

## A-Core Container

# Wind and solar storage in western Belgium



## Overview

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How will Sweco contribute to Belgium's energy grid?

The park will make a significant contribution to the energy grid by providing stored renewable energy during periods of low solar and wind energy production — thereby reducing Belgium's reliance on gas power plants. Sweco will deliver the design of the civil engineering and electrical engineering works of the battery energy storage system (BESS).

Where is the largest battery storage project in Belgium?

Eneco has launched Belgium's largest battery storage project in Ville-sur-Haine, Wallonia, near Mons and about 20 kilometers from the French border. The facility features a storage capacity of 200 MWh and a power output of 50 MW, capable of supplying electricity to the high-voltage grid for up to four hours.

How many offshore wind farms are there in Belgium?

With nine offshore wind farms operational, Belgium is already the world's fourth largest offshore wind energy producer, behind the UK, Germany and China.

Why are solar panels and wind turbines becoming more popular in Belgium?

The share of energy produced by solar panels and wind turbines continued to increase in Belgium last year and once again broke records. The windier-than-usual climate has helped the phenomenon.

Will Sweco design a Battery Park for giga storage Belgium?

Sweco will design one of continental Europe's largest battery parks, Green Turtle, for the energy storage company GIGA Storage Belgium. This facility will have a storage capacity of 2,800 MWh of electricity.

Who is Giga storage Belgium?

Free use when crediting photographer Tobias Regell. GIGA Storage Belgium is an energy company that develops and deploys large-scale energy storage projects within the Belgian energy network. The aim is to play a key role in securing Europe's future electricity supply, with the ambition to achieve 3 GW of battery storage in Belgium before 2030.

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