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Agenda

- DER-VET update
- Degradation Reference Case

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DER-VET Software Update

DER-VET Version 1.1.2 (bug fixes to v1.1.1)

* Release in mid-September

Items that will be addressed in the update:

- Project reset can occur with save buttons
- Top Navigation Bar size of DER-VET logo
- User Services time series input bug
- Calendar degradation input type change for Batteries



Degradation Reference Case

Ageing Stress Factors

High Temperature

Low Temperature

High SOC/Voltage

Low SOC/Voltage

High Current Rate

High Pressure

Degradation Mechanism

SEI growth

SEI decomposition

Electrolyte decomposition

Graphite exfoliation

Lithium plating/Dendrite formation

Loss of electric contact

Electrode particle cracking

Transition metal dissolution

Corrosion of current collectors

Degradation Mode

Increase of Impedance

Loss of Lithium Inventory

Loss of Active Material

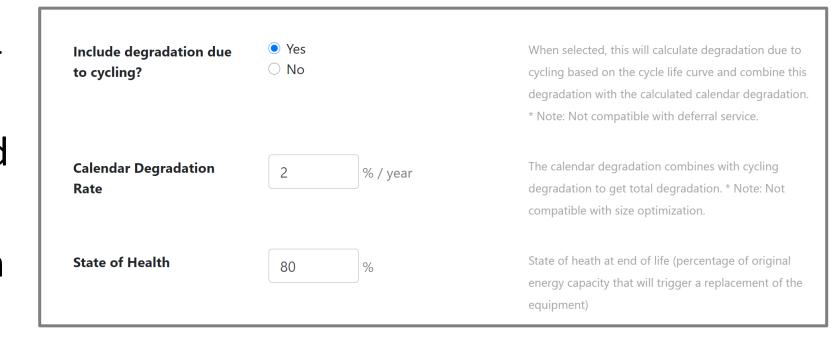
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Degradation Reference Case

- Based on CAISO Market case
 - No ancillary services –
 just energy shifting
- Degradation is turned on
- Calendar degradationrate = 2%/yr



Degradation Reference Case

- Enter an expected lifetime then compare the expected lifetime to the dynamic degradation results.
- Re-run the case with the dynamic degradation results as the expected lifetime. Repeat as necessary.

Expected Lifetime

The number of years the Battery will operate before new equipment is required to continue operation.

Degradation Reference Case – Cycle Life Curve

- Each entry represents the number of cycles at that depth of discharge it would take to degrade the battery from its beginning of life to its end of life
- In json or command line, you can change the EOL condition used to make this table. Default = 80%
- Default curve based on an aggregation of public LFP cycle life curves

Battery Storage: Cycle Life Curve

Specify the cycle life curve for this battery.

Cycle Depth Upper Limit must be a number between 0 and 1 (inclusive)

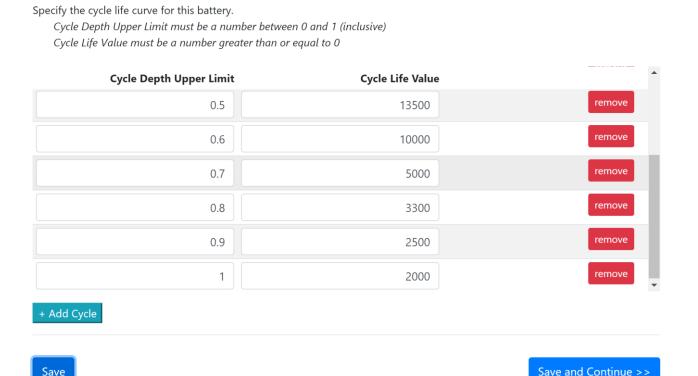
Cycle Life Value must be a number greater than or equal to 0

0.1 63000 0.15 42000 0.2 31500 remove 0.3 17500 remove	Cycle Depth Upper Limit	Cycle Life Value	•
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0.3 17500 remove	0.15	42000	remove
0.5	0.2	31500	remove
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0.4	0.4	10500	remove
0.5 7000 remove	0.5	7000	remove



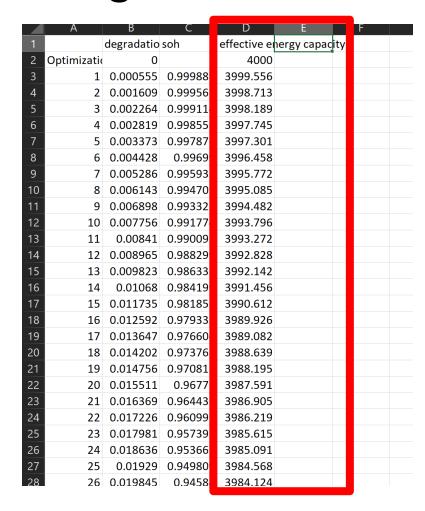
Degradation Reference Case – Cycle Life Curve

- This case contains a shorterlife cycle life curve than the default.
- Based on an older NMC cell

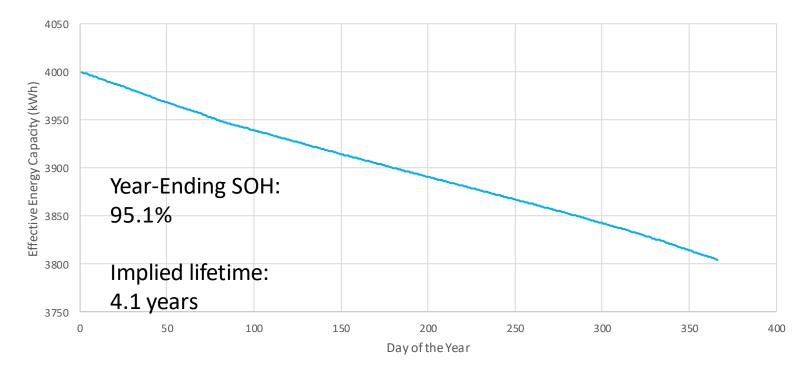


Battery Storage: Cycle Life Curve

Degradation Reference Case - Results

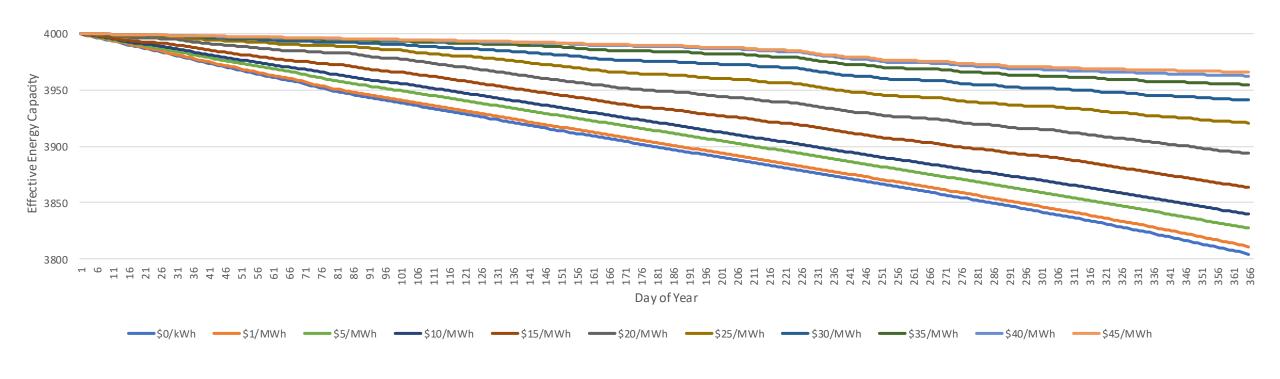


- ...degradation_data.csv
- Labeling issue in columns B and C look at column D



Degradation Reference Case - Sensitivity

Adjust variable O&M cost to suppress cycling

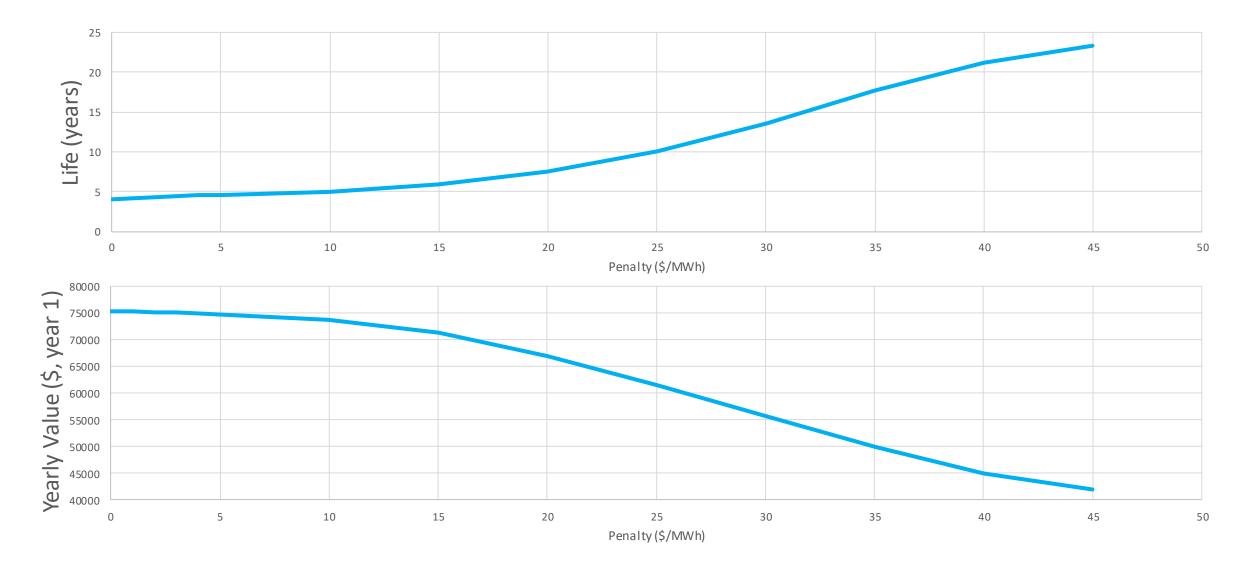


Variable O&M Costs

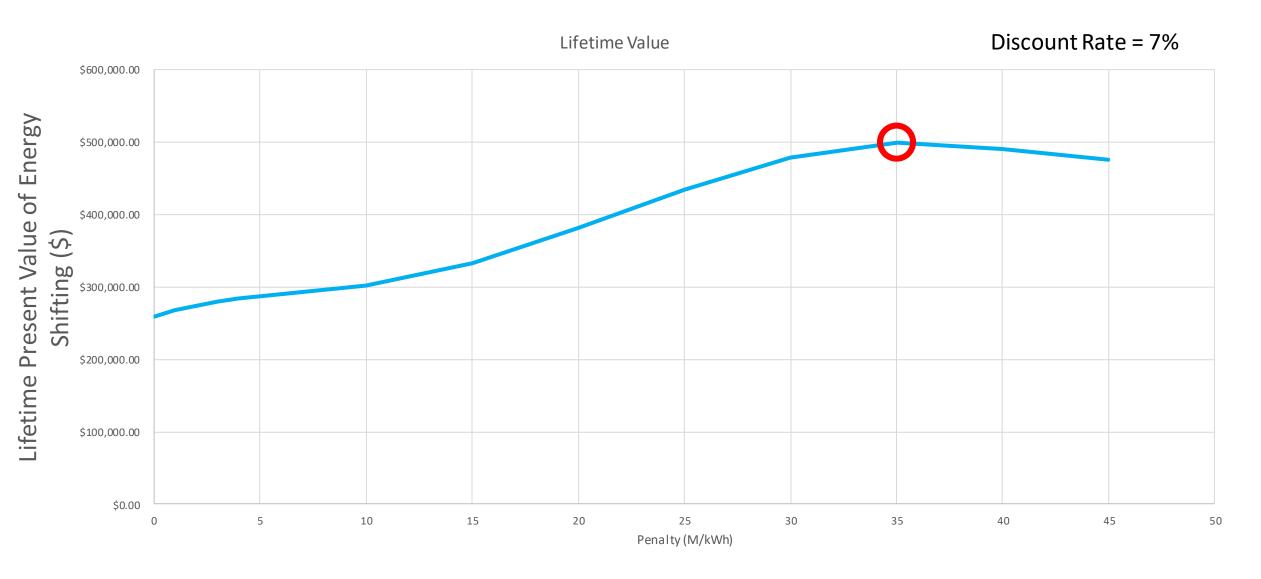
0 \$ / MWh-year

What is the variable cost of operations and maintenance for the battery storage system?

Degradation Reference Case - Sensitivity



Degradation Reference Case - Sensitivity



Degradation Reference Case - Results

