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# Mobile base station battery capacity



## Overview

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Why do cellular base stations have backup batteries?

Abstract: Cellular base stations (BSs) are equipped with backup batteries to obtain the uninterruptible power supply (UPS) and maintain the power supply reliability. While maintaining the reliability, the backup batteries of 5G BSs have some spare capacity over time due to the traffic-sensitive characteristic of 5G BS electricity load.

How much power does a cellular base station use?

A cellular base station can use anywhere from 1 to 5 kW power per hour depending upon the number of transceivers attached to the base station, the age of cell towers, and energy needed for air conditioning. Cellular base stations use power without any interruption and also needs maintenance.

Which battery is best for telecom base station backup power?

Among various battery technologies, Lithium Iron Phosphate (LiFePO<sub>4</sub>) batteries stand out as the ideal choice for telecom base station backup power due to their high safety, long lifespan, and excellent thermal stability.

What makes a telecom battery pack compatible with a base station?

Compatibility and Installation Voltage Compatibility: 48V is the standard voltage for telecom base stations, so the battery pack's output voltage must

align with base station equipment requirements. Modular Design: A modular structure simplifies installation, maintenance, and scalability.

Do 5G BS batteries have a spare capacity?

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