

#### What is a Calala Bess?

Covering 7 hectares of land and containing up to 960 battery enclosures and required infrastructure, the Calala BESS will act as a large-scale power generator connect to the NSW's electricity transmission grid. The Calala BESS will store up to 300MW of energy which can supply 4 hours of electricity to power up to 80,000 NSW homes.

### How much energy does the Calala Bess store?

The Calala BESS will store up to 300MWof energy which can supply 4 hours of electricity to power up to 80,000 NSW homes. When will construction start, and how long will the BESS last? Construction of our Calala BESS will begin from 2023 to 2024, taking up to 12 months to complete.

#### Where is the Bess project located?

It relates to the operational phase of the proposed BESS and not the construction phase. The subject land is located to the east of Calala in the Tamworth Regional Council Area in Northwest NSW. The land has an area of 36.3 ha and has frontage to Calala Lane.

#### How many MW is a Bess?

The construction and operation of a BESS with an estimated capacity of up to 300 Megawatts(MW) /1200 Megawatt hours (MWh). Associated infrastructure, including underground grid connection to the Tamworth 330kV substation.

#### How long does a Calala Bess last?

Construction of our Calala BESS will begin from 2023 to 2024,taking up to 12 months to complete. It can last for up to 25 years,after this period the BESS will be decommissioned,and the bateries recycled and repurposed. The information contained in this document is accurate as of December 2022.

#### Where is the village of Calala located?

The village of Calala is located approximately 500m to the west along Calala Lane. As has been stated,rural residential development is the most dominant of the surrounding land uses. A definition of this land use can be found in a planning text as follows:

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Lumea was pleased to host Equis Australia at the Tamworth 330kV substation for a site visit last week discussing connection options for the Calala BESS project. ? Many thanks to Keiren Tolley ...

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Calala BESS Advice on SEARs I refer to your email dated 20 December 2022 seeking input into the Department of Planning and Environment Secretary's Environmental Assessment Requirements (SEARs) for the preparation of an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the Calala Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) (SSD-52786213).

projects, like the Calala BESS, will support up to 480 jobs. Surroundings Biodiversity: Flora & Fauna Given the historic agricultural land use of the site, and poor state of the paddocks, biodiversity impacts are unlikely. . Positive Currently the site is somewhat neglected. Indirect unlikely Yes - this project Expert planning and environment

Calala es una organización comprometida con una transformación profunda hacia la justicia racial, colaborando estrechamente con comunidades que enfrentan discriminación y violencia sistémica. A través de nuevas herramientas y un enfoque en el aprendizaje compartido, trabajamos para promover una sociedad más justa, donde el financiamiento

The Calala BESS will have a storage capacity of up to 300MW and a discharge capacity of up to 1,200MWh, which is enough power to supply electricity to up to 80,000 homes for four hours. ...

The Calala Battery Energy Storage System is a 300 megawatt, 600 megawatt hour storage project proposed by Equis Energy, to be located approximately six kilometres south-east of Tamworth, NSW. Alongside the battery, the project will include a connection to Tamworth Substation via underground transmission lines and ancillary works.

They are: the 300MW/1,200MWh Calala Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) in New South Wales, 200MW/800MWh Koolunga BESS in South Australia and Lower Wonga BESS in Queensland, which is also 200MW/800MWh. However, the other three projects are at the proposals stage of their development. Equis managing director David Russell said ...

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The 300MW / 1,200MWh four hour Calala BESS is just to the north of the substation, but the Kingswood and the 200 MW / 400 MWh Tamworth battery are directly next to each other and across a road ...

Calala is a suburb of the Northern New South Wales city of Tamworth, administered by Tamworth Regional Council the 2016 census, [2] Calala had a population of 3,927. The suburb is 4.5 km southeast of the CBD of



Tamworth and is connected to the city by Calala Lane, which continues through the suburb to form its main street. Calala Lane often becomes flooded in times of ...

Rendering of how another AGL battery storage facility, at Torrens Island in South Australia, will look when completed. Construction began in November 2021 with Wärtsilä providing BESS technology. Image: AGL. Australia's biggest utility company looks set to be in ownership of the country's biggest battery storage facility so far.

southwest of the Calala BESS respectively, and Lambruk Solar Farm 8 km south (SEARs issued). Calala Battery Energy Storage System (SSD-52786213) Assessment Report | 4 . 2.2 Energy Policy Context . With a capacity of 300 MW / 600 MWh, the BESS could power around 120,000 homes during peak

The BESS will provide significant local benefits during construction and operation including investment in the local economy. The BESS will create approximately 170 full times jobs during construction and 7 during operations as well as ...

DP629969 (the Site). The Site is located approximately 1.7 km west of Calala town centre and 6km south-east of Tamworth. The Site is approximately 36.24ha in area and has a frontage of approximately 500m to Calala Lane. The footprint of the proposed BESS is located in the south-eastern portion of the Site,



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