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# What is the energy storage battery industry in Argentina



## Overview

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The Argentina Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) market is experiencing significant growth driven by increasing renewable energy integration, grid stability concerns, and government initiatives to promote energy storage projects. Can battery energy storage modernize the grid in Argentina?

The Argentina's ambitious push toward grid modernization through battery energy storage has received an enthusiastic response, with CAMMESA (Compañía Administradora del Mercado Mayorista Eléctrico) confirming the submission of 27 project proposals from 15 companies under its AlmaGBA program.

How many MW of battery energy storage will be deployed in Buenos Aires?

The initiative aims to deploy 500 MW of battery energy storage systems (BESS) in the Greater Buenos Aires Area (GBA), but the submitted capacity has far exceeded expectations—reaching a combined 1,347 MW.

What does Argentina's 1.3 GW battery storage tender mean for Latin America?

Argentina's 1.3 GW battery storage tender marks a transformative leap toward grid resilience and clean energy leadership in Latin America.

Will Argentina start a lithium battery factory in Latin America?

(Image: Mariano Garcia / Alamy) Argentina will start operations at the first lithium battery cell factory in Latin America before the end of the year. The country aims to boost its position in the region's electric transport and energy storage markets, and go beyond simply producing the lithium that is critical to their growth.

Why is Argentina a good stance on energy storage?

In Argentina, the stance provides a good lesson to the European stakeholders, especially in the commercial and industrial segments of energy storage. Emerging markets can present both local and foreign players by developing

tenders that are investment appropriate and clear technically and financially secured.

Will Argentina integrate new electricity storage infrastructure into urban distribution networks?

This national and international open call, part of Resolution SE 67/2025, marks Argentina's first large-scale effort to integrate new electricity storage infrastructure into urban distribution networks.

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