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# Canadian solar and Energy Storage



## Overview

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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.

What is Canada's solar energy capacity?

Canada's total wind, solar and storage installed capacity is now more than 24 GW, including over 18 GW of wind, more than 4 GW of utility-scale solar, 1+ GW on-site solar, and 330 MW of energy storage. Canada's solar energy capacity (utility-scale and onsite) grew 92% in the past 5 years (2019-2024).

Who is energy storage Canada?

Energy Storage Canada is the only national voice for energy storage in Canada today. We focus exclusively on energy storage and speak for the entire industry because we represent the full value chain range of energy storage opportunities in our own markets and internationally.

How much solar energy will Canada have in the next 5 years?

Solar energy capacity increased by 92% in that 5 year period. Canada is estimated to install at least 10 GW of new wind, solar, and storage capacity by 2030.

Does Canada have solar energy?

Canada's solar energy capacity (utility-scale and onsite) grew 92% from 2019 to 2024. Our wind energy capacity grew 35% during the same period. Our energy storage capacity grew 192% during that period. Canada has 341 wind energy projects producing power. Canada has 217 utility-scale solar energy projects producing power.

When did energy storage start in Canada?

The first energy storage project in Canada, the Sir Adam Beck Pump Generating Station, came online in 1957. However, the next project did not come online until 2013. There are three main types of energy storage currently commercially available in Canada:

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