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Opportunity For Battery Swapping In India

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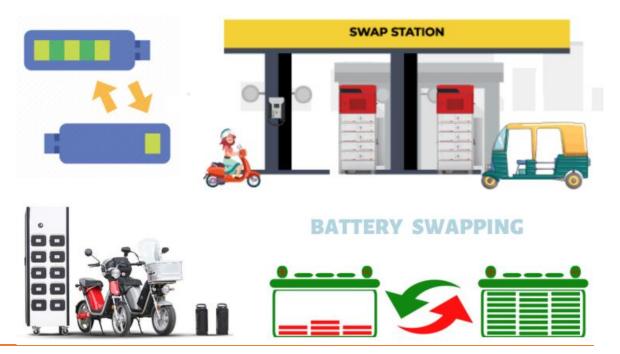




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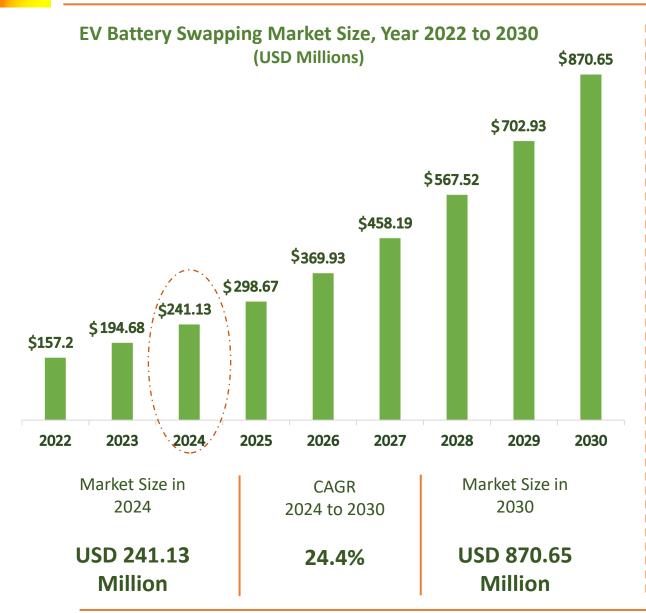


- Global market overview of battery swapping business
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- Total Cost of Ownership (TCO) analysis
- Potential opportunity in India for stakeholders
- Conclusion & Key Takeaways



Global Market Overview Of Battery Swapping Business





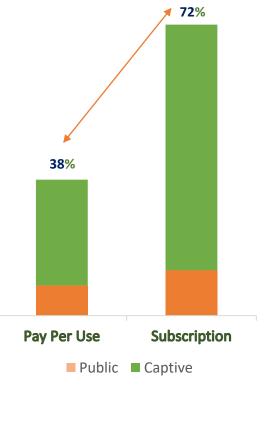
EV Battery Swapping Business Model Type

Pay Per Use Service

- Limited public accessibility due to lack of government policies
- Restricted public-private partnerships between OEMs and operators

Subscription Service

- Appreciated by end users for unlimited swaps under one time subscription fee
- Majorly deployed in privately owned premises or B2B partnership
 - Known for closed-loop operations, short distances, and time-saving over traditional charging methods.



Source: JMK report 2024

Indian Battery Swapping Market Overview



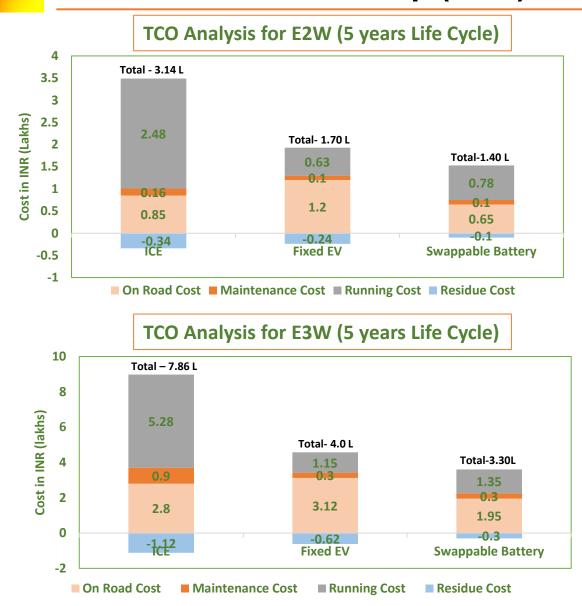


- Over **2,500 swapping stations** have been installed across India, facilitating **nearly 13 crore+** swaps by **over 20 operators** for E2W and E3W.
- India is emerging as the second-largest battery swapping market in the Asia Pacific, following China.
- Indian Oil in partnership with Sun Mobility to deploy swapping station at 40+ cities.
- Battery Smart & Volt Up have partnered with Adani Power to expand swapping infrastructure in Mumbai city.
- Greaves Electric Mobility partnered with Indofast Energy (JV of Sun Mobility & IOCL) for Battery swapping technology.
- On January 10, 2025, the **Ministry of Power, GOI**, issued a policy providing guidelines for setting up **swapping infrastructure** in the country.
- Zomato and Zepto have signed agreements with Hero Electric to deploy 500 swapping stations in Tier I cities by 2025.
- Gogoro and Yuma have planned to deploy **1,000** swapping stations across Tier I and Tier II cities by 2026.
- NITI Ayog and ICCT projected requirement of over 10,000 swap station for E2W & E3W to reach market revenue of \$68.8 M by 2030.

 Source: IESA & ICCT report 2024

Total Cost Of Ownership (TCO) Analysis





Conventional Charging Vs Battery Swapping

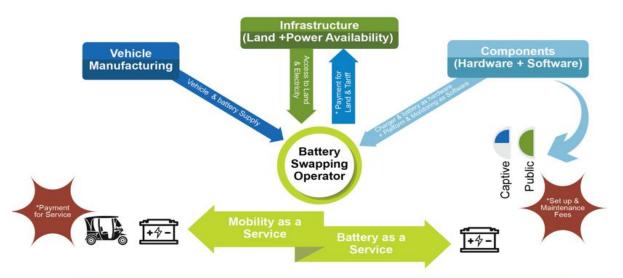
Criteria	Conventional Charging	Battery Swapping
Refueling Time	4-8 hrs (Slow)	2-4 min (Fast)
Ease of Use	Convenient for home charging, but slower in public	Simple and fast for commercial fleets
Battery Ownership	Customer owns battery	OEM owns battery, leased to customer
Adoption and Flexibility	More flexible, common for personal E2W, E3W, E4W etc	Best for high-usage vehicles like last mile operators E2W, E3W and E-trucks etc
Charging Tariff	Lower for the units consumed for charging	Higher but only charged for the differential units



Potential Opportunity In India for Stakeholders







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Land Owner

- Revenue through renting and leasing
- Revenue sharing or franchise model (to ease Capex of BSO)

Software Provider

- Revenue Sharing through Subscription fees
- Revenue sharing model with BSO/OEM

Battery Swapping Operator

- Revenue through per swap or kWh basis as per use
- Offered service as per subscription/franchise model

Source: Invest India report 2023

Scalable Battery Swapping Business Model













Pic Courtesy: Sun Mobility station Azadpur

Conclusion or Key Takeaways



Requirements of Collaborative Efforts in Battery Swapping Industry

- Strategic Partnerships: Battery Swapping Operators (BSOs) are collaborating
 with Distribution Companies (Discoms), OEMs, and aggregators to create a
 unified battery swapping ecosystem, improving efficiency and resource
 sharing.
- Innovative Business Models: Integration of Infrastructure as a Service (IaaS), Integration of IaaS, IaaS,
- Adaptability: Allowing flexible battery sizes, different chemistry and modular design.
- Scalability: Accommodating additional compartment for expansion, framing in transport hub, municipal parking and societies.
- Innovation: Encouragement to passenger & commercial vehicle segment to improve business sustainability and logistic efficiency. E-buses and E-trucks to be game changer for Indian Market

Key Takeaways from Swapping Infrastructure & PM drive Policy

- Private/Captive Swapping station are identified and recognized to be provided with EV tariff meter and eligible for Subsidies & Incentives.
- Ministry has put step forward towards standardization and localization
 of the battery and interchanging station. However, there is no such
 standardization norms for battery packs or compartments.
- No mandate for the service charges limits on private/captive stations to encourage more BSO and improve business viability.
- Up to 2000 Cr. To be allotted for EVCI under PM drive which cane be a
 greater push for BSO to collaborate with Govt. agencies and deploy
 more swap station and increase viability of the business
- The Battery-to-Grid concept allows stored energy from batteries to be fed back into the grid when needed or when the batteries are not being used for extended periods. Another business opportunity for BSO to evaluate with Discom & Industrial area.

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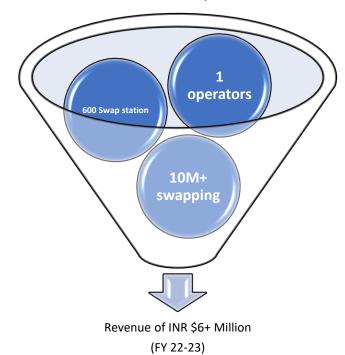




Case Study- Sun Mobility



- 1.68 to 2.16 kWh- Single battery Rack (14 nos), 20% spare batteries for additional interchange
- 48V25Ah-48V45Ah Battery Pack, 92% efficiency
- 3 Ph,415V, 30.24kW, 92% efficiency, 15 dock smart interchanging station
- 120-130 Batteries dispense in 16hrs of a operations in a day
- Charging time per battery avg. around 1- 1.5 hrs a battery
- Sale of per unit price is INR 34/kWh & Avg. purchase rate of per unit price is INR 4.5 per unit from TPDDL.
- No. of vehicles (E2W/E3W) swap batteries at one swapping station avg. around 70-80 nos.
- Avg. range of E2W- 60km and E3W-100km
- Avg. Cost of leasing land is INR 100-150 Rs. Per sq ft.





Upcoming Heavy Duty Swapable Fleets in 2025







