

# Alternatives to flow batteries



## Overview

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What is a flow battery?

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What are lithium-based nonaqueous redox flow batteries?

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What is a hybrid flow battery?

This battery is considered a hybrid flow battery because their electron transfer reactions are within the solvated ions (Ce), similar to regular RFBs, and contain a surface/solution reaction, in this case Zn plating on the anode [ 43 ]. Below are the redox reactions that occur in these batteries.

Can redox flow batteries be used for community-scale energy storage devices?

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