

# Malaysia plans to build 50 new energy storage power stations





## Overview

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Are battery energy storage systems becoming a reality in Malaysia?

The utilities sector in Malaysia is witnessing significant advancements in battery energy storage systems (BESS), evolving from concept to reality with notable projects underway. The first large-scale BESS project is currently being constructed in Sabah, a pivotal development for the country's energy landscape.

What is Malaysia's first utility-scale battery energy storage system?

Malaysian utilities company Sarawak Energy has commissioned what is described as the nation's first utility-scale battery energy storage system (BESS). The 60 MW/82 MWh BESS, which was first energized in Dec 2024, shares the site with the soon-to-be-phased-out Sejingkat Power Plant, first commissioned in 1998.

Who are the bidders for Malaysia's first large-scale battery system?

Bidders include established energy players as well as newcomers from the infrastructure and property development sectors. In 2024, Malaysia launched its first large-scale storage initiative, known as MyBeST, to build four grid-connected battery systems of 100MW/400MWh each.

Who has bid on Malaysia's first large-scale grid-connected energy storage project?

The first large-scale grid-connected energy storage project in Malaysia has attracted bids from over 20 companies, including Tenaga Nasional Berhad. (Image: TNB)



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