

# **New Zealand 100MWh Energy Storage Power Station**





## Overview

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Where is a new energy storage system being built in New Zealand?

The project will be developed at the Huntly Power Station, New Zealand's largest thermal power station. Image: Genesis Energy. Genesis Energy, a listed New Zealand generation, wholesale, and retail energy company, has started constructing a 100MW/200MWh battery energy storage system (BESS) on the country's North Island.

Will a 100 MW battery be built at Huntly Power Station?

Genesis Energy has commenced construction of a 100 MW grid-scale battery at Huntly Power Station, marking a major milestone in New Zealand's energy storage ambitions.

What is the largest thermal power station in New Zealand?

The power station is the largest thermal power station in New Zealand, with a generation capacity of 1,200MW, making it the country's single largest electricity generation site. As previously reported by Energy-Storage.news, Saft has been selected as the BESS supplier. Saft will engineer the 100MW/200MWh Huntly BESS as a complete turnkey solution.

Is Genesis Energy building a battery energy storage system in New Zealand?

Image: Genesis Energy. Genesis Energy, a listed New Zealand generation, wholesale, and retail energy company, has started constructing a 100MW/200MWh battery energy storage system (BESS) on the country's North Island. The company confirmed it had kicked off construction of the BESS on 5 June.



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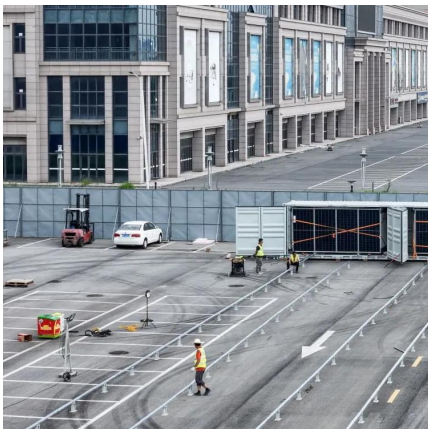
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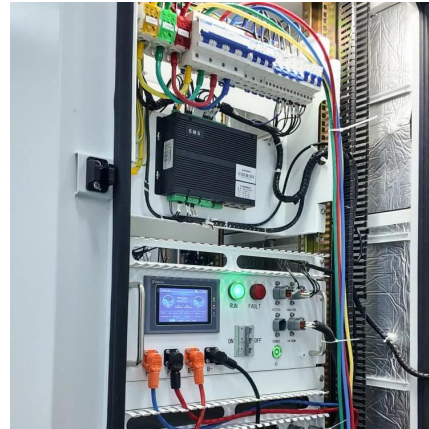
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