



2025 GOVERNMENT BATTERY REBATE

**What we know so far about
the 2025 Battery Rebates!**



Government Battery Rebate Summary (Starting July 1, 2025)

Start Date & Pre-installation Eligibility

The official start date is July 1, 2025. Batteries installed before then may still be eligible — but only if they are not switched on or commissioned until July 1.

\$372/kWh Rebate (Approx. \$330 after fees)

Maximum of \$372 per kilowatt-hour... likely to be around \$330 per usable kWh after administrative fees.

50kWh Cap / 100kWh Max Install

Maximum amount of usable capacity is 50 kWh – but you can install systems up to 100 kWh and still receive the rebate for a 50kWh system.

Annual Reduction Until 2030

The subsidy amount will reduce each year until the end of 2030.

STC Rebate for Panels Still Applies

STC rebate for panels is still the same. Claimed in 2 parts.

Not Means Tested

The subsidy is not means-tested.

Eligible Participants (Homes, Businesses, Community Facilities)

Available to small businesses and community facilities.

CEC Approval & Accreditation Required

Batteries will need to have been approved by the Clean Energy Council and installers must have appropriate battery installation accreditation.

Minimum 5kWh / Maximum 50kWh Rebate

Minimum amount of usable capacity covered under the scheme is 5kWh.”

VPP-Capable, but Joining Not Required

Solar batteries must be capable of connecting to a Virtual Power Plant (VPP), but there’s no requirement to join a VPP.”

Off-grid Eligibility

Despite the requirement to be VPP capable, off-grid installations can receive the rebate.”

Battery Must Be Connected to New or Existing Solar

You need to connect the battery to a new or existing solar system.”

One Rebate Per Property / Multiple Properties Allowed

One rebate per property – but owners of multiple properties can claim for each, as long as those properties have solar panels.

Existing Battery Owners Can Add Another

Owners of existing battery systems can install another and be eligible.

Can Be Combined with State Schemes

The rebate can also be combined with existing state schemes.

Uncapped Program

The government battery rebate is uncapped.

High Demand Expected – Act Early

Installers are likely to be snowed under. Get started by learning everything you need to know about home batteries.

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