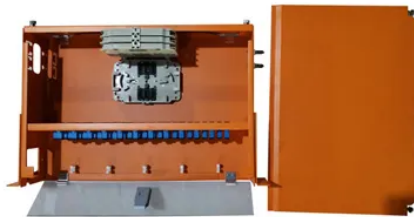




# The significance of developing DC microgrids



## Overview

Behind-the-meter DC microgrids can boost efficiency, resilience, and renewable use—especially in data centers—by simplifying power conversion and resource integration, though they also pose challenges with protection, grounding, and AC system compatibility. However, a new concept is emerging, as the electrical distribution networks characterized by DC transmission are beginning to be considered as a promising solution due to technological advances. In fact, we are now witnessing a proliferation of DC equipment associated with renewable energy sources. Microgrids are an emerging technology that combines the power flow management advantages of smart grids with smaller, decentralized energy generation. This approach moves power generation closer to where it is consumed for a more resilient, localized option to promote energy independence. Authorized by Section 40101(d) of the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL), the Grid Resilience State and Tribal Formula Grants program is designed to strengthen and modernize America's power grid against wildfires, extreme weather, and other natural disasters that are exacerbated by the climate. DC microgrids can benefit industry and communities, but don't overlook the drawbacks. By reducing conversion stages, DC architectures simplify the coupling of solar PV, batteries, and power electronics-dominated loads. This is particularly relevant for.

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