

# Low Cost, Fast-Scaling Organic Flow Batteries that Actually Work

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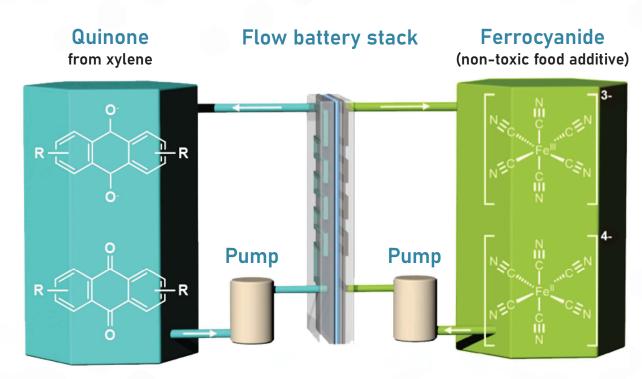
## Quino Energy Makes Organic Flow Batteries



## Our water-based quinone battery is:

- > 30-40% cheaper than LFP
- > with a 3x smaller footprint,
- > doesn't catch fire, and
- > is Made in USA with no critical or PFAS materials.

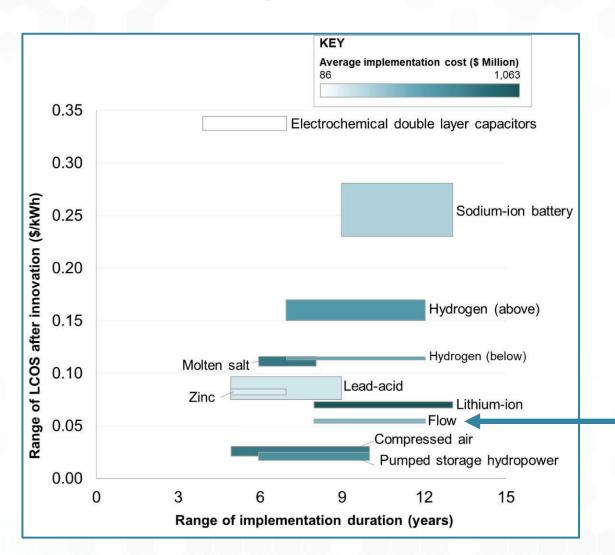
Quino's vision is to become the dominant battery tech for mid-duration storage. (8-40 hours)



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# DOE: Organic Flow Batteries Will Be the Only Non-Geologic LDES Technology with Lower LCOS than Lithium-Ion



#### **Aug 2024 DOE LDES Report:**

Novel active electrolytes and their manufacture (that's us!) will realize an LCOS closest to the \$0.05/kWh goal.

Li-ion needs 3x the investment and still cannot be low enough.

https://www.energy.gov/sites/default/files/2024-08/Achieving%20the%20Promise%20of%20Low-Cost%20Long%20Duration%20Energy%20Storage\_FINAL\_08052024.pdf



# Quino Energy's Drop-In Replacement for Vanadium Leverages Existing Hardware and is Fast to Deploy

Vanadium is by far the largest cost component of flow batteries. (~70% for a 10-hr system)

We replace vanadium with an organic reactant that is 1/4 the cost, Made in USA, and unconstrained in supply: >20,000 GWh/year. Proven at up to 100 kWh with commercial hardware and on an onsite microgrid: TRL 6

Zero-waste pilot production line for organic reactants in Buffalo NY: MRL 7

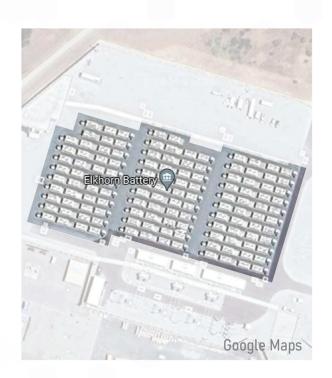


## 3x Higher Energy Density than LFP and No Fires

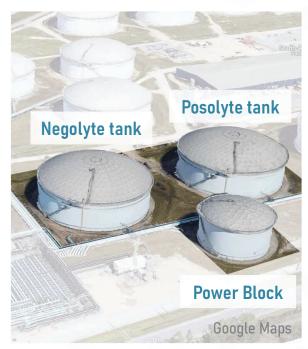


- > LFP batteries must expand horizontally, Quino's batteries can expand vertically
- > Chemically compatible with carbon steel tanks unlike vanadium RFBs

Repurposing liquid terminal assets for utility-scale projects saves time and project costs.



Elkhorn Battery in Moss Landing, CA (Tesla Megapack 2 XL) 730 MWh, 13,500 m<sup>2</sup>, 54 kWh/m<sup>2</sup>



Enterprise Products Tank Farm in Houston, TX (Hypothetical Quino RFB) 3 GWh, 18,000 m<sup>2</sup>, 167 kWh/m<sup>2</sup>

### **Opportunities**



#### **Piloting**

- Host sites for C&I scale at 2-10 MWh (BTM or FTM ok)
- > Conventional 40-foot container or large tank form factor

#### Chemical

> Toll manufacture site(s) to host and expand the pilot line

#### Manufacturing

- Packaging and intermodal logistics
- Sourcing and supply chain management

#### **Permitting**

Updating the fire code to simplify installation and siting for true non-flammable flow batteries like Quino's



# For more information, get in touch

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## Quino Energy's LCOS is 40% Lower than LFP -- Why?



#### LCOS differences come from:

✓ Higher depth of discharge vs. LFP (100% vs. 80%)

√ >10x slower degradation vs. LFP

✓ Surprisingly, lower taxes due to increased charging costs arising from lower efficiency

