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Energy Storage R&D Program Update



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Energy Storage R&D at Sandia



BATTERY MATERIALS

Large portfolio of R&D projects related to advanced materials, new battery chemistries, electrolyte materials, and membranes.



CELL & MODULE LEVEL SAFETY

Evaluate safety and performance of electrical energy storage systems down to the module and cell level.



POWER CONVERSION SYSTEMS

Research and development regarding reliability and performance of power electronics and power conversion systems.



Work with industry to develop, install, commission, and operate electrical energy storage systems.



SYSTEMS ANALYSIS

Test laboratories evaluate and optimize performance of megawatt-hour class energy storage systems in grid-tied applications.



Maintain the ESS website and DOE Global Energy Storage Database, organize the annual Peer Review meeting, and host webinars and conferences.



GRID ANALYTICS

Analytical tools model electric grids and microgrids, perform system optimization, plan efficient utilization and optimization of DER on the grid, and understand ROI of energy storage.



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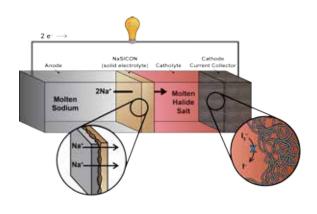
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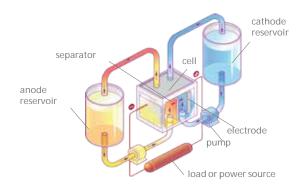


Researching Materials Innovations to Enable Safe, Low-Cost, Long Cycle Life Grid-Scale Batteries

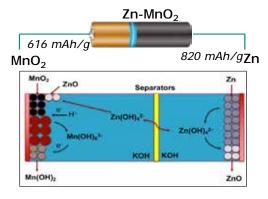
<u>Low Temperature Molten</u> Sodium Batteries



Aqueous and Non-aqueous Redox Flow Batteries



<u>Rechargeable Alkaline</u> <u>Zn-MnO₂ Batteries</u>



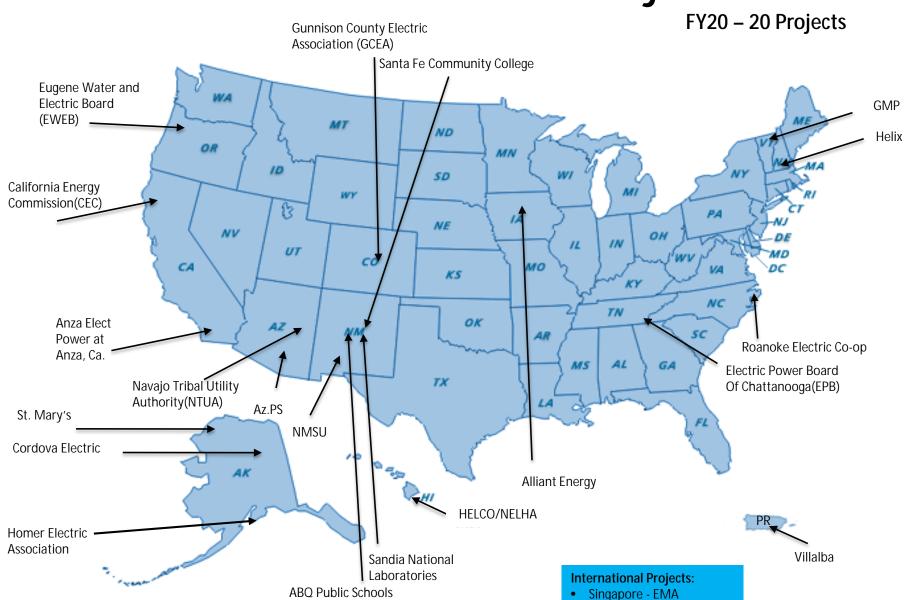
- Exploring safe new cathode chemistries to reduce temperature. from ~300°C to ~100°C
- Developing robust, selective, zerocrossover solid state separators.
- Optimize cell design for low temperature operation.

- Innovating separators for reduced crossover and high conductivity.
- Investigating low cost, high energy density, stable active materials.
- Uncovering integrated material interactions governing battery performance.

- Improving stable utilization of MnO₂ cathodes and Zn anodes for high capacity, long-lifetime.
- Extending battery life with reduced crossover separators.
- Advancing manufacturing science for large-scale production.



Demonstration Projects





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