

What is the Gem Energy Storage Center?

The Gem Energy Storage Center is a cost-effective, emissions-free storage solution that integrates large amounts of renewable resources in the High Desert area (a designated renewable development zone).

How many battery energy storage sites will Georgia Power have in 2026?

Georgia Power has applied for certification of four battery energy storage sites totaling 500 MW expected to come online in 2026.

Where are battery energy storage projects popping up?

Battery energy storage projects are popping up all over the U.S., which added nearly 4 GW of storage capacity in the second quarter of this year alone, according to a recent report. Most of the new batteries- 97% of them- ended up in ERCOT, WECC, and CAISO territories.

What do we know about Georgia Power Projects?

Georgia Power included attachments with information and data on each of the proposed projects, but since they contained "sensitive terms and conditions" and cost information, they were nearly entirely redacted from public disclosure- deemed "trade secrets." Here's what we do know about those projects:

The project, called the Gem Energy Storage Center, will use Hydrostor's Advanced Compressed Air Energy Storage ("A-CAES") solution, which is a long-duration energy storage technology that can deliver hundreds of megawatts and 4 to 24+ hours of storage.

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Advances in energy storage technology have the potential to positively affect the energy distribution and transmission systems (smart grid), our energy consumption (electric vehicles), make electricity more reliable and available, and improve power grid efficiency.

The Center of Innovation assists businesses focused on energy storage in two primary ways. We work closely with Georgia's universities to identify cutting-edge research regarding energy storage and provide companies with access to the latest applied research.

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