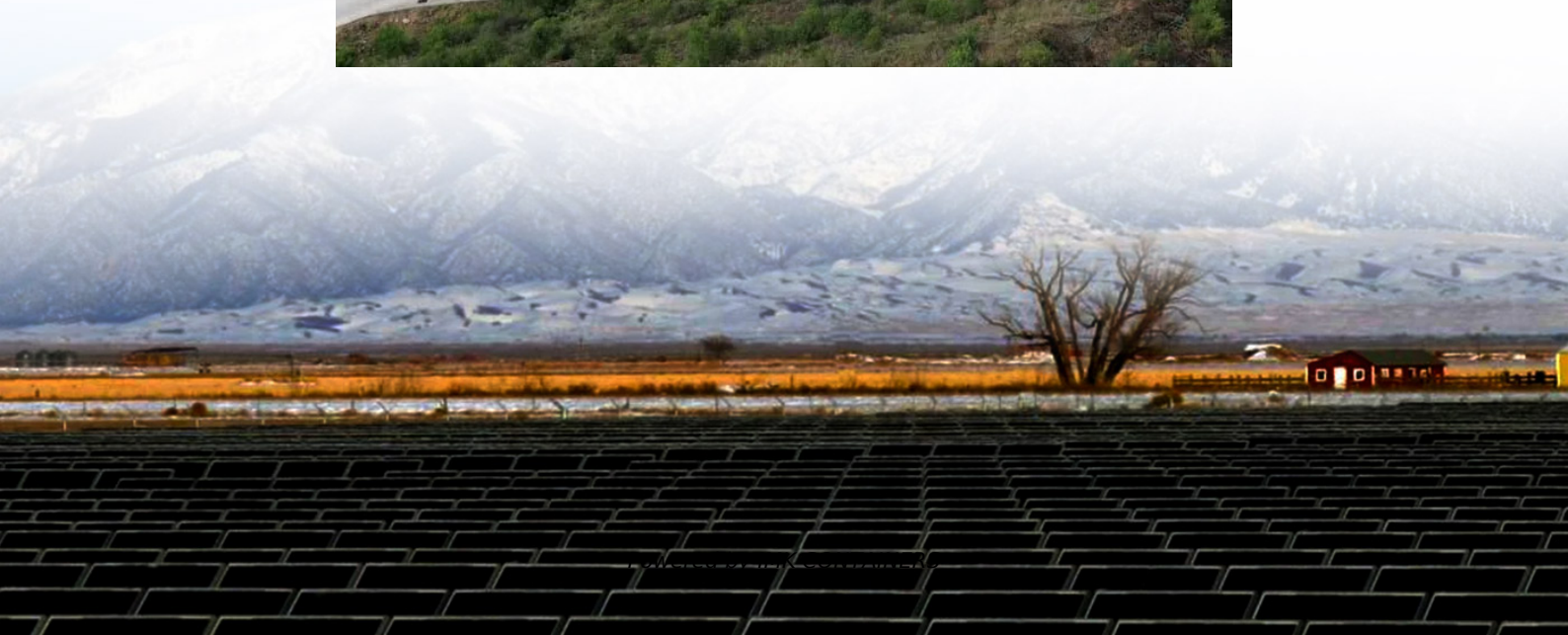


BESS tax rate for energy storage equipment





Overview

Is a Bess a sales tax exclusion?

By contrast, a BESS co-located next to an active solar energy system is treated as part of that system and provided a 100 percent exclusion if the BESS is installed before the point of conveyance and the exclusion has not been taken. California law does not provide a sales tax exemption specifically for renewable energy storage systems.

Is a stand-alone energy storage a qualified person?

Notably, no NAICS code describes stand-alone energy storage, and there is no published guidance on whether a stand-alone BESS could be a qualified person. Stand-alone BESS is subject to property tax. Texas offers an incentive program referred to as chapter 312 to attract new capital investment that has benefitted renewable development.

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The biggest impact comes from Section 301 tariffs, which add 25% to the cost of many battery components. Here's the rundown: As of March 22, 2025, BESS manufactured in China and shipped to the U.S. faces a tariff rate that's already a bit of a gut punch.



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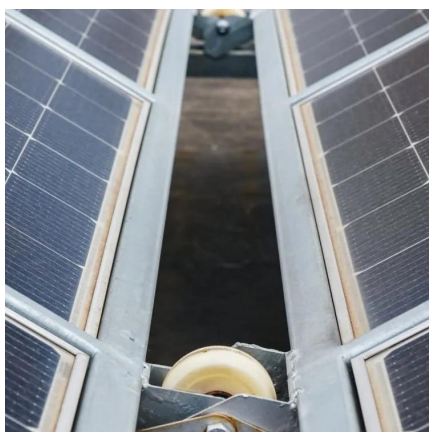
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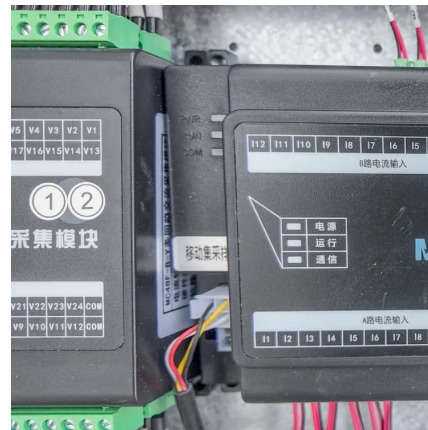
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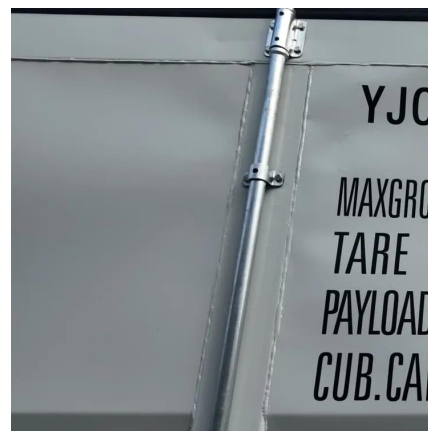
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