

erex Started Commercial Operations of Its Second Grid-Scale BESS Project Driving Expansion of the Aggregation Business

erex Co., Ltd. (Headquarters: Chuo-Ward, Tokyo; Representative Director and President: Hitoshi Honna; hereinafter referred to as “the Company”) announces that its second grid-scale BESS project, “the Sanbu District BESS Station in Chiba Prefecture” (hereinafter referred to as “the BESS Station”), which was announced on January 9, 2026, started commercial operations on October 20, 2026.

The BESS Station follows the first project, which started commercial operations in April 2026, and will contribute to the expansion of the Company’s aggregation business and creation of earnings opportunities.

1. Background of The Project

In Japan, the Seventh Basic Energy Plan was approved by the Cabinet in February 2025, outlining policies aimed at expanding the adoption of renewable energy. As renewable energy sources such as solar and wind power continue to increase, the importance of BESS (battery energy storage system) and aggregation business, which play a role in balancing electric power supply and demand is growing.

Leveraging the expertise in supply-demand management and market analysis that has been cultivated through power retail, trading, and power generation businesses, the Company is expanding its aggregation business by operating grid-scale BESS and providing grid-scale BESS aggregation services to manage BESS owned by third party companies on a contract basis.

Through the operation of the BESS Station, the Company will contribute to the stabilization of the power grid and the further expansion of the adoption and utilization of renewable energy.

2. Overview of the Project

As a grid-scale BESS directly connected to the power grid, the BESS Station contributes to stabilizing the balance between electric power supply and demand by charging surplus electric power during periods of high renewable energy generation and discharging it during periods of high demand. It also contributes to the stable operation of the power grid by rapidly charging and discharging in response to fluctuations in grid frequency.



Sanbu District BESS Station in Chiba Prefecture

■ Facility Overview

Name of the BESS Station	Sanbu District BESS Station in Chiba Prefecture
Location	Shibayama Town, Sanbu District, Chiba Prefecture
Rated Output	1,989.6 kW
Rated Capacity	8,147 kWh
Battery Type	Lithium-ion battery (LFP)
Site Area	1,014 m ²
The Company's Main Role	Operation and control of BESS (aggregator)

3. Overview of the Company's Aggregation Business

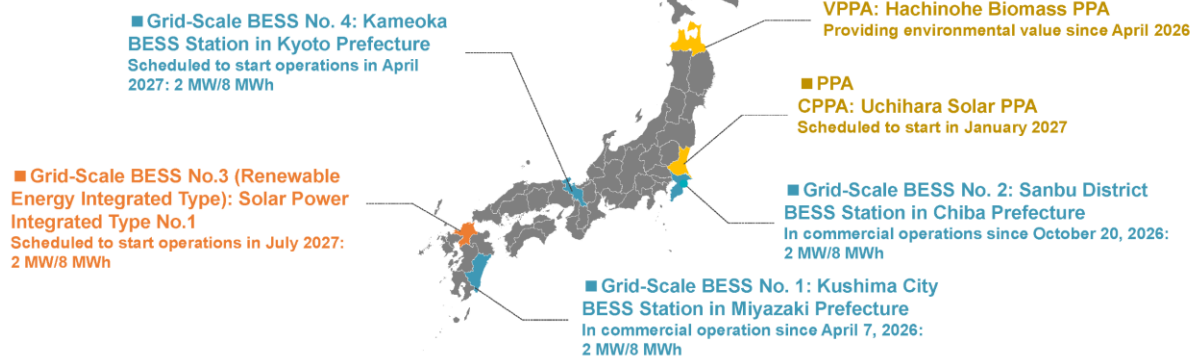
The aggregation business involves the integrated control and operation of distributed power sources, such as renewable energy, BESS, and demand-side resources, to optimize the balance between electric power supply and demand, thereby creating and providing value in the electricity market.

The Company is developing its aggregation business in the following four core areas:

- Grid-Scale BESS
- BESS Integrated with Renewable Energy
- Corporate PPA
- Demand Response

By combining these distributed resources, the Company aims to provide supply-demand balancing capabilities and create earnings opportunities in the electricity market.

Working toward nationwide operations, including in-house projects



Track Record of the Company's Aggregation Business

4. Future Developments

The Company is expanding its aggregation business through grid-scale BESS, renewable energy-integrated BESS, corporate PPA, and demand response, including the operation of the BESS Station and support for the utilization of BESS owned by third party companies, and aims to reach 100 MW of managed power capacity across its entire aggregation business by 2028. By enhancing the market value of grid-scale BESS and promoting their widespread adoption, the Company will contribute to the further expansion of renewable energy deployment and the stabilization of the power grid.

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