

# Successful bid price of portable ESS system project in Malaysia 2026





## Overview

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What is the capacity of EC's Bess project?

The total capacity to be acquired is 400MW/1,600MWh. In this regard, EC invites companies or consortiums that are experienced in implementing projects related to energy generation, and have the technical and financial capabilities to develop, finance, and operate energy storage systems to participate in the BESS project. RFQ Documents.

What is the bidding process for the Bess programme?

For the BESS programme led by the Ministry of Energy Transition and Water Transformation (Petra), the bidding process will be conducted in two stages, starting with a request for qualification (RFQ) where interested bidders may submit their qualifications to the Energy Commission (EC).

How will Bess development impact Malaysia?

BESS development is expected to create new economic opportunities with an estimated investment value of RM2.8 billion. Petra expressed confidence that the initiative will strengthen the resilience and flexibility of Peninsular Malaysia's grid system, enabling it to accommodate greater capacity for renewable energy (RE) in electricity supply.

How many MW is a Bess project?

Petra said the inaugural development of BESS will offer a capacity totalling 400 megawatts (MW) and 1,600 megawatt-hours (MWh). The ministry explained that the BESS development will be divided into four separate projects, each with a capacity of 100MW/400MWh, and is expected to achieve commercial operation dates starting in 2026.

How are Bess projects funded?

At the moment, BESS projects are awarded directly, as the system is still in the pilot phase. Independent RE producers are also encouraged to install BESS



at their solar farms. For instance, Tenaga and UEM Group Bhd-backed NUR Power Sdn Bhd are involved in the development of a 400mwh BESS facility for RM600 million.

How much does a Bess project cost?

Each project must start operations by 2026 and is expected to have commercial operations spanning over a period of 15 years. Solarvest Holdings Bhd (KL: SLVEST) group CEO Davis Chong estimates the installation cost of BESS to be around US\$200 per kilowatt-hour (kWh), translating to about RM400 million for the 400mwh project.



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### ESS Prices Plummet to Historic Lows

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### Tenaga Nasional to Pioneer Malaysia's First Utility-Scale BESS Project

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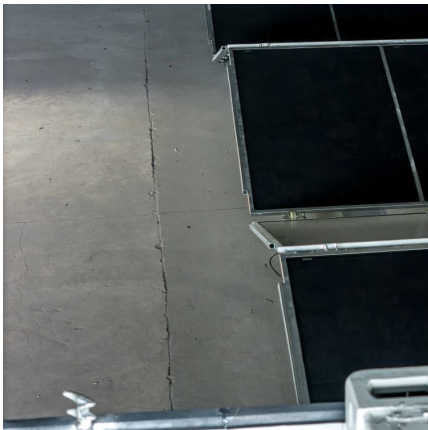
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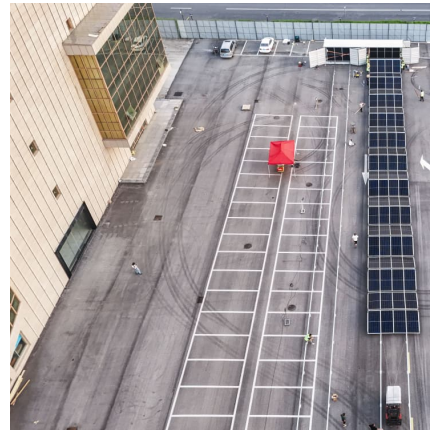
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However, price fluctuations at the time derailed certain projects and resulted in the government providing project deadline extensions, as well as lengthening the tenure of the power purchase agreement to 25 years, from 21.





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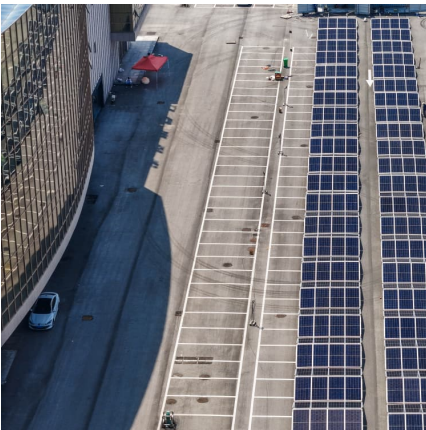
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The BESS Project represents the first public battery storage project in Malaysia and will likely be a catalyst for future similar projects which are much needed to ensure continued and stable supply of renewable energy from ...



### Energy Commission

Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)  
Competitive Bidding for Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) Notice - Request for Qualification (RFQ) for the 400MW/1,600MWh BESS in ...



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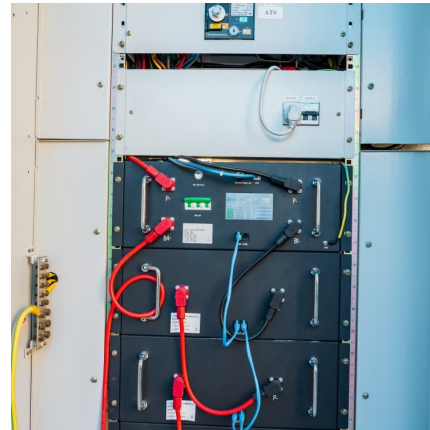
Petra said LSS6 and BESS are expected to further increase the capacity of renewable energy in the national electricity supply system and supply grid, respectively. Both the LSS6 and BESS programmes are scheduled to be ...





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