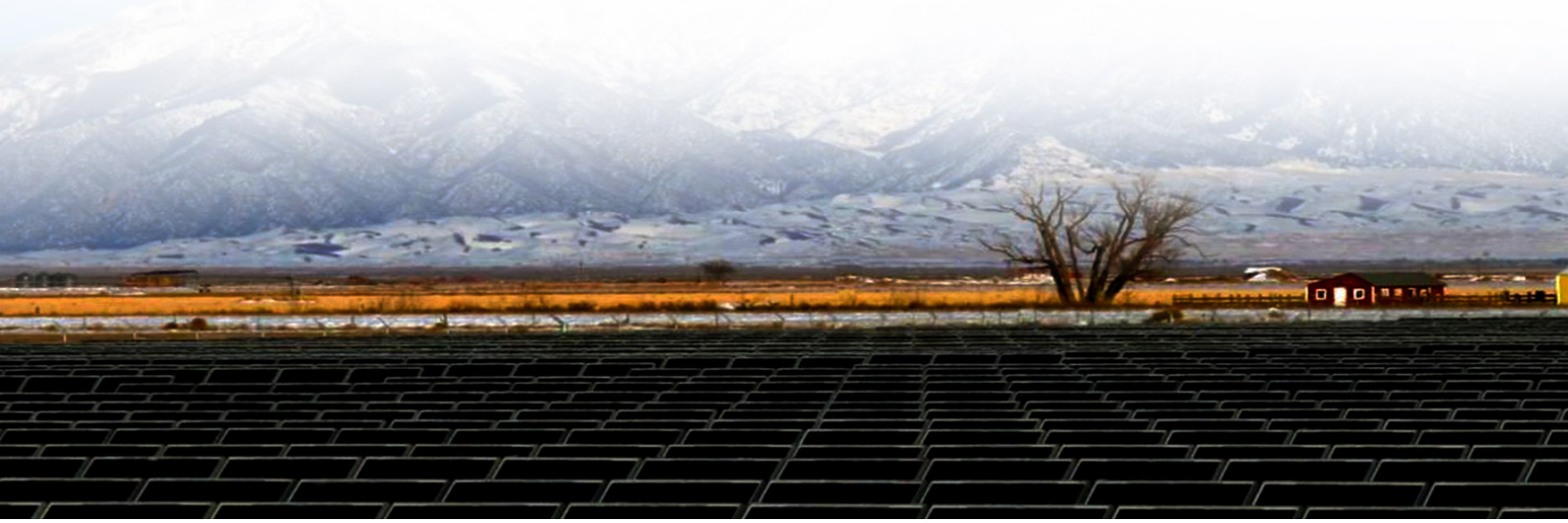
# Amsterdam Flywheel Energy Storage

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Netherlands-based energy storage firm S4 Energy has installed a 9MW hybrid-energy storage project near Amsterdam that uses flywheels and a battery. The KINEXT energy-storage flywheel and battery project has been in full operation since April and can release and store energy to deliver grid.

A hybrid energy storage system combining lithium-ion batteries with mechanical energy storage in the form of flywheels has gone into operation in the Netherlands,

from technology providers Leclanché and S4 Energy. Switzerland-headquartered battery and storage system provider Leclanché emailed.

Although lithium-ion batteries are commonly used, their production is not always environmentally friendly. That’s why, together with TU Delft, we explored a mechanical alternative: energy storage using a flywheel system. We designed a flywheel-based system as a sustainable alternative for. How many flywheels are in a hybrid energy storage system?

In a 9-megawatt energy storage project, six flywheels have been installed in combination with a large battery to create an innovative hybrid storage system in Heerhugowaard, around 35 kilometers from Amsterdam.

What is a flywheel energy storage system?

A typical system consists of a flywheel supported by rolling-element bearing connected to a motor–generator. The flywheel and sometimes motor–generator may be enclosed in a vacuum chamber to reduce friction and energy loss. First-generation flywheel energy-storage systems use a large steel flywheel rotating on mechanical bearings.

How can flywheels be more competitive to batteries?

The use of new materials and compact designs will increase the specific energy and energy density to make flywheels more competitive to batteries. Other opportunities are new applications in energy harvest, hybrid energy systems, and flywheel’s secondary functionality apart from energy storage.

Are flywheel-based hybrid energy storage systems based on compressed air energy storage?

While many papers compare different ESS technologies, only a few research , studies design and control flywheel-based hybrid energy storage systems. Recently, Zhang et al. present a hybrid energy storage system based on compressed air energy storage and FESS.

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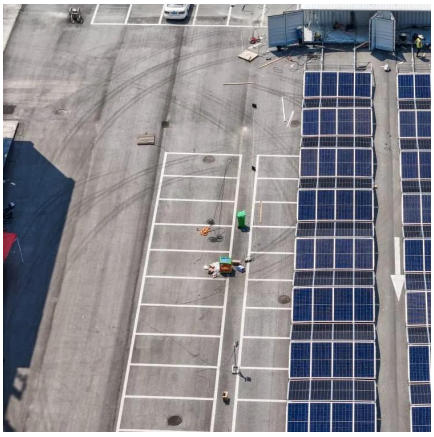

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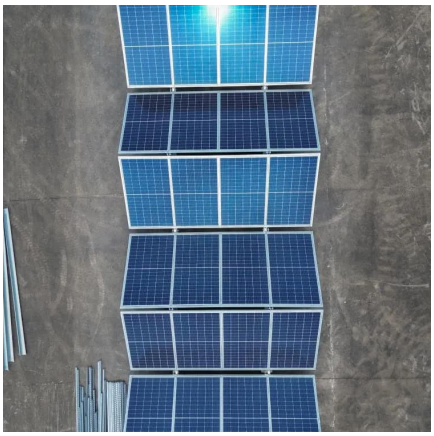

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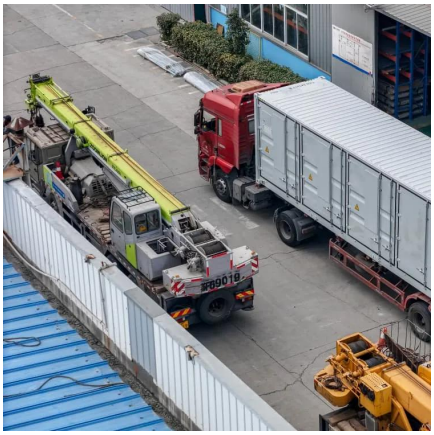

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