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How many hybrid energy storage power stations are there in the United States



Overview

At the end of 2023, there were 469 hybrid plants (>1 MW) operating across the United States (+21% compared to the end of 2022), totaling nearly 49 GW of generating capacity (+19%) and 3.6 GW/11.1 GWh of energy storage (+59%/+67%). How much storage capacity does a PV+storage hybrid plant have?

As of the end of 2023, there was roughly as much storage capacity operating within PV+storage hybrid plants as in standalone storage plants (~7.5 GW each). In storage energy terms, however, PV+storage edged out standalone storage by ~7 GWh (24.2 GWh vs. 17.5 GWh, respectively).

How many hybrid plants are there in 2023?

Key findings from the latest briefing include: At the end of 2023, there were 469 hybrid plants (>1 MW) operating across the United States (+21% compared to the end of 2022), totaling nearly 49 GW of generating capacity (+19%) and 3.6 GW/11.1 GWh of energy storage (+59%/+67%).

How many co-located hybrid plants are there?

Based in part on Form EIA-860 data, there were at least 226 co-located hybrid plants (>1 MW) operating across the United States at the end of 2020, totaling more than 30 GW of aggregate capacity (see map below).

Do hybrid PV+storage plants provide energy arbitrage & resource adequacy?

Hybrid plant configurations reflect their primary use cases : The relatively high average storage ratio and duration of PV+storage plants suggest that storage is providing resource adequacy (i.e., capacity firming) and energy arbitrage (i.e., shifting power sales from lower- to higher-priced periods) capabilities to PV+storage plants.

How many hybrid plants are there in 2022?

Last year was another big year for hybrid plants in the United States . At the

end of 2022, there were 374 hybrid plants (>1 MW) operating across the United States (+25% compared to the end of 2021), totaling nearly 41 GW of generating capacity (+15%) and 5.4 GW/15.2 GWh of energy storage (+69%/+88%).

Are hybrid and co-located power plants a good investment?

Interest in Hybrid and Co-Located Power Plants Continues to Grow Falling battery prices and the growth of variable renewable generation are driving a surge of interest in “hybrid” power plants that combine, for example, wind or solar generating capacity with co-located batteries.

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U.S. Hydropower Market Report

Hydropower accounted for 6.6% of all electricity generated and 38% of electricity from renewables produced in the United States in 2019.⁷ Additionally, 43 PSH plants with a total power capacity ...

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The Hoover Dam, when completed in 1936, was both the world's largest electric-power generating station and the world's largest concrete structure. Hoover ...



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U.S. battery capacity increased 66% in 2024

In the United States, cumulative utility-scale battery storage capacity exceeded 26 gigawatts (GW) in 2024, according to our January 2025 Preliminary Monthly Electric ...

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United States energy storage industry

Batteries and pumped hydro are the main storage technologies in use in the U.S., according to the number of storage projects in the country in 2023. Discover

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NHA Unveils New 2021 U.S. Pumped Storage ...

Today, the United States has 43 existing PSH projects with over 22,800 megawatts of storage capacity, representing more than 94% of all installed ...



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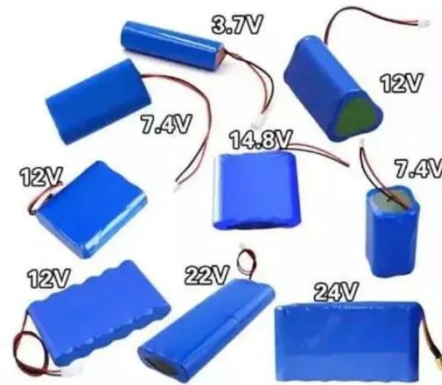
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Electricity explained

- 1 Utility-scale power plants have at least one MW of electric generation capacity.
- 2 Includes petroleum coke, petroleum liquids, other gases, other miscellaneous

sources not included ...

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Hybrid Power Plants: Status of Installed and Proposed Projects

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Battery storage boomed last year, and there's more to come in 2025

Energy storage technologies can be an important part of our electric grid of the future, helping to assure reliable access to electricity while supporting America's transition to ...

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2023 was another big year for newly installed and proposed ...

80 new hybrid plants (>1 MW) began operating across the United States in 2023, totaling nearly 7.9 GW of generating capacity and 3.6 GW/11.6

GWh of energy storage.

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U.S. Grid Energy Storage Factsheet

The U.S. powered on 80 new hybrid power plants with 7.9 GW of operational generating capacity and 11.6 GWh of operational storage capacity ...

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Hybrid power plants account for majority of proposed US solar, storage

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2022 was another big year for hybrid power plants--especially PV+storage

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the United States (+25% compared to the end of 2021), totaling nearly 41 GW of generating ...

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Battery industry in the United States

Batteries became the main energy storage technology in the United States in 2024, surpassing hydro pumped storage. After showing a ...

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U.S. electric system is made up of interconnections ...

Local electricity grids are interconnected to form larger networks for reliability and commercial purposes. At the highest level, the United States ...

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Operational hybrid & co-located power plants U.S., Statista

There were approximately 374 hybrid and co-located power plants in the United States as of the end of 2022.

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Solar and battery storage to make up 81% of new U.S.

Developers have scheduled the Menifee Power Bank (460.0 MW) at the site of the former Inland Empire Energy Center natural gas-fired power ...

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Electricity sector of the United States

Hydro excludes pumped storage (not an energy source, used by all sources, other than hydro). Total includes net imports. 2021 and 2022 data is from Electric Power Annual 2022 The ...

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More than half of the new utility-scale solar capacity is planned for three states: Texas (35%), California (10%),

and Florida (6%). Outside of these states, the Gemini solar ...

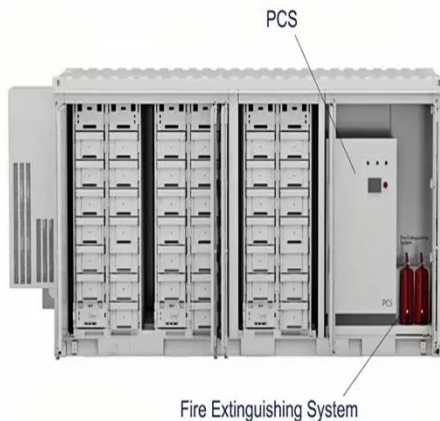
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In 2021, 1,595 energy storage projects were operational globally, with 125 projects in construction. 51% of operational projects are located in the U.S. 10 California leads the U.S. in power ...

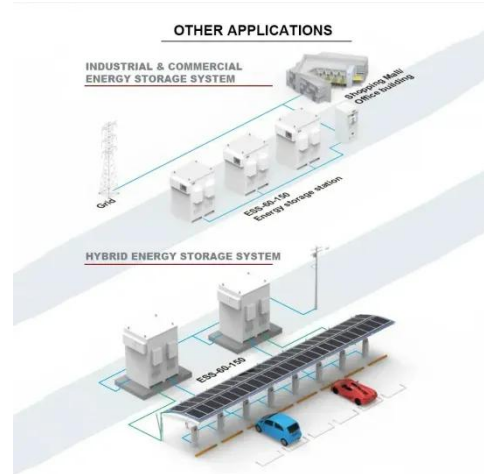
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of generating capacity (+19%) and ...

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Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

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