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Overview

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Elisa in Finland is using cellular basestation backup batteries as an AI-enabled virtual power station. Using the Radio Access Network (RAN) to run a Virtual Power Plant could save telecoms operators around 50% of their current electricity costs by optimising their energy purchases as well.

As digitalisation advances, it is indisputable that telecommunications infrastructure, such as base stations and data centres, will consume more and more electricity. From the standpoint of the global development of the sector, it is, therefore, unrealistic to aim for a decrease in energy.

Telecoms specialist Elisa is deploying battery and PV systems at base towers in Finland, which will “implement virtual power plant (VPP) optimisation of locally produced solar energy.” Solar PV arrays of around 5kW generation capacity will be typically paired with 400Ah battery storage systems at.

This is where Elisa recognised a natural synergy with the batteries that are supporting each base station in its telecom network and Elisa has used its operations in Finland as a test bed. The telecommunications sector is already the world’s second largest user of batteries, and most radio access.

Elisa, a telecommunications firm in Finland, has received €3.9 million in funding from the government to create a Virtual Power Plant (VPP) using batteries. This VPP, which is expected to be the largest of its kind in Europe, will be formed by deploying its Distributed Energy Storage (DES) solution. Which energy storage technologies are being commissioned in Finland?

Currently, utility-scale energy storage technologies that have been commissioned in Finland are limited to BESS (lithium-ion batteries) and TES, mainly TTES and Cavern Thermal Energy Storages (CTES) connected to DH systems.

Is energy storage a viable option in Finland?

This study reviews the status and prospects for energy storage activities in Finland. The adequacy of the reserve market products and balancing capacity in the Finnish energy system are also studied and discussed. The review shows that in recent years, there has been a notable increase in the deployment of energy storage solutions.

How does the Finnish TSO respond to the growing number of renewable installations?

The Finnish TSO, Fingrid, is continuously taking measures to respond to the fast-growing number of renewable installations. The power system is getting more complicated both from a technical and commercial perspective, with many large changes occurring simultaneously both in electricity production and consumption.

What is the electricity supply in Finland in 2022?

The electricity supply in Finland is quite diverse. As presented in Fig. 1, the Finnish electricity supply in 2022 consisted of nuclear power (29.7 %, 24.2 TWh), different types of thermal power plants (24 %, 19.6 TWh), imports (15.3 %, 12.5 TWh), hydropower (16.3 %, 13.3 TWh), wind power (14.2 %, 11.6 TWh), and solar power (0.5 %, 0.4 TWh).

How many CTEs have been built in Finland?

In Finland, three CTES have been built, and at least four are being planned. These CTES are listed in Table 9. The combined storage capacity of the commissioned CTES is about 27.6 GWh, and those under construction and under planning have a storage capacity of about 112 GWh.

Who is the transmission system operator in Finland?

In Finland, the transmission system operator is Fingrid, which actively collaborates with other Nordic TSOs, which consist of Finland, Sweden, Norway and East Denmark . The Finnish BRPs, in turn, collaborate with Fingrid, which carries the main responsibility of maintaining the 50 Hz frequency in the grid.

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Some of Finland's funding has gone towards other energy storage technologies such as pumped hydro energy storage and battery

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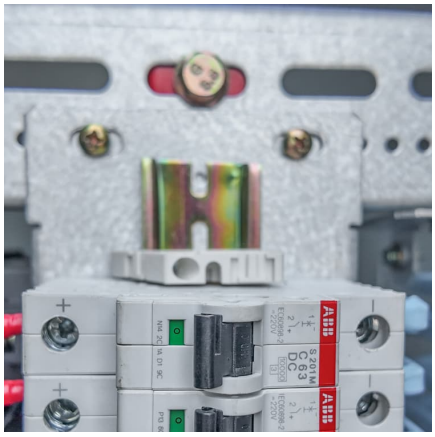
Complete interconnection between energy and information networks, and bidirectional flow in each network, connected to the regional energy Internet through micro-grid system, to ...



Optimum sizing and configuration of electrical system for

The rising demand for cost effective, sustainable and reliable energy solutions for telecommunication base stations indicates the importance of integration and exploring the ...

[The Role of Hybrid Energy Systems in Powering ...]

In summary, powering telecom base stations with hybrid energy systems is a cost-effective, reliable, and sustainable solution. By integrating ...

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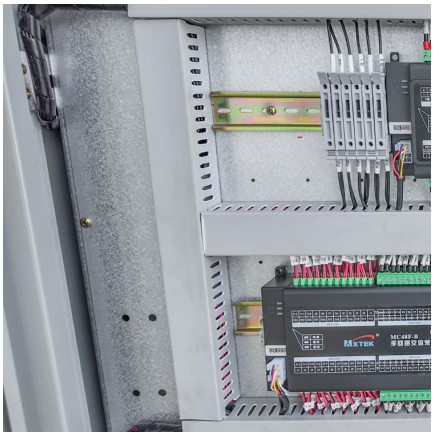

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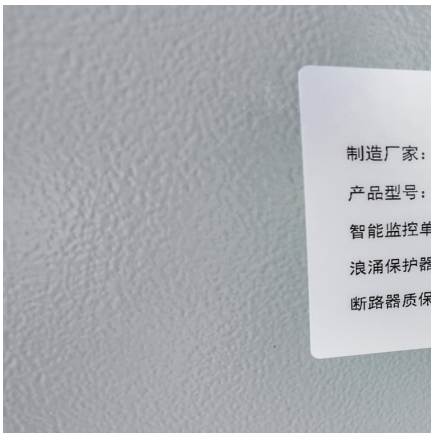
[How Elisa Became One of the Most Sustainable ...]

The company's most recent climate action is specifically related to batteries, which might be surprising to the average consumer. Elisa has ...



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