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## Overview

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The 60 MW/80 MWh project, situated in Kuching, the capital of Sarawak, employs a prefabricated, cabin-style, air-cooled lithium iron phosphate (LiFePO<sub>4</sub>) battery storage system. What is Malaysia's first utility-scale battery energy storage system?

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Is Sarawak Energy launching a battery energy storage system in Malaysia?

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What is Sarawak's first battery energy storage system?

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Are battery energy storage systems a keystone in Malaysia's Energy Transformation Story?

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What is Malaysia's first utility-scale deployment?

The most recent milestone came in late 2024 when Sarawak Energy commissioned a 60MW/82MWh BESS in Sejingkat, Kuching. This project, co-located with a retiring coal power station, is Malaysia's first utility-scale deployment, marking a leap forward in reliability and modern grid design.

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