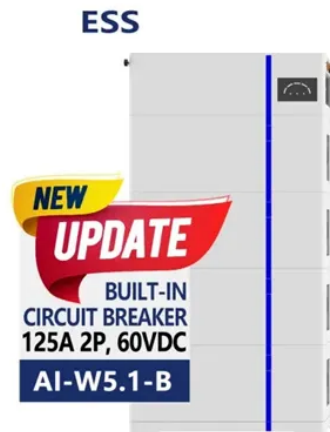




# How much does energy storage equipment cost for South American power plants



## Overview

Lithium-ion Dominance: Prices range from \$280–\$350/kWh in Chile's solar-rich Atacama Desert. Pumped Hydro's Comeback: Brazil's retrofitted hydropower plants offer storage at \$150–\$200/kWh—cheaper than a Rio Carnival costume rental! As of 2025, the global energy storage industry is a \$33 billion powerhouse, generating nearly 100 gigawatt-hours annually. But what about South America?

Let's unpack the region's energy storage system (ESS) price trends with the precision of a Brazilian coffee farmer sorting premium beans. DOE's Energy Storage Grand Challenge supports detailed cost and performance analysis for a variety of energy storage technologies to accelerate their development and deployment. The U.S. All-in BESS projects now cost just \$125/kWh as Latin America is entering a transformative decade in its energy landscape, driven by the urgent need to expand power output, decarbonize, lower energy costs, improve grid resilience, and integrate massive volumes of renewable energy.

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16 comprehensive market analysis studies and industry reports on the Energy Storage Technology sector, offering an industry overview with historical data since 2019 and forecasts up to 2030.

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### Latin America Solar and Energy Storage Market Outlook (as of 2025)

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Despite these challenges, the energy storage industry in South America is set for expansion as the region continues to emphasize sustainability ...

### Cost Projections for Utility-Scale Battery Storage: 2025 Update

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### Energy Storage Power Station Equipment Price List: Key ...

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### Latin America's Energy Storage Boom: Market

With projected revenues of nearly \$5.9 billion by 2030—up from \$680 million in 2023—the region is poised for a rapid and uneven expansion in ...

### Energy Storage Cost and Performance Database

Additional storage technologies will be added as representative cost and performance metrics are verified. The interactive figure below presents results ...

### Energy Storage Power Station Costs: Breakdown & Key Factors

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