

## **SolarInnovate Energy Solutions**

# **Investment in energy storage peaking power station in Toronto Canada**



## Overview

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Why is energy storage important in Ontario?

The Honourable Jonathan Wilkinson Minister of Natural Resources “Energy storage and the modernization of our grids is critical to delivering clean and reliable energy to Ontarians. Today, I was pleased to announce the Government of Canada’s support for new storage systems here in Toronto, alongside Mississauga, Belleville and Mitchell, Ontario.

Can Canada reach the full potential for energy storage?

However, that leaves a wide gap to close to realize Canada’s goals and to reach the full potential for energy storage in the country. Even the low end of the estimated potential for storage is equivalent to Manitoba’s entire installed generating capacity as of 2020. Today’s national installed capacity of energy storage is less than 1GW.

How much energy storage does Canada need?

Image: NRStor. Energy Storage Canada’s 2022 report, Energy Storage: A Key Net Zero Pathway in Canada indicates Canada will need a minimum of 8 to 12GW of energy storage to ensure Canada achieves its 2035 goals.

What is Canada's largest battery storage project?

A major battery storage project in Canada, said to be the country's largest, is advancing after the majority owner announced it has fully secured financing. Toronto-based Northland Power Inc. leads a consortium that plans to build the 250-MW, 1,000-MWh Oneida Energy Storage site in Haldimand County, Ontario.

Is energy storage a key path to net-zero in Canada?

A 2022 report titled Energy Storage: A Key Pathway to Net Zero in Canada, commissioned by Energy Storage Canada, identified the need for a minimum of 8 to 12GW of installed storage capacity for Canada to reach its 2035 goal of

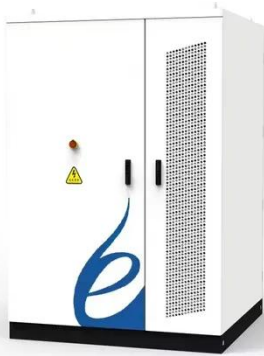
a net-zero emitting electricity grid.

What types of energy storage are available in Canada?

There are three main types of energy storage currently commercially available in Canada: Storage is playing an increasingly important role in the electricity system by improving grid reliability and power quality, and by complementing variable renewable energy sources (VRES) like wind and solar.

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