



# Energy Storage System Value Chain

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With the determination of carbon peak and neutrality targets, and the need for the construction of new power systems, it is crucial for the high-quality development of the energy storage industry. This study aims to scientifically and accurately study the current situation and problems of its value chain, and analyze its driving factors and improvement paths. To that end, we constructed an empirical study under a combination of "Smiling Curve", Principal Component Analysis and three-stage DEA-Malmquist model. We based on the "Smiling Curve" theory, with the main business profit rate of 168 listed enterprises in the energy storage industry from 2010 to 2019 as the sample variable, the smile pattern of the value chain of the energy storage industry is studied. Further, PCA is used to explore the value-added driving factors. Based on the "smiling curve" theory, we evaluate the value-added capacity of energy storage industry. Using the Principal Component Analysis method, we excavate the driving factors that affect value-added capabilities. Adopting the three-stage DEA-Malmquist index methods to analyze the efficiency differences of each link of the value chain. With the intensification of global climate challenges and the energy environment crisis, the global energy structure is irreversible to transform to low carbonization [1,2]. At present, major countries and regions in the world have formulated the energy transformation and development goals to increase the proportion of new energy. China has also proposed to accelerate the construction of a new power system with new energy as its main body. Due to the randomness, intermittency and volatility of renewable resources such as wind and photovoltaic power generation, energy storage has become an important part of building a modern energy system. It can effectively improve the power system regulating energy, comprehensive efficiency, and energy security guarantee capabilities [3].

2.1. Improved "smiling curve" theory

"Smiling Curve" was first introduced by Stan Shih, founder of Acer Group in 1994. The theory analyzes the relationship between the main activity and value change of the IT industry. It divides the value chain into three stages: R&D, manufacturing and marketing. It creates a smile-like curve based on the level of value creation. After that, it was widely used in the study of the added value of the analysis of the industry value chain [45,46]. Value addition in the industrial value chain is the process of generating, transferring and adding value based on the industrial division of labor and cooperation [47]. Based on the economic characteristics of various basic activities and their value-added contributions to different degrees in the whole value chain, Sustainability | Energy Storage McKinsey's Energy Storage Team can guide you through this transition with expertise and proprietary tools that span the full value chain of BESS (battery energy storage systems), LDES (long-duration energy storage), and TES.

Staying Ahead of the Evolving Energy Value Chain

Innovations in energy storage, smart grids, and artificial intelligence are transforming energy production, distribution, and management, leading to a more secure and sustainable energy future. The Energy Storage System Value Chain: Powering Tomorrow's Modern energy storage systems aren't just batteries; they're AI-powered grid



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