

### **SolarInnovate Energy Solutions**

# Benefits of energy storage at London power stations







#### **Overview**

Does long duration electricity storage reduce system costs in a decarbonised power sector?

More specifically, the assessment looks at the possible effects of long duration electricity storage on system costs in a decarbonised power sector. In all core scenarios, the introduction of MDS and LDS led to system cost savings. The NPV of the savings were:14.

Do we need longer duration electricity storage?

LCP Delta and R egen are firm supporters of the need for longer duration electricity storage, given the prevalence of wind in our future energy system. Both organisations have been working alongside industry to explore the commercial realities of investing in what is a high capex technology and ensuring a suitable policy environment.

What is energy storage & why is it important?

Energy storage captures a variety of technologies that differ in terms of the speed, scale and duration of the services they can provide. The duration of storage they offer is particularly important for their ability to meet some of the flexibility requirements (notably balancing demand and supply and locational constraints).

How can energy storage be improved?

"With upgraded energy storage and the transmission infrastructure to transport it, we can go some way to ensuring that wind and other forms renewable energy are not wasted, instead moving that power to where it is needed as well as storing it for those periods of dunkelflaute which necessitate dispatchable generation.".

Can long duration electricity storage meet net zero?

AFRY have modelled the potential need and associated system benefits of



deploying a range of long duration electricity storage in the energy system to meet net zero, at least cost, through a combination of scenarios and sensitivities.

Will 20GW of LDEs save £24bn in power sector system costs?

Our analysis shows that deploying 20GW of LDES can save up to £24bn in power sector system costs (Net Present Value) from 2030 to 2050. LDES duration: Duration of LDES is the biggest factor in the size of the impact, with those longer duration technologies (up to 32 hours in scenarios tested) having the largest impact on emissions and system costs.



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#### What are the components of





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