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What is Ireland's high-voltage electricity grid?

We plan, manage and develop Ireland's high-voltage electricity grid for a sustainable future. This grid is connected to the lower voltage distribution system managed by ESB Networks, Ireland's Distribution System Operator (DSO), which supplies power directly to homes and business around the country.

Can electricity storage technologies be incorporated into the grid system?

The Government supports the potential for a portfolio of electricity storage technologies to be incorporated into the grid system based on system needs and the capacity to meet established minimal grid requirements, technical standard thresholds, and lower emission targets.

What is Ireland's Electricity storage policy framework?

The policy framework is a first of kind policy, which clarifies the key role of electricity storage in Ireland's transition to an electricity-led system, supporting Ireland's 2030 climate targets, it may be considered as a steppingstone on Ireland's path to net zero carbon emissions.

Do electricity storage projects need planning permission?

Under the current Enduring Connection Policy (ECP), electricity storage projects need to secure planning permission before applying for a grid connection. The framework advocates for streamlining these processes to accelerate the deployment of storage projects and meet Ireland's climate goals.

Energy storage systems are vital to Ireland's renewable ambitions. Learn how batteries, long-duration storage and grid upgrades will help deliver clean power

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Renewable energy project developers in Ireland can expect more certainty and faster process in securing the connection of their projects to Ireland's electricity grids under a new ...

The Commission for Regulation of Utilities ("CRU") recently published its Decision Paper on its new Electricity Connection Policy - Generation and System Services ("ECP-GSS"). ECP GSS ...

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However, Connection Offers for co-located energy storage projects on existing renewable energy sites will be issued within 9 months of the acknowledgement of completeness of the valid grid ...

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The distribution network has traditionally taken the power produced by the large fossil fuelled power stations connected to the transmission system and delivered the power to demand ...

The Electricity Storage Policy Framework presents 10 government actions to support the role of electricity storage systems in Ireland's energy transition, identifying the key stakeholders and ...

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Enabling high renewables generation Energy storage is the counterweight to intermittent renewable generation capacity, such as wind and solar power, and enables balancing of the energy ...

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