Flywheel energy storage unit in Toronto Canada

What is the Clear Creek flywheel energy storage system?

The Clear Creek Flywheel Energy Storage System is a 5,000kW energy storage projectlocated in Norfolk County,Ontario,Canada. The electro-mechanical energy storage project uses flywheel as its storage technology. The project was announced in 2013 and was commissioned in 2016.

Can a flywheel generate electricity on demand?

The flywheel's momentum can then be harnessed to generate electricity on demand. Temporal Power's flywheel technology provides high-performance energy storage with high power,fast response,and unlimited cycling capacity. Each flywheel weighs about 12,000 pounds and can spin at speeds in excess of 11,000 RPM.

What is the Minto flywheel project?

The Minto flywheel project in Ontario is a "mechanical battery" that stores electricity in the form of kinetic energy-- one ingenious solution to the search for the "holy grail" of the electricity system. Inside the NRStor Minto Flywheel Project building. Image: NRStor. From the May 2016 print edition,page 33

Are flywheels a game-changing technology?

Annette Verschuren,NRStor's chair and chief executive officer,says: "Flywheels are a game-changing technologythat can significantly optimize the performance of our electricity system. We see enormous opportunity for flywheel energy storage in Canada." Geoff Osborne is an associate at NRStor,based in Toronto. E-mail gosborne@nrstor.com

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In Canada, Toronto-based NRStor has a flywheel storage facility that has operated in Minto, Ont., since 2014, and recently bought a second flywheel storage project in Clear Creek, Ont.

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