

# Cost of outdoor container terminals connected to the grid in ports

**1mwh** (500kw/1mw)

AIR COOLING  
ENERGY STORAGE CONTAINER



## Overview

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Port electrification projects require robust grid connections that provide sufficient power capacity, reliability, and flexibility to support vessel shore power, electrified equipment, and future expansion. Most large container terminals need: The grid connection must be strategically planned to. Electrification in terminal logistics covers two scopes: (1) grid-connected assets such as quay cranes and on-shore power supply for vessels (shore power / cold ironing) and (2) battery-electric horizontal transport (terminal tractors, AGVs, yard trucks). Governments and companies are setting timelines for reducing emissions, and C-suite terminal executives with technology and sustainability responsibilities are. Container terminals are the logistical heart of global trade, but they're also energy-intensive, traditionally relying on diesel and fossil-based electricity. Today, many ports are pivoting toward sustainability. On the other hand, nearly 3% of greenhouse gas emissions worldwide are generated by the shipping industry, and up to 90% of emissions<sup>1</sup> at ports embedded in our cities are caused by a share of local pollution. Associated costs and health issues can also affect the port facilities.

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### Evaluation of operation cost and energy consumption of ports

The cost of consumption per month for each resource group can be obtained from the terminal financial database, including operating costs, labor costs, maintenance costs and ...

### Good Practices

Hydrogen electric container handling equipment is between 67% and 139% more expensive in terms of TCO than their diesel counterparts.



### LIQUID COOLING ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEM

EMS real-time monitoring  
No container design  
flexible site layout



Cycle Life  
**≥8000**

Nominal Energy  
**200kwh**

IP Grade  
**IP55**

### What grid connection requirements do ports need for large-scale

Determining whether to pursue grid connection upgrades or implement on-site power generation involves a comprehensive assessment of costs, implementation timelines, and operational ...

### Smart, Connected, and Sustainable:

## The Transformation of Maritime Ports

Therefore, this article considers the transition from conventional to greener ports and fills the current gap in research on infrastructure, energy efficiency measures, obstacles, and the uses of ...



## PORT ELECTRIFICATION FOR CONTAINER OPERATIONS ...

Electrifying container port equipment is sometimes directly linked with automation as a combination of electrical equipment and automated operations at ports can bring multiple benefits, such as a ...

## , MANAGING ENERGY AT PORTS

Connecting a vessel causes events on the grid and operators are not necessarily electricians; the system must assure safety and performance during load transfer without specialist know-how ...



## Harnessing Renewable Energy in Container Terminals

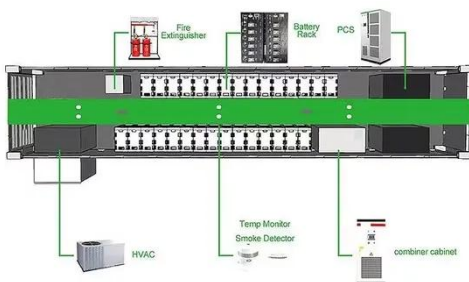
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### Electrification of Terminals - Guide to Decarbonized Operations

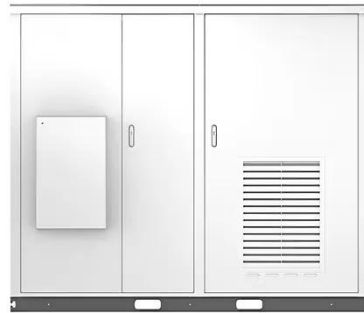
Beyond pilots, terminals move to stepwise fleet thresholds where operations stabilize and diesel infrastructure can be retired, unlocking further cost and complexity reductions.

### Ports must upgrade their electrical distribution systems

Demand for electricity in ports has massively increased due to the electrification of ships at berth and of equipment like vehicles and cranes in

the port. For example, in the UK, port electricity ...

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## **FOUR QUESTIONS WHEN CONSIDERING AN ELECTRIC ...**

While there is currently a significant cost differential between container handling equipment fueled with diesel and alternatives powered by electric motors, as more electric-powered equipment enters the ...

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