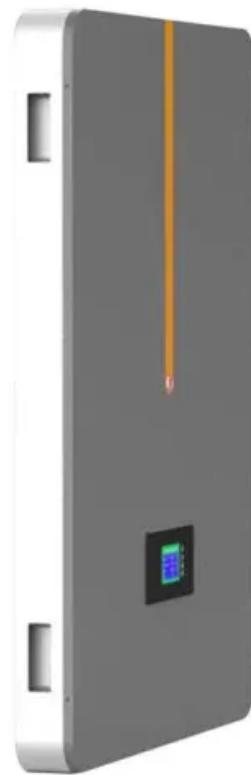




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Battery shortage and energy storage demand explosion



Overview

What are the three global demand scenarios for batteries?

We created three global demand scenarios for batteries: fading momentum, continuation of the current trajectory (base case), and further acceleration. The main demand differentiators included variations in EV production volume and uptake of energy storage systems.

Does battery supply exceed global demand?

Although battery supply may exceed demand at the global level, the picture is more nuanced and varied by region. Some countries have excess capacity—meaning more than enough to satisfy local demand—while others rely on imports to alleviate local shortages. This regional view could become critical if more countries try to localize production.

What is the outlook for battery demand?

The outlook for battery demand will continue to be closely tied to EVs, but the stationary storage market is worth watching. As one part of the energy transition temporarily slows, another is speeding up. Battery manufacturers are having hard times this year.

Why are Chinese battery cell manufacturers booming?

A surge in global demand for energy storage solutions is fueling a boom for Chinese battery cell manufacturers, driven by the worldwide shift toward renewable energy and accelerated by government policies, said Ye Mingyuan, an energy storage analyst at Shanghai Metals Market, an industry monitor.

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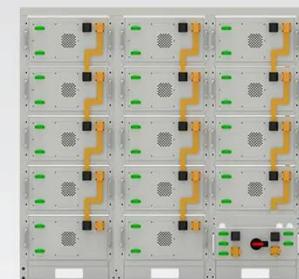


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Battery String-S224

- 1C Charge/Discharge
- Easy configuration and maintenance
- Power supply can be single battery string or parallel battery strings

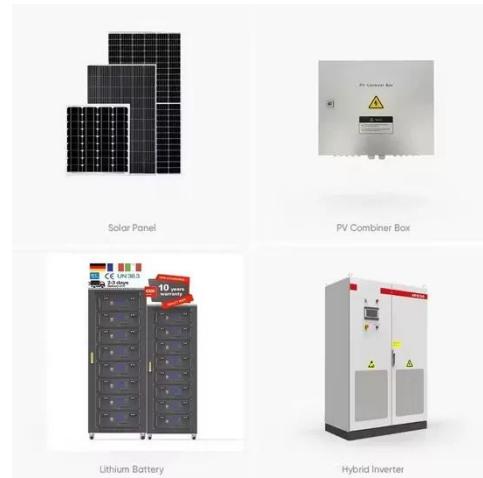


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How many batteries are used in the energy sector in 2023? The total volume

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