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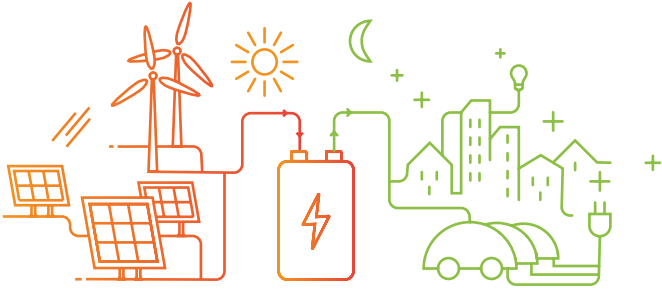
**DEVELOPING A NEW ORGANIC  
REDOX FLOW BATTERY SUITABLE FOR  
USE AT HIGHER TEMPERATURES  
WITHOUT THE NEED FOR  
A COOLING SYSTEM**

**THIS INNOVATION ALLOWS  
THE BATTERY TO BE MORE  
ENERGY EFFICIENT THAN EXISTING  
ORGANIC REDOX FLOW BATTERIES**



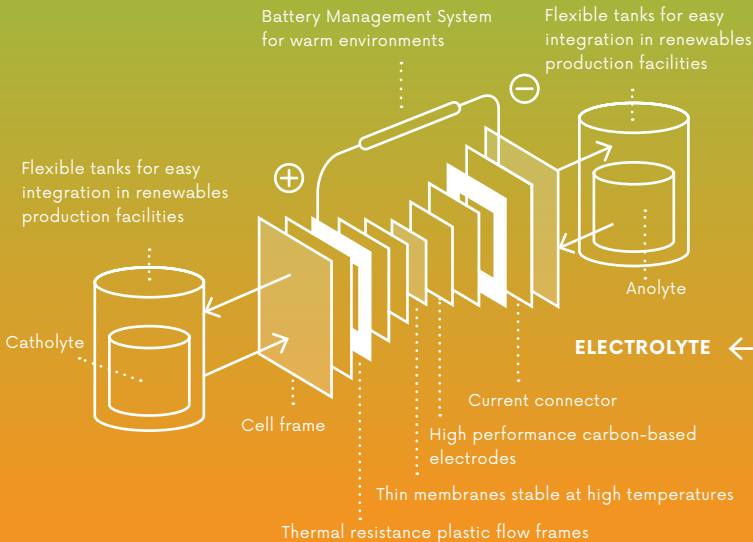
## A BATTERY TO ENABLE A LOW-CARBON ECONOMY

With electrification being one of the main pathways to decarbonisation, batteries have a key role to play. At every moment, the consumption of electricity must be matched with the generation of electricity, which is difficult to do with non-continuous renewable sources. Batteries are therefore crucial to store energy when available and for releasing it into the electrical grid when no energy is generated.



## MAIN INNOVATIONS

Redox flow batteries are designed to work in temperature of up to 40°C, however, using the battery generates heat. Under certain circumstances, a cooling system is required to avoid electrolyte degradation or battery malfunction. Cooling requires energy and reduces the battery global efficiency. That is why our battery will be developed to work at higher temperatures.



## A BATTERY MADE OF ORGANIC ELECTROLYTES AND INFLATABLE TANKS

Redox flow batteries are made up of two tanks filled with electrolyte-fluids. When circulated through two half-cells separated by a membrane, the electrochemical reactions for charging or discharging takes place.

Unlike other redox flow batteries, our organic RFB will use lignin as electrolytes that can be made out of preliminary products which can be obtained out of lignin. Lignin is a natural and renewable raw material and is available in sufficient amounts from existing pulp production.

In addition, our tanks will be double wall flexible containers with unlimited and modular size which will permit upscaling the battery's capacity.

