

ENERGY STORAGE: A DISTRIBUTED RESOURCE

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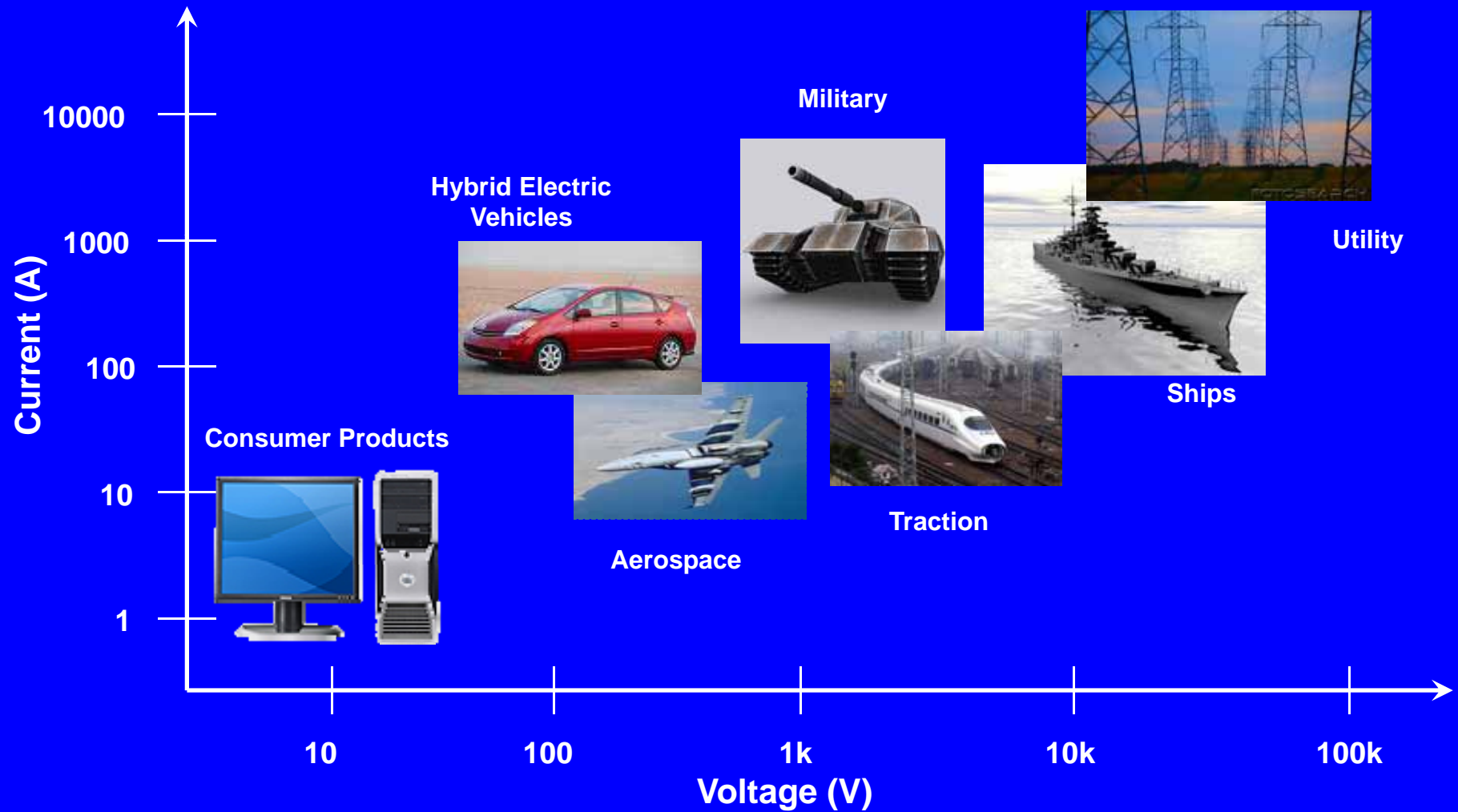
Energy Storage provides Energy

when it is needed

just as Transmission provides Energy

where it is needed

Scales of Power



DRIVERS FOR THE MODERN GRID:

DIGITIZATION OF SOCIETY:

INCREASED POWER QUALITY

ECOLOGICAL CONCERN:

DISPATCHABLE RENEWABLES

GROWTH IN ENERGY CONSUMPTION:

INCREASED ASSET UTILIZATION

ENERGY STORAGE OFFERS A SOLUTION!

POWER
Seconds

minutes – hours

ENERGY
diurnal

LOAD

**PQ,
Digital
Reliability**

**DER Support for
Load Following**

**Peak Shaving
to Avoid
Demand Charges**

GRID

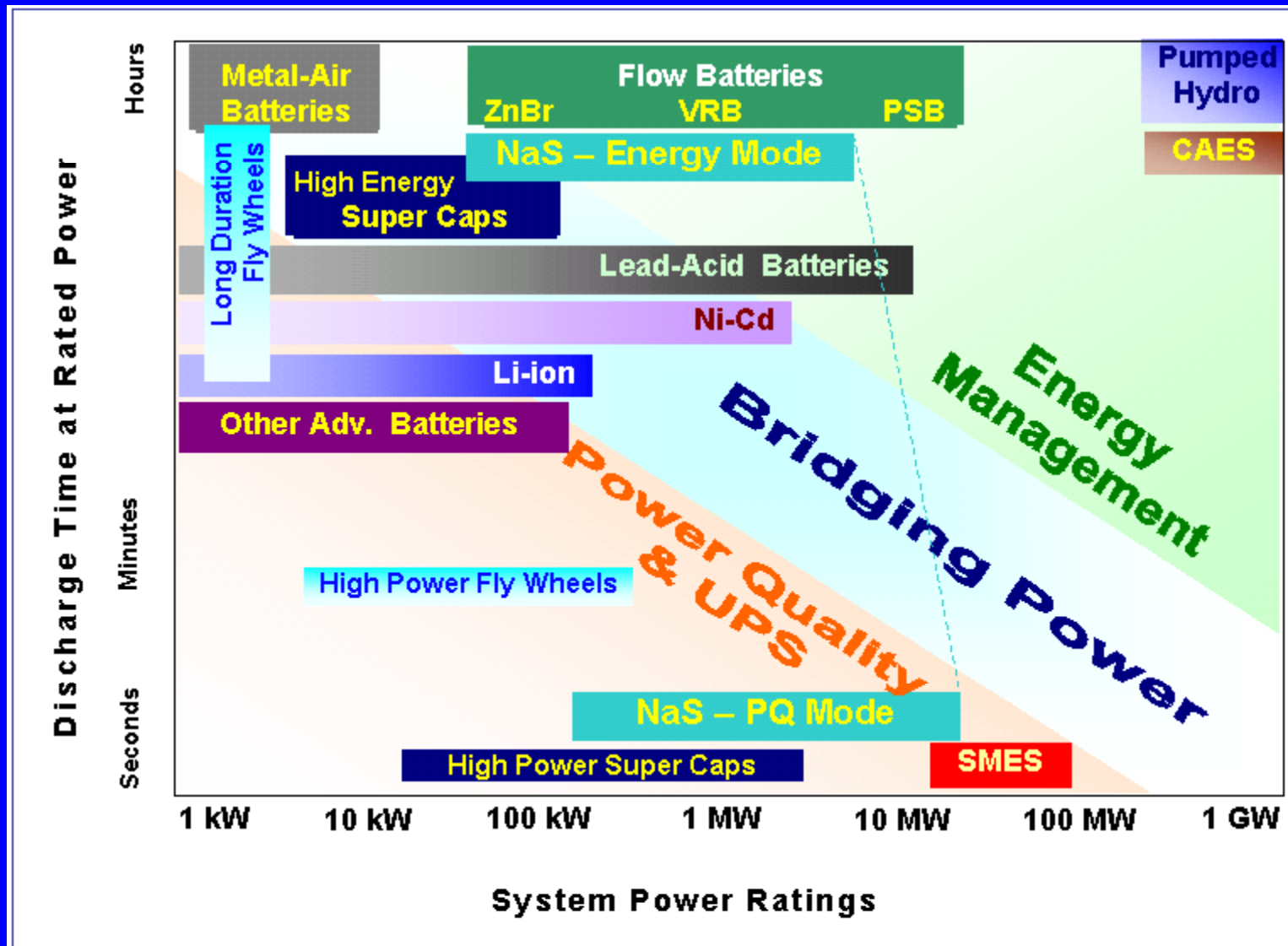
**Voltage
Support,
Transients**

**Dispatchability
for Renewables,
Micro Grids**

**Mitigation of
Transm. Congest.
Spinning Reserve**

ENERGY STORAGE APPLICATIONS

Storage Technologies and Regimes of Application



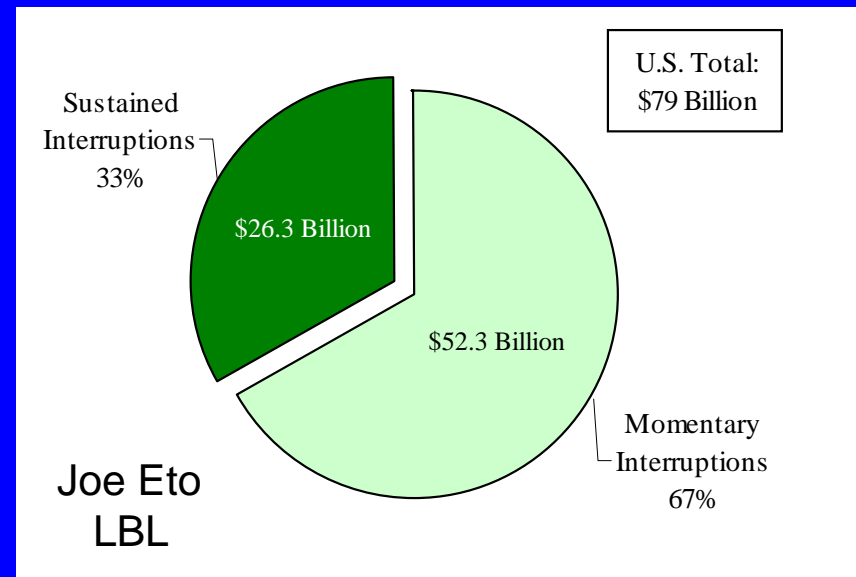
RELIABILITY AND POWER QUALITY

**Has Become a Necessity for the
Digital Society**

Outage Costs for U.S. Industry estimated at \$79 Billion Annually in a recent study by Joe Eto, LBL

Total U.S. Cost of Electricity \$250 Billion Annually

Momentary Interruptions (<5min) are More Costly than Sustained Interruptions



**Nine Nines of Reliability
cannot be provided by
Generation**

**Only Energy Storage
can provide
seamless Continuity
of Power Supply**

L/A Battery for Power Quality and Reliability



10 MW - 30 sec System at Microchip Plant

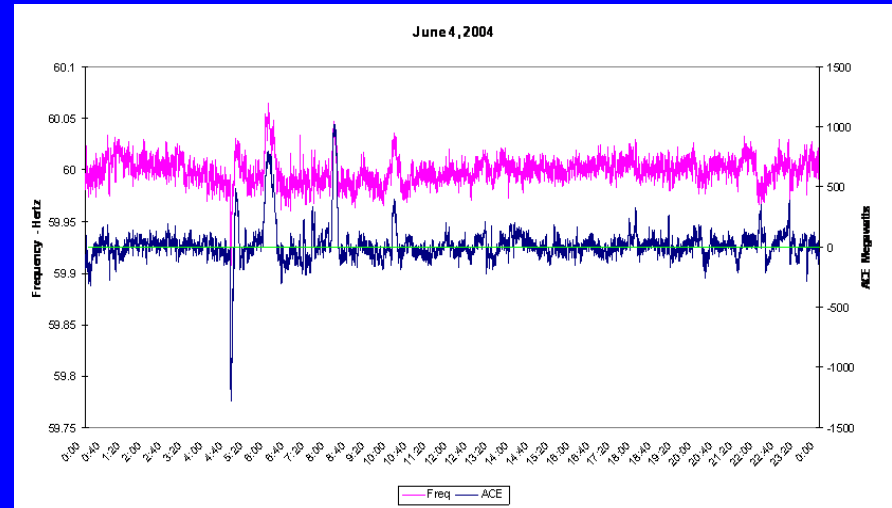
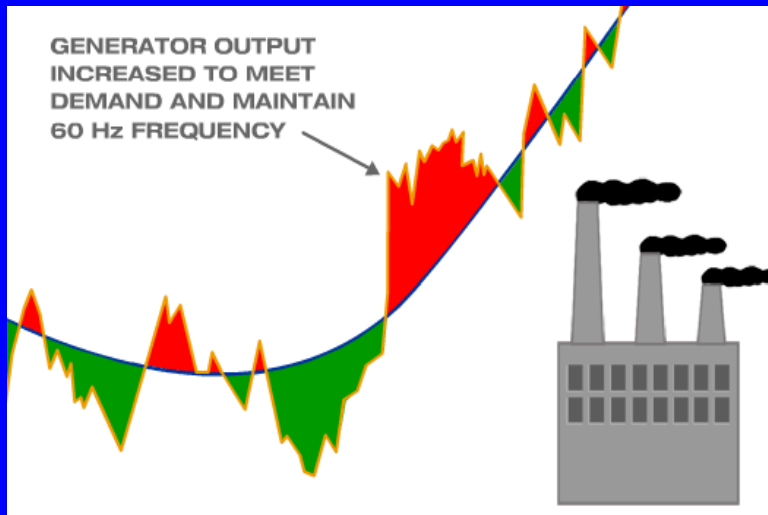
Ni-Cd Battery for Outage Support



World's most Powerful Battery
40 MW in Fairbanks, Alaska!



Flywheels for Grid Frequency Regulation



Current method to balance constantly shifting load fluctuation is to vary the frequency and periodically adjust generation in response to an ISO signal. Flywheel storage could respond instantaneously!

A Beacon Flywheel being assembled



Containerized 7 Flywheel System

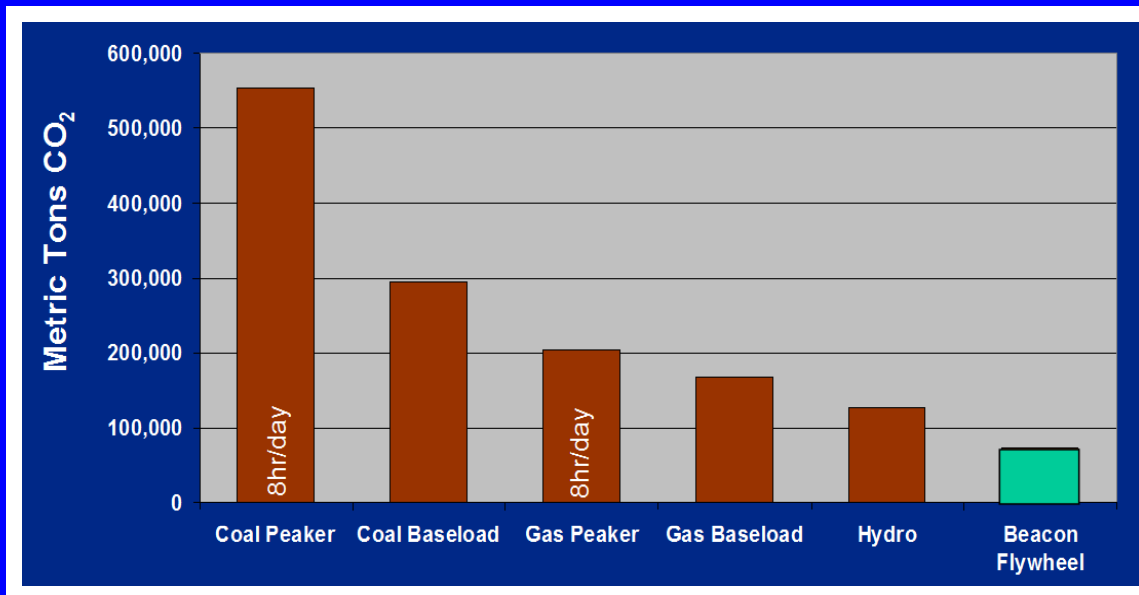


CEC / DOE PROJECT:

**Beacon Power 100 kW
Flywheel System for
Grid Frequency Regulation**

**Design for a 20MW Facility with
100kW flywheels funded by DOE**





Flywheels represent an 80% reduction in CO₂ emission over present methods

In addition, Flywheels are twice as effective as Fossil Generation

100 MW of storage could eliminate 90% of Frequency Variation in California

DG LOAD FOLLOWING

MICROGRIDS

RENEWABLE DISPATCH

Aggressive Renewable Standards:

CA – 20% by 2017

NV – 20% by 2015

NY - 25% by 2013

Kyoto Protocol!!!

Such Mandates can only be reached
if Renewables are smoothed
and made dispatchable
by Energy Storage

Fossil Fuel generation produces
Greenhouse Gases

In addition, Coal-fired Generation has
adverse Health impacts

Ontario Medical Association estimated
such Health effects at \$10 Billion
annually for Ontario's 3,000 MW of Coal

ULTRACAPS FOR A 1.25 MW MICRO-GRID:

450 kW Maxwell EC-Capacitors
to provide Wind Smoothing and Backup
Power for the Palmdale, CA Water
Treatment Plant
CEC / DOE PROJECT



GENERATION:

950 kW Wind Turbine (Average!)
2 x 225 kW Energy Bridge Ultracaps
800 kW + 350kW Backup Diesel
250 kW Natural Gas Backup Generator
244 kW Hydroelectric Generator

LOAD:

320 kW Critical Load
930 kW Non-critical Load

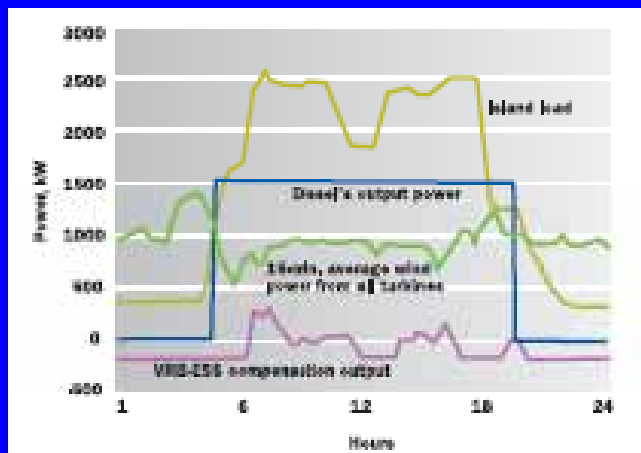


The Palmdale, CA Treatment Plant

Diesel / Wind / Battery Hybrid at King Island, Tasmania

1500 kW Diesel
2450 kW Wind
200 kW / 4 hrs
VRB Batteries

Batteries:
Smooth short term Wind
Firm Capacity
Load Shift to optimize Diesel

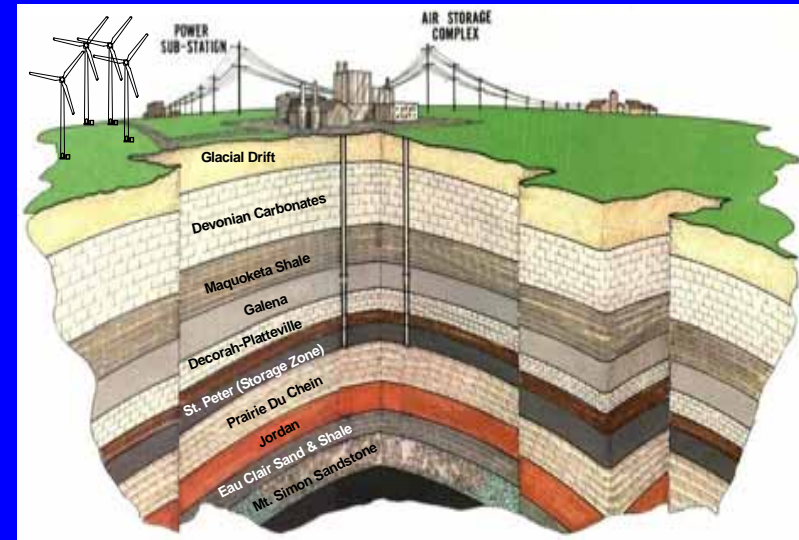


Operation Schematic

COMPRESSED AIR ENERGY STORAGE:

A DOE/ Iowa Muni Project

Inexpensive Off-Peak Power is used to Compress Air for Storage in Aquifers. On-Peak, Compressed Air is used as Input for Gas Turbine Compressor, increasing Efficiency



200 MW Aquifer Compressed Air Energy Storage (CAES) with 75 MW of Wind and off-peak Power planned by Iowa Associated Municipal Utilities

PEAK SHAVING

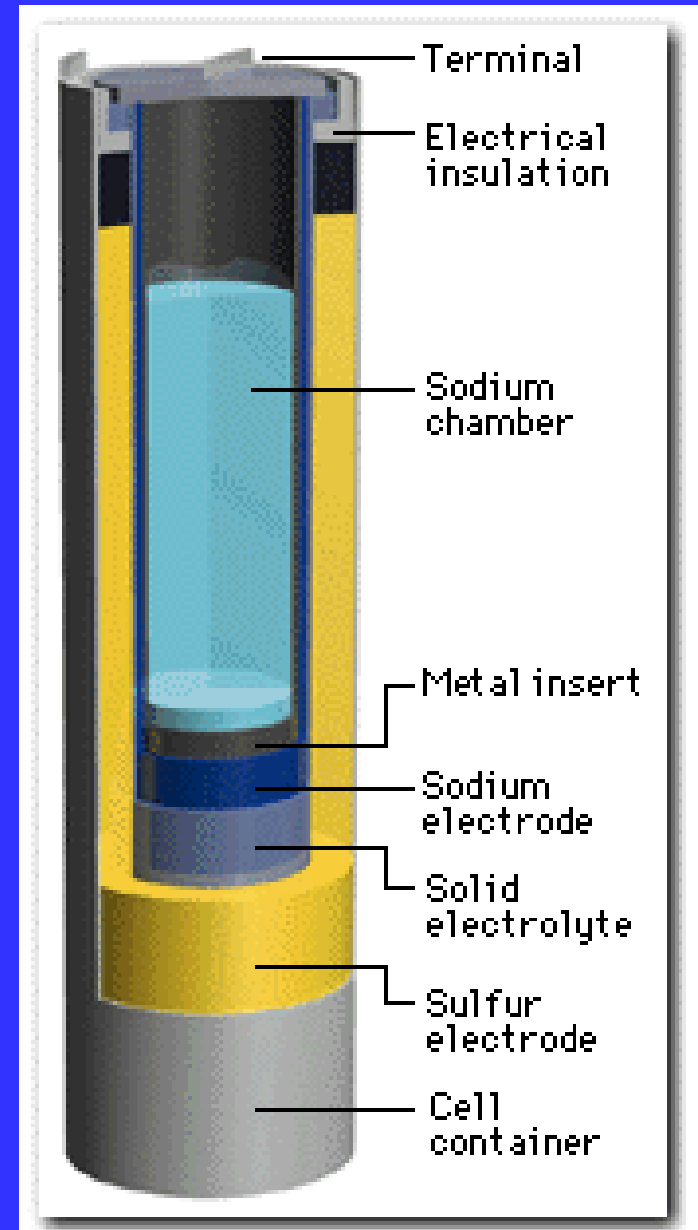
ENERGY MANAGEMENT

UPGRADE DEFERRAL

SODIUM-SULFUR (NAS) BATTERY



6 MW / 8hrs NGK Sodium-Sulfur Batteries for Load Management and Backup at a Japanese Resort Town



Schematic Diagram of NaS Cell

1MW NaS Battery to Store Off Peak Power

NYSERDA / DOE PROJECT:

**For 1,800HP Natural Gas
Compressor in a Long
Island NG Refueling
Station for 220 Busses**

**Relieves LIPA Peak Load,
Eliminates Night Shift at
Plant**

Partnership with NYPA

Costshares from NY ISO, TVA,
EPRI, Southern, First Energy,
ComEd, PSE&G, APPA, LIPA,
Hydro Quebec, San Diego G&E



Three 600-HP compressors + 1 MW NaS battery

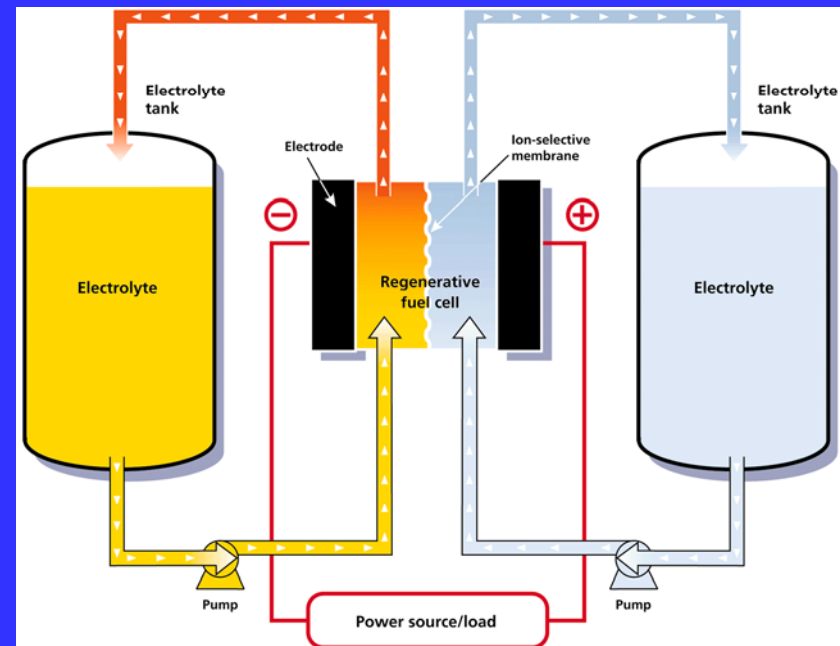
FLOW BATTERIES:

Power and Energy are separated.

Power Depends on the Conversion Cell

Energy Depends on the Stored Electrolyte

- Vanadium Redox
- Zinc-Bromine



Vanadium Redox Battery at Rattlesnake #22

- Castle Rock, Utah, at the End of a 209 Mile 125kV Feeder
- Feeder too small for Peak Loads
- Complaints about Outages, PQ
- Upgrade costly and 3 year delay
- DG not acceptable for Pollution Reasons



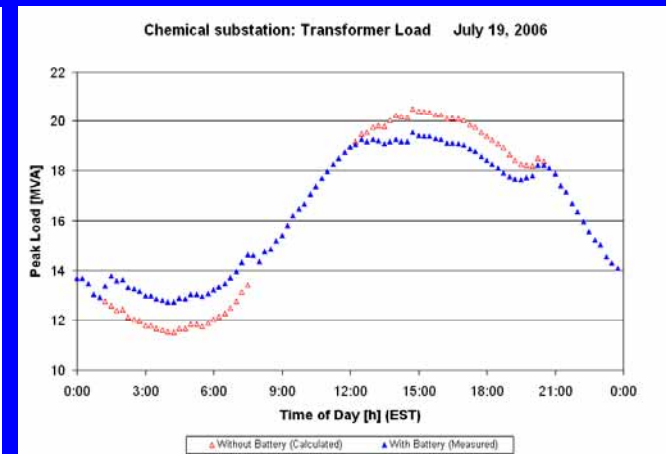
CASTLE ROCK, UTAH

500kW / 2MWh
Vanadium Redox Battery
By VRB Power Systems
Expandable to 1MW
Provides Peak Power
Without Distrib. Upgrade



VRB TANK INSTALLATION





Charleston, WV Appalachian Power Substation

1.2 MW / 6hr NaS Battery for Substation Support:

- First Commercial Application in US.
- Provides Backup during Peak Load
- Defers Upgrade by 5 to 6 Years
- Reduces Transformer Heat up
- Potential Arbitrage Benefits 10K/month

AEP / DOE PROJECT

Generic Design funded by DOE

S&C Power Conditioning System developed with DOE Funding (R&D 100)

Commissioned June 26, 2006

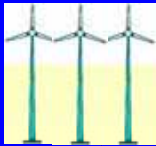
Energy Storage can:

Provide Power Quality
and Digital Reliability,

Bridge Outages Seamlessly,

Allow Load Following for DG, and
make Renewables Dispatchable

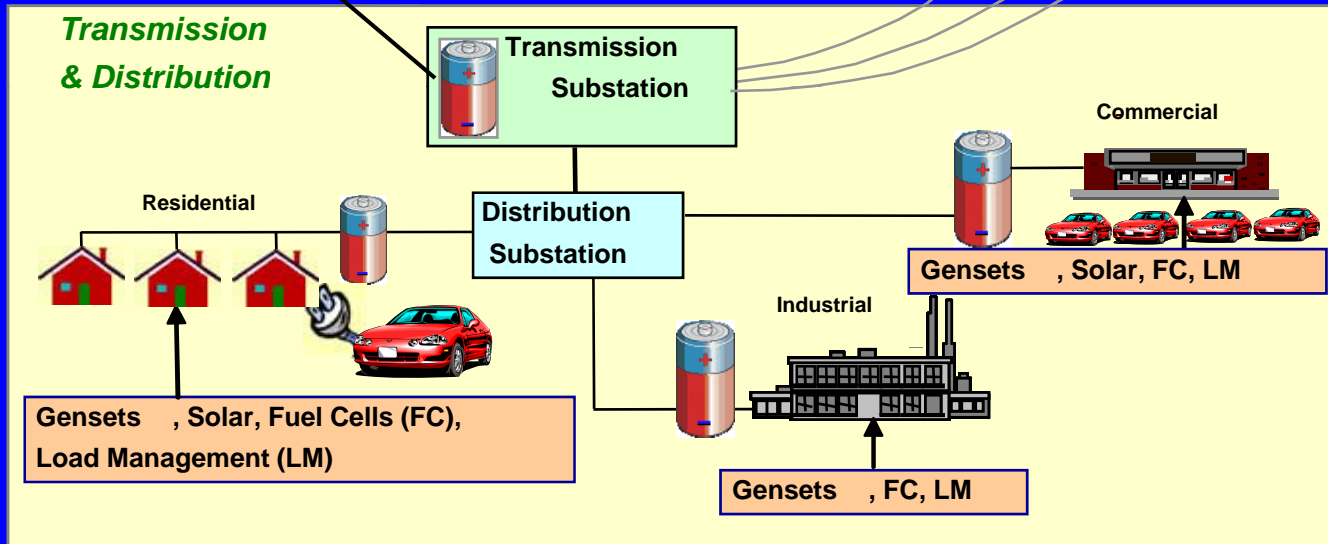
Provide Peak Shaving
and Transmission Upgrade Deferral



Wind



Bulk Generation



Nourai, AEP

Distributed Storage, Distributed Generation, and Distributed Intelligence will be essential for the Grid of the Future

Requirements for Storage Technologies in Utility Applications

- Cost, Cost, Cost!
- Reliability
- Lifetime
- Efficiency
- Environmental Acceptability
- Safety
- Compactness

Research Directions:

Improve Battery Energy Density ($C V^2 / 2$)

- Increase Surface Area of Electrodes
Carbon Foam, Nanostructured Powders,
Carbon Nanotubes
- Increase Voltage
Aqueous electrolytes <2V
Non-aqueous can be <6V
tailored asymmetric cations

Quantum Modeling of Dynamics

Improve Membrane characteristics

Decrease Manufacturing Costs

Develop Markets (Linkage with PHEV?)

See also <http://www.sc.doe.gov/bes/reports/list.html>

DOE-Off. of Science: Basic Research Needs for Energy Storage

CONCLUSIONS:

- Energy Storage can be an effective Tool for Utilities as well as Customers
- Storage Technology is developing more Options for more potential Applications
- The Importance of Storage is becoming increasingly Accepted

**Energy Storage
is a Disruptive Technology
whose Adoption will induce a
Paradigm Shift
in the Entire Utility Industry
!!!**

RESOURCES

<http://www.sandia.gov/ess/>

EPRI/DOE Energy Storage Handbook

ESA Annual Meeting (Anaheim, May, '08)

DOE Prog. Rev. (DC, Oct. '07)

