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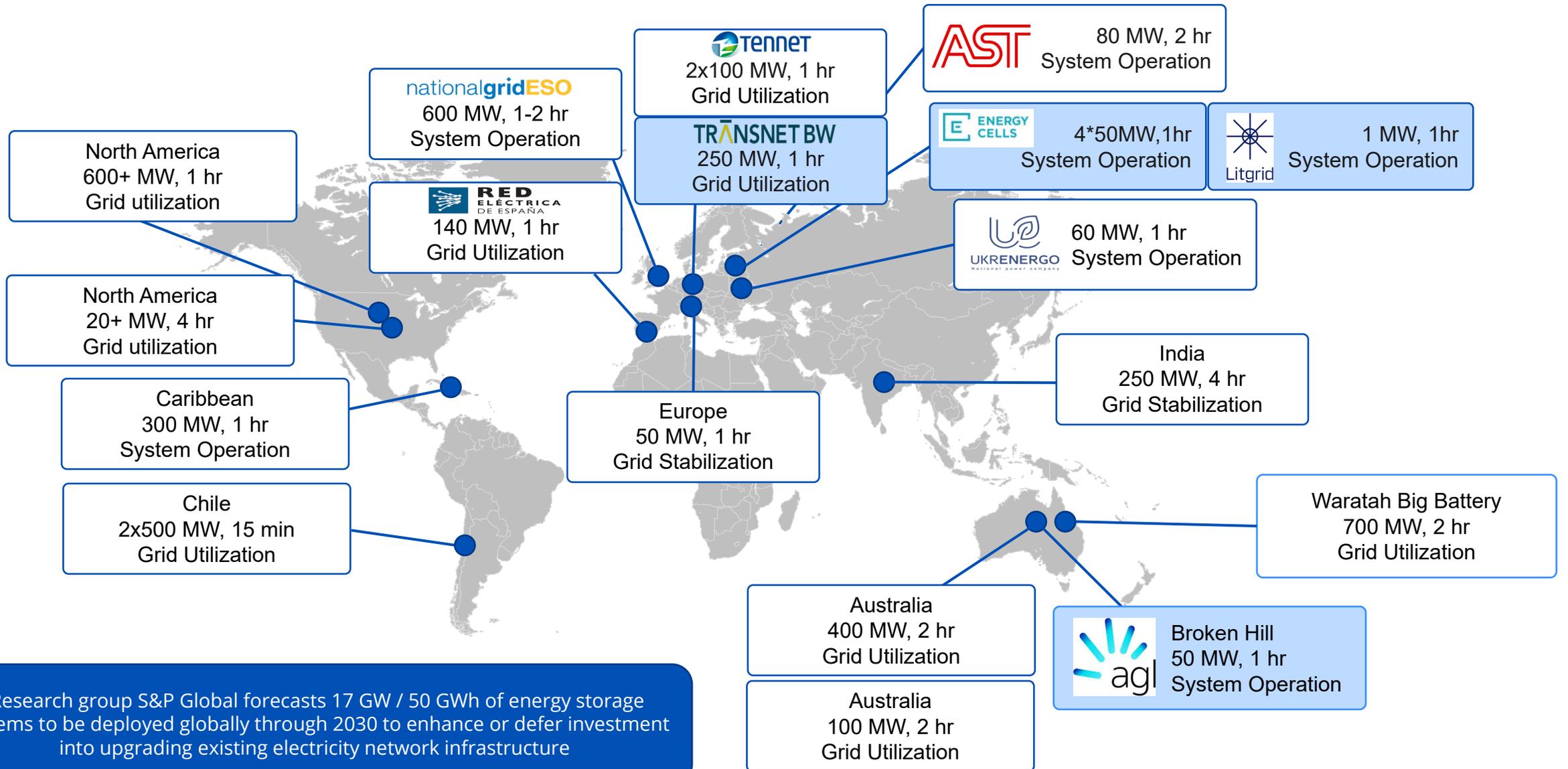
# Storage as a Transmission Asset

The role of energy storage in optimizing and future-proofing transmission networks

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# SATA is an early market with huge potential globally

S&P Global forecasts 17 GW /50 GWh of SATA market by 2030



# Enabling the Future Grid with Next Generation Energy Storage

Two primary value drivers for System Operators and Network Owners

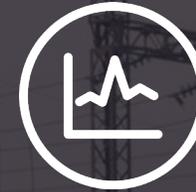


## Transmission Network Utilization Enhancement

**Applications Required:**  
Contingency support,  
congestion management,  
emergency power contribution

### Key value proposition

Reducing redispatch or curtailment costs and optimizing system-wide dispatch by increasing line utilization



## Advanced System Operation Stabilization

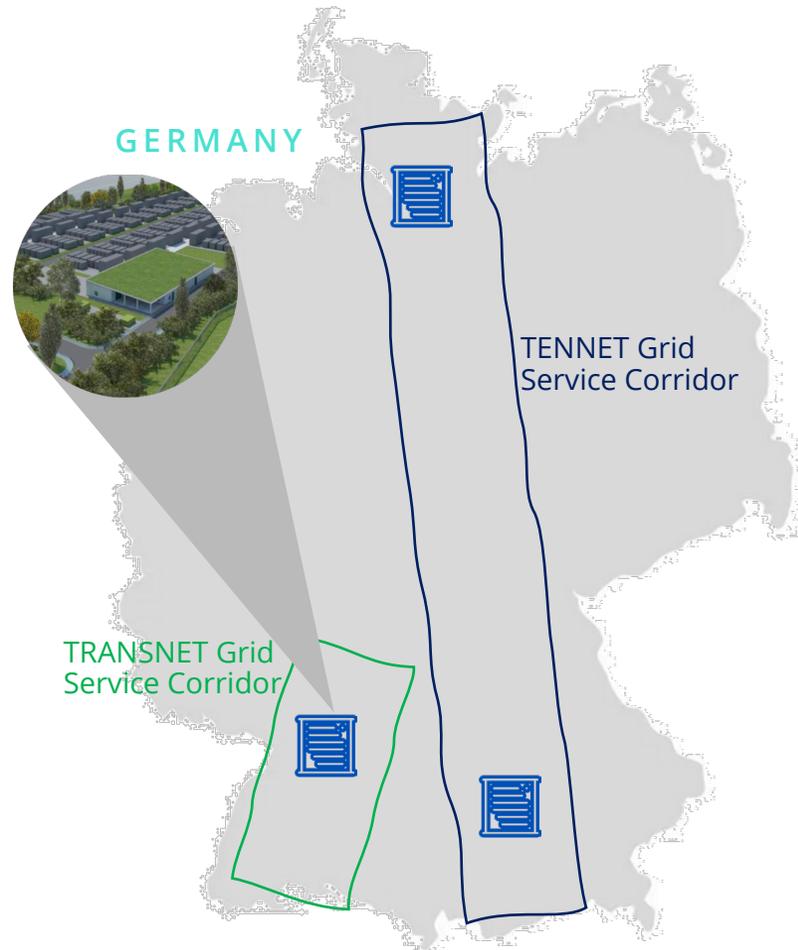
**Applications Required :**  
Synthetic inertia, virtual synchronous machine, oscillation damping, black start, system strengthening

### Key value proposition

Providing extensive set of next generation Ancillary Services from TSO owned or operated resources

# Global Case Study #1: Network-owned SATA in Germany to increase utilization of existing transmission lines

Fluence is a first mover in the German TSO segment with success at TransnetBW



Projects launched as part of Gridbooster program

**TRANSNET BW**

**Tennet**

**Size :** 1 x 250 MW / 1Hr

**COD :** Q2 2025

**Project status:**

Awarded to Fluence

**Size :** 2 x 100 MW / 1Hr

**COD :** Q3 2025

**Project status:**

Govt. Approval in process

## Benefits

- Reduce need for conventional reinforcement, operating costs & avoid derating of lines
- Ease bottlenecks stemming from moving wind energy from northern Germany to southern load centers
- Overall, reduces re-dispatch costs and lowers end user costs

## International experience

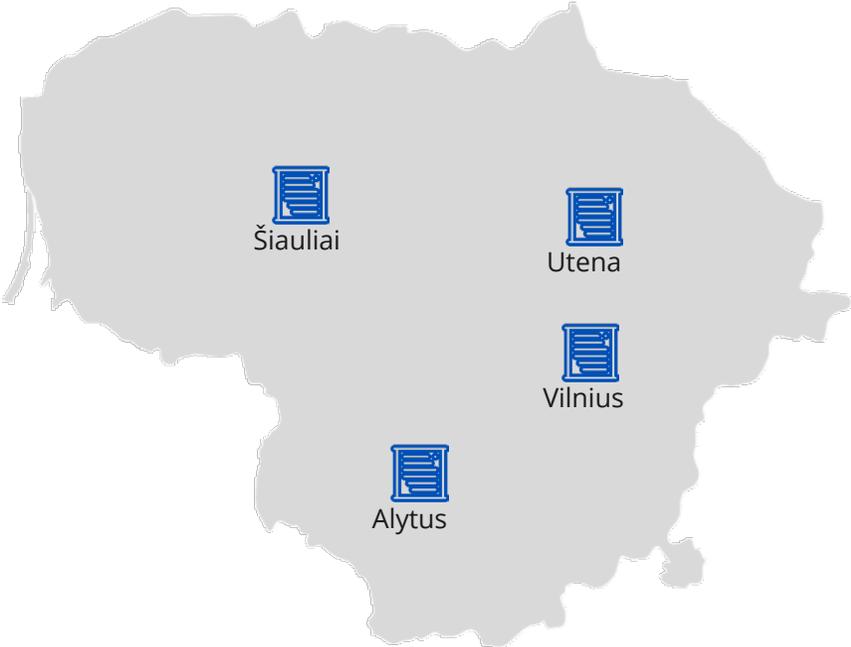
- Germany: 450 MW Grid Booster Projects
- Australia: 700 MW Waratah Big Batteries
- Chile: 2 x 500 MW SATA tender



# Global Case Study #2: network-owned SATA in Lithuania to benefit from several advanced energy storage services

## Enabling Lithuania's renewable energy transition and grid synchronization with the Continental European Network

LITHUANIA



**Size:** 4 x 50 MW / 1Hr  
**COD:** Q4 2022  
**Project status:**  
Awarded to Fluence



**Size:** 1 MW demonstrator  
**COD:** Q4 2022  
**Project status:**  
Awarded to Fluence



### Benefits

- Supports disconnection from Russian and connecting with continental Europe synchronous grid area
- Acts as instantaneous energy reserve for Baltic grid
- Started as a 1MW demonstration project. Helps Lithuania pivots towards 90%+ renewable energy by 2050.

### International experience

- Great Britain: 600 MW Stability Pathfinder projects
- Australia: 50 MW Broken Hill Project



Storage system co-located at Substations