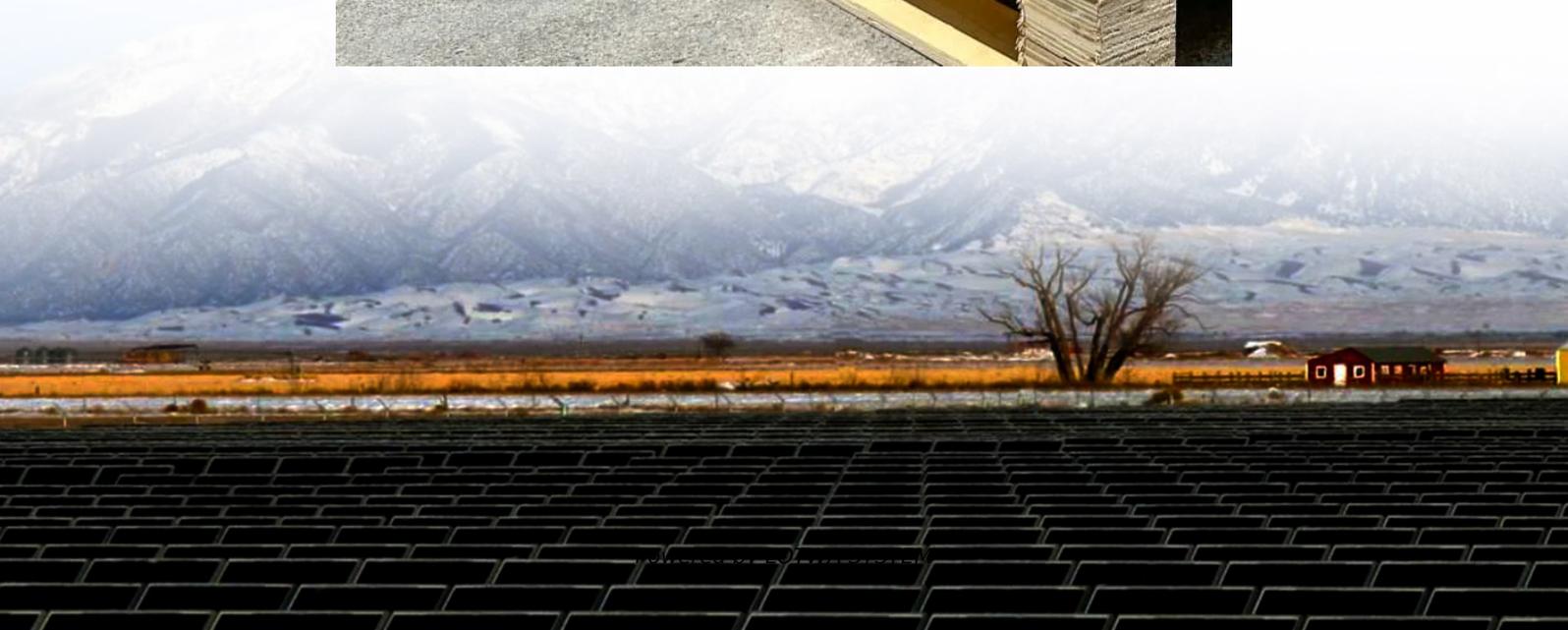


# **Beirut Light Rail Capacitor Energy Storage Device**





## Overview

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Findings have shown that the state-of-the-art solution using Lithium-ion Capacitors (LiC) increases the energy storage weight of the light rail vehicle by just 2.1 tons, equivalent to 3.5% of the light rail's total weight, making it a feasible option to retrofit. Should rail vehicles have onboard energy storage systems?

Rail vehicles with onboard energy storage systems (OESSs) have gained increasing interest in recent years. These vehicles can minimize costs by reducing maintenance and installation requirements of the electrified infrastructure, and offer improved energy efficiency and potential catenary-free operation.

Can energy storage technologies be integrated into railway systems?

The wide array of available technologies provides a range of options to suit specific applications within the railway domain. This review thoroughly describes the operational mechanisms and distinctive properties of energy storage technologies that can be integrated into railway systems.

How energy storage solutions are implemented onboard railway vehicles?

Energy storage solutions onboard railway vehicles are implemented using various technologies, with supercapacitors being one of the most common. Supercapacitors have short charging and discharging times, comparable to braking times of urban light rail vehicles.

Which high-speed train has a self-propelled battery system?

Most of them are employed in LRV. However, the N700S Shinkansen is the world's first high-speed train equipped with a self-propelled battery system (in this case, a Li-ion battery) which makes this battery system particularly noteworthy.



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