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# Fuel Cell Energy Storage Construction

## Overview

What is a fuel cell?

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Are hydrogen based fuel cells a good storage option?

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What are the benefits of a fuel cell?

By-Products: The by-products of the process are water and heat. High Efficiency: Fuel cells convert chemical energy directly into electrical energy, reducing energy losses associated with combustion. Environmental Benefits: They emit only water vapor and heat, making them a clean alternative to fossil fuel-based technologies.

How do fuel cells work?

Fuel cells are electrochemical devices that convert chemical energy into electrical energy through a controlled redox reaction. They are distinct from batteries in that they require a continuous supply of fuel and oxidant (usually oxygen) to operate, while batteries store their energy internally.

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