hungary has a strong commitment to ...

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# Hungary announces grant to boost energy storage development

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### Hungarian Energy Minister: Government to offer new subsidies for energy

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# Hungary: 'advanced' subsidy scheme to drive BESS market

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# MET Group Inaugurates Hungary's Largest BESS Facility

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# Hungary Hoping Battery Business Will Supercharge Green ...

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# IEA Calls for Boost in Hungary's Renewable Energy ...

The IEA has released its annual review of Hungary's energy policy, outlining the current state of renewable generation within the country's ...

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# MET Group inaugurates Hungary's largest battery energy storage ...

Hungary's largest operating standalone battery energy storage system (BESS) has been inaugurated today: MET Group put into operation a battery electricity storage plant with ...



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Energy Innovation is an important tool to transforme our energy sector into a climate-friendly system, while creating opportunities for industrial development and contributing to economic ...



# Hungary launches new CfD support scheme targeting electricity storage

The aim of the Storage CfD Scheme is to boost much-needed investments in new storage units which are essential complementary elements of the rapidly growing weather ...



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# Hungary's grid modernisation takes a major leap in ...

2024 is a landmark year for Hungarian grid modernisation, stated the State Secretary of the Hungarian Ministry of Energy pointing out that the ...

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Hungary's Energy Strategy indicates that by 2030 country will reach approximately 20% of renewable energy share in primary energy demand. This is an indicative rather than ...

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