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#### How will Canberra's new battery storage system work?

The large-scale battery storage system will deliver 250 megawatts (MW) of power, store renewable energy and support grid reliability. This is enough energy to power one-third of Canberra for two hours during peak demand periods. Behind-the-meterbatteries will be installed to help power essential services across nine government sites.

### How much power will the Big Canberra battery deliver?

The Big Canberra Battery will be capable of delivering 250 MWof power - more than a third of Canberra's peak electricity demand. It will be able to deliver this power for two hours. The Big Canberra Battery will have 500 MWh of capacity, which on a single charge could supply 23,400 households with their daily energy use.

#### What is the Big Canberra battery project?

The Big Canberra Battery project will deliver large-scale batteries across the ACTto ensure that our electricity grid remains stable. Big batteries work by storing surplus electricity when there's less demand for it. The batteries can then distribute the stored electricity when it's needed.

#### Are neighbourhood-scale batteries viable in Canberra?

In 2022, the Big Canberra Battery project engaged consultancy firm Baringa Partners to investigate the viability of neighbourhood-scale batteries in the Canberra context and identify opportunities for Government to invest in this technology. The study found:

What role does battery storage play in Canberra's electricity grid?

Battery storage will play an increasing role in Canberra's electricity grid as we move towards electrifying our city and achieving net-zero emissions by 2045. Wind and solar energy make electricity that large-scale batteries can store. Batteries help support the electricity grid when the sun and wind can't.

#### Why should we use batteries in Canberra?

Batteries can store excess renewable energy to be used at later times of higher demand - thereby extending the benefit of renewable energy into the evenings. It will increase the renewable energy hosting capacity across the ACT enabling more Canberrans to access the benefits of renewables.

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1 | Big Canberra Battery Co-Design Workshop Report Big Canberra Battery Co-Design Workshop Report 29th April 2021 Battery Storage and Grid Integration Program, The Australian National University, ... The ACT Government should consider the current state of technical standards for battery deployment, including safety and operating noise ...

Located at Williamsdale in the south of Canberra, the battery will store enough renewable energy to power one-third of Canberra for two hours 1 during peak demand periods, increasing energy security and reliability for Canberrans. The Williamsdale BESS is part of the ACT Government's Big Canberra Battery project. It further supports Canberra ...

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FUNDING of \$850,000 has been allocated in the 2022-23 ACT Budget to progress the Big Canberra Battery project. The battery aims to help "future proof" the territory"s energy supply by reducing the load on Canberra"s electricity network, and comes as the next step in the government"s efforts reduce emissions and provide sustainable energy to ACT households.

The Big Canberra Battery will deliver at least 250 MW of battery storage to support Canberra households with stored renewable energy. When complete, it will be one of the biggest battery storage systems in Australia.

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10 TYPE Definition CONVENTIONALFlooded Battery AGM Absorbent Glass Mat EFB Enhanced Flooded Battery GEL Deep Cycle Battery Features Grid Type 3DX Grid Lifegrid

Battery specialist Eku Energy is set to build its Williamsdale project after securing a 15 year funding and revenue share deal with the ACT government, and funding from three lenders.

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The ACT Government and Eku Energy have begun construction on the 250MW/500MWh Williamsdale Battery Energy Storage System (BESS), which will support the uptake of renewable energy in the ACT and deliver energy security and reliability.. The battery is expected to be operational in 2026 and will be able to store enough renewable energy to ...

Canberra, AUSTRALIA - 6 November 2024 - Global energy storage specialist, Eku Energy today announced reaching Financial Close for its Williamsdale Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) located in the ACT. The 250MW / 500MWh project will comprise of Megapacks supplied by Tesla Energy and will support Canberra''s energy security.

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