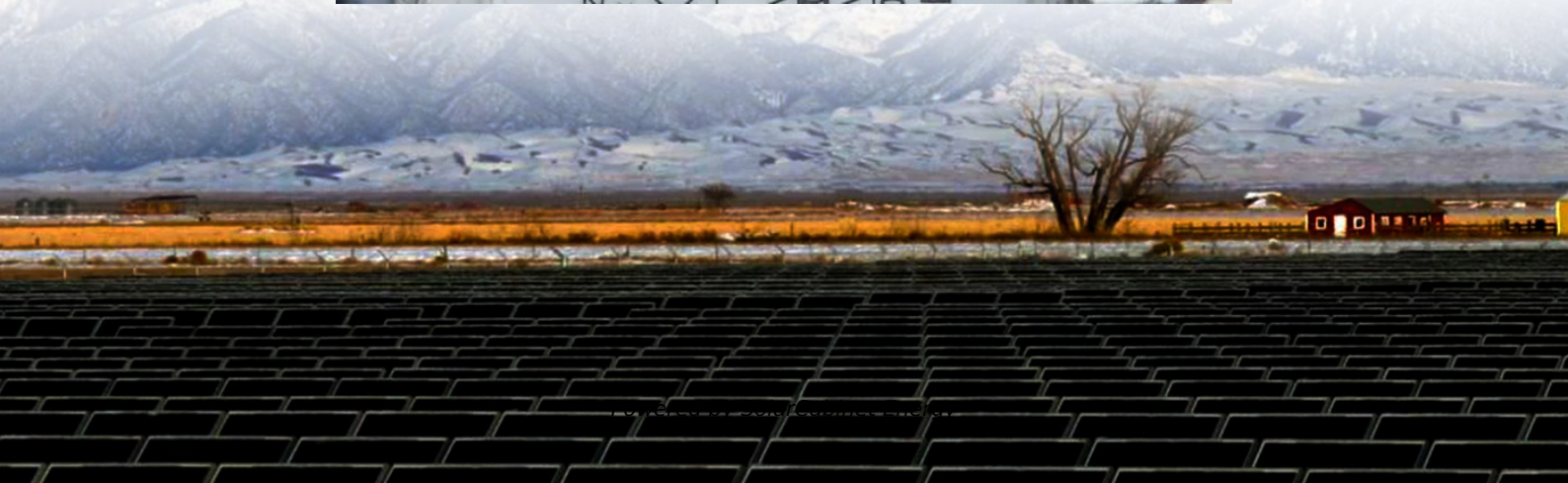


Distribution of vanadium mines in Croatian energy storage power plants





Overview

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Are VRFBs a major source of new demand for vanadium?

Many vanadium industry stakeholders see VRFBs as a major source of new demand for the metal that has traditionally been used in steel alloys,” states Mikhail Nikomarov, Chairman of the Vanitec Energy Storage Committee (ESC) and CEO of Bushveld Energy.

Does Bushveld Minerals support vanadium in the energy transition?

Bushveld Minerals has positioned itself to support vanadium’s role in the energy transition. Its vertical integration strategy combines primary vanadium mining, beneficiation, and downstream energy storage businesses to drive adoption of VRFBs.

Can a vanadium project produce multiple commodities?

Considering the historical variations in the vanadium price, projects that produce multiple commodities along with vanadium have clear economic advantages over those producing vanadium alone. The production of multiple commodities from titanomagnetites is thus worthy of further investigation to secure reliable sources of vanadium and titanium.

Does vanadium form concentrated deposits?

Unlike other metals such as copper, nickel or zinc, vanadium does not form concentrated deposits. Owing to the similarities between the V^{3+} and Fe^{3+} cations, vanadium is often found as a minor component of iron minerals. The vanadium mineral coulsonite, FeV_2O_4 forms series with chromite, $FeCr_2O_4$ and magnetite, Fe_3O_4 .

Why is vanadium important?

The USA and EU consider vanadium to be a critical material, and the recent



Inflation Reduction Act is expected to further support the growth of the VRFB supply chain in the USA. In the EU, a preliminary agreement set in 2023 raised the renewable energy target from 32% to 42,5% by 2030.

How is vanadium produced?

Vanadium is usually extracted from ores, concentrates and slags by roasting with sodium carbonate or another sodium salt to convert vanadium into water soluble sodium vanadates. This review summarises the established and proven processes for vanadium production as well as some newer processes which have yet to be commercialised. 1. Introduction



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