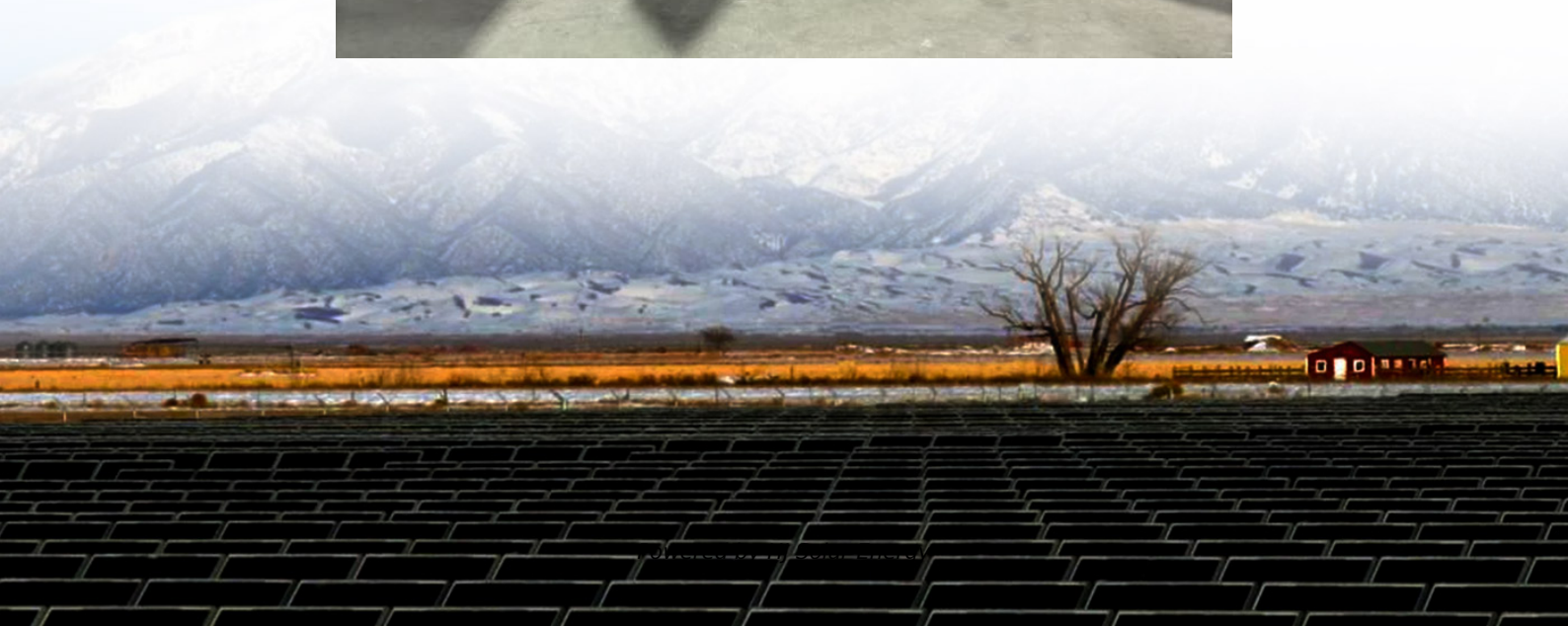


Development direction of underground energy storage





Overview

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Based on the types of underground space storage facilities, combined with the construction of global underground space storage facilities and related research experiments, this paper deeply compares and analyzes the development status of oil and gas storage in the world and China, so as to put.

Subsequently, it proposes a low-cost underground pumped storage scheme based on hard rock boring machine (TBM) excavation. Further, it expounds the development status of three different types of underground pumped storage, namely, underground pumped storage with artificial excavation of underground.

China, which already boasts the world's largest energy-storage capacity, is set to nearly double that level by 2027, with an anticipated investment of 250 billion yuan (US\$35 billion), according to Beijing's latest action plan. As outlined in the action plan, China's "new-energy storage system". Why is it important to develop an underground energy storage system?

Therefore, it is urgent to improve the efficient utilization of renewable energy represented by wind energy and solar energy and to construct an underground energy storage system, which is an important direction for promoting the implementation of the "carbon peaking and carbon neutrality" strategy and the transition to low-carbon energy.

How deep is the underground space for energy storage?

The underground space for energy storage mainly includes porous or



fractured porous media (e.g., depleted oil and gas reservoirs, aquifers) and caverns (e.g., salt caverns, rock caves, abandoned mines or pits) (Jannel and Torquet, 2021) (Fig. 3). The depth can range from several hundred meters to several kilometers (Kabuth et al., 2017).

What are underground energy storage systems?

This paper clarifies the framework of underground energy storage systems, including underground gas storage (UGS), underground oil storage (UOS), underground thermal storage (UTS) and compressed air energy storage (CAES), and the global development of underground energy storage systems in porous media is systematically reviewed.

Is underground energy storage a solution for low-carbon energy transformation?

Improving the energy storage system is the key step and global solution for low-carbon energy transformation. Compared with above-surface energy storage, underground energy storage in geological spaces, especially in porous media, is significant and accounts for the largest proportion.

What is a systematic underground energy storage engineering?

The systematic underground energy storage engineering requires integrated geological formation–wellbore–ground monitoring to track the migration of fluid, pore pressure, temperature, formation displacement, chemical variation in shallow groundwater, etc. (Dethlefsen et al., 2013).

How has China improved the underground energy storage system in porous media?

China has gradually improved the underground energy storage system in porous media, especially underground gas storage in depleted natural gas reservoirs, and the current working gas volume of UGS projects is more than 16.4 billion m³. Thermal energy storage in shallow aquifers is widely developed, and the technology is mature.



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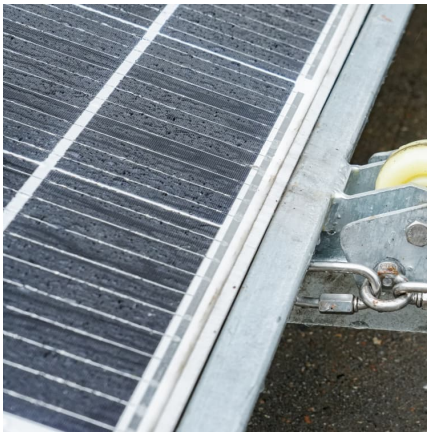


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An overview of underground energy storage in porous media and

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Future research trends in LUES include the integration of intelligent and renewable energy systems, the development of hybrid energy storage technologies, ...

Overview of the development of underground pumped hydro storage

This paper introduces the key technologies and challenges associated with underground pumped storage, including the current situation of underground engineering construction and operation, ...



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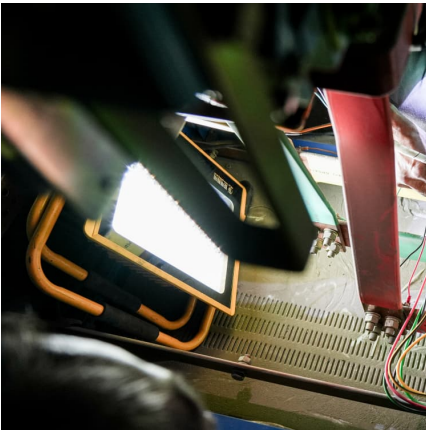
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Integration of large-scale underground energy storage ...

Large-scale underground energy storage technology uses underground spaces for renewable energy storage, conversion and usage. It forms the technological basis of ...





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Large-scale storage of natural gas, compressed air, petroleum and hydrogen by deep salt caverns is one of the key development directions of deep underground energy storage in China.

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Much of the technology for geologic energy storage is still undergoing research and development (Crotono and others, 2017; Matos and others, 2019), although several industrial-sized ...



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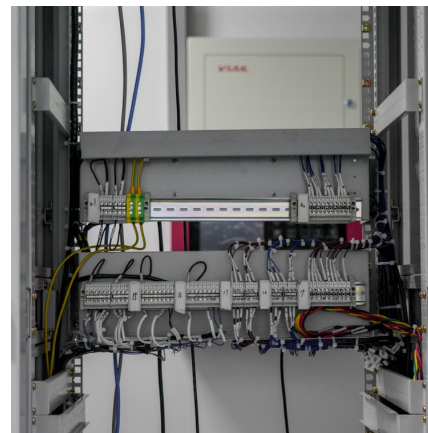


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