

# **Spanish compressed air energy storage power station**





## Overview

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Why do we need energy storage systems in Spain?

Energy storage systems in Spain are a key element in the fight against climate change, as they help us to address the challenge of the energy transition. These systems make renewable energy production more flexible; and therefore help us to guarantee its integration into the Spanish electricity system.

What is compressed air energy storage (CAES)?

Compressed air energy storage (CAES) is an effective solution for balancing this mismatch and therefore is suitable for use in future electrical systems to achieve a high penetration of renewable energy generation.

How many compressed-air energy storage plants are there?

Currently, there are three compressed-air energy storage plants operating globally, in Germany, the US and China. Other sites are being explored and developed. Compressed-air storage uses low-cost surplus electricity to compress air to a high pressure.

Where can a compressed air energy storage facility be built?

Compressed Air Energy Storage (CAES) facilities can be built in locations that have suitable geological formations for storing compressed air. Ideal sites typically include underground caverns, such as salt domes, depleted natural gas fields, or aquifers, which can effectively contain the high-pressure air.



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