# Energy Center<sup>™</sup>



Flexible, safe, and low-cost utility-scale energy storage solution

### Features

- Warranty backed by Munich RE
- Can be optimized for power, energy, RTE, charge time, and duration
- No cooling / air conditioning requirement
- Footprint: One acre supports up to
  6 MW / 48 MWh; Up to 8-hour discharge at rated power
- 96%+ plant availability over a 25-year operating life
- No thermal runaway
- 25-year design life

### **Benefits**

- Safe and sustainable
- No power or energy degradation regardless of cycling duty
- Low O&M costs
- Fast and easy permitting no hidden liabilities; no hazmat compliance plan requirement

### What sets the Energy Center apart?

With the Energy Center, you're getting a commercially-ready system using battery technology backed by Munich RE. The Energy Center supports a wide range of applications:

• Time-shifting renewable energy use

Providing ancillary grid services

- Smoothing the intermittency of renewables
- Supporting capacity needs and more



### Easy deployment and operation

Energy Center's simple all-iron electrochemistry consists of earth-abundant iron, salt, and water. The system's environmentally-benign characteristics make it the greenest and easiest-to-permit storage technology in the world.

With safe and sustainable chemistry and no thermal runaway, the iron flow battery eliminates the need for fire-suppression and hazmat requirements. In addition, the system is substantially recyclable at end-of-life.

- Safe and sustainable
- Benign chemistry enables standard, lower-cost components for construction

### Customizable and upgradable

ESS has worked closely with leading engineering firms to deliver a design-build approach that enables systems to be tailored to meet any project size with a configurable range of power and energy capacities starting at 145 kW DC for 8 hours with capability to offer extended energy durations. Essentially, the Energy Center units can be configured to deliver customized power and discharge durations, maximizing project flexibility and delivering the lowest operational cost to owners.

### Safe. Sustainable. Flexible.



## Energy Center<sup>™</sup>

### **Unparalleled flexibility**

**Features** 

Capacity

Voltage

Nameplate Power

Nameplate Energy

**Response Time** 

Module Cycle Life

Communication

**Environmental** 

**Ambient Temperature** 

Certification

Battery

Electrolyte

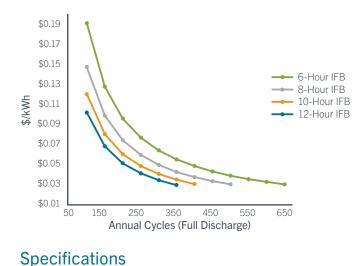
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Maximum Charge Rate

The Energy Center allows the power (the rate of electricity flow) to be decoupled from the capacity (the total amount of energy held). As a result, users have the flexibility to use the battery for a variety of use cases simultaneously on a project.

### 6 to 12-hour, 25 MW Energy Center

Capital cost / cycle capability, 25-year project life



145 kW DC

1.160 kWh

880 VDC ± 5%

>20,000 cycles

EMS/SCADA)

rated power

24/7 remote monitoring

UL9540A (pending)

Recyclable components

10-year battery module

(underwritten by Munich Re)

< 1 second depending on operation mode

Conforms to UL 1973, UL 9540 (pending),

(MODBUS TCP/Ethernet interface to

FeCl<sub>2</sub>, KCl, H<sub>2</sub>O; re-usable, recyclable -5°C to +40°C (+23°F to +104°F)

Extended warranty to 25 years available

174 kW

### Lowest cost per kWh

Using earth-abundant materials in its chemistry – iron, water and salt – keeps the cost of manufacturing the Energy Center lower than comparable storage technologies with different chemistry. For applications that can use 6+ hours of discharge and frequent cycling, the iron-flow battery Energy Center delivers the lowest cost per kWh over its 25-year lifetime.

### Safest and greenest battery on the planet



Warranty partner



ESS Tech, Inc. has partnered with Munich Re to launch industryfirst insurance coverage of its flow batteries. The innovative policy means our long-duration storage solutions are now backed by a full 10-year performance guarantee, regardless of project size or location.

Qualified Projects deployed during the Policy Period of Jan. 1, 2023 – Dec. 31, 2024 can obtain additional warranty back-stop by Munich Re, with insurance capacity exclusively allocated at project level.

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