

Who owns the battery storage facility in Japan?

Project financing has been arranged by MUFG Bank representing the first battery storage project they have arranged finance for in Japan. Under the offtake agreement, Eku Energy will own the BESS while Tokyo Gas will own 100% of its operating rights for 20 years, with Eku Energy responsible for the ongoing maintenance of the facility.

Will Japan expand its storage battery supply chain?

We hope that these efforts will strengthen Japan's storage battery supply chain and the storage battery industry's competitiveness, Saito said. The move will help expand the country's production capacity for storage batteries by around 50% to 120 gigawatt-hours (GWh), from 80 GWh currently, Japanese media reported earlier on Friday.

Where is the Hirohara battery energy storage system located?

Thank you. The Hirohara Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) is located in Oaza Hirohara, Miyazaki City, Miyazaki Prefecture. The 30MW/120MWh battery is Eku's first in Japan, and the company has agreed a 20-year offtake agreement for the project with Tokyo Gas.

How does Japan support the battery industry?

The battery industry is an equipment-intensive industry requiring large-scale investments in significant facilities. To maintain and enhance manufacturing capabilities and technologies within Japan's battery industry, which includes equipment industries and material manufacturers, government support is provided.

What's going on with a 30mw/120mwh battery energy storage system?

In April the company announced its first project in Japan to build a 30MW/120MWh battery energy storage system in Miyazaki City on the southern island of Kyushu. At the time the firm said they had agreed a 20-year offtake agreement for the project with Tokyo Gas.

Will Toyota build EV batteries in Hyogo and Fukuoka?

Toyota would invest a total of ¥250 billion in two subsidiaries to build battery plants in Hyogo and Fukuoka prefectures. However, a Toyota spokesperson said the automaker has not made any announcement regarding such projects, adding it has been making various efforts to increase the production capacity of EV batteries.

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