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BESS energy storage prices in Greece



Overview

The lowest offer was EUR 43,927 per MW, by HELLENIQ Renewables, while the highest was EUR 58,773 per MW, by Plain Solar. Does Greece's new government subsidy for BESS finally make battery storage a no-brainer for energy investors?

With electricity prices soaring 45% since 2022 and solar curtailment hitting 19% on islands like Crete, Athens just unveiled Europe's most aggressive storage incentives. Let's break down. Following a competitive national tender in 2023, over 900 MW of standalone BESS projects were awarded availability contracts under a € 341 million EU-funded scheme. These projects are scheduled for commissioning between 2024 and 2026, offering 10-year contracts complemented by access to wholesale. The cost of BESS has fallen significantly over the past decade, with more precipitous drops in recent years: This is nearly a 70% reduction in three years, owing to falling battery pack prices (now as low as \$60-70/kWh in China), increased deployment, and improved efficiency. 9 MW of standalone, front-of-the-meter, utility-scale battery energy storage. However, while the scale of ambition is high, there are several tensions emerging—especially around the move toward unsponsored. Global turnkey prices plunged 40 % year-on-year to US\$165/kWh in 2024, with China averaging US\$101/kWh and winning bids as low as US\$66/kWh. If European costs follow suit, hitting €80 k/MWh (or €80/kWh) by summer 2026 could be within reach. Rapid cost declines BloombergNEF reports the steepest.

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average containerized BESS price per 200MW in Greece

As of most recent estimates, the cost of a BESS by MW is between \$200,000 and \$450,000, varying by location, system size, and market conditions. This translates to around \$200 - \$450 per kWh, though ...

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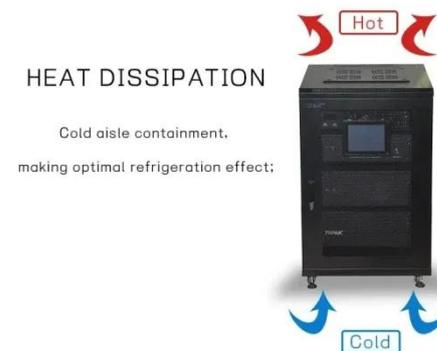


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Greece has taken a decisive step

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