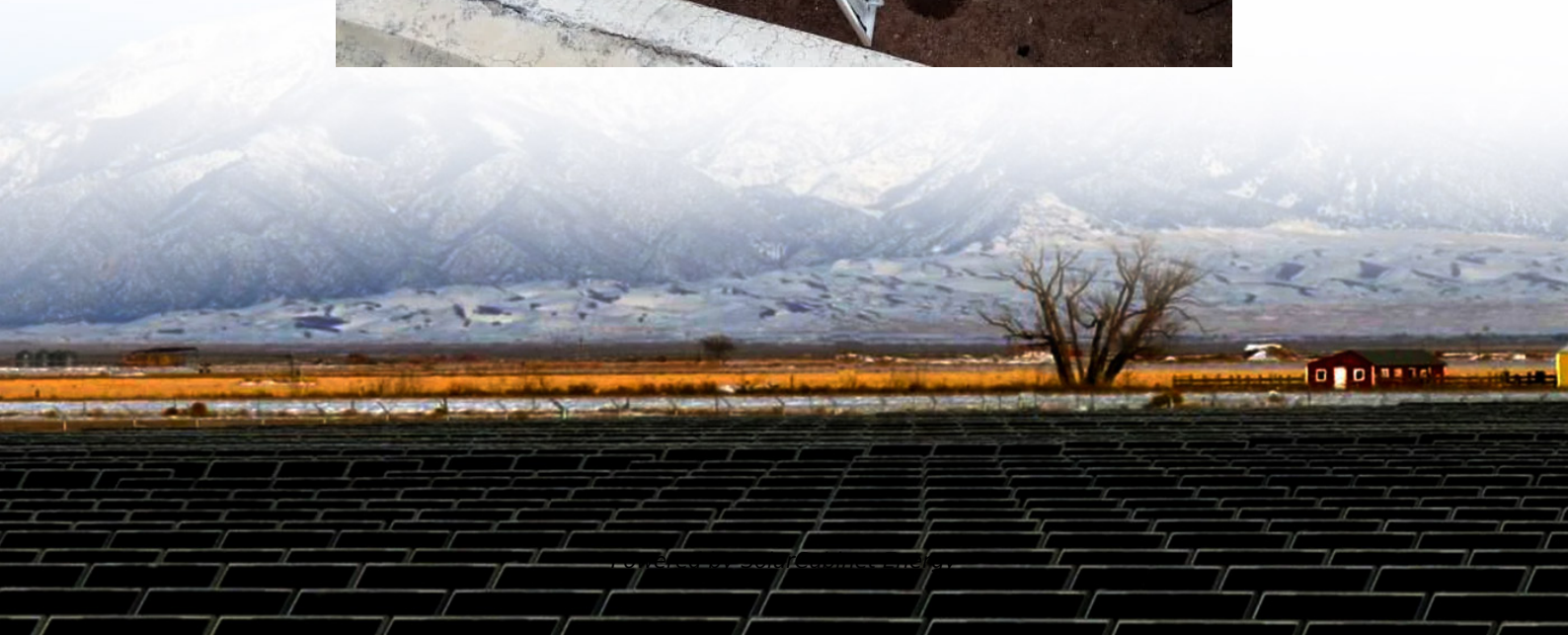


Flywheel energy storage of several degrees of electricity





Overview

Flywheel energy storage (FES) works by accelerating a rotor (flywheel) to a very high speed and maintaining the energy in the system as rotational energy. When energy is extracted from the system, the flywheel's rotational speed is reduced as a consequence of the principle of conservation of energy; adding energy to the system correspondingly results in an increase in the speed of the rotor. Main componentsA typical system consists of a flywheel supported by a bearing and connected to a motor-generator. The flywheel and sometimes motor-generator may be enclosed in a vacuum chamber to reduce friction.

Compared with other ways to store electricity, FES systems have long lifetimes (lasting decades with little or no maintenance; full-cycle lifetimes quoted for flywheels range from in excess of 10,000, up to 100,000, cycles).



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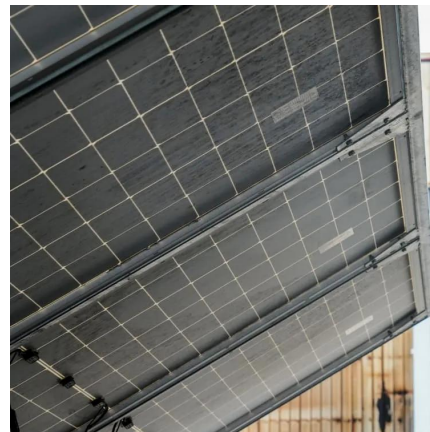


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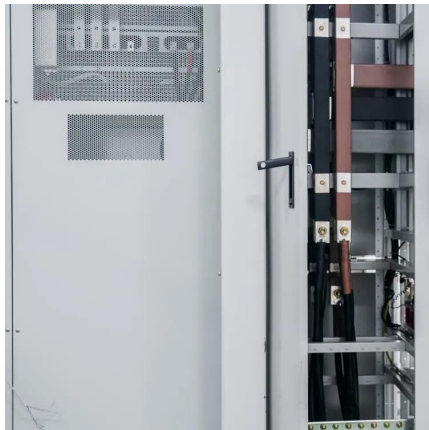


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