

# Investment model for user-side energy storage

What is user-side energy storage?

1. Introduction User-side energy storage mainly refers to the application of electrochemical energy storage systems by industrial, commercial, residential, or independent powerplant customers (which in convenience we call "firms").

What is the economics of energy storage?

The economics of energy storage represents the decision of whether or not to invest in energy storage technologies. Unlike the feed-in-tariff (FIT), which is mainly determined by the supply and demand in the electricity market, the peak-valley spread is a reflection of the time differentials of electricity as a commodity.

How does the Inflation Reduction Act affect user-side energy storage firms?

The introduction of the Inflation Reduction Act (IRA) by the United States has presented new opportunities for the user-side energy storage firms by providing incentives such as the investment tax credits (ITC) for clean energy projects.

Can real options theory be used for energy storage investment?

For the investment decision of energy storage projects, Bakke et al. analyze the investment decision of energy storage by combining a real options model with investment return and cost uncertainty. Andreolli et al. verify the feasibility of real options theories in the investment of photovoltaic battery systems.

Why do we need a simulation dataset for energy storage systems?

Unlike other simulation analyses that rely on hypothetical parameters, this particular dataset provides us with the technical specifications of an energy storage system and allows us to calculate the model parameters. This project operates to maximize its own revenue by selecting appropriate energy usage periods.

Are real options better than net present value in wind-integrated energy storage?

By comparing the characteristics of net present value and real options, Sendstad et al. and Wang et al. confirm that real options approaches have the advantage of overcoming uncertainty in the sequential investment decision analysis of wind-integrated energy storage.

Then, considering the load characteristics and bidirectional energy interaction of different nodes, a user-side decentralized energy storage configuration model is developed for ...

This paper assesses the impact of policy and market-related uncertainties and aims to provide useful insights for investors to determine reasonable investment thresholds and for ...

In [13], heterogeneous energy storage is a model that utilizes multiple energy storage technologies with different characteristics to maximize benefits of home multi-energy ...

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User-side energy storage finds its primary application in charging stations, industrial parks, data centers, communication base stations, and other locations with well ...

Currently, China's ESS industry is at a critical stage of transition from the early stage of commercialization to scale development [5], and policy support for the development of ESS ...

The optimal configuration method of energy storage considering the impact of optimal operation of energy storage on economic income is an important foundation f

Based on the maximum demand control on the user side, a two-tier optimal configuration model for user-side energy storage is proposed that considers the synergy of load response ...

In Ref. [17], the load fluctuation and energy storage loss are incorporated into a two-stage robust optimization model for configuring the user-side energy storage, and the storage ...

This approach comprehensively considers the initial investment of the energy storage system, operation and maintenance costs, the benefit-sharing mechanism of contract energy ...

Owner self-investment model, that is, the owners of industrial and commercial enterprises invest and benefit themselves, and the main profit channel is peak-valley arbitrage. ... The enterprise invested in a 1MW/2MWh ...

1. Owner Self-Investment Model. The energy storage owner's self-investment model refers to a model in which enterprises or individuals purchase, own and operate energy storage systems with their funds; that is, the owners ...

Based on the background of photovoltaic development in the whole county and the demand for energy storage on the user-side, this paper establishes an economic e

al. [11] propose a two-level optimal allocation model of energy storage on the user side considering the synergy of load response resources and energy storage. Based on the

Energy storage system can smooth the load curve of power grid and promote new energy consumption, in recent years, the application field of energy storage has gradually shifted to ...

Under this investment model, the energy storage system is invested and operated by third parties. Third parties can directly use the energy storage system as an independent ...

With the new round of power system reform, energy storage, as a part of power system frequency regulation

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and peaking, is an indispensable part of the reform. Among them, ...

Aiming at the optimization of user-side photovoltaic and energy storage configuration, in [4], authors determined the energy storage capacity allocation with economic ...

Finally, the energy storage side investment calculation model is constructed from the power supply side, grid side, user-side energy storage investment, and energy storage ...

Research on optimal energy storage configuration has mainly focused on users [], power grids [17, 18], and multienergy microgrids [19, 20]. For new energy systems, the key ...

The results demonstrated that the model identified optimal investment strategies aligned with investors' risk preferences, enabling informed decision-making that balanced returns with operational stability. This ...

As global energy demands rising and renewable energy sources rapidly evolving, renewable sources like wind and solar energy challenges the grid's stability because of the intermittent ...

The energy storage system (ESS) on the user-side can solve the uncontrollable problem of renewable power generation and improve the mismatch between energy supply ...

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The user-side energy storage investment under subsidy policy uncertainty. 2025, Applied Energy. Show abstract. We develop a real options model for firms' investments in the ...

With the development trend of the wide application of distributed energy storage systems, the total amount of user owned energy storage systems has been considerable [1, ...

We develop a real options model for firms' investments in the user-side energy storage. After the investment, the firms obtain profits through the peak-valley electricity price ...

Decentralized energy storage investments play a crucial role in enhancing energy efficiency and promoting renewable energy integration. However, the complexity of these ...

Firstly, the total cost of the user-side energy storage system in the whole life cycle is taken as the upper-layer objective function, including investment cost, operation, and maintenance cost.

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A business model of user-side battery energy storage system (BESS) in industrial parks is established based on the policies of energy storage in China. The business model mainly ...

Based on this, a planning model of industrial and commercial user-side energy storage considering uncertainty and multi-market joint operation is proposed. Firstly, the total cost of the...

An economic mathematical model of the user-side BESS is established for a large industry enterprise, whose transformer capacity is above 315 kVA. Considering the seasonal ...

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