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The first gravity energy storage project



Overview

The China Tianying Rudong Gravity Energy Storage Project, located in Yangkou town, Rudong county, Nantong, is the world's first 26MW gravity energy storage facility. What is gravity energy storage system (GESS)?

The 25 MW/100 MWh EVx™ Gravity Energy Storage System (GESS) is a 4-hour duration project being built outside of Shanghai in Rudong, Jiangsu Province, China. The EVx™ is under construction directly adjacent to a wind farm and national grid.

Where is the gravity energy storage system based?

The research and development of the gravity energy storage system has been based in Ticino and operational since 2019 with its own R&D centre. The commercial demonstration unit has been connected to the Swiss national utility grid and used for two years of testing and software commissioning.

How does gravity energy storage work?

The firm's technology works by raising weights in a deep shaft and releasing them when energy is required. The technology is similar to that employed by Switzerland-headquartered and NYSE-listed Energy Vault, whose CEO Robert Piconi provided an update to its first commercial gravity energy storage project in Rudong, China, in a shareholder letter.

Can gravity energy storage power 9 homes a year?

The company's first commercial grid-scale project using its proprietary gravity energy storage technology in Rudong, near Shanghai, was connected to the grid in December 2023 and can store up to 100 MWh. In other words, this is enough electricity to power nine homes for a whole year just from stored energy.

Where is gravity & Energy Vault now?

Gravitricity and Energy Vault have progressed their gravity energy storage

solutions, with project updates in USA/Germany and China.

Which energy storage project is under construction in China?

Another Energy Vault gravity energy storage project under construction in Zhangye City, Gansu Province, China. Image: Business Wire. Energy Vault has connected its first commercial EVx gravity-based energy storage system to the grid in China, while construction has been launched on three others, all-in-all totalling 468MWh of capacity.

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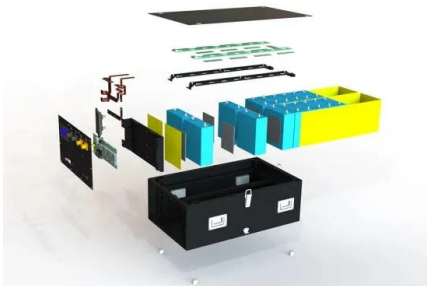
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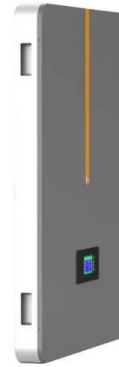


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