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Czech New Energy Storage Policy



Overview

What will the Czech electricity storage scheme do in 2025?

In an announcement released on March 7, 2025, the executive arm of the European Union said that the Czech scheme will support the installation of at least 1.5 GWh of new electricity storage facilities. The measure will be open to all storage technologies directly connected to the transmission network or distribution network.

What is the current energy policy in the Czech Republic?

The government is in the process of revising the country's energy policy and legal frameworks. The "State Energy Policy" (SEP) is the main strategic document guiding energy policy in the Czech Republic (MPO, 2014). The current SEP dates from May 2015 and contains an outlook to 2040.

What is the current gas storage capacity of the Czech Republic?

Current capacity is 3.3 bcm and once the ongoing expansion projects are completed in 2022, the country's total storage capacity available will be almost 4 bcm. This is almost half the current annual gas consumption of the Czech Republic, and such a ratio is very high compared to the level of storage capacity in other countries.

Is the Czech Republic ready for pumped-storage hydroelectric power plants?

Bulk energy storage is currently dominated by hydroelectric dams, both conventional as well as pumped. There are six localities considered for new pumped-storage hydroelectric power plants in the Czech Republic but public acceptance presents a challenge. Front-of-meter installations in the Czech Republic are mired in regulations.

How will Czech state aid help a net-zero economy?

The aid will take form of direct grants which will cover up to 50% of the investment cost of supported projects. From ESS News The European

Commission (EC) has authorized a €279 million (\$303 million) Czech state aid scheme to support investment into electricity storage facilities and foster the transition towards a net-zero economy.

Why is Czech energy-accumulation so expensive?

According the report, the main reason is the regulatory framework biased in favor of classical energy models. The Czech Republic is no exception. It is fair to say that none of available energy-accumulation technology is perfect yet, and cost-effectiveness can be reached under specific conditions only.

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Policy Statement of the Government , Government of the Czech ...

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