



# China-Belgium New Energy Sodium Battery Press Conference

Which companies are developing sodium-ion batteries?

As the global push for alternative battery technologies intensifies, Chinese cleantech leaders CATL, BYD, and Huawei are making significant strides in the development of sodium-ion batteries.

When will CATL's second-generation sodium battery be released?

On November 18, CATL announced its second-generation sodium battery. Addressing the World Young Scientists Summit, chief scientist Wu Kai said the new battery will be launched next year - four years after the release of CATL's first sodium-ion battery in 2021.

Will sodium-ion batteries replace LFP batteries?

CATL Chairman Robin Zeng envisions sodium-ion batteries replacing up to 50% of the market for lithium iron phosphate (LFP) batteries, which currently dominate the energy storage market. BYD is also making rapid progress. With a 30 GWh sodium-ion battery factory under construction, the company is preparing for large-scale deployment.

Which automaker will use sodium-ion batteries in 2023?

In 2023, CATL said Chinese automaker Chery would be the first to use its sodium-ion batteries.

Why are Chinese companies pursuing alternative batteries not based on lithium?

Lithium technologies are expected to advance quickly over the next few years. However, companies in China and beyond are frantically pursuing alternative batteries not centred around lithium, in part because the minerals needed to make the current options come from just a few countries.

Will China commercialise a solid-state battery in 2027?

China's CATL is similarly aiming to commercialise its solid-state battery in 2027, but only for small-scale production, the company's chief scientist, Wu Kai, said at an industry forum in April. Large-scale production would continue to face problems such as high production costs, Wu noted.

Super "extreme" large cylindrical technology: Zhongbi New Energy has profound accumulation in the research and development and manufacture of large cylindrical batteries. As early as 2006, China ...

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Since the launch of its first generation of sodium batteries in 2021, the Chinese giant has worked on a technological evolution that has positioned them as leaders of the state of the art today, anticipating the launch soon of the aforementioned sodium battery with 200 Wh / kg.



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The world's largest battery manufacturer has captured 45.9% of China's EV battery market as of September this year, but its share in the plug-in hybrid electric vehicle (PHEV) segment is lower at about 40.2%, closely followed by BYD at 30.9%, official figures have shown (in Chinese). Nearly six out of every 10 new energy vehicles (NEVs) sold this year by ...

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This year's Sodium-Ion Battery Tech is the premier exhibition and conference for Sodium-Ion Battery Technologies and Materials Development for OEMs to meet and collaborate with industry manufacturers. Attendees will explore new methods and technical know-how to address specific challenges in sodium-ion battery development for next-generation electric vehicles.

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On November 22, China's Huawei announced a new patent for sodium-ion batteries named "Electrolyte Additives and Preparation Methods, Electrolytes and Sodium-ion ...

The project represents the first phase of the Datang Hubei Sodium Ion New Energy Storage Power Station, which consists of 42 battery energy storage containers and 21 sets of boost converters. It uses 185 ...

In a groundbreaking shift, SNE Research forecasts China's sodium-ion batteries to enter mass production by 2025, targeting two-wheelers, small EVs, and energy storage. By 2035, their cost is expected to undercut lithium iron phosphate batteries by 11% to 24%, creating a colossal \$14 billion annual market.

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