

# **Sodium ion battery storage project financing options in Netherlands 2025**





## Overview

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The Dutch government recently announced €100 million in subsidies for the development and integration of battery storage in solar PV projects covering about 160-330 MW for 2025, in response to emerging challenges related to grid constraints and renewable integration in the country. Are sodium-ion batteries the future of energy storage?

Sodium-ion batteries are being leveraged across multiple industries. Utility companies are at the forefront of their deployment, as demonstrated by HiNa Battery's 100MWh energy storage project. These batteries provide an affordable alternative for renewable energy grid storage, helping stabilize energy supply.

Will 2025 be a pivotal year for sodium-ion batteries?

With ongoing innovations and substantial investments, their adoption in energy storage systems, renewable grids, and budget EVs is expected to soar in the coming years. In conclusion, 2025 marks a pivotal year for sodium-ion batteries.

Are sodium-ion batteries competitive?

As of 2025, sodium-ion batteries are well-positioned to achieve cost parity with lithium-iron-phosphate (LFP) batteries, a key milestone for market competitiveness. With ongoing innovations and substantial investments, their adoption in energy storage systems, renewable grids, and budget EVs is expected to soar in the coming years.

What is a sodium ion battery?

This material delivers impressive energy density and stability, promoting scalability for both grid storage and EVs. The second-generation sodium-ion batteries introduced by Contemporary Amperex Technology Co., Limited (CATL) achieve energy densities of up to 200 Wh/kg, a significant improvement from earlier versions.



Are sodium-ion batteries a viable alternative to lithium-based batteries?

Sodium-ion batteries offer a promising solution due to their cost-effectiveness, sustainability, and lower environmental impact. However, to rival lithium-based technologies, significant advancements are required in performance, safety, and scalability.

Can sodium-ion batteries achieve cost parity with lithium-iron-phosphate (LFP) batteries?

Their research focuses on achieving greater energy density and reducing costs, further accelerating the adoption of this promising technology. As of 2025, sodium-ion batteries are well-positioned to achieve cost parity with lithium-iron-phosphate (LFP) batteries, a key milestone for market competitiveness.



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### Iron-Sodium Resiliency Breakthrough: Startup says its Battery ...

Sodium battery chemistry strikes again. The potential future alternative to lithium-ion is making significant research inroads into developing future long-duration energy ...

### Sodium-Ion Battery Applications in Energy Storage in ...

As the global energy transition accelerates, sodium-ion batteries are emerging as a rising star in energy storage due to their low cost, high safety, and abundant resources. In 2025, sodium-ion



### Top Battery Storage Companies to Watch in 2025

The country has also diversified its energy storage portfolio, launching the world's largest sodium-ion BESS in 2024 and developing non-battery storage projects like flywheel ...



### Enabling renewable energy with battery energy ...

These developments are propelling the market for battery energy storage systems (BESS). Battery storage is an essential enabler of renewable-energy generation, helping alternatives make a steady contribution to the ...



### Netherlands Sodium ion Battery Market Trends 2025-2033

" According to Reports Insights Consulting Pvt Ltd, The Netherlands Sodium ion Battery Market is projected to grow at a Compound annual growth rate (CAGR) of 28.5% ...

### Moonwatt raises EUR8 million to transform solar power ...

Amsterdam-based Moonwatt, an energy storage startup, has raised EUR8 million to innovate solar power with its sodium-ion battery system. The funding round was co-led by daphni and LEA Partners, Founders Future, AFI ...



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### Sodium-ion batteries - "built for trade resilience"

IDTechEx's report "Sodium-ion Batteries 2025-2035: Technology, Players, Markets, and Forecasts" offers a detailed analysis of this fast-developing sector. It evaluates ...



### Technology Strategy Assessment

About Storage Innovations 2030 This technology strategy assessment on sodium batteries, released as part of the Long-Duration Storage Shot, contains the findings from the Storage ...

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### **Reliance New Energy acquires sodium-ion battery maker Faradion**

The sodium-ion technology developed by Faradion provides a globally leading energy storage and battery solution which is safe, sustainable, provides high energy density ...

### **Sodium-ion batteries face uphill struggle to beat lithium-ion on ...**

A new Stanford University study finds that there are several several key routes that sodium-ion battery developers can take to compete on price, specifically against a low ...

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### **Lion Storage secures permit for 1.5 GWh battery storage project ...**

Lion Storage has secured a building permit for its Mufasa storage project in the Netherlands. With a capacity of 1457 MWh, it will become one of the country's largest projects.





### Lion Storage's Mufasa redefines Dutch energy ...

The closing of Project Mufasa clearly articulates that both project finance banks and global infrastructure investors are fully supportive of battery storage as part of our future energy infrastructure.



### Stanford Study Highlights Sodium-Ion Battery Potential

This dependency poses potential vulnerabilities for the U.S., given China's export restrictions on critical battery technologies since 2024. Advantages of Sodium-Ion Batteries Sodium-ion technology offers potential ...

### What's Currently Happening in Sodium-Ion Batteries? 2025

Sodium-ion batteries have gained significant attention in 2025 as the push for cost-effective and sustainable energy storage solutions intensifies. This innovative battery ...



### Netherlands wants sodium as sustainable alternative to lithium in ...

The raw materials needed, such as salt (sodium chloride, NaCl), are abundantly available, providing strategic energy storage independence for the Netherlands and Europe at ...



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## Sodium-ion: The Three Big Promises of Sodium-Ion ...

Sodium-ion batteries are emerging as a compelling alternative to lithium-ion, offering a unique blend of material abundance, system compatibility, and enhanced safety. As the energy storage market searches for ...

## Dutch start-up develops sodium-ion battery tech for ...

Amsterdam-based Moonwatt is set on a mission to develop sodium-ion battery technology optimized for colocation with utility-scale solar power plants as it seeks to make storage more scalable, cost-competitive, and ...



## Sodium-ion Batteries 2025-2035: Technology, ...

Sodium-ion Batteries 2025-2035 provides a comprehensive overview of the sodium-ion battery market, players, and technology trends. Battery benchmarking, material and cost analysis, key player patents, and 10 year ...



### Sustainable European sodium-ion batteries for stationary

The EU-funded SPRINT project will optimise and demonstrate two safe, sustainable, and cost-effective quasi-solid-state sodium-ion batteries tailored for stationary ...



### Powering the EU's future: Strengthening the battery industry

Projections around battery manufacturing in the EU remain highly uncertain. Many reports claim that the EU is on track to meet its future battery needs, yet also highlight significant risks that ...

### UK Capabilities in the Sodium-Ion Batteries Sector

The Sodium-ion battery (SIB) landscape in the UK encompasses a diverse array of organisations collaborating across sectors to advance research, development, and ...



### Large-scale hybrid lithium-sodium-ion BESS comes online in China

The project in Yunnan, China. Image: HiNa Battery. A 200MW/400MWh BESS project in China combining lithium-ion and sodium-ion batteries has been put into operation. ...



### China launches world's first grid-forming sodium-ion ...

The Baochi Storage Station in Yunnan integrates lithium and sodium-ion technologies at scale, a global first, aiming to stabilize renewable energy and cut costs as China accelerates its energy transition.



### Sodium-ion batteries in 2025: a snapshot of the fast-emerging ...

With CATL's Naxtra heading for mass production and more than 100 GWh of cumulative capacity now financed across three continents, sodium-ion is no longer a lab curiosity.

### 2.1GWh! Two Companies Sign Major Energy Storage Deals, ...

The collaborations span commercial and industrial (C& I) energy storage sectors. China's First Hybrid Grid-Forming Energy Storage Project Goes Live On March 6, the ...



### Advancements and challenges in sodium-ion batteries: A ...

Sodium is abundant and inexpensive, sodium-ion batteries (SIBs) have become a viable substitute for Lithium-ion batteries (LIBs). For applications including electric vehicles ...



## Building utility-scale battery storage in Europe

Electric vehicle (EV) manufacturers are competing with other industries for access to scarce resources such as lithium, causing backlogs in the energy storage market. ...



## Interview: Sodium ion batteries: The future of energy storage?

Sustainable alternatives to lithium-ion batteries are crucial to a carbon-neutral society, and in her Wiley Webinar, 'Beyond Li', at the upcoming Wiley Analytical Science ...

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