

## SolarTech Power Solutions

# Hungarian integrated energy storage battery



## Overview

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Situated at the Dunamenti Power Station in Százhalombatta, the new battery energy storage system builds on MET Group's earlier 4 MW / 8 MWh demonstrator plant installed in 2022 using Tesla Megapack 2 technology. Where is the largest battery energy storage system in Hungary?

Image: MET Group. IPP MET Group has put a 40M/80MWh BESS in Hungary into commercial operation, deployed using technology from Huawei. The 2-hour battery energy storage system (BESS) is the largest in Hungary, Switzerland-headquartered MET Group said, deployed at its Dunamenti thermal power plant in Százhalombatta, near Budapest.

Will Hungary's new battery energy storage system help Green the grid?

The new facility supports a growing push to green Hungary's power grid. Hungary has just switched on its largest battery energy storage system (BESS) to date, stepping up its role in Central Europe's growing grid-scale energy transition.

What is Hungary's energy storage goal?

The ministry said that Hungary has set its 2030 energy storage goal at 1 GW in the updated National Energy and Climate Plan. [Home » News » Electricity » Hungary awards EUR 158 million for 440 MW of energy storage.](#)

Is Hungary stocking up on battery backup?

Hungary isn't alone in stocking up on battery backup as it charts its green energy path. In neighbouring Bulgaria, a massive 124 MW/496 MWh battery energy storage system went live in Lovech earlier this year.

How much does Hungarian government spend on energy storage projects?

The Hungarian government has allocated HUF 62 billion (EUR 158 million) for energy storage projects with an overall 440 MW in operating power. Hungarian authorities launched the tender for grid-scale batteries on January

15 and received offers until February 5. The winning bidders were selected a few days ago.

How much solar power does Hungary have?

State secretary for energy transition of the Energy Ministry Viktor Horvath noted that Hungary had built more than 8,000MW of solar capacity in the past 5-6 years and one-quarter of the electricity generated in the country came from renewable sources last year.

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