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# Energy Storage and Offshore Wind: Unlocking a Critical Piece of the Clean Energy Puzzle

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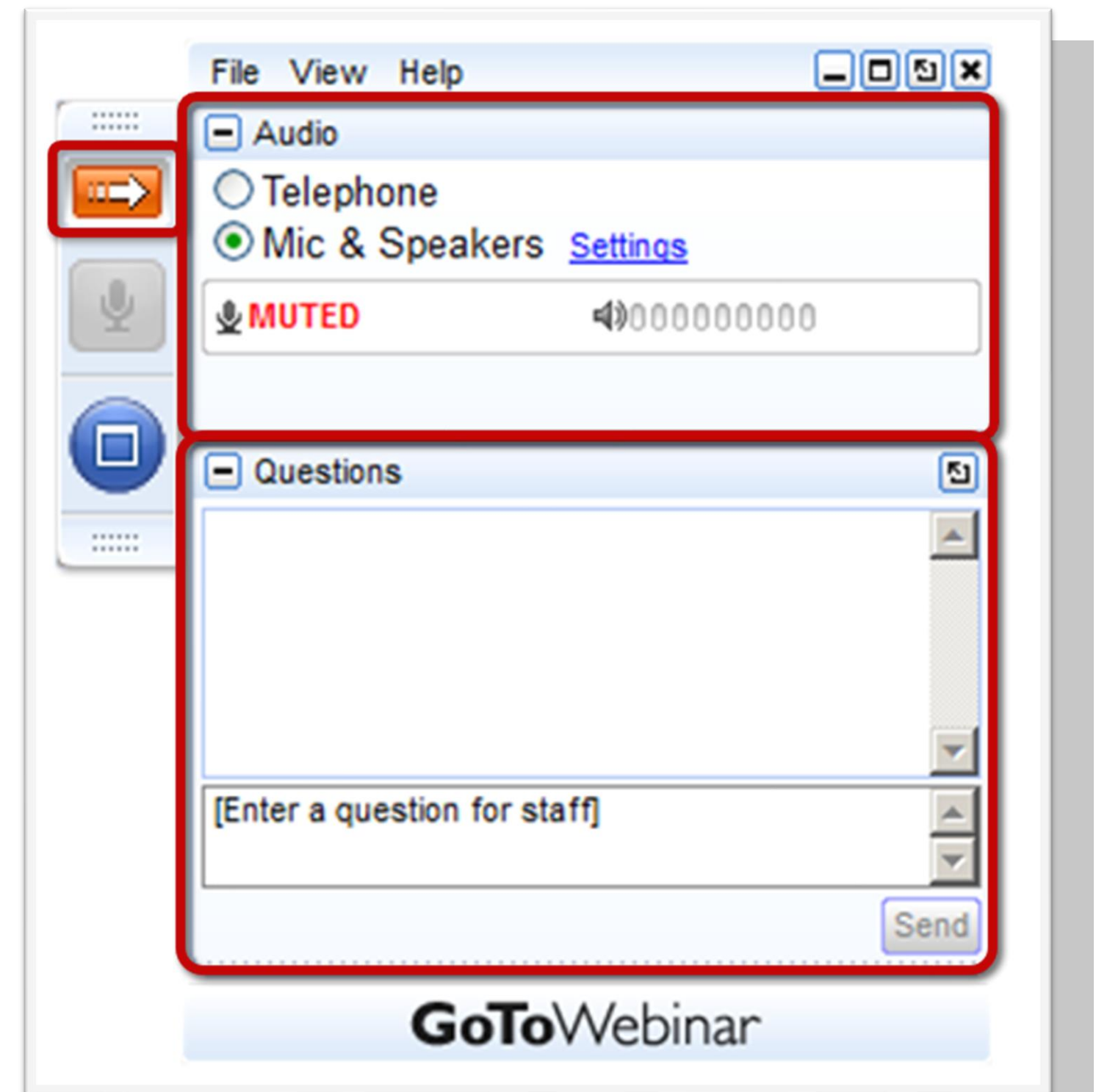
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The Clean Energy States Alliance (CESA) is a national, nonprofit coalition of public agencies and organizations working together to advance clean energy.

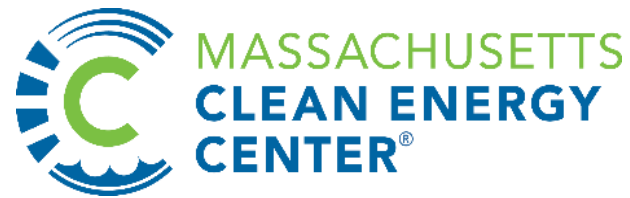
CESA members—mostly state agencies—include many of the most innovative, successful, and influential public funders of clean energy initiatives in the country.

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# Energy Storage Policy for States

Providing support to CESA members engaged in developing energy storage policy, programs and regulation.

Activities include knowledge sharing, direct policy support, and independent analysis.

The project leverages other CESA and CEG efforts, including the Energy Storage Technology Advancement Partnership (ESTAP) and CEG's Resilient Power Project.

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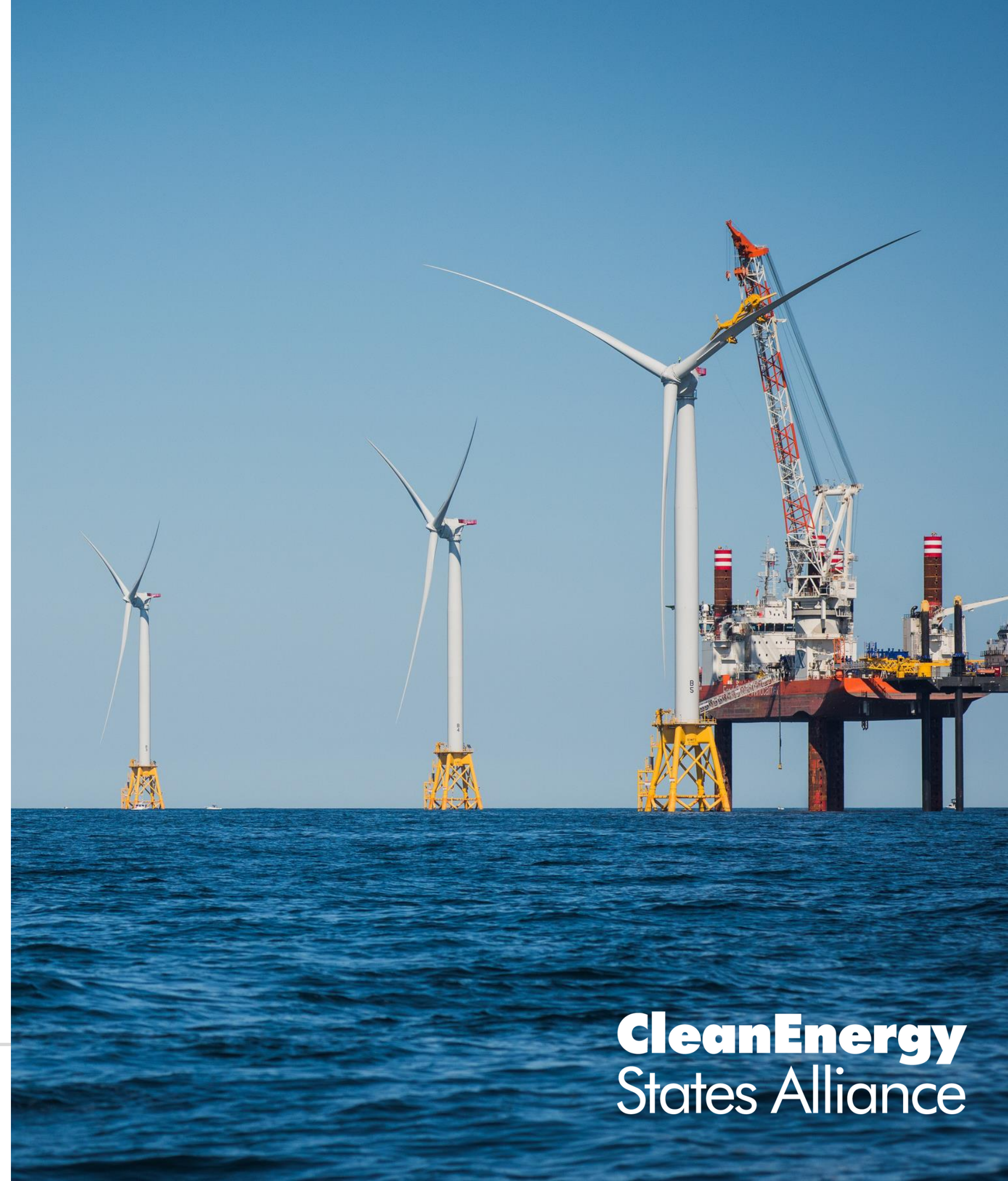
# Offshore Wind Accelerator

Engaging states in information sharing and networking to advance regional cooperation

Promoting equitable offshore wind development by working with frontline community-based organizations

Communicating offshore wind developments to a wide range of stakeholders.

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# Offshore Wind Power Hub

Interactive map tracks policies, projects and lease areas in the US.

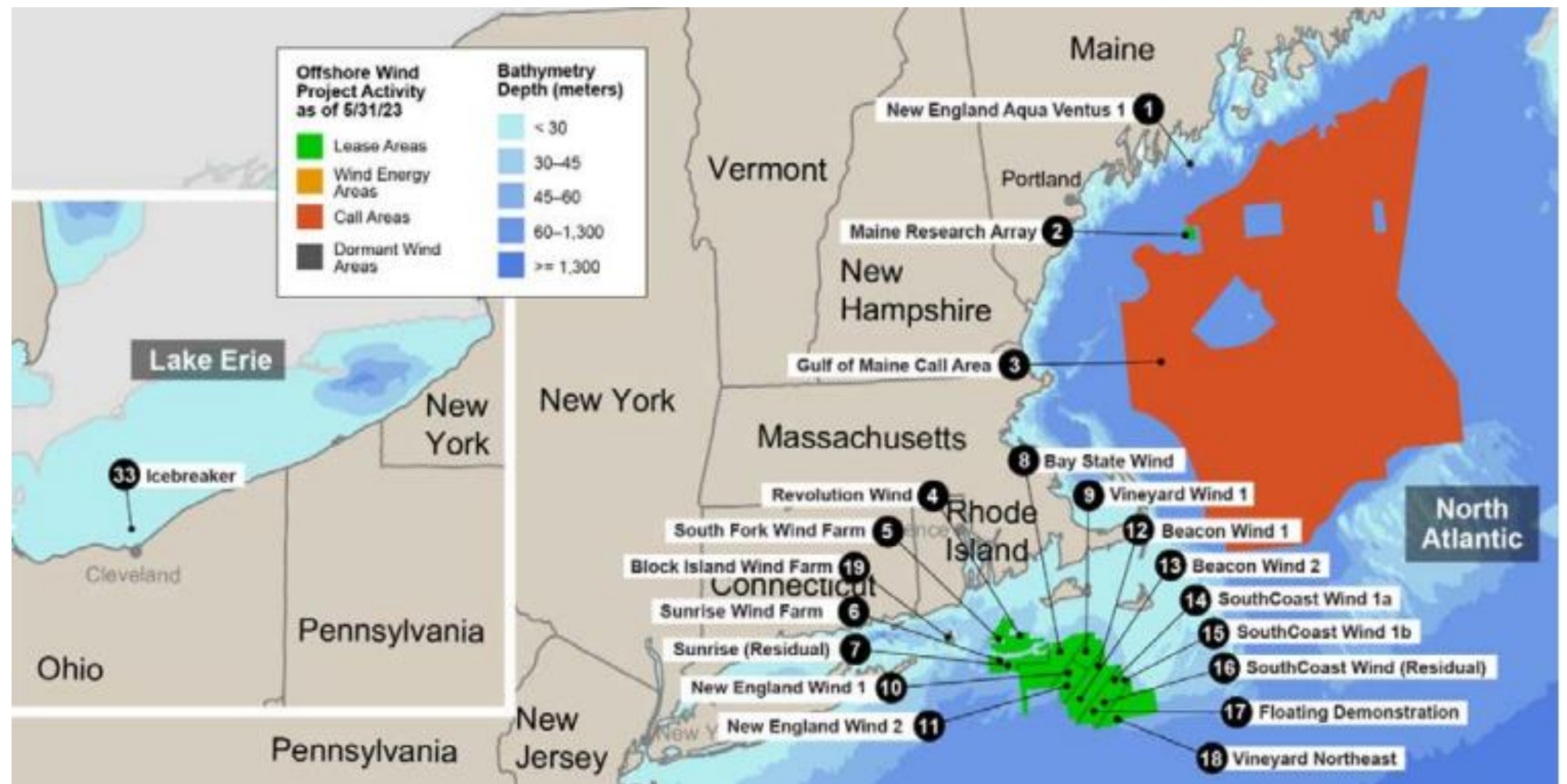
Policymakers and offshore wind advocates have access to an exclusive forum and resource library, to enable collaboration and information sharing.



# Offshore Wind in the US: Where We Stand

As of May 2023, the offshore wind project pipeline in the US totaled **52,687 MW** (DOE OSW Market Report).

Northeast states (ME, NY, NJ, MA, CT, and RI) have a collective goal of roughly **32,000 MW by 2040**.



John Frenzl, National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL)



# Stay up to date on CESA's Offshore Wind Accelerator



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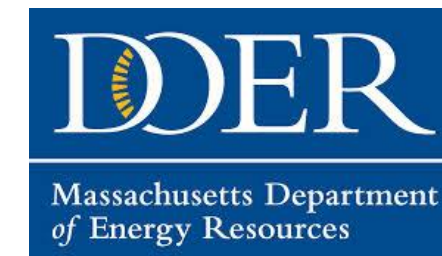
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# Energy Storage Capacity Value & Diversity Benefits with Offshore Wind



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Energy+Environmental Economics

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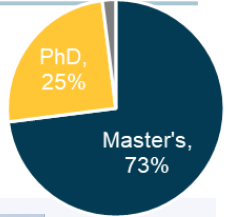
Liz Mettetal, PhD, Director

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300+  
projects  
per year  
across our  
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client base



## Example Recent Related Projects

- Maine Renewable Energy Goals Market Assessment (2021)
- Net Zero New England: Electric Reliability under Deep Decarbonization (2020)
- New York Energy Storage Roadmap – NYSERDA (2022, 2018)
- New York Peaker Repowering/Replacement Study – NYSERDA (2019)
- Minnesota Dept. of Commerce, Minnesota Energy Storage Cost-Benefit Analysis (2019)
- California Energy Commission, EPC-19-056, Assessing the Value of Long Duration Storage (2020-present)
- Confidential work for a number energy storage owners, developers and investors with a focus on revenue forecasting and market analysis

# About DOER

**Mission:** The Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources (DOER) mission is to develop and implement policies and programs aimed at ensuring the adequacy, security, diversity, and cost-effectiveness of the Commonwealth's energy supply to create a clean, affordable and resilient energy future for all residents, businesses, communities, and institutions.



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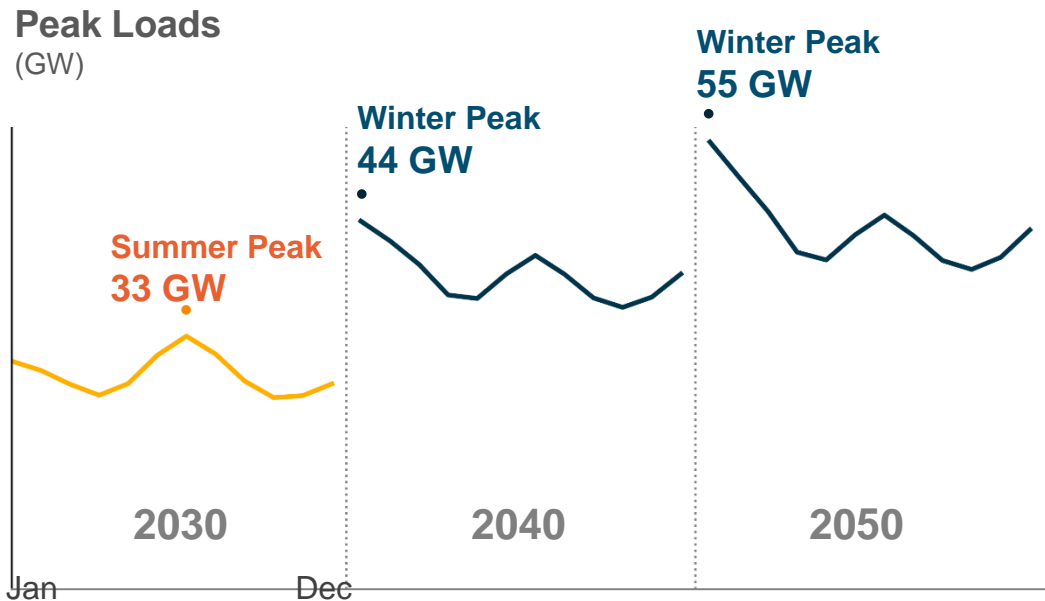
# 2022: Climate Bill, CECP, and Storage

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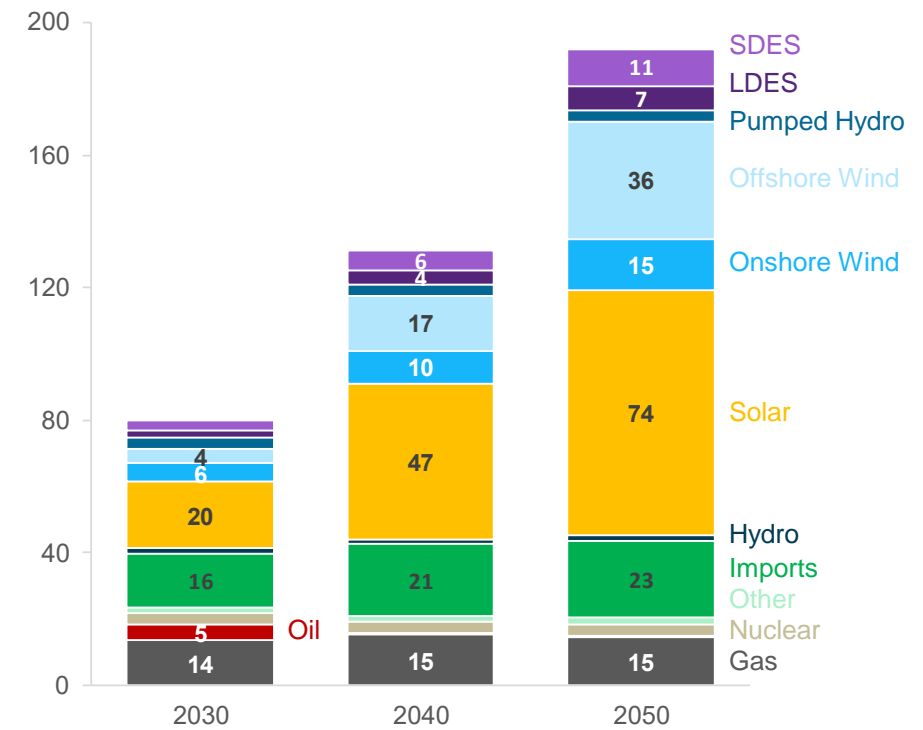
- **Legislative Requirement:** August 11, 2022
  - Section 80 of Chapter 179 of the Acts of 2022 (“An Act Driving Clean Energy and Offshore Wind”) requires DOER, in consultation with MassCEC, to conduct a study on the current status of energy storage and the potential role of mid- and long-duration energy storage (MDES and LDES, respectively).
  
- **Clean Energy and Climate Plan for 2050 (CECP):** Released December 2022
  - Lays out Commonwealth’s Plan to achieve Net Zero in 2050 in an equitable and just manner
  - Calls for collective GHG emission reductions of 85% relative to 1990 levels
    - Electric sector reduction of 93%
    - Requires 2.5x increase in electric sector load relative to 2020 and over 50 GW of solar and wind
  - 2050 CECP Phased Scenario was basis for reliability modeling, relates to potential role for MDES and LDES

# Study leverages the state's CECP 2050 portfolio to evaluate the potential for LDES to provide reliability

- + E3's resource adequacy modeling is based on New England's projected loads and installed electric capacity from the **Phased Scenario**
- + System transitions to winter peaking by 2040, with a peak of 55 GW by 2050



Installed Electric Capacity in New England CECP 2050, Phased Scenario (GW)





# Key Finding: Evolving Reliability Risks

+ In 2030, New England system peak load grows to 31+ GW but remains **summer peaking**

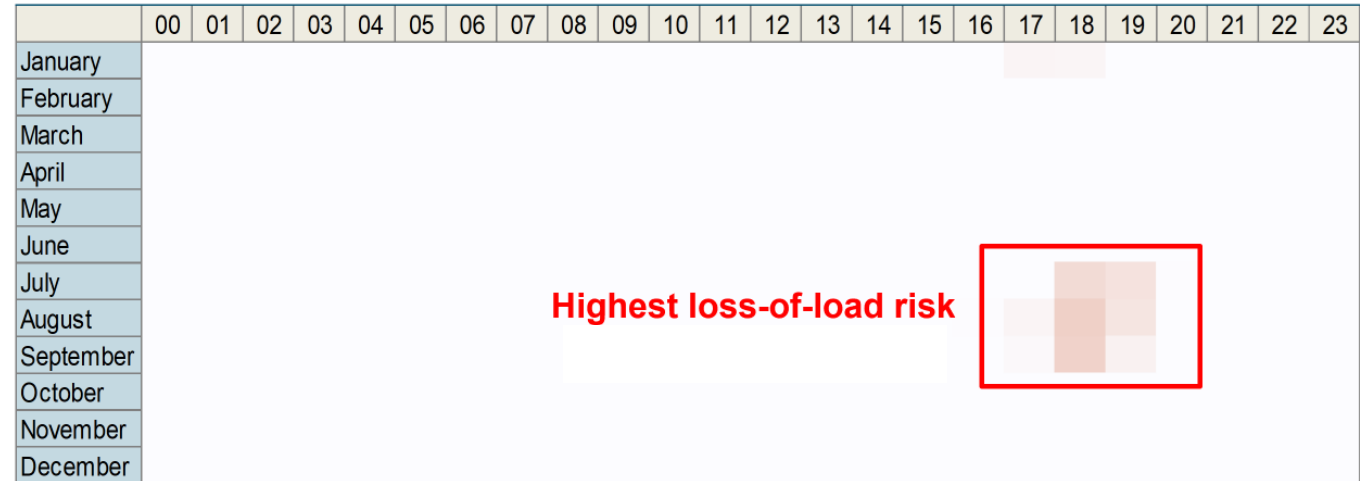
- Renewable output has shifted net peak into the late afternoon & evenings

+ By 2050, New England peak grows to 50+ GW **winter peak**, with highest resource need spread over longer windows

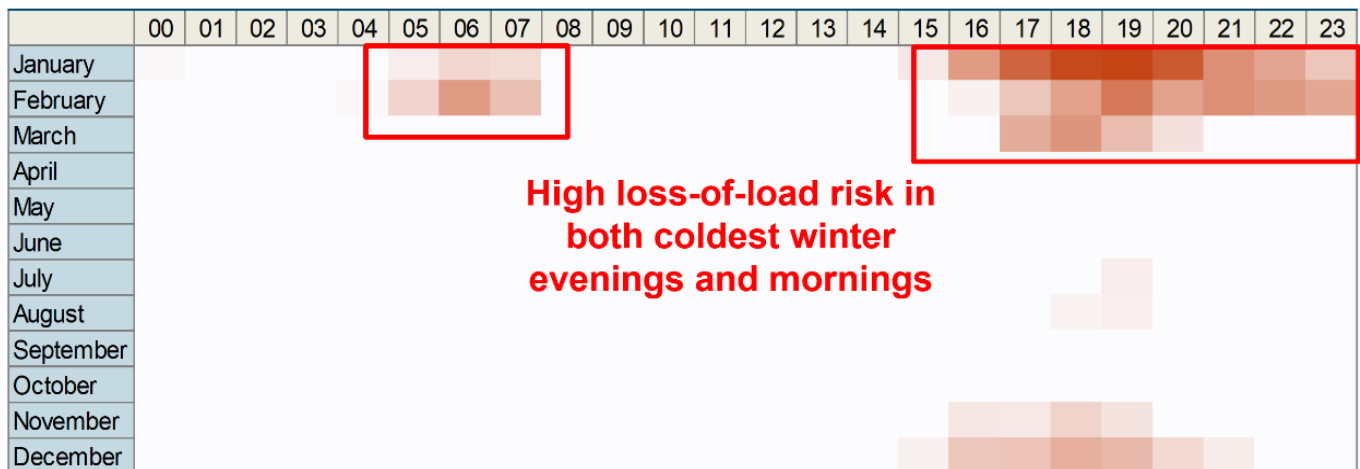
- Opportunity for storage resources to support large loss-of-load risk in winter events and into the morning

+ Energy storage of varying durations can mitigate the Commonwealth's grid reliability risks as it decarbonizes

Month-hour System Firm Resource Needs



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# Storage ELCC is a function of penetration and duration

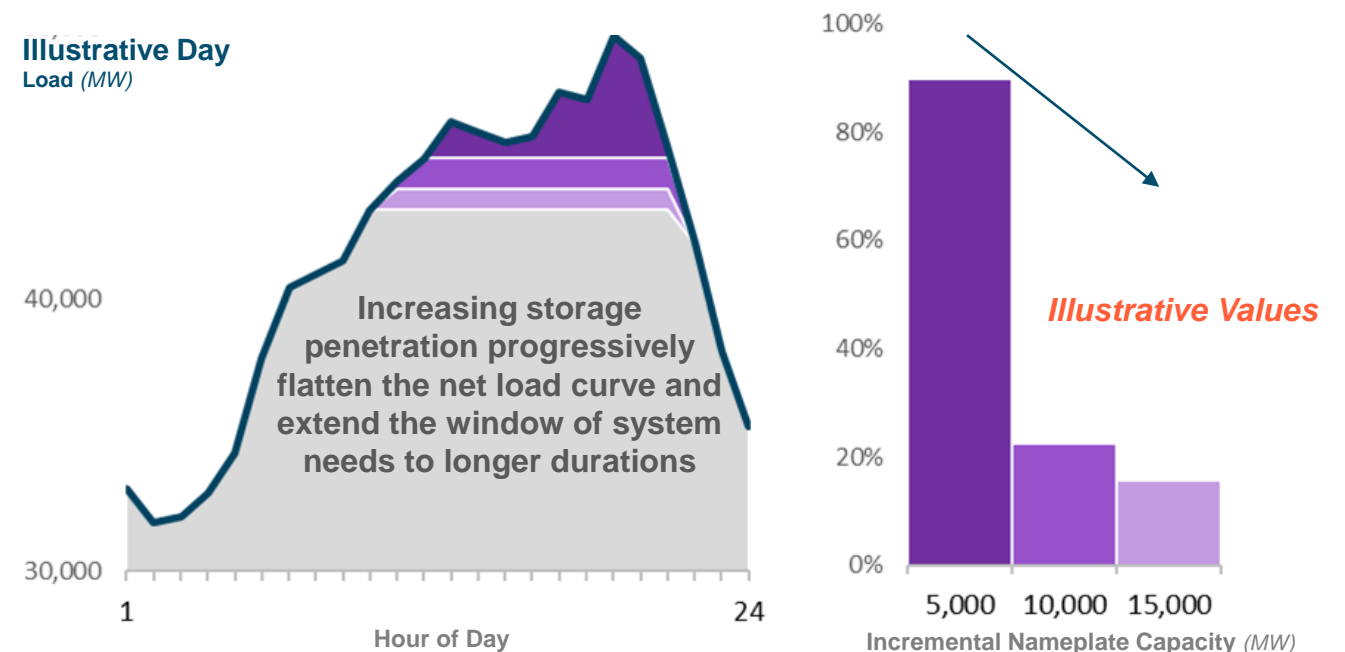
+ Effective load carrying capability (“ELCC”) measures a resource’s contribution to the system’s needs relative to perfect capacity, accounting for its limitations and constraint

- Variable and energy-limited resources can provide significant resource adequacy contributions

+ Energy storage resources exhibit **saturation effect** where their capacity value declines as more resources are added to the system

- Determined by its ability to dispatch over a sustained duration before getting depleted, energy storage capacity value can decline sharply after a certain penetration

Illustration of Declining ELCC for 8-hour Energy Storage as a function of Penetration

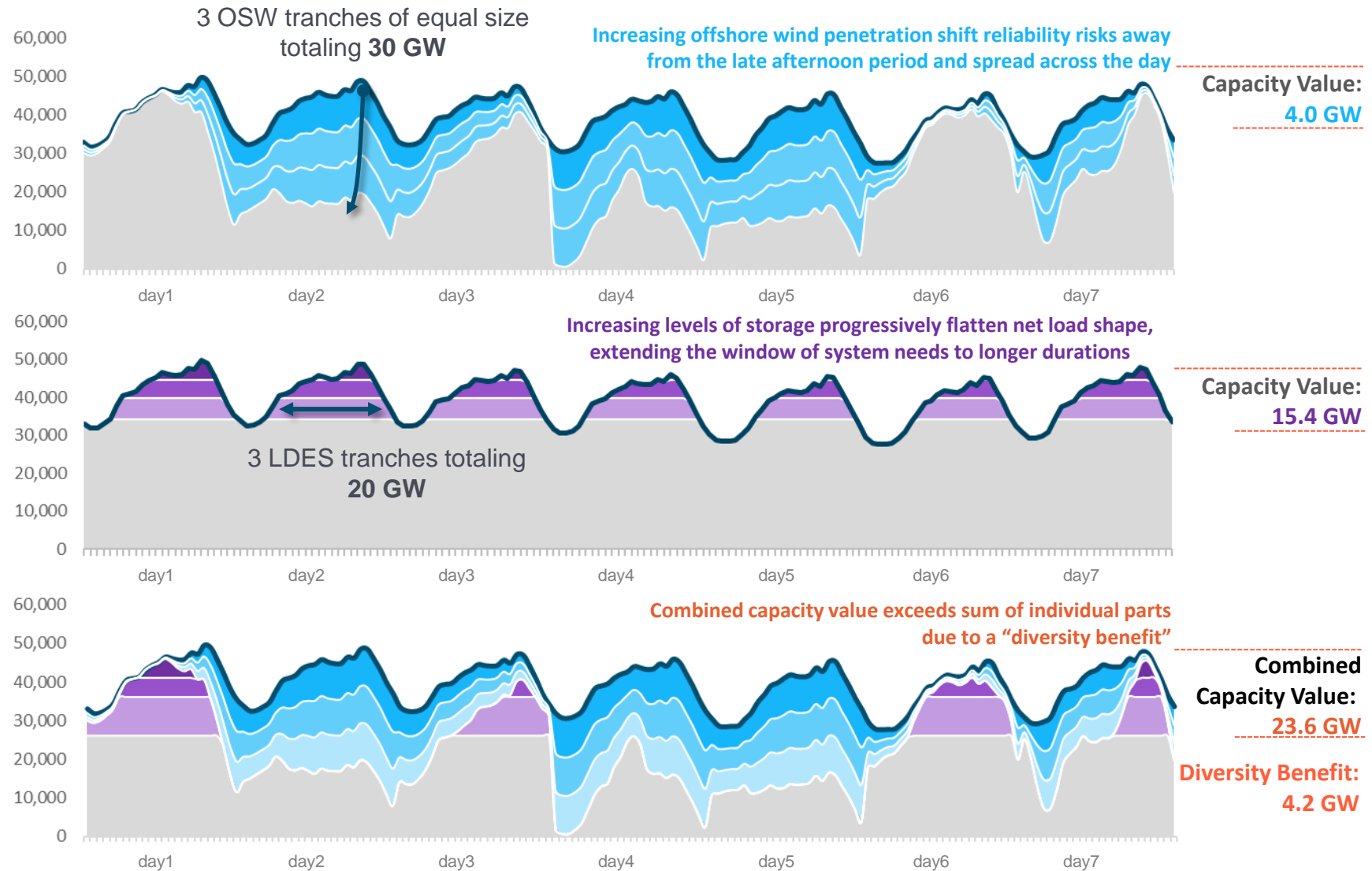


# Storage ELCC is a function of rest of the portfolio, particularly offshore wind

+ Storage ELCC, especially LDES, is dependent on the amount of renewable energy in the portfolio

- The complementary interaction between renewable and energy storage resources can create **diversity benefit** where a total ELCC is greater than the sum of its parts

+ Diversity benefit between offshore wind and LDES is a main driver of LDES ELCC, especially at high penetration

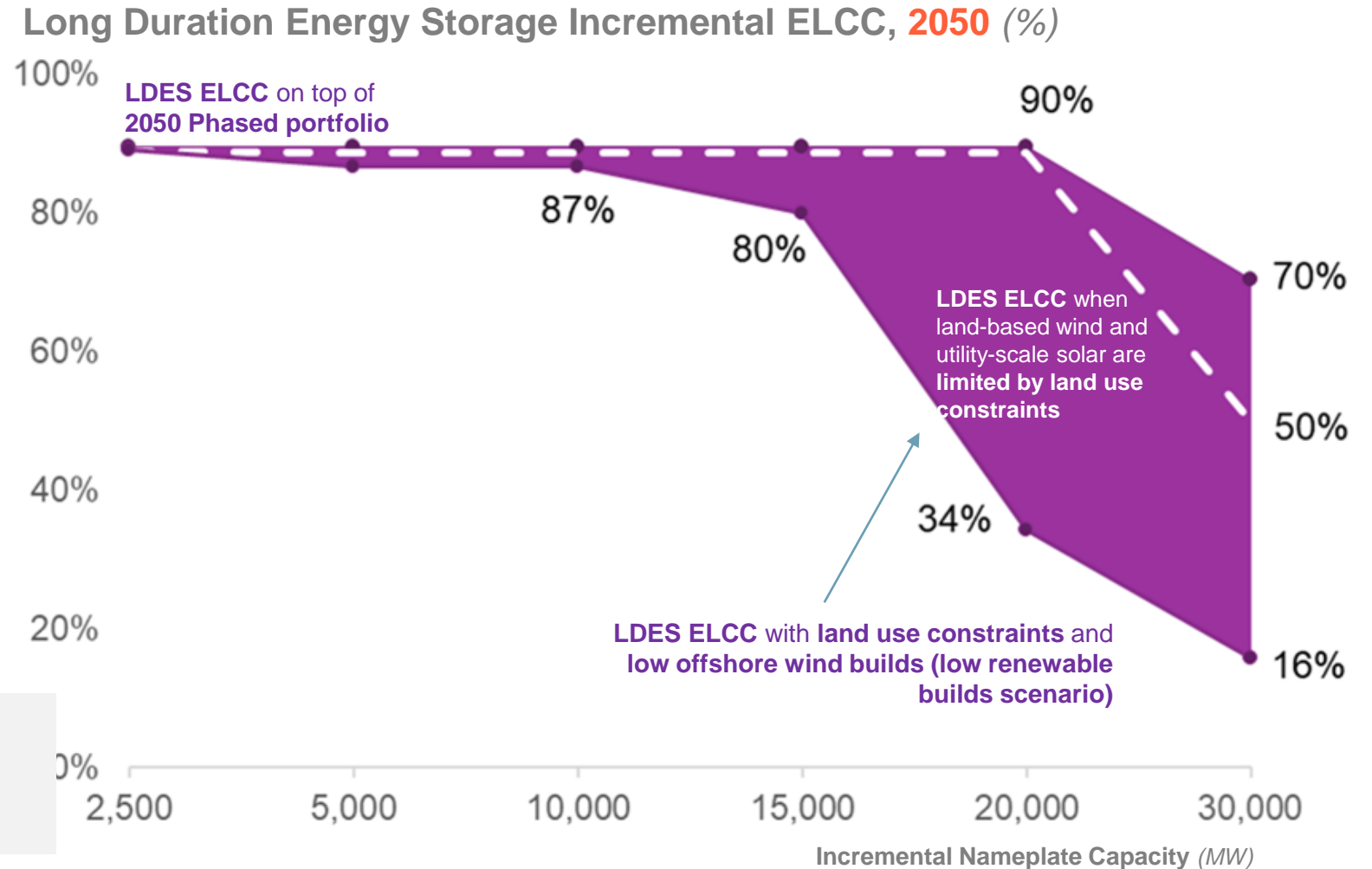


# Long Duration Energy Storage ELCC in 2050

+ LDES ELCC is high for the first 15+ GW of storage

+ In 2050, the difference between LDES ELCC under CECP Phased Portfolio vs. Lower Renewable Builds scenario is substantial, but only at higher penetrations

- After 15+ GW, LDES recharging capability is limited, and the system requires storage to dispatch even longer for effective peak-shaving



Scenario reflects:

- 11 GW short/mid duration storage on system
- Renewable range from low renewable to CECP 2050
- Solar: 22-62 GW; OSW: 11-30 GW; LBW: 9-11 GW

# Diversity benefit between LDES and offshore wind becomes evident at high penetrations

+ The “diversity benefit” of offshore wind and energy storage, particularly at longer durations, is **most significant at higher penetrations**

- Assumes all other renewables and energy storage resources (including utility-scale solar, land-based wind, SDES, and MDES) are included in the portfolio

+ Together, offshore wind can support needs in the late afternoon, allowing LDES to further shave that peak and shift excess energy generation to meet the extended needs into the morning hours

- Can also support extended low-renewable periods, given the abundance of high winter capacity factor offshore wind for charging

LDES Incremental ELCC (%), 2050, fixing OSW penetration

	LDES (MW)						
OSW (MW)	0	2,500	5,000	10,000	15,000	20,000	30,000
0		90%	89%	89%	77%	27%	16%
2,500		90%	90%	90%	73%	27%	16%
5,000		92%	91%	90%	73%	31%	16%
10,000		89%	89%	89%	87%	50%	17%
20,000		90%	90%	90%	87%	87%	36%
30,000		89%	89%	89%	89%	89%	70%

OSW Incremental ELCC (%), 2050, fixing LDES penetration

	LDES (MW)						
OSW (MW)	0	2,500	5,000	10,000	15,000	20,000	30,000
0							
2,500	67%	67%	67%	64%	57%	58%	58%
5,000	45%	47%	49%	50%	50%	56%	56%
10,000	21%	20%	19%	18%	32%	52%	54%
20,000	12%	12%	13%	13%	13%	32%	51%
30,000	6%	6%	6%	6%	7%	9%	42%

Diversity benefit between OSW and LDES (%), 2050

	LDES (MW)						
OSW (MW)	0	2,500	5,000	10,000	15,000	20,000	30,000
0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
2,500	0.0%	-0.2%	0.0%	-0.6%	-1.5%	-1.0%	-0.7%
5,000	0.0%	0.6%	0.8%	0.3%	-0.8%	-0.2%	0.1%
10,000	0.0%	-0.2%	-0.3%	-0.5%	1.6%	5.3%	4.2%
20,000	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	-0.1%	1.4%	8.8%	11.1%
30,000	0.0%	-0.1%	0.0%	-0.1%	1.3%	7.6%	15.3%

**Thank you!**  
**Questions?**