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# Irish Power Storage Vehicle Equipment Company



## Overview

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Will SSE build a battery energy storage system in Ireland?

SSE has acquired the project development rights for a 120MW/240MWh grid-scale battery energy storage system (BESS) project in Ireland's Midlands from UK-based renewable energy company Low Carbon which, if approved for final delivery, could be constructed and operational by the end of decade.

How many battery storage projects are there in Ireland?

More currently, according to our colleagues at Solar Media Market Research, which produces the Republic of Ireland Battery Storage Project Database Report, there are now 545MW and 609MWh of utility-scale BESS projects already operational in the Republic of Ireland.

Is battery storage a key part of Ireland's energy transition?

Battery storage is a critical part of Ireland's energy transition and I welcome new investors who are committed to delivering our ambitious 2030 targets." Jorge Pikunic, CEO of VPI - "I am excited about the role VPI will play in supporting the Irish Government's Climate Action Plan.

Will battery storage help Ireland generate 80% renewable electricity by 2030?

Ireland has set a target of generating 80% renewable electricity by 2030. Deployment of battery storage will be capable of responding in milliseconds to frequency changes, importing or exporting electricity from the grid as needed, and helping efficiently stabilise the grid, while guaranteeing reliable electricity supply for users.

What is RWE renewables' second Irish-based battery storage project?

RWE Renewables' second Irish-based battery storage project is in Co Monaghan. It is a 60 megawatt (MW) facility at Lisdrumdoagh, (Lisdrum for short) and is capable of providing a rapid delivery of electricity into the power grid to balance fluctuations and can also be used as a short term electricity

back up to help prevent power outages.

What is the current market mechanism in Ireland?

The current market mechanism in Ireland allows operators to sell services like inertia, short circuit power and reactive power as provided by the synchronous condenser technology to the transmission system operator.

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