



Japanese all-vanadium battery energy storage company

What is a vanadium solid-state battery?

A vanadium solid-state battery stores electrical energy through vanadium redox reactions. The solid electrolyte membrane ensures a highly safe architecture with exceptional resistance to degradation. It exhibits extremely low heat generation and virtually no ignition risk, enabling long service life and efficient energy storage.

Does Sumitomo Electric have a vanadium redox flow battery?

Sumitomo Electric has been proceeding with a vanadium redox flow battery (VRFB) pilot project in coordination with San Diego Gas & Electric, stemming from a partnership between Japan's New Energy and Industrial Technology Development Organization (NEDO) and the California Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development (GO-Biz).

Does Sumitomo have a solar energy storage system?

Sumitomo Electric Industries, Ltd. is pleased to announce that its vanadium redox flow battery (hereinafter "RF battery*1"), together with its energy management system sEMSA(TM),*2 has been adopted as the energy storage system for the "Kurokiyama Solar Power Plant," which was developed by Minamikyushu City, Kagoshima Prefecture.

Can EV batteries be reused in Japan?

One feature of our grid energy storage system is that it utilizes reused batteries from EVs. Although the penetration rate of EVs in Japan is still only about 1%, the Japanese government aims for 100% of all new passenger car sales to be EVs by 2035. This, at the same time, means that more batteries will be discarded.

The 2MW/8MWh VRFB Sumitomo Electric supplied for utility SDG& E in California. Image: Sumitomo / SDGE. Sumitomo Electric will supply an 8-hour duration vanadium redox flow ...

The 8-hour duration (8MWh) flow battery purchased by municipal electric power company KASHIWAZAKI IR Energy has been deployed in Niigata's Kashiwazaki City, a historically significant ...

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Sumitomo Electric's Vanadium Redox Flow Batteries (VRFBs) deliver reliable, long-duration energy storage with superior safety, scalability, and sustainability. Discover our proven technology ...

Our History MKPLUS has advanced the research, development, and commercialization of the next-generation Vanadium Solid-State Battery (VSB) as an innovation-driven energy technology company ...

Japanese manufacturer Sumitomo Electric has released a new vanadium redox flow battery (VRFB) suitable for a variety of long-duration configurations. Unveiled at Energy Storage ...



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