

# **National Workshop on Pumped Storage Hydropower Projects**

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# *Basics of Pumped Storage*

## *EMC Kerala Workshop*

Peter Matt

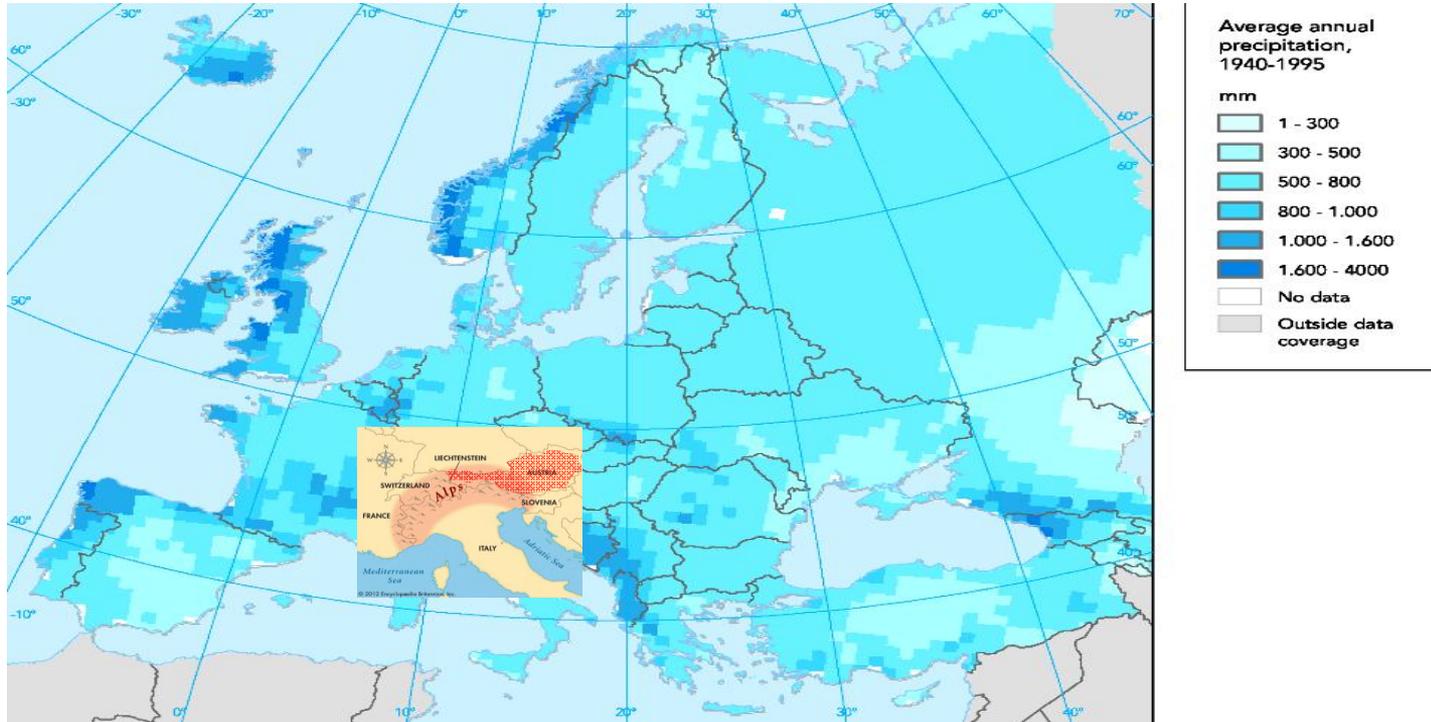


- Energy transition – requirements to generators and system security
  - Function in grid and benefits
  - Facing the challenges based on huge RES generation in future
- Impacts from the market conditions
- Trade-offs in environmental benefits and impacts
- Financial aspects

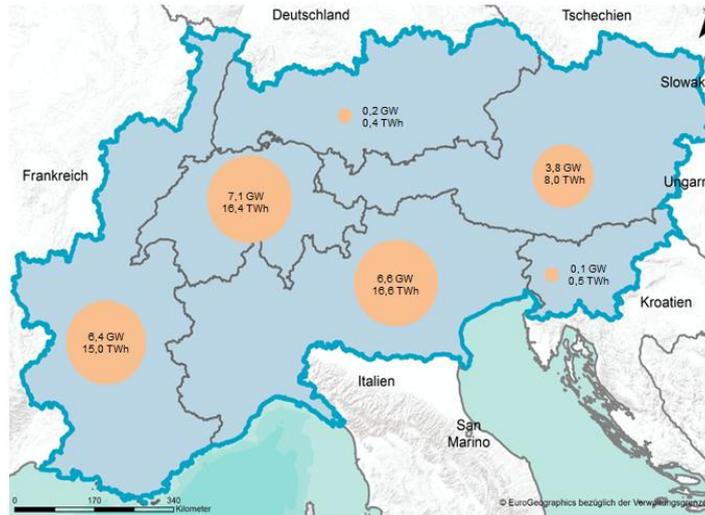
# Europe Hydropower



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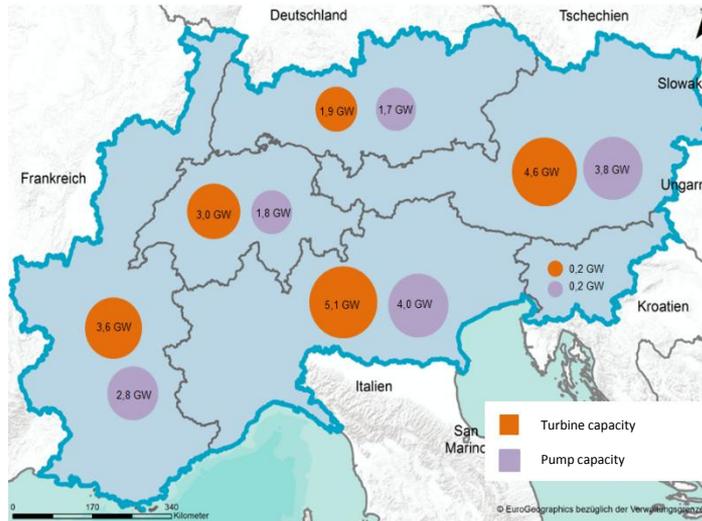


## > 300 Alpine Storage Plants offer Flexibility



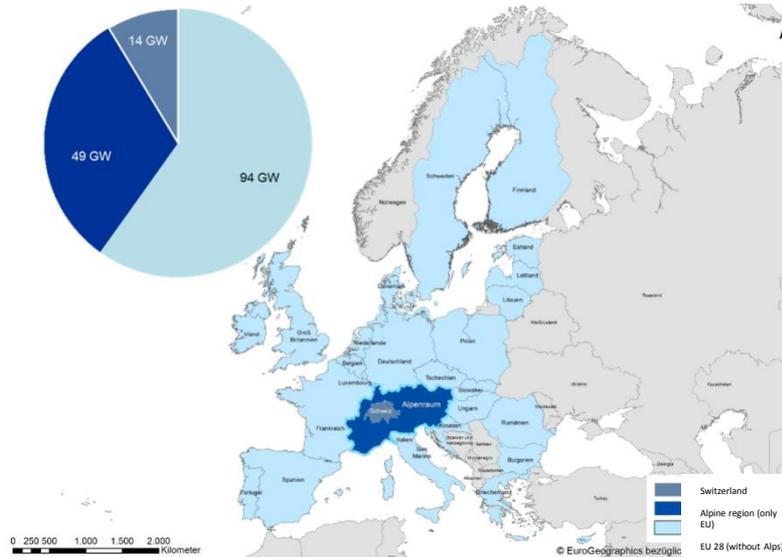
- **number:** 338
- **capacity:** 24.1 GW
- **energy capability:** 56.9 TWh
- There is a equipped installed storage capacity in Switzerland, as well as in the French and the Italian Alpine regions.

## Pumped Storage ist the Asset of Alpine Hydropower



- number: 78
  - Capacity Turbine: 18 GW
  - Capacity Pump: 14 GW
  - energy storage capability: 14 TWh
- Pumped storage plants play a key role in the **integration of volatile renewable energies**

## 34% of the Hydropower Capacity of EU28 in the Alpine Region



- The total installed hydropower capacity of the European Union amounts to 143 GW
- Only the Alpine region has a hydropower capacity of about 63 GW
- **The hydropower capacity in the Alps - only of European member countries - amounts to 49 GW (34% of EU28)**

# Hydropower in Austria



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# Benefits of Storage Power Plants and Pumped Storage Power Plants

Verbund



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At high demand and/or low renewable production → Production (Turbine)

At low demand and/or high renewable production  
→ No production (keep water in high reservoir)

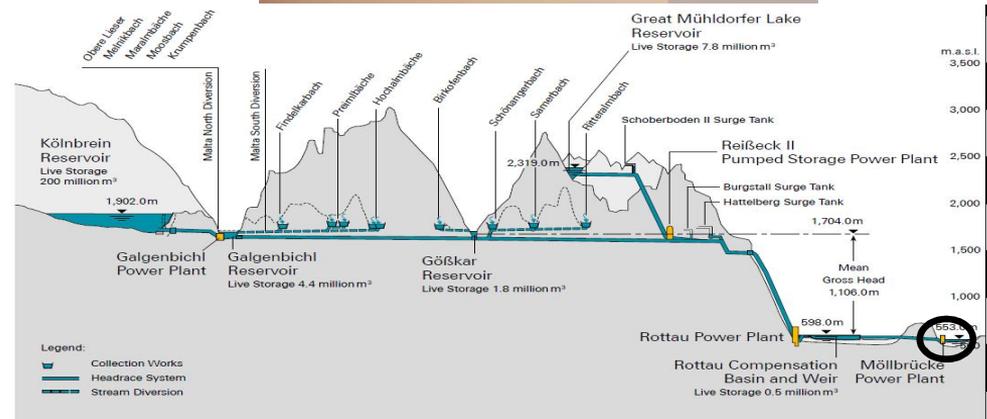
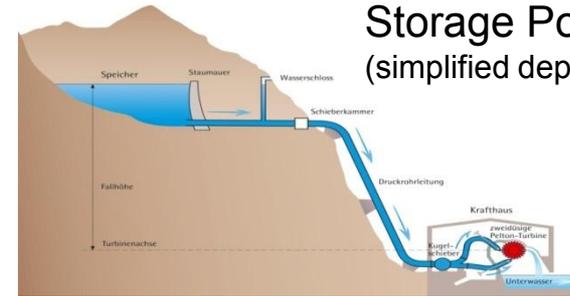
Additional and simultaneous provision of flexibility and ancillary services

- Operating reserve
- Reactive Power
- Black start Capability
- Congestion Management
- Grid fault management
- ...

## Storage Power Plant Group (incl. PHS)

- Connected storage and pumped-storage power plants
- Strong interaction between power plants in the group (shared reservoirs, ..)

## Storage Power Plant (simplified depiction)



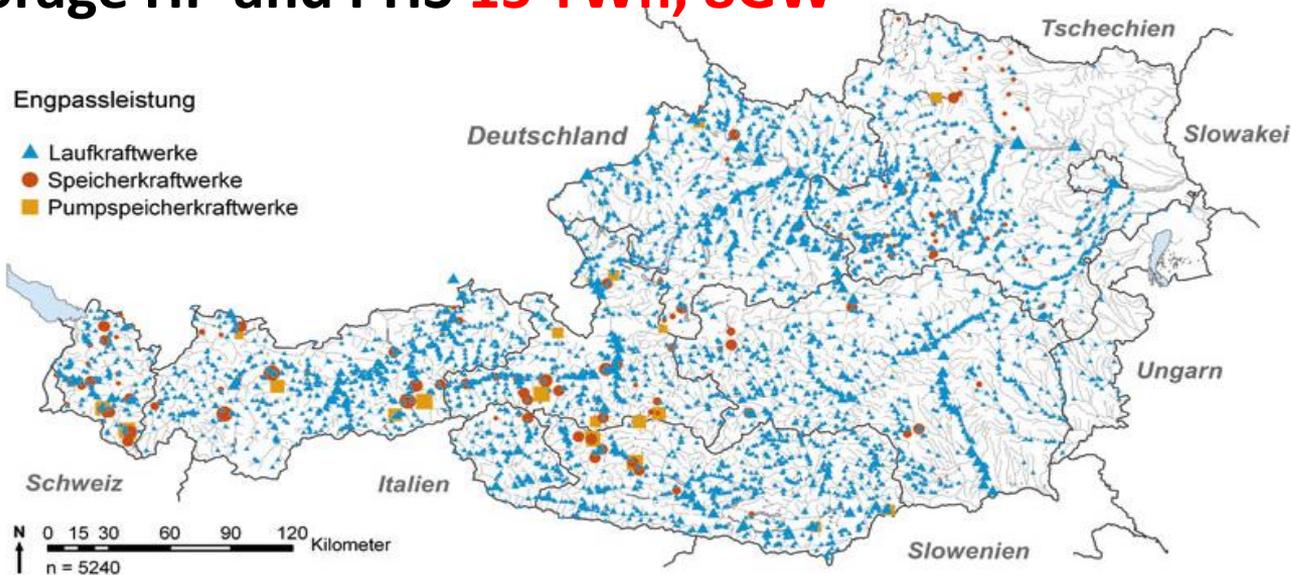
Malta Storage Power Plants, Longitudinal Section

# Hydropower in Austria (67% = 45 TWh)



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**352 Run of River > 1MW; 2500 Run of River < 1MW 30 TWh**  
**112 Storage HP and PHS 15 TWh, 8GW**



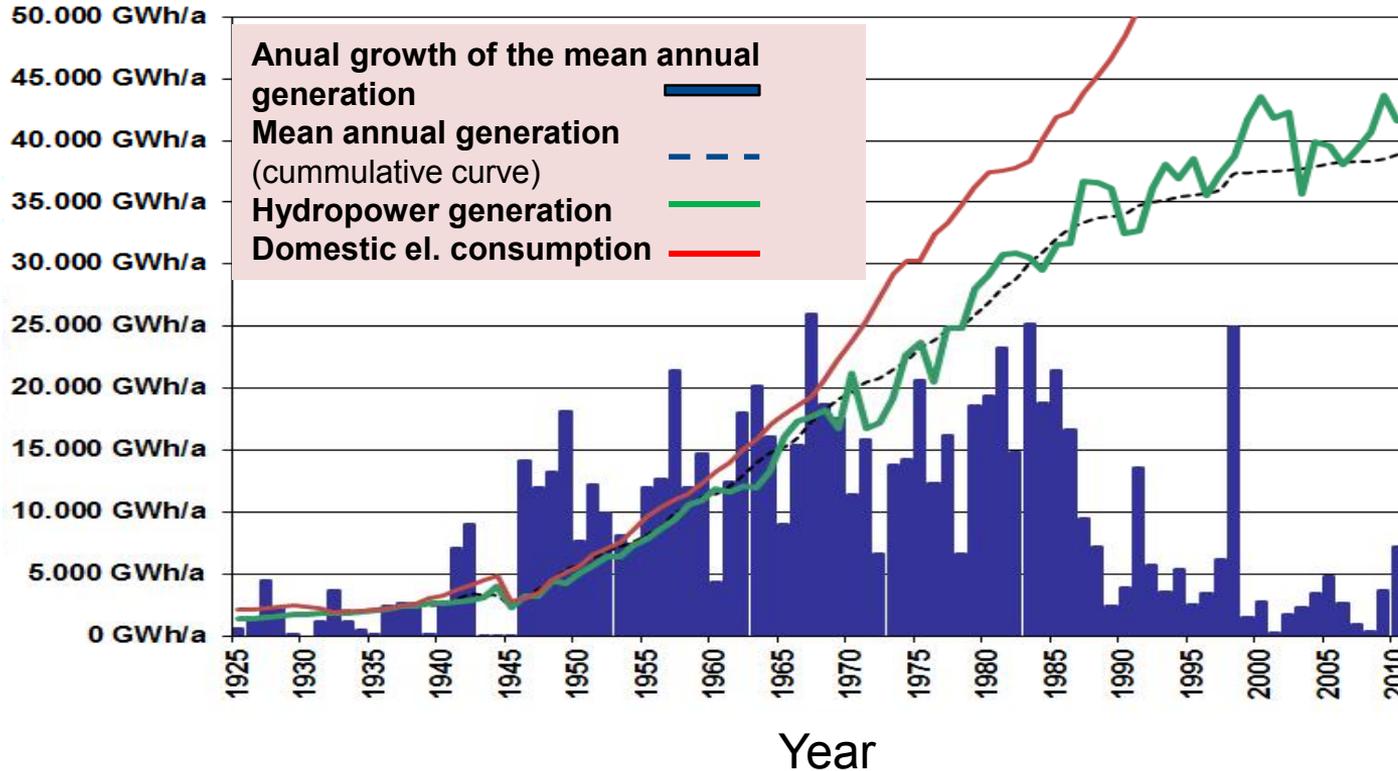
# Hydropower Development in Austria

(socio-economic and environmental framework conditions)



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Mean annual generation; domestic demand



Increase of mean annual generation / year

2.500 GWh/a

2.000 GWh/a

1.500 GWh/a

1.000 GWh/a

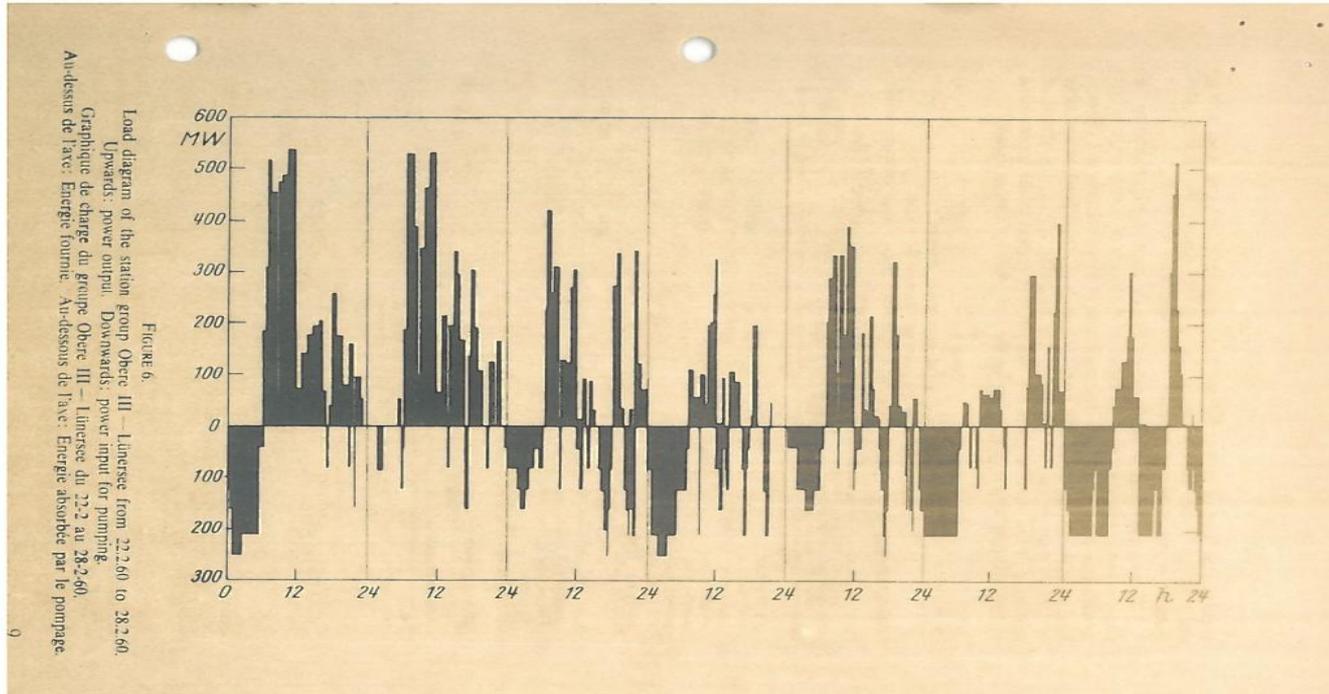
500 GWh/a

0 GWh/a

# Weekly Load Diagram 1960

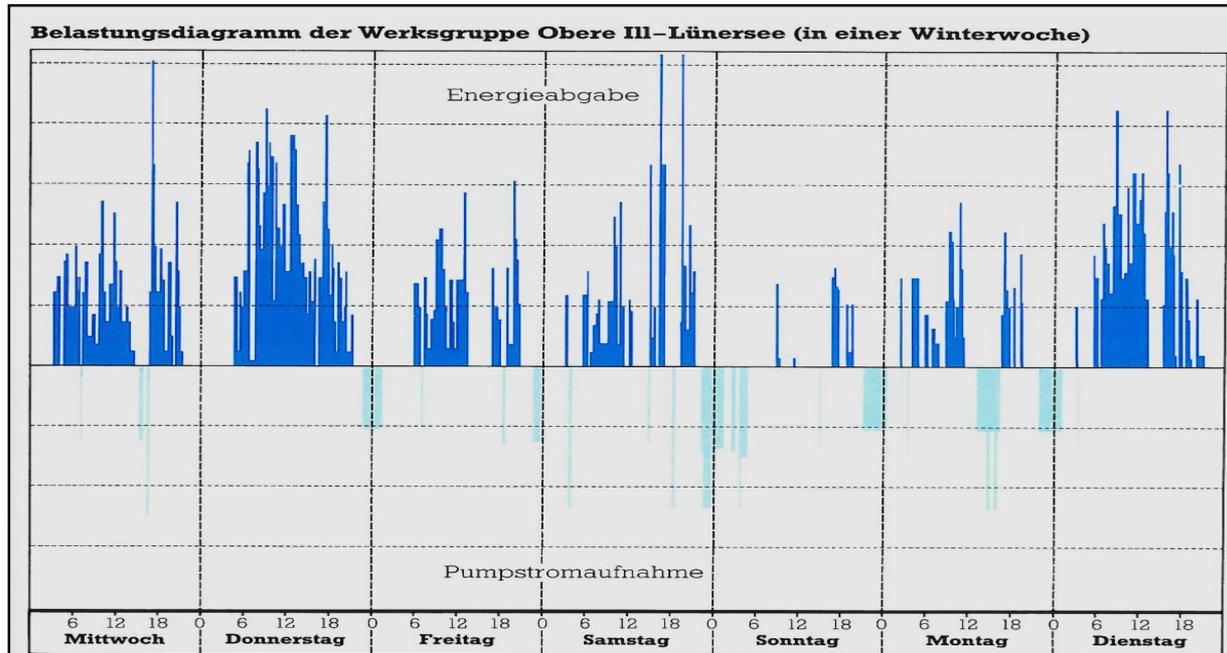


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Werksguppe Obere III – Lünensee vom 22.2.1960 bis 28.2.1960

# Weekly Load Diagramm 1982

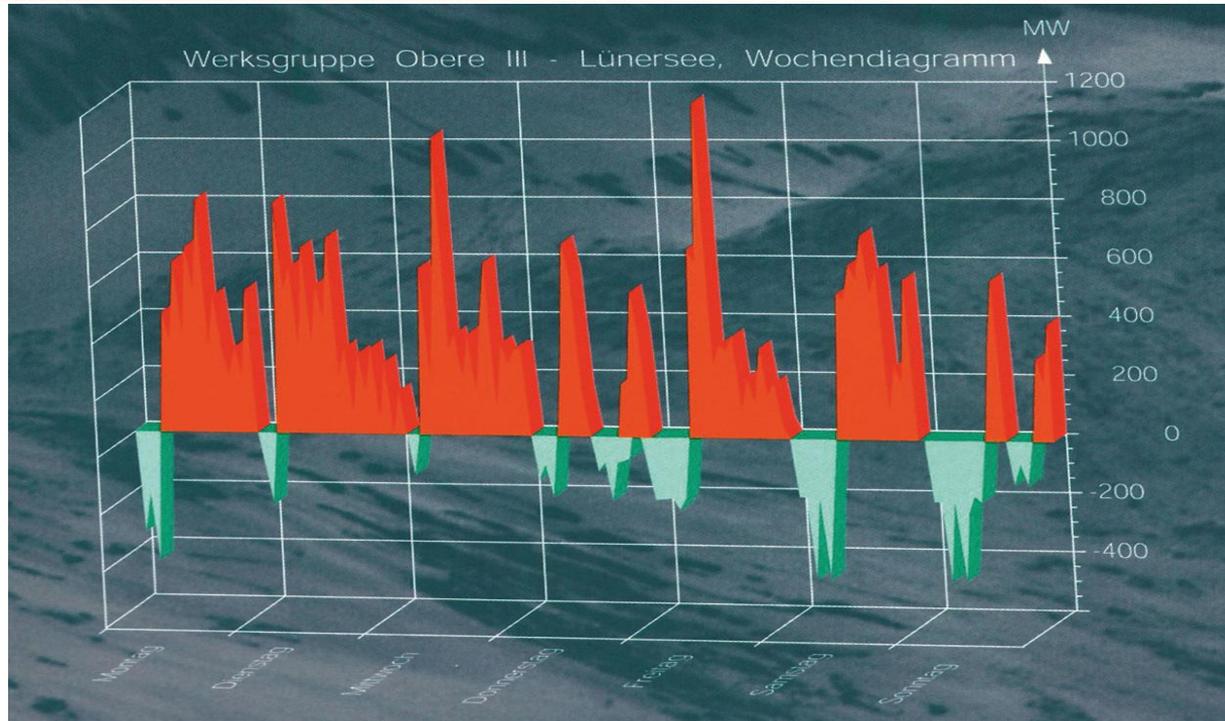


Werksgruppe Obere Ill – Lünersee Winterwoche 1982

# Weekly Load Diagramm 2003



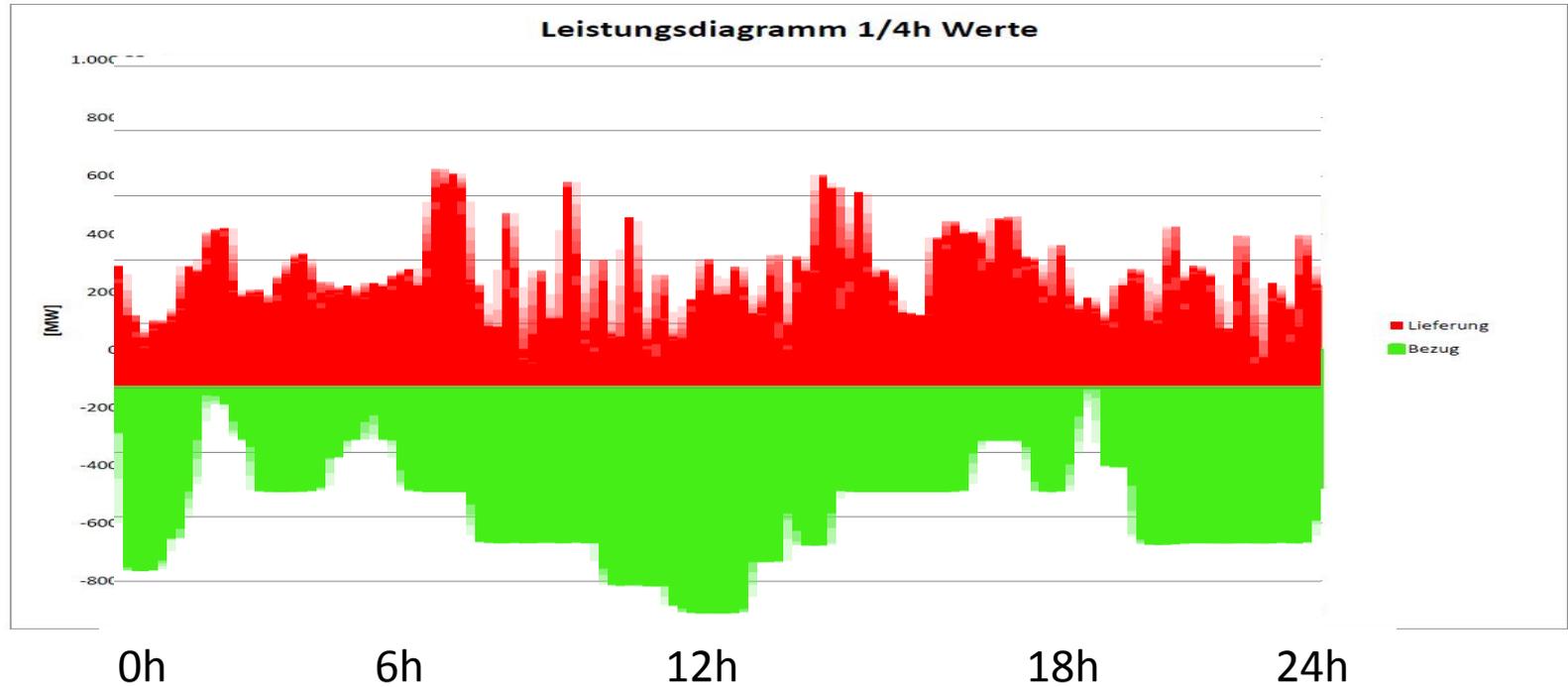
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# Weekly Load Diagramm 2012



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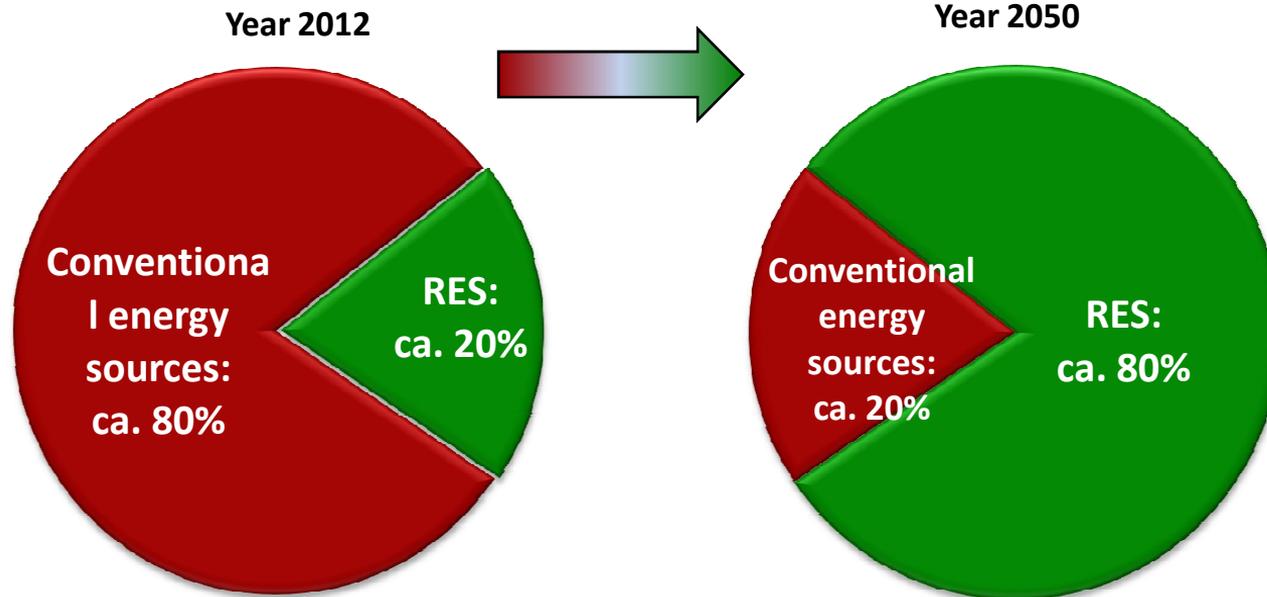
# Renewables - Target 2050 "exchange of roles"



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High Share of renewable energies in gross domestic electricity consumption in Germany:

**Challenge** - integration of wind and PV, while maintaining security of supply

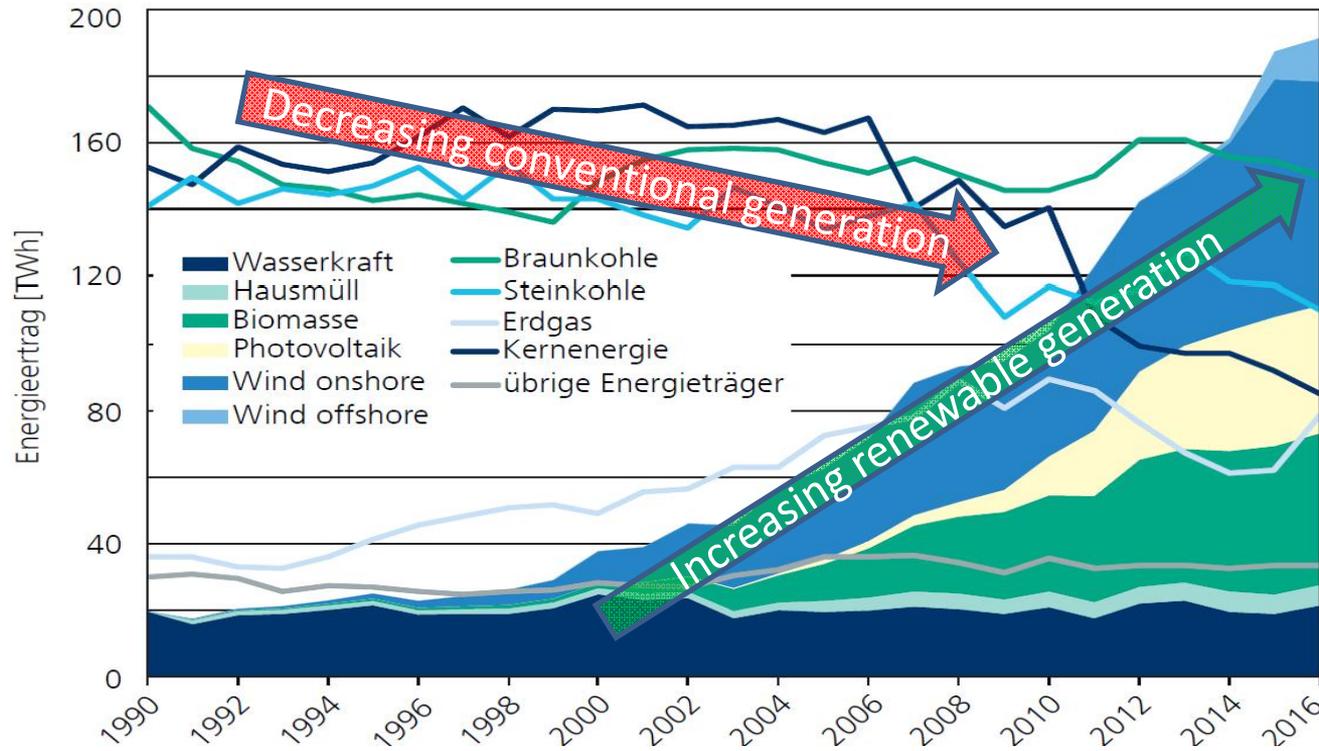


Source: BDEW, AG Energiebilanzen, Stand: 08/2012; Ziele der BR

# Development Electrical Energy Generation Germany



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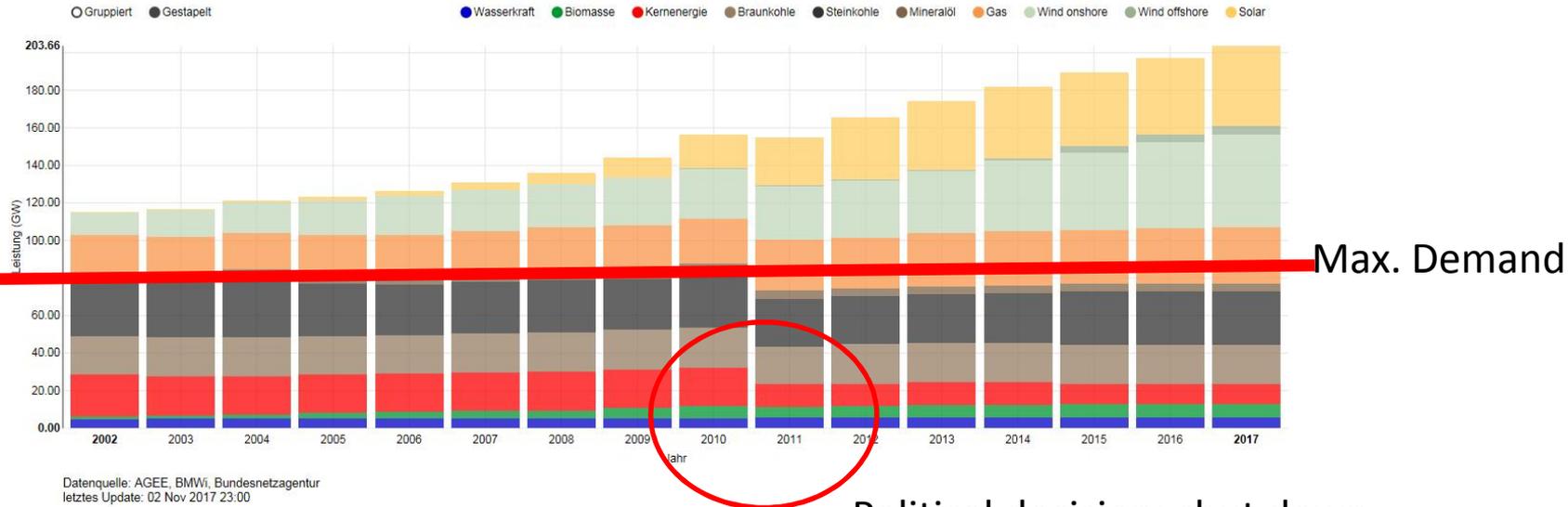


Source: AG Energiebilanzen

# Installed Capacity in Germany



## Netto-Leistung zur Stromerzeugung in Deutschland



Political decision: shut down nuclear stations until 2030

# Electrical Energy Generation in Germany

## February 2017 (max 40% RES)



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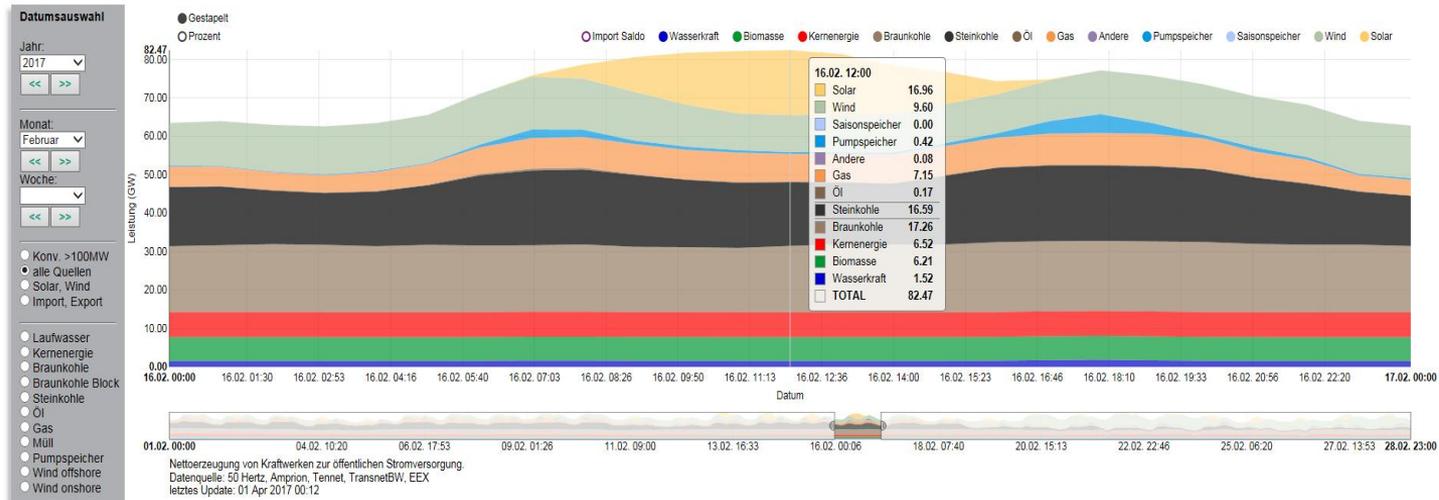


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### Stromproduktion in Deutschland im Februar 2017



# Electrical Energy Generation in Germany

## October 2017 ( max 93% RES)



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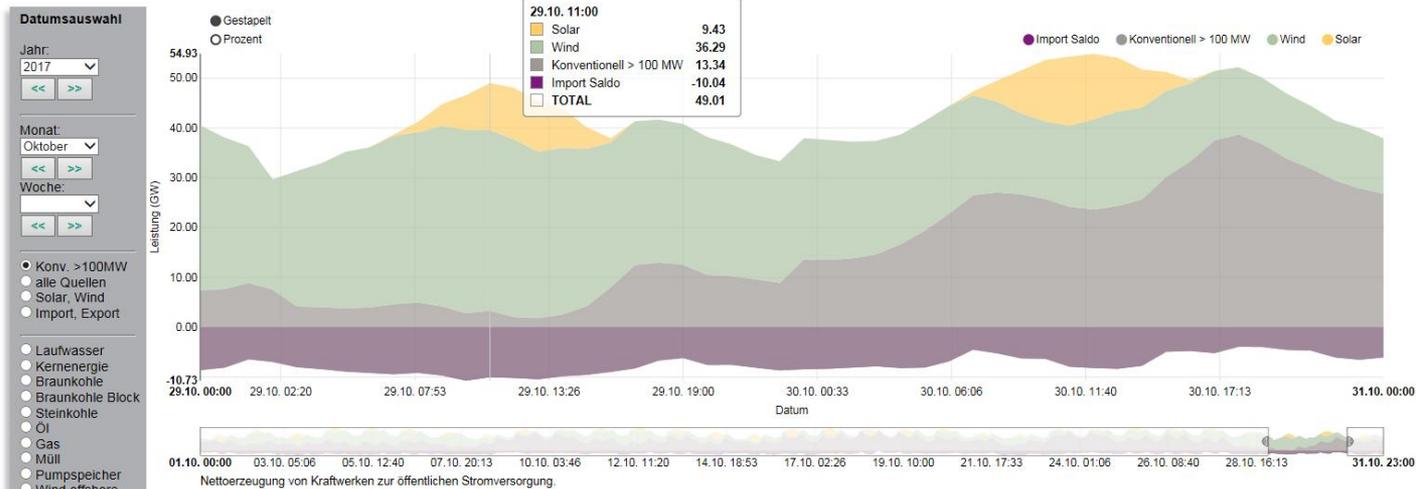


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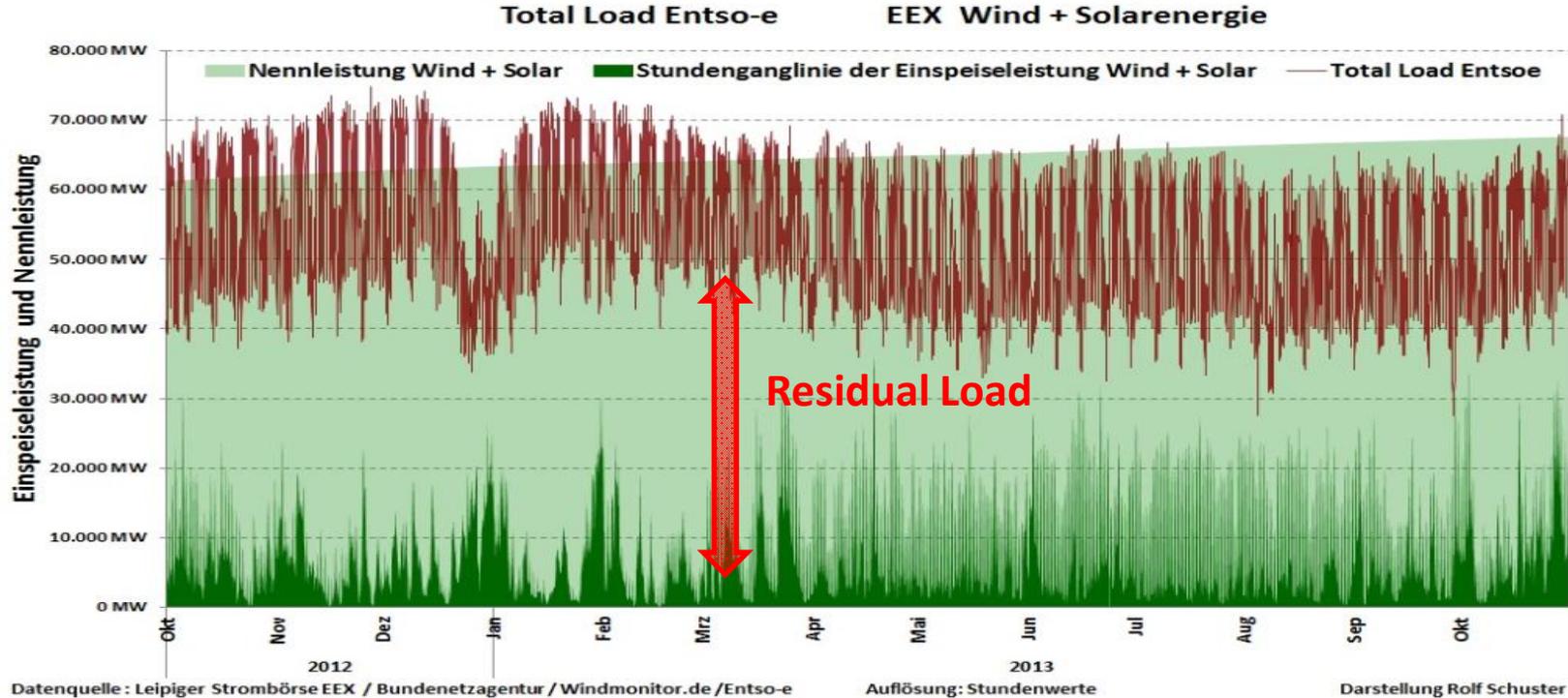
## Stromproduktion in Deutschland im Oktober 2017



# Wind + PV feed in and total installed capacity (Germany)



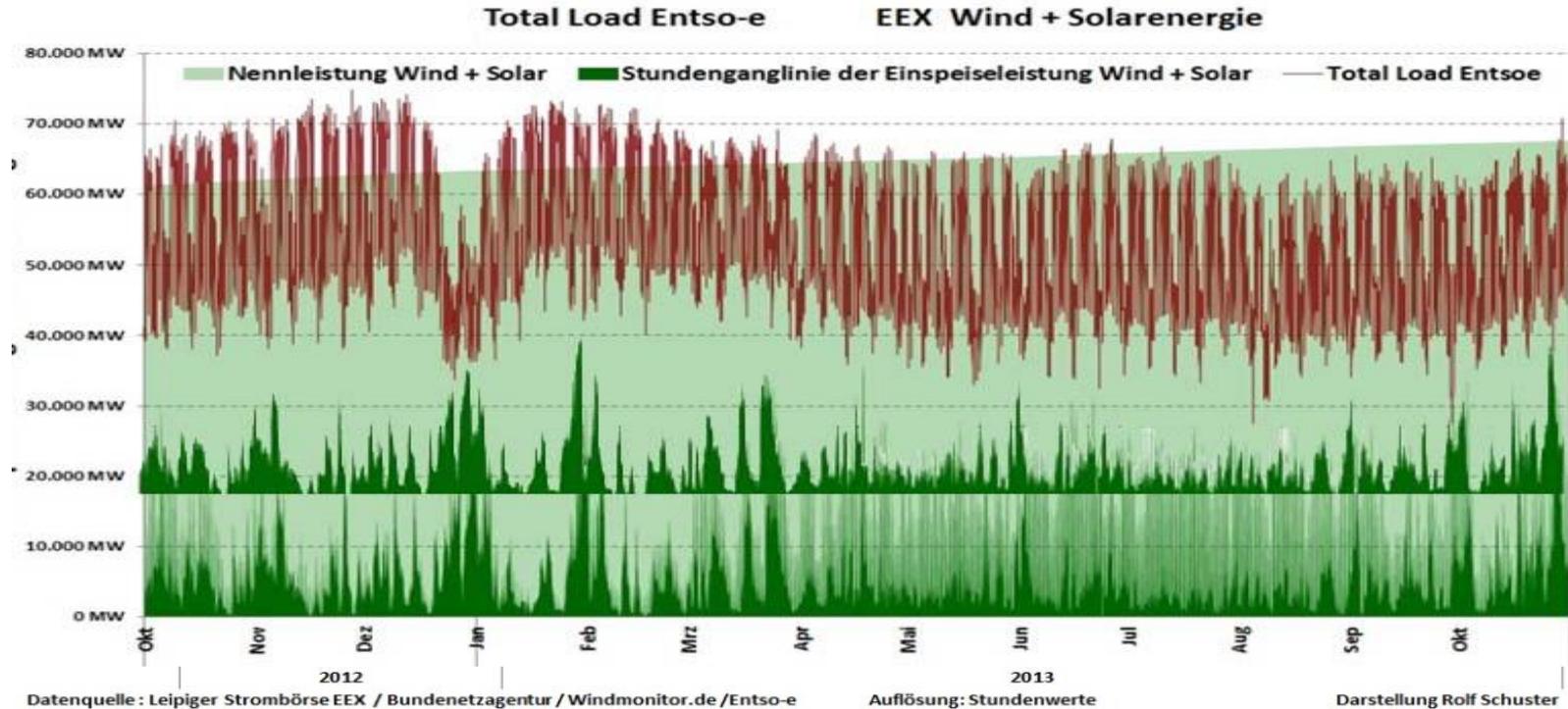
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# Wind + PV feed in Simulation 20% RES



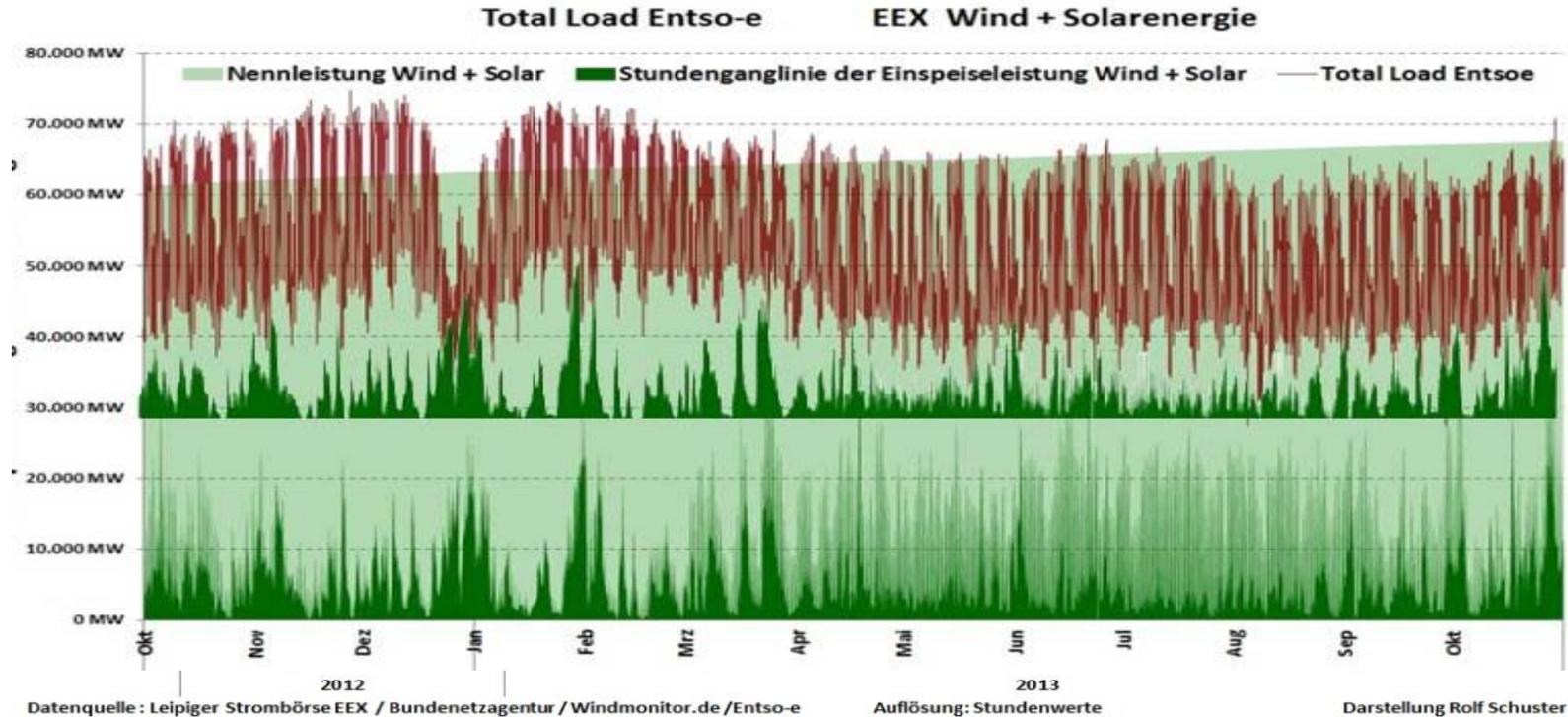
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# Wind + PV feed in Simulation 40% RES



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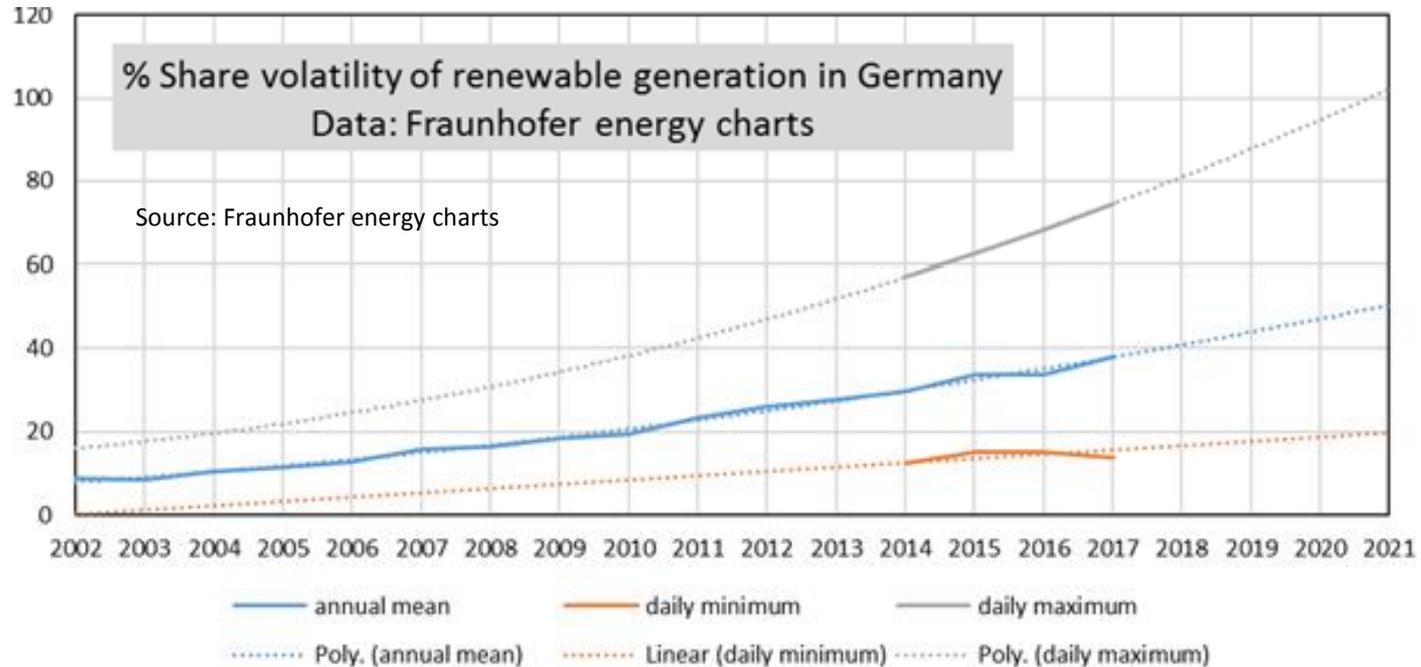


# Daily share of RES - Generation

## Renewables in Germany



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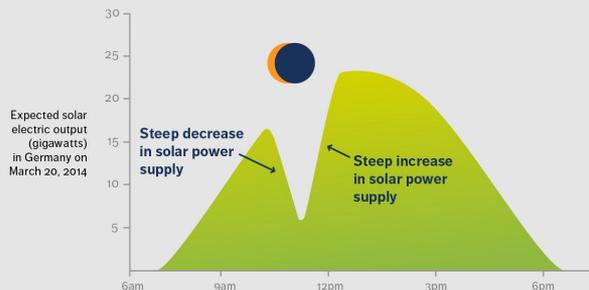
# What are the future power gradients?



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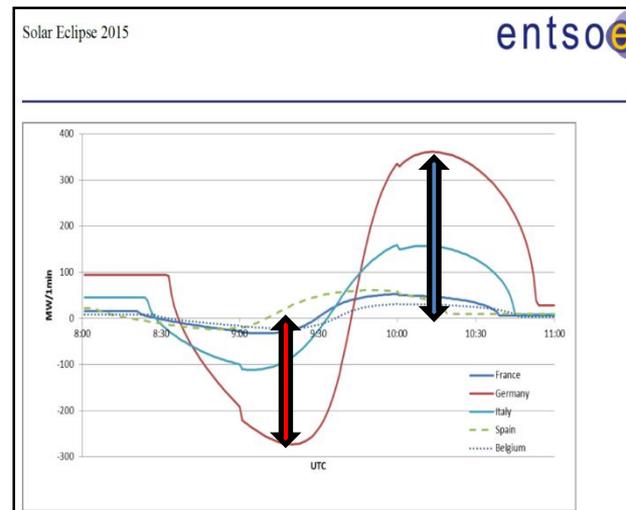
## Example: Impact Analyses Solar Eclipse 2015

Germany's eclipse is poised to cause a rapid decrease in solar power supply, followed by a rapid increase.



Modeled values assume clear-sky (i.e. cloudless) conditions.  
Adapted from source: Hochschule für Technik und Wirtschaft Berlin (October 2014).

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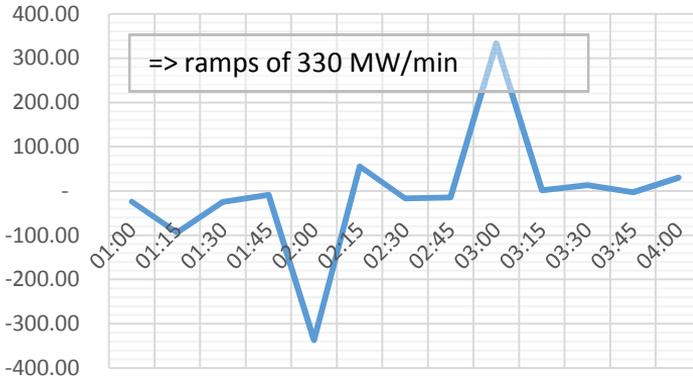
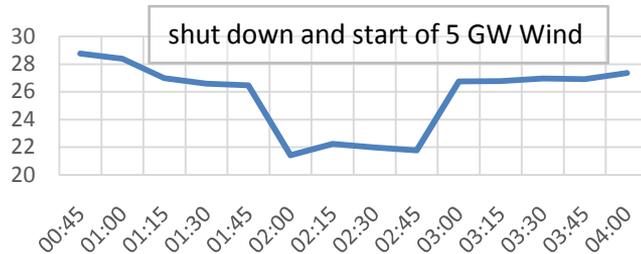


# Hydropower the Insurance of Power Supply



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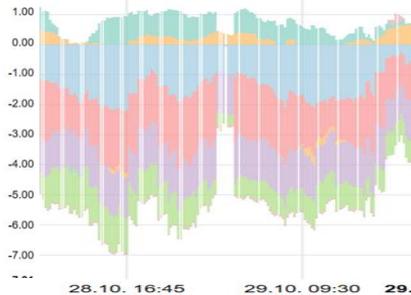
Wind capacity during "HERWART"  
29th October 2017



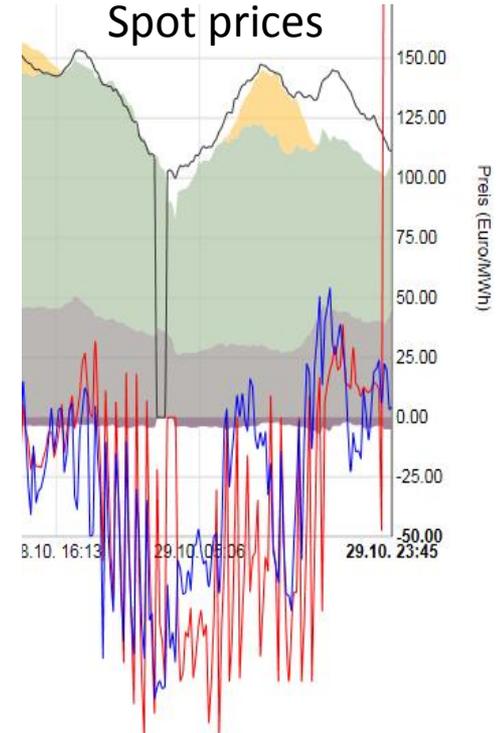
## Generation

3,2 GW start and  
shut down within  
15 min

## Import Export



## Spot prices





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# Week Load Diagramm

## Differences between 2012 and 2016



**Installed capacity: Turbine 1995 MW / Pump -1044 MW**

2012	Mean	Peak	Peak/Mean
Positiv Load	320	700	2.18
Negativ Load	-350	750	2.14

2016	Mean	Peak	Peak/Mean
Positiv Load	250	1470	5.8
Negativ Load	-260	820	3.2

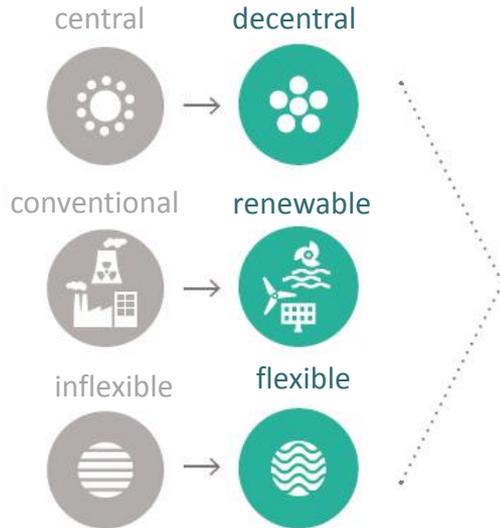
- increasing flexibility
- decreasing calls
- shorter generation times

# Volatile wind and PV need CO<sub>2</sub>-free storage and flexibility



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## Trends

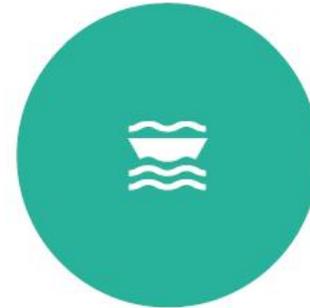


## Problems



## Key

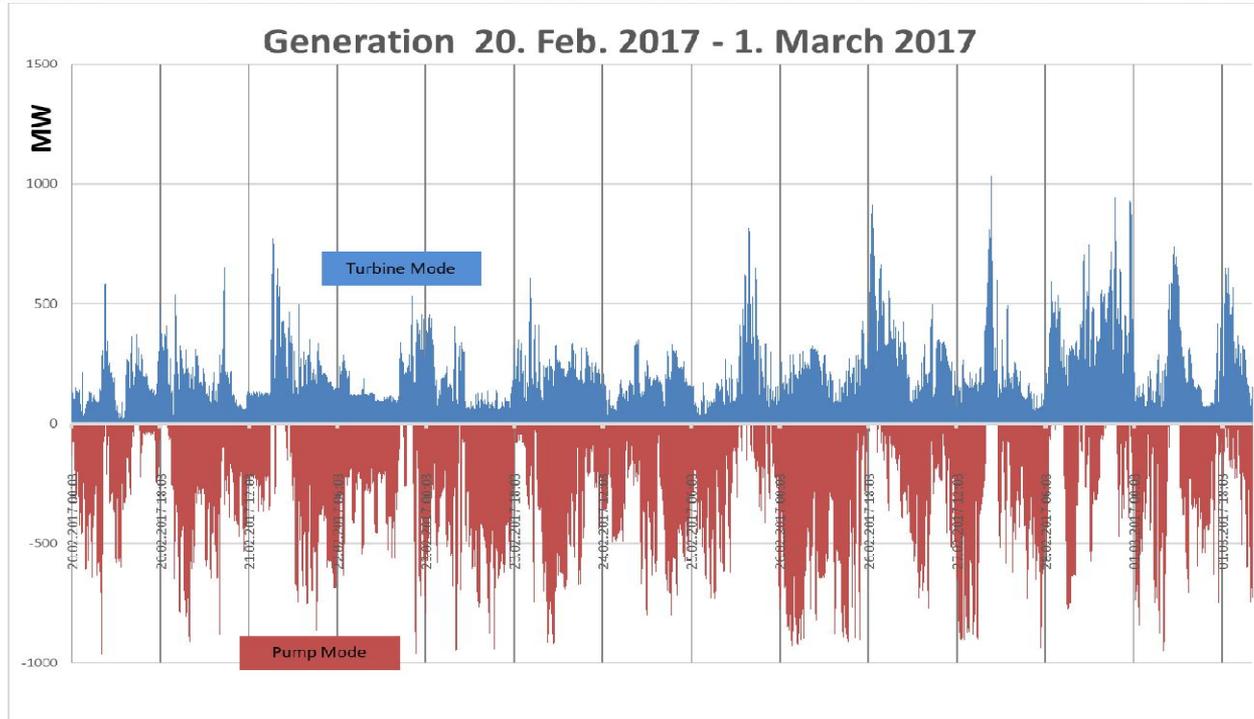
Storage & Flexibility



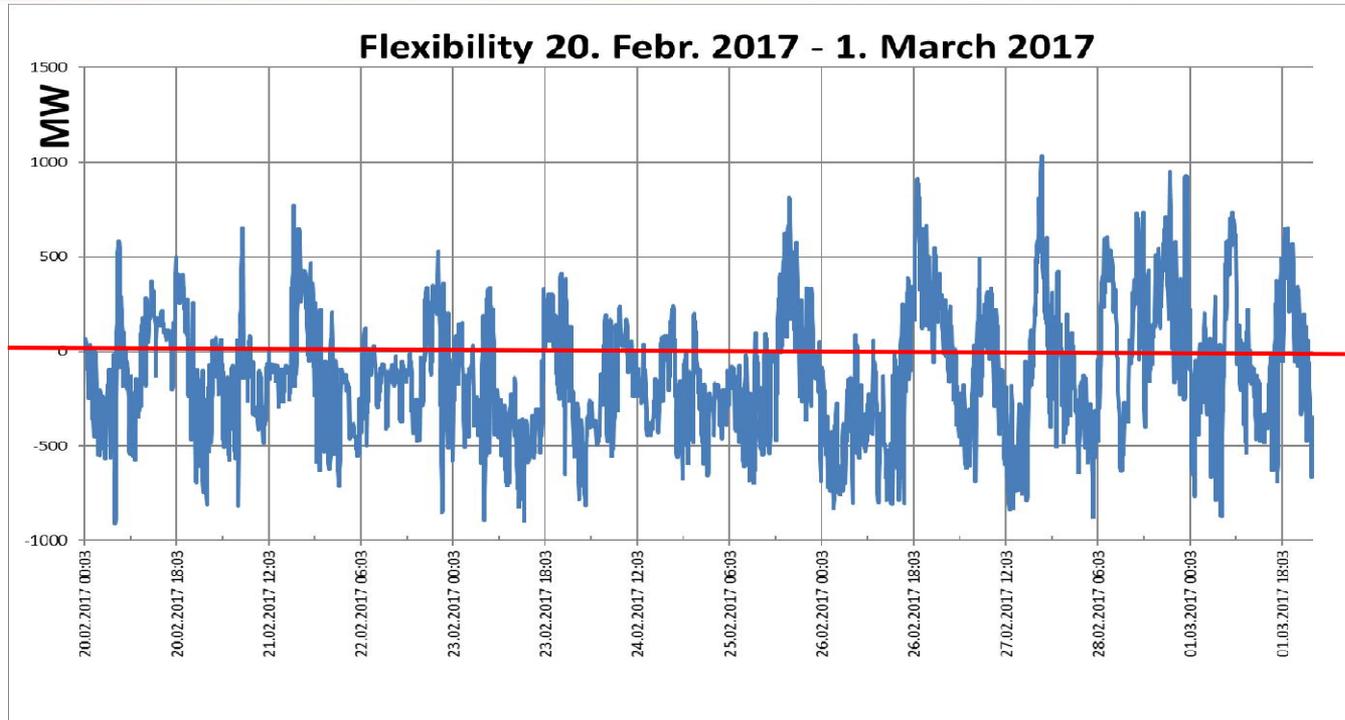
- Pumped storage power plants deliver CO<sub>2</sub>-free flexibility in the short-, middle- and long term.
- Hereby, they balance electricity supply and demand over hours, days and even seasons.

**Pumped storage power plants deliver both**

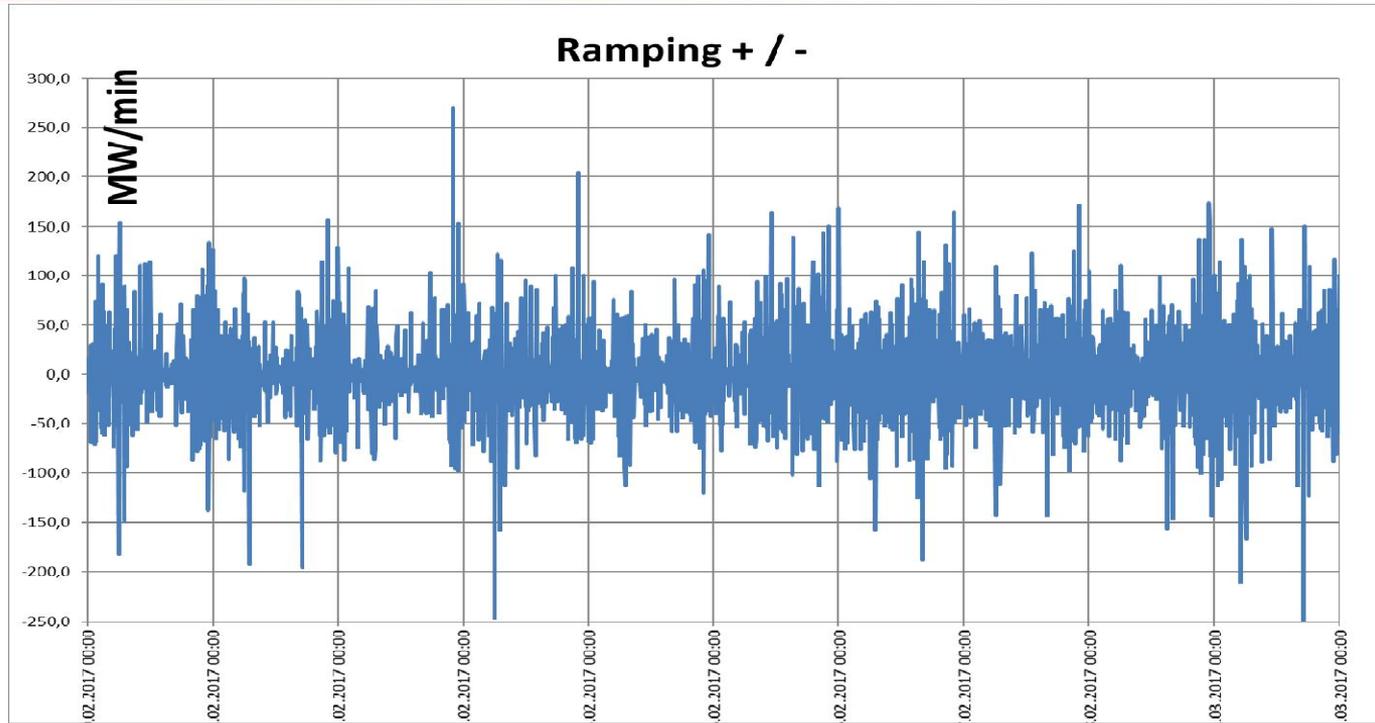
# Storage plants Vorarlberger Illwerke AG



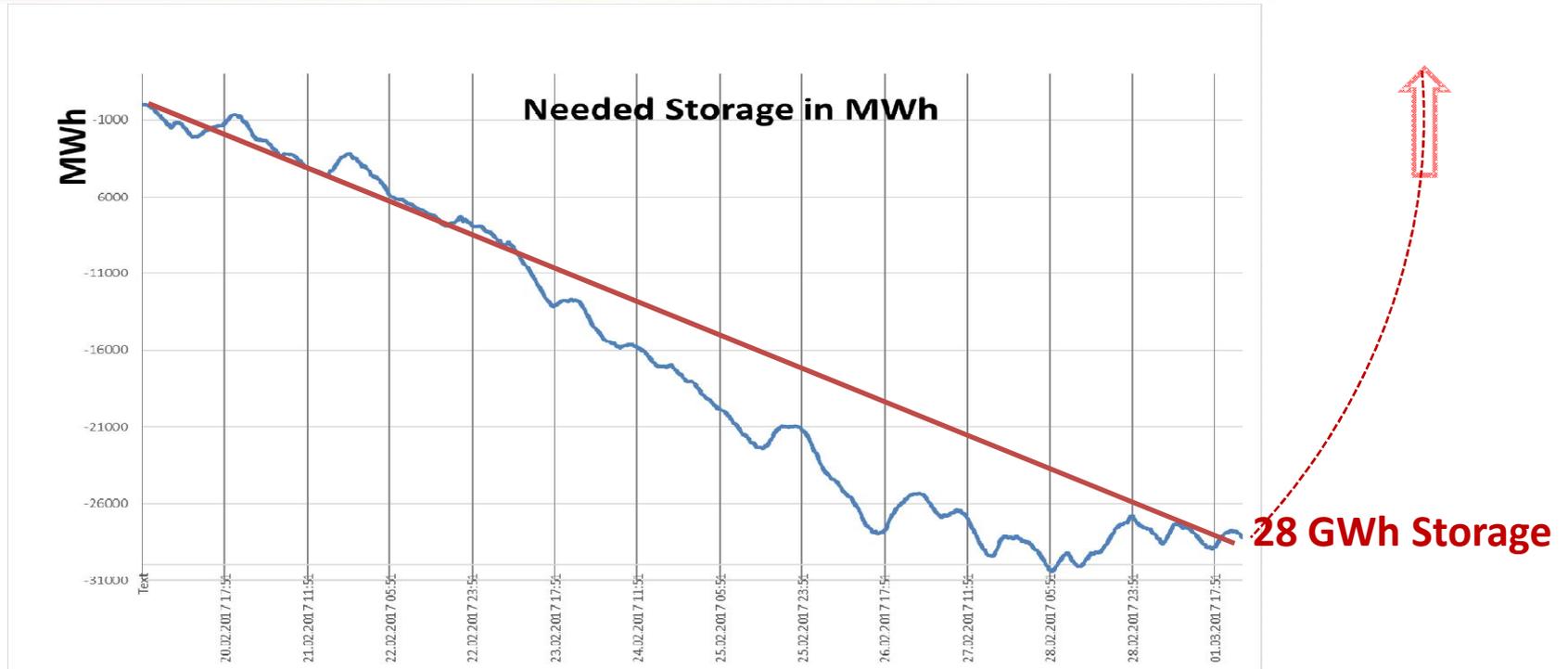
# Output to the transmission grid



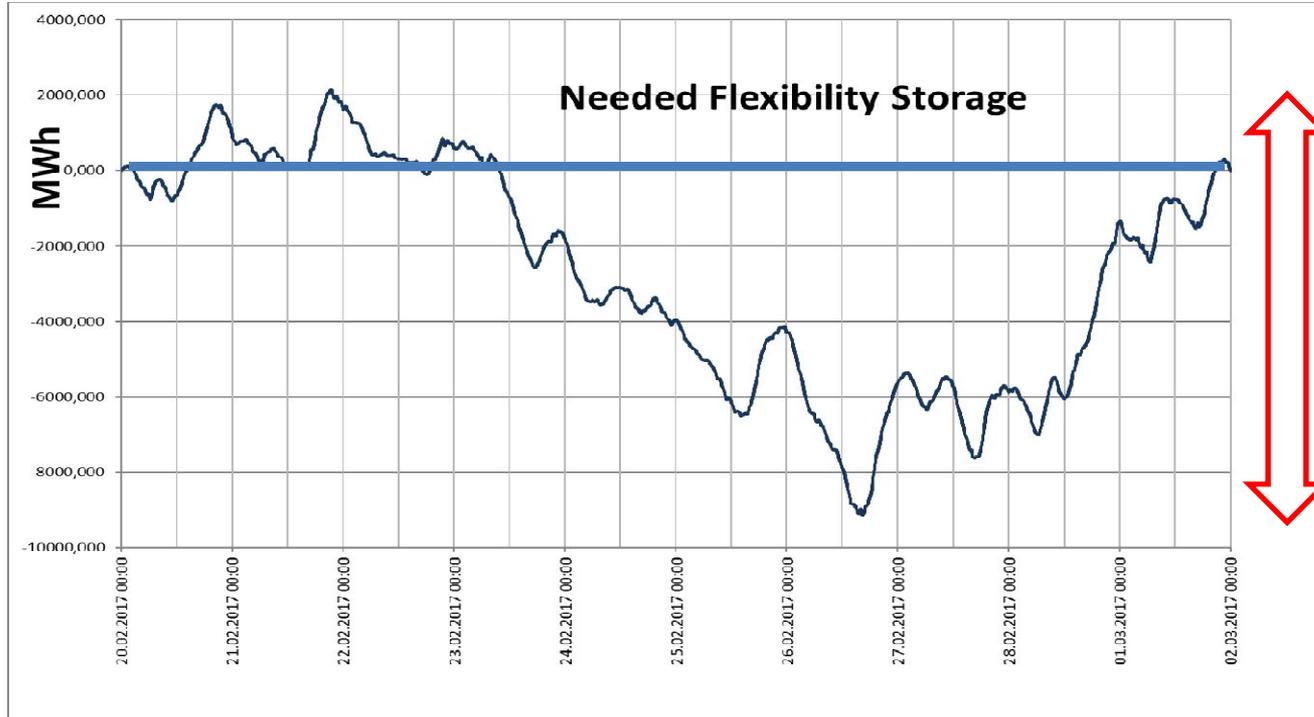
# Volatility of Load



# Deterministic view: possible linear storage



# Deterministic view: Needed Storage for Flexibility





# Flexibility - Storage

SHP and PHS plants support integration of wind and PV

- eg. HP-system with 2GW supports
  - Flexibility: - 1GW / + 2GW with ramping +/- 300 MW/min
  - Storage for Flexibility: rd. 10 GWh
  - Storage: rd. 30 GWh
- Extrapolation Alpin Arc – 42 GW SHP and PHS
  - Flexibility: - 14 GW / + 42 GW
  - Storage: rd. 14.000 GWh

# „Tomorrows Flexibility“



## PCI Prognosis until 2030 (Acer TYNDP 2016):

- E- Generation +14 GW
- E- Storage + 14 GW
- E- Storage + 44 GWh

div. Studies	Share RES EE-consumption	needed EES GWh
2025	40%	+ 5 GWh
2030	50%	+50 GWh
2050	60%	+ 100 – 400 GWh
2060	80%	+ 70 TWh

# FLEXIBILITY the Future Goal

significant key performance indicators of storage technologies



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Source: position paper VGB 6/2017

Technology	Current conditions					
	Technology Readiness Level (TRL) (range from 1-9)	Efficiency	Lifetime	Average electricity generation costs	CO <sub>2</sub> neutrality in manufacture and operation	Change-over and Start-up periods
HPP	9	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
D-CAES	8 to 9	Yellow	Green	Yellow	Yellow	Green
A-CAES	4	Yellow	Green	Yellow	Yellow	Green
PtGtP(H <sub>2</sub> )	8 to 9	Red	Yellow	Yellow	Green	Green
PtGtP(CH <sub>4</sub> )	6	Red	Yellow	Yellow	Green	Yellow
Batteries	8 to 9	Green	Red	Red	Red	Green

**Table 1: VGB (2017) - Comparison of significant key performance indicators of storage technologies**

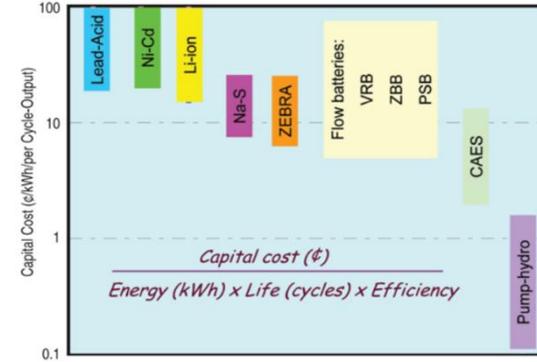
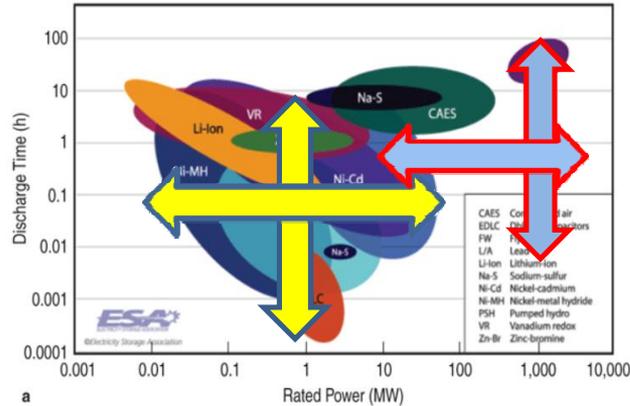
HPP - Hydro Power Plant, D-CAES - Diabatic compressed air storage, A-CAES - Adiabatic compressed air storage, PtGtP (H<sub>2</sub>) - Power to gas to power( H<sub>2</sub>), PtGtP (CH<sub>4</sub>) - Power to gas to power (CH<sub>4</sub>)

Qualitative evaluation scale of suitability: green-high, yellow-middle, red-low

# Technologies



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**Range of Batteries:** msec -> hours, W -> MW, kWh -> MWh

**Range of PHS:** sec -> month, MW -> GW, MWh -> GWh

**Factor 1 : 1000**

SOURCE: ESA; <http://www.tms.org/pubs/journals/JOM/1009/fig6.jpg>

# FLEXIBILITY the Future Goal

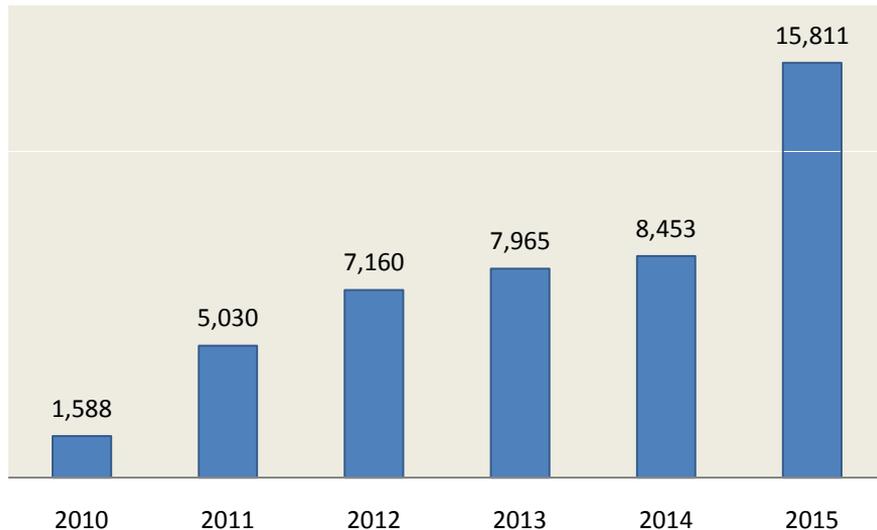


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- **Storage:** short term, long term, seasonal, scaling in sec, min, hours, day, month (GWh, TWh)
- **Dynamic:** fast load cycling, (positive and negative ramps > +/- 300 MW/min) quick start facilities, black start facilities, Voltage control with reactive power, primary-, secondary-, tertiary- control energy.....
- **Operational Flexibility:** low or no part load limit, high cycle stability, short or no minimum idle time, high efficiency over the whole working range
- **Elementary Physics:** Electricity must be available at exactly the moment it is needed.

# Redispatch Measures in the German Transmission Network

## Intervention rate [h]



## Development of charges [Mio. Euro]



Quelle: Monitoringbericht 2015 Bundeskartellamt BNetzA, 3. Quartalsbericht 2015 zu Netz- und Systemsicherheitsmaßnahmen BNetzA

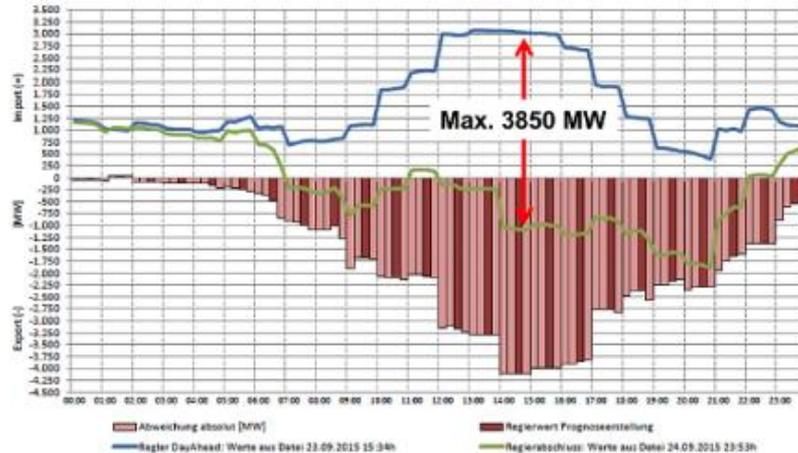
# Current Issues



## Marktergebnis muss an physikalische Möglichkeiten angepasst werden



Intraday Änderungen APG Reglerwert für 24.09.2015



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Quelle: APG

Difference between day before prognosis and actual with a delta of 3.850 MW

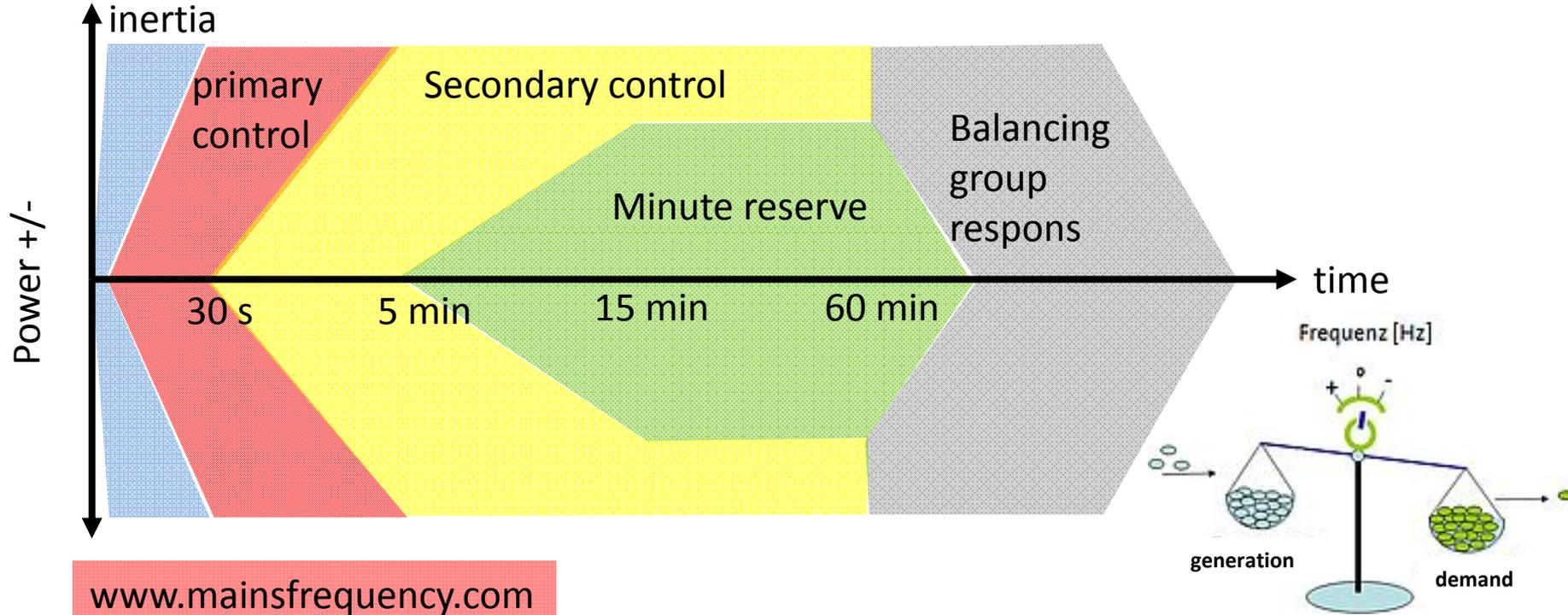
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- Planned: import of 3000 MW
- Actual: export of 850 MW

# Control energy – frequency control



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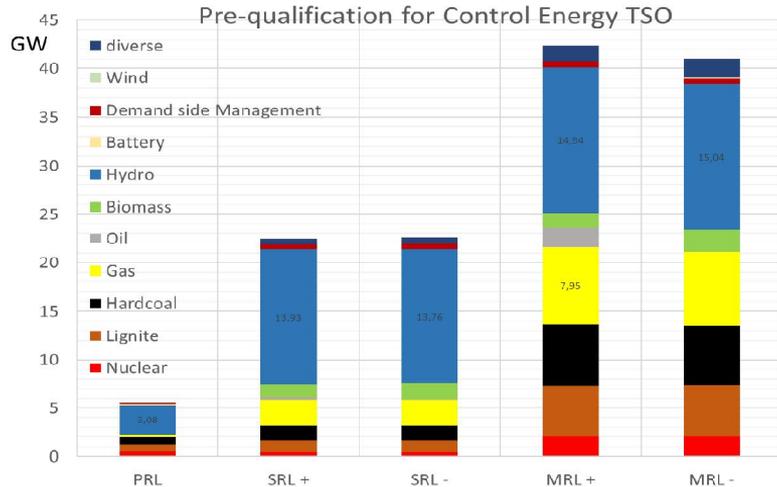


[www.mainsfrequency.com](http://www.mainsfrequency.com)

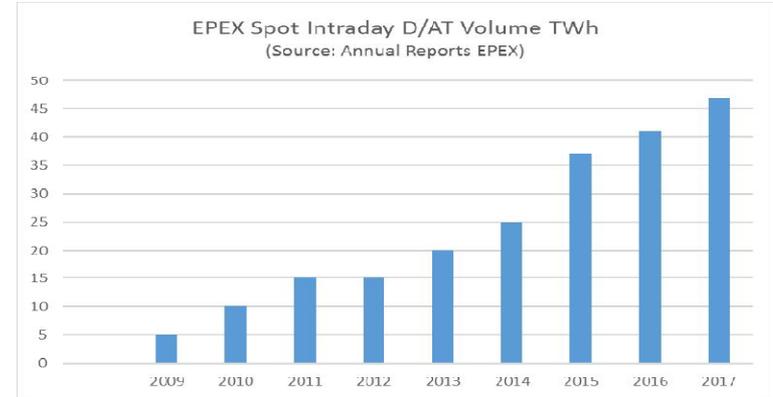
# Todays Flexibility



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Prequalification of power (GW) for balancing in Germany	PRL	SRL +	SRL -	MRL +	MRL -
Nuclear	0,53	0,42	0,42	2,04	2,04
Lignite	0,67	1,24	1,24	5,3	5,34
Hardcoal	0,74	1,49	1,48	6,31	6,15
Gas	0,26	2,67	2,69	7,95	7,56
Oil	0,00	0,28	0,02	1,93	0,08
Biomass	0,02	1,36	1,73	1,6	2,17
Hydro	3,08	13,93	13,76	14,94	15,04
Battery	0,16	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00
Demand side Management	0,07	0,48	0,56	0,67	0,65
Wind	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,09
diverse	0,05	0,59	0,64	1,71	1,86
<b>SUMM GW</b>	<b>5,58</b>	<b>22,46</b>	<b>22,54</b>	<b>42,45</b>	<b>40,98</b>



## Todays tendering for control energy

- PRL +/- 620 MW
- SRL - 1795 MW
- SRL +1869 MW
- MRL +1222 MW
- MRL - 1199 MW

Source:  
[www.regelleistung.net](http://www.regelleistung.net)

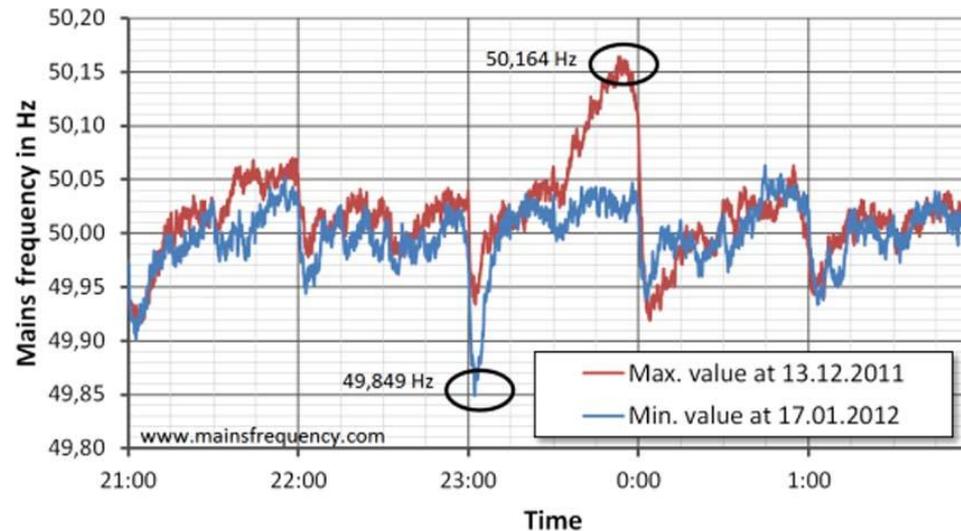
# Control-energy



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- \* Maximum frequency: 50,164 Hz on tuesday, 13.12.2011, 23:52:54
- \* Minimum frequency: 49,849 Hz on tuesday, 17.01.2012, 23:02:08

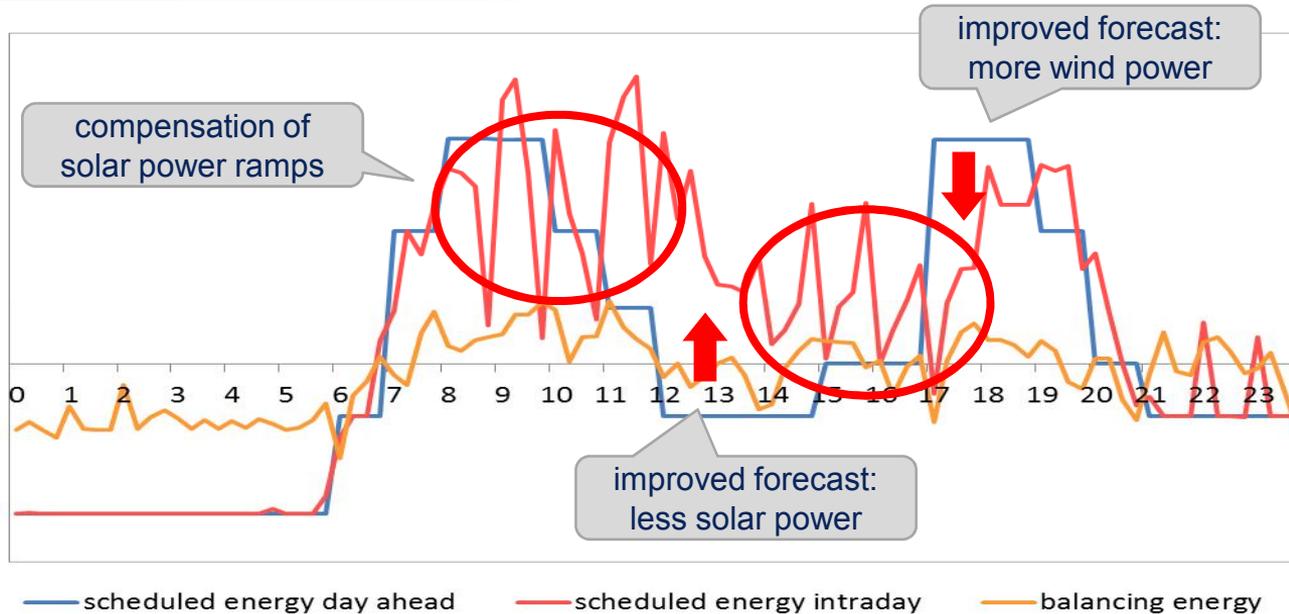
The following figure shows the frequency response (average of seconds) for several hours before and after.



# Example of the Dispatch of a PHS



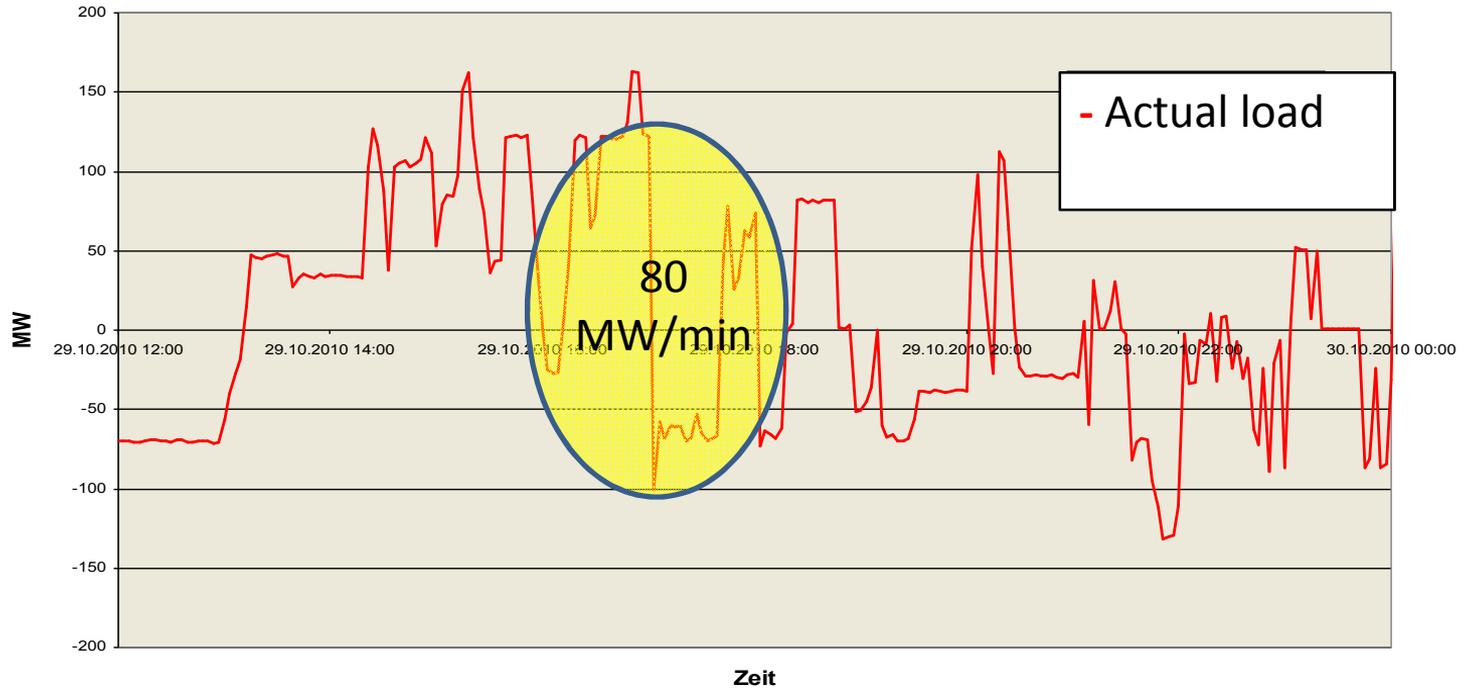
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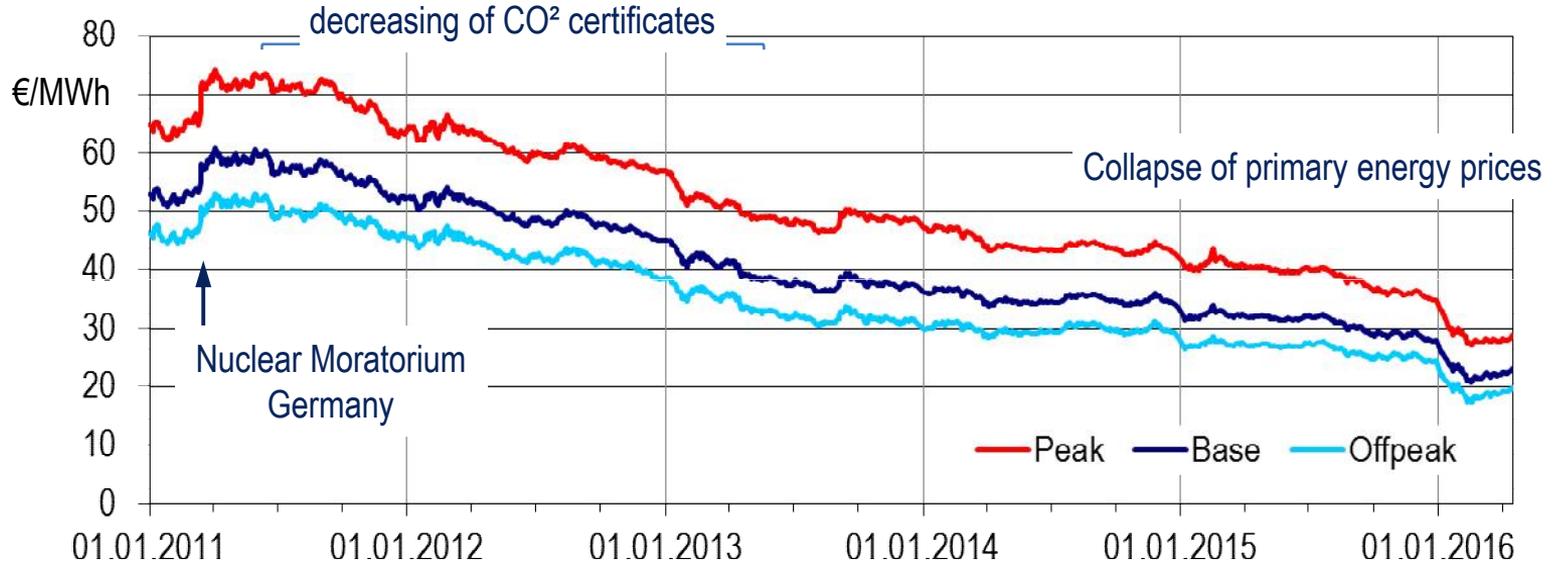
- Already today hydro- and pumped-hydro-stations make a substantial contribution to integrate wind and solar power



# Typical Day Ddiagram – one unit Kops II



# Development of energy prices

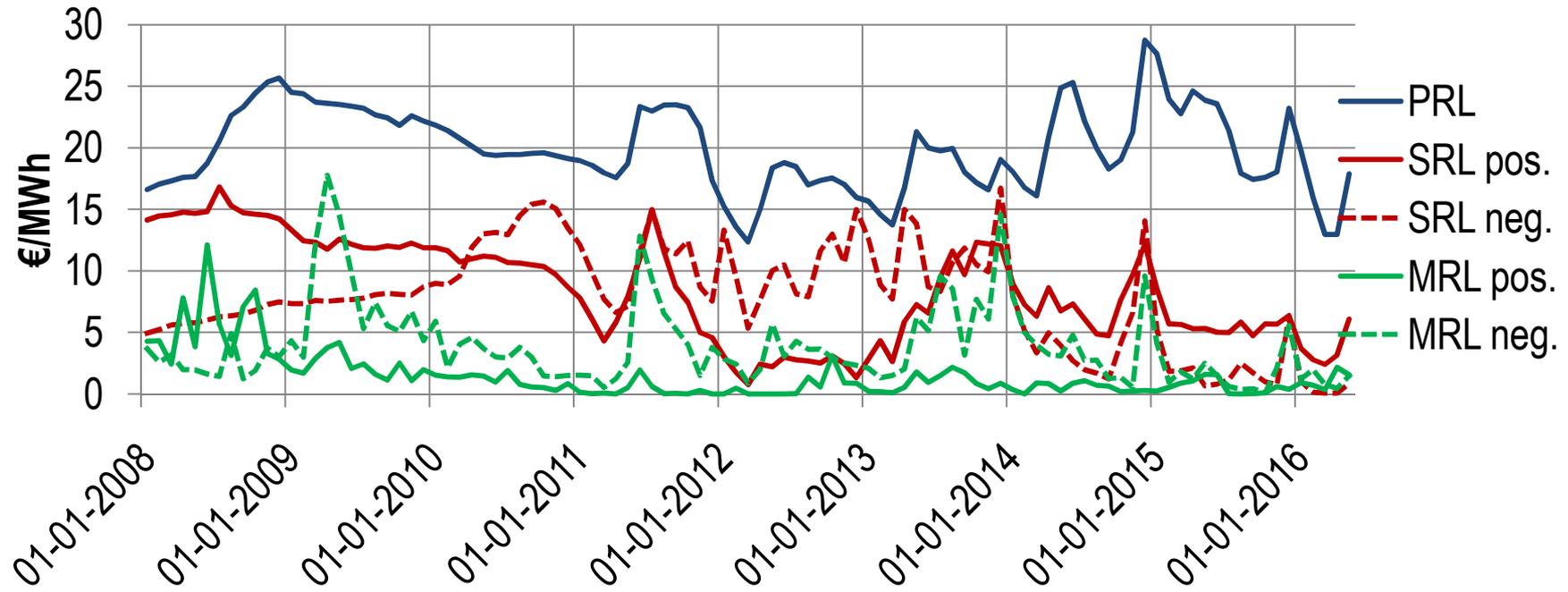


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# Balancing Energy Development of prices



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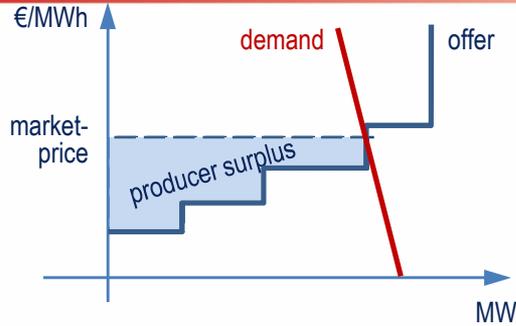


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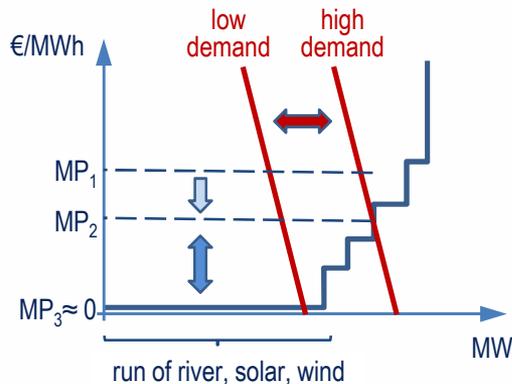
# Impacts on the electricity market

## merit order principle – impact of subsidies



### Demand-offer-curve of a perfect market

- » offer at marginal costs
- » clearing at the market price
- » producer surplus allows to cover fix costs



### Electricity market with a high share of renewable energies

- » priority purchase and fix feed-in-tariffs
- » **independently:** high share of generation capacity with variable costs of almost zero
- » force generation units with variable costs out of the market
- » decrease of market prices



# Status Quo Analyses (Austria)

Discontinuity: 32.000  
(10% Hydropower)



Morphology 30%



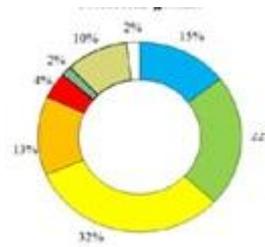
Residual Water 10%



Hydropeaking 2%



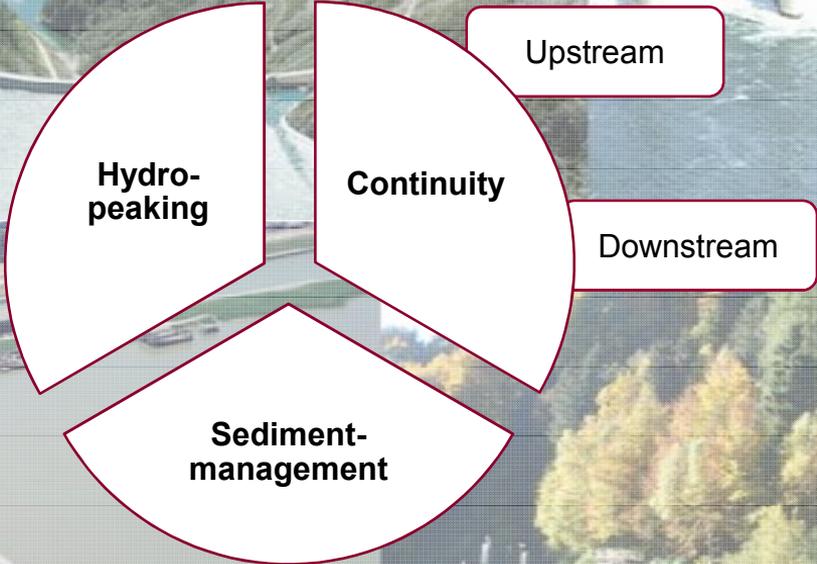
Austria total



Run of river plants 4%



# Issues for research & development



# Hydropeaking: from R&D to smart solutions



200 l/s

40 m<sup>3</sup>/s



## Merging Hydropeaking Projects

1. Basic principles

Schwall 2012

Schwallprojekt Prof. Schmutz

2. Development of Measures

Schwall 2015

3. economical + ecological. check of measures

SureMma – (über AlpS)

4. Feasibility studies for smart solutions on real projects

SureMma +

5. Implementation

Water legislative process

Start 2021

2010

2011

2012

2013

2014

2015

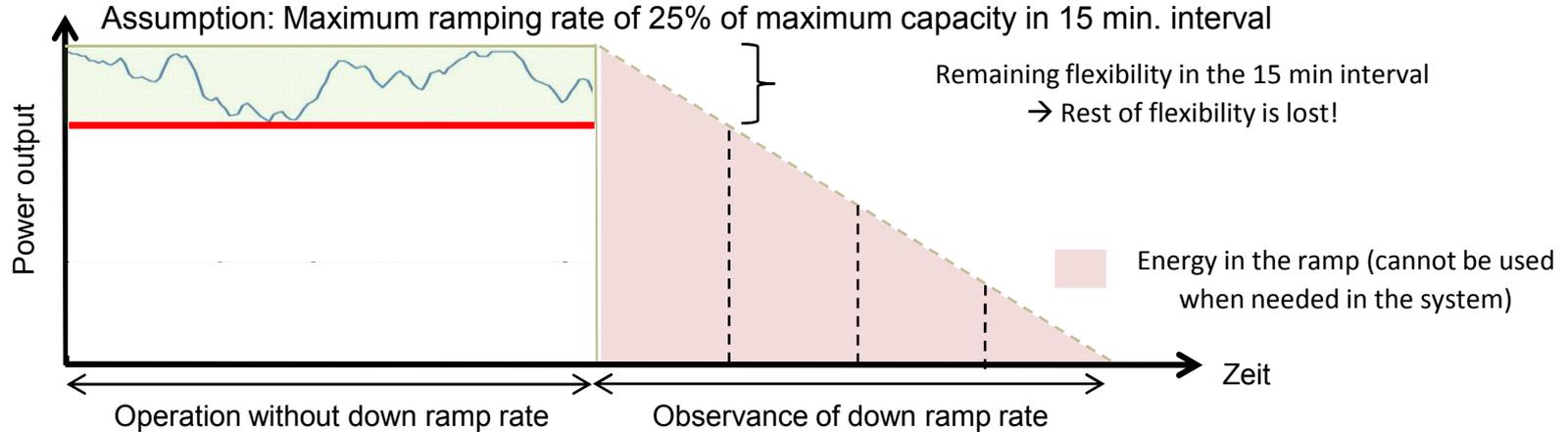
2016

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2018

2019

# Effects of operational restrictions



Flexibility of storage power plant is highly reduced!

→ Significant negative impact on the electricity system and macro-economic effects

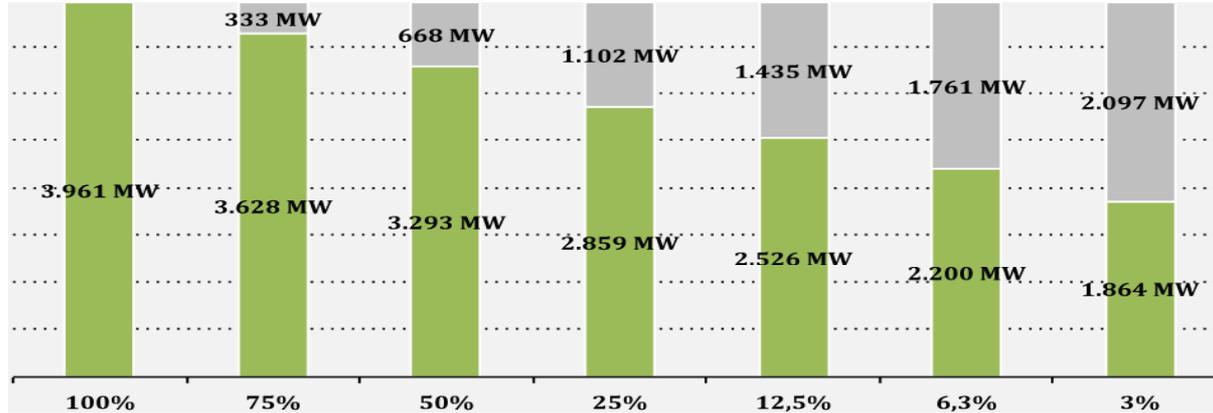
- Security of supply – loss of flexible power
- Climate protection goals
- Additional costs of system operation

→ Very strong negative Micro-economic effects

- Reduction of revenue



# Operational restrictions: Loss of flexible Power



Gray: Sum of the lost flexible power of the ten SuREmMa case studies in the in dependence of the intensity of ramping rate attenuation. Green: Sum of remaining flexible Power

More than 50% of flexible power are lost at high ramping rate attenuation!

Projection for all of Austria:

→ Loss of over 50% of flexible power of storage power plant groups at high down ramp rate attenuation (ca.. 4000MW)

→ Comparable to 10 big gas fired combine-cycle power plant blocks!

# Operational restrictions

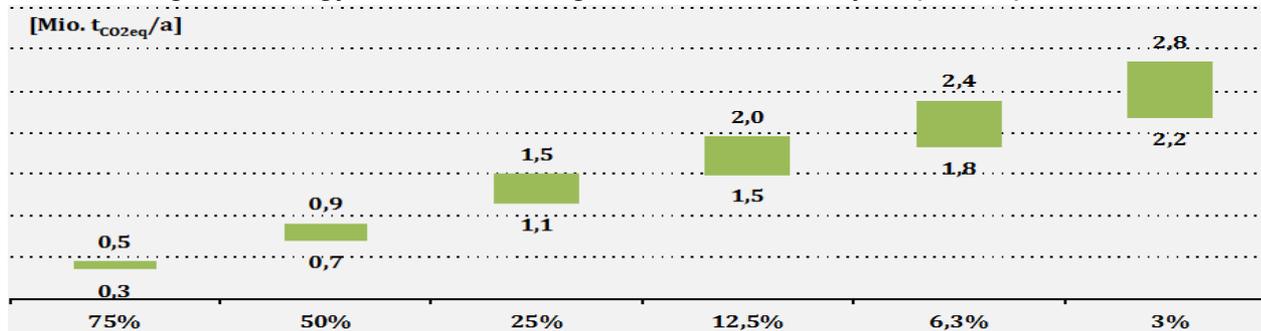
## Additional CO<sub>2</sub> Emission



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Rise of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions in the electricity system due to not integrateable renewable energy (wind and pv).

- Per MW of flexible power 1,5 und 2 MW of fluctuating renewable power can be integrated. Corresponding to 2.600 bis 3.400 MWh per year.
- Quantified as substituting this energy with a modern gas fired combine-cycle power plant



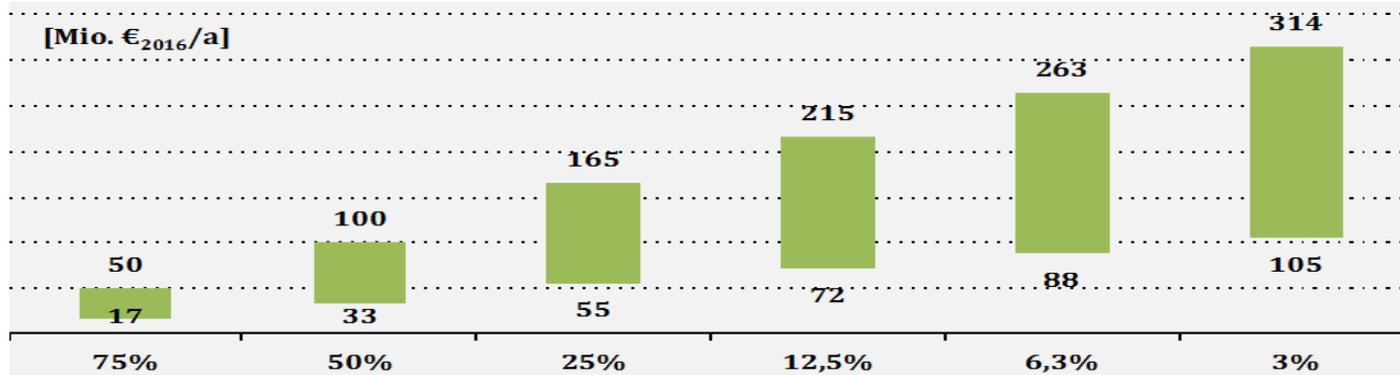
Sum of additional CO<sub>2</sub>-emissions of the ten SuREmMa case studies in the in dependence of the intensity of ramping rate attenuation.

- Additional CO<sub>2</sub>-emissions of 2,2 -2,8 Mio.t CO<sub>2</sub>-equivalent per year in the SuREmMa Case studies at high down ramp rate attenuation!
- Projection for all of Austria:
- → Additional CO<sub>2</sub>-emissions comparable to almost 50% of Austrian car traffic (ca. 4,4 – 5,6 Mio.t<sub>CO2eq/a</sub>)

# Operational restrictions

## Additional costs of system operation

Investment in alternative sources of flexibility leads to a rise in system operation cost.<sup>1)</sup>



Sum of additional costs of system operation of the ten SuREmMa case studies in the in dependence of the intensity of ramping rate attenuation.

Additional system costs of 105 – 315 Mio. € per year in the SuREmMa Case studies at high down ramp rate attenuation!

Projection for all of Austria:

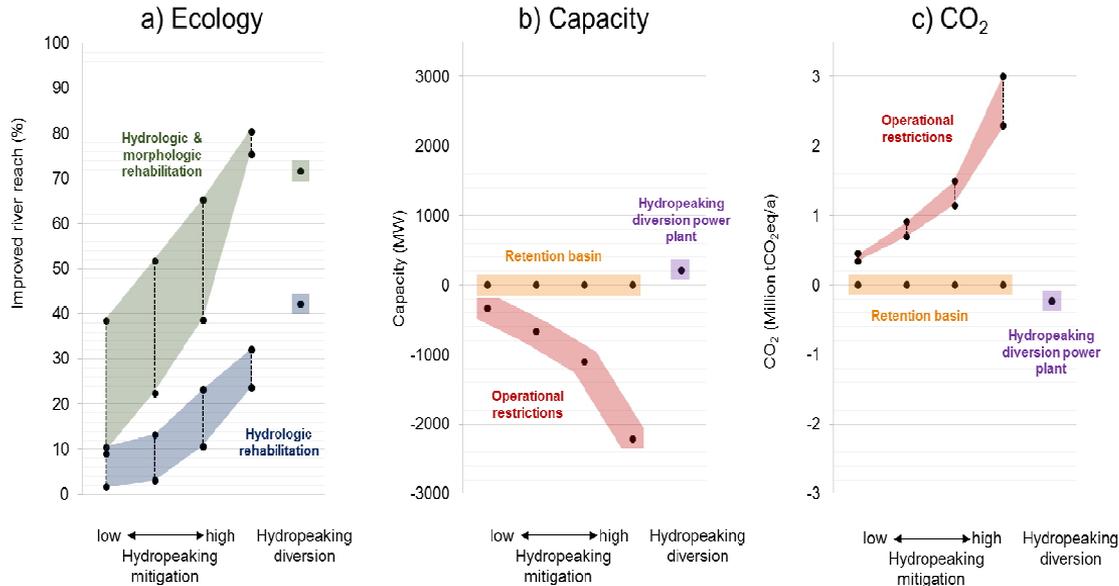
→ Increase in system operation cost up to 2 ‰ of Austrian GDP (200 – 630 Mio. € per year)

–1) Costs of alternative sources of flexibility are between 50.000 – 150.000 €/MW per year.

# SuREmMa – final results



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- Highest ecological improvement:** hydrologic measures together with morphologic rehabilitation.
- Hydrologic rehabilitation with **operational restrictions cause losses of flexibility up to 50 %**. If possible, retention basins or diversion power plants should be implemented as they have no influence on operational restrictions.
- Operational restrictions** for mitigation measures are **contradictory** in achieving the climate targets.



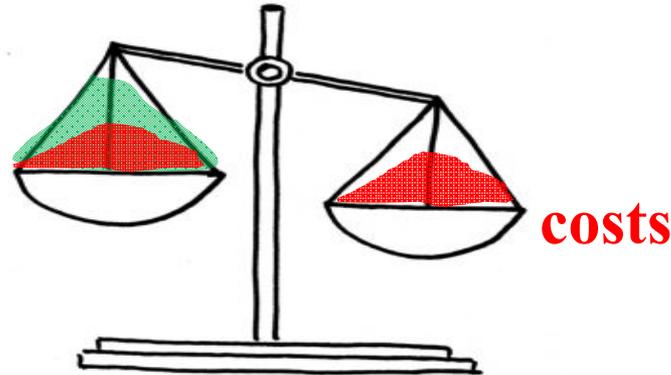
# Balancing

ecological benefit (incl. CO<sup>2</sup>) and proportionality of mitigation measures

## ➤ Goal:

- Highest ecological benefit with the lowest economical costs

**Ecological  
benefit**  
- CO<sup>2</sup> Production



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# Political settings

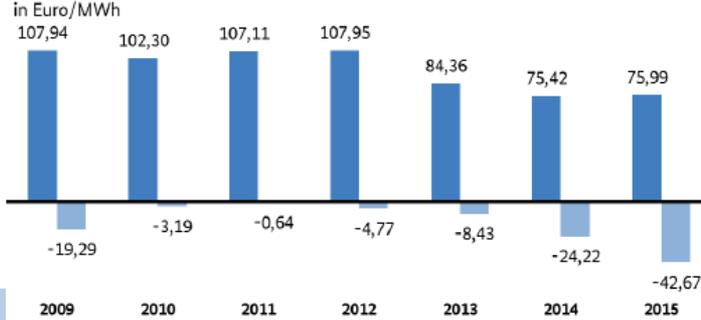
(double grid fees, subsidies, different transmission codes.....)



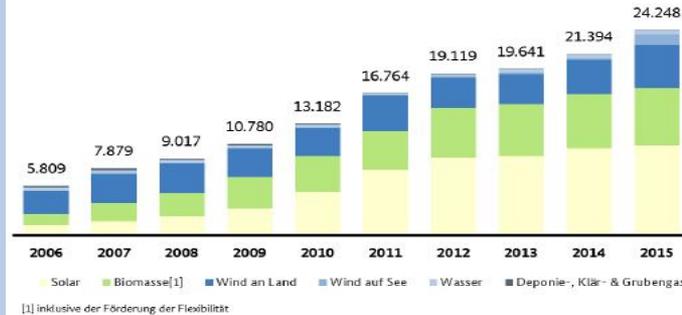
Day Ahead Spotpreis im Mittel



Durchschnittliche Ausgleichsenergiepreise



Entwicklung der finanziellen Förderung  
in Mio. Euro



## Hydropower, Storage Plants, PHS

- 2-5 years development and design
- > 5 years for approval (EIA)
- 4 years of construction
- > 100 years lifetime
- 700.- /1400.- EUR/kWh
- ROI > 30 years
- CO<sup>2</sup> footprint = lowest of all generators

# Role of the Alpine Hydropower



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## The Alpine Hydropower

with high **FLEXIBILITY** in Generation (Pump- and Turbine Mode)

plays a indispensable role in a new energy world of EUROPE

- **Backbone** of the renewable family.
- Enhancing **security** of supply and system **stability**.
- Paves the way for **tomorrows energy system**



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**National Workshop on  
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**Pump storage Needs paradigm shift**

**Arun Kumar**

Professor and MNRE Chair Professor

Alternate Hydro Energy Centre,

Indian Institute of Technology, Roorkee

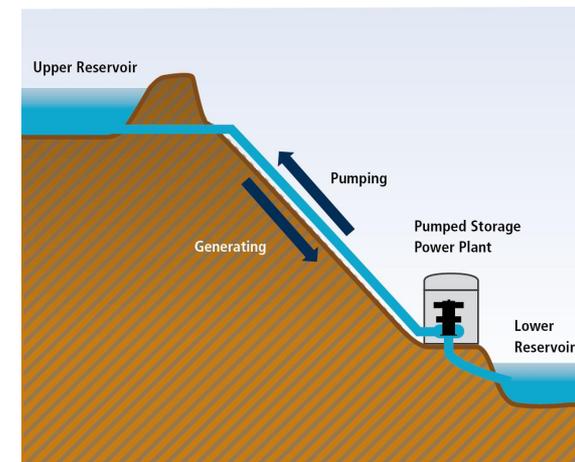
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# INTRODUCTION

## Pumped Storage Hydropower (PSH)

- A PSH scheme operates by exploiting the difference in height between two water bodies to store energy.
- Energy is stored by pumping water from the lower reservoir to the upper reservoir, and is recovered by releasing the stored water from the upper reservoir.
- It is the most commonly used and most commercially viable large scale electricity storage technology and currently accounts for 99% of the total storage capacity globally.

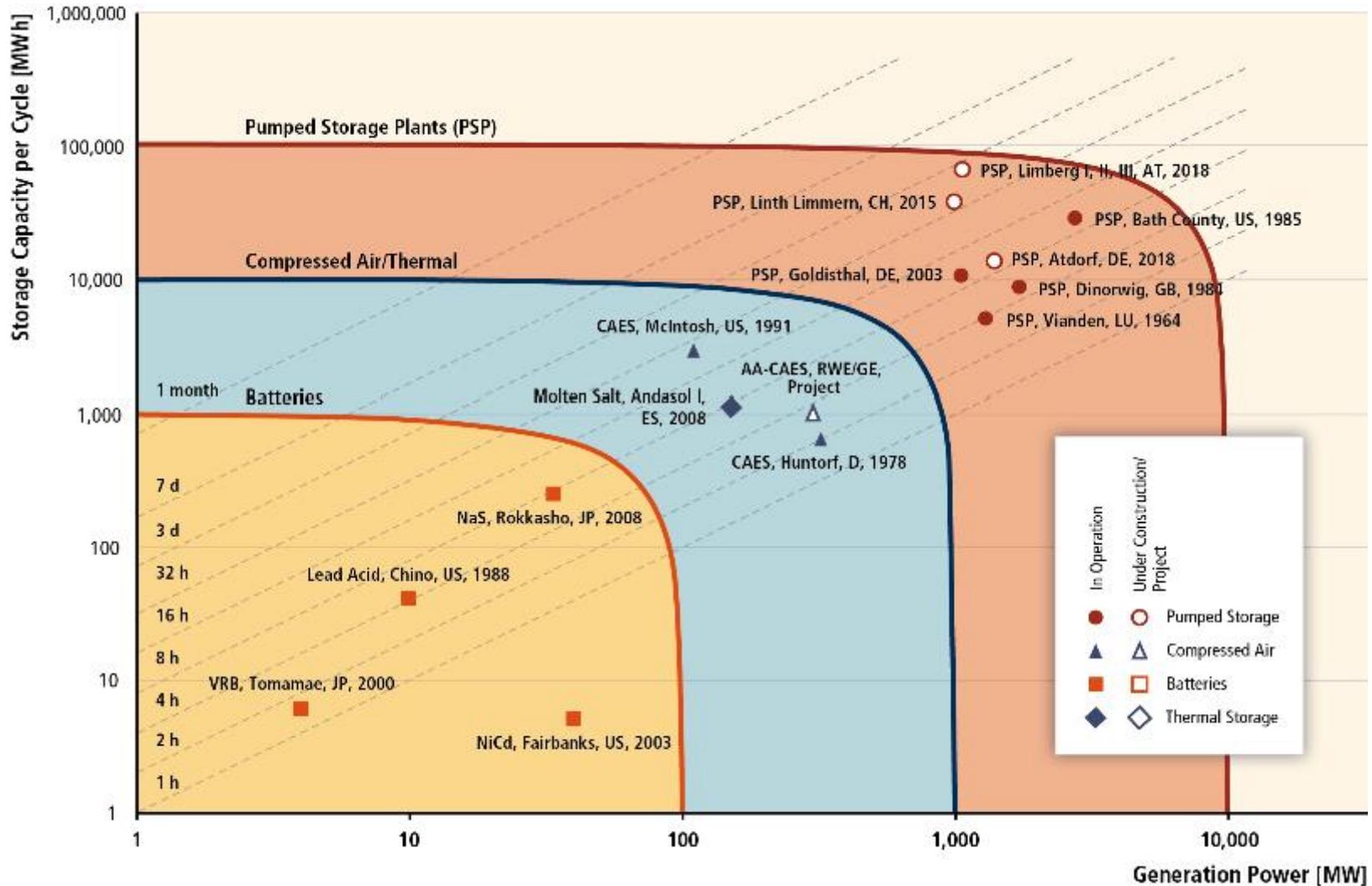


# Benefits of Pumped Storage Plants

1. Proven technology, and utility-size storage facilities
2. Provide both Positive and Negative regulation
3. Improve Transient stability (and Inertia),
4. Provide Reactive power (both Lag and Lead),
5. Also, in Motoring mode (generally in off-peak time), may help the grid in mitigating high voltages in night
6. All other benefits of Hydro Power (Energy security, Generating capacity/peaking power, Frequency Regulation, Load following, Reduced transmission congestion, black start etc)
  - *Balancing grid for demand driven variations,*
  - *balancing generation driven variations,*
  - *voltage support and*
  - *grid stability*

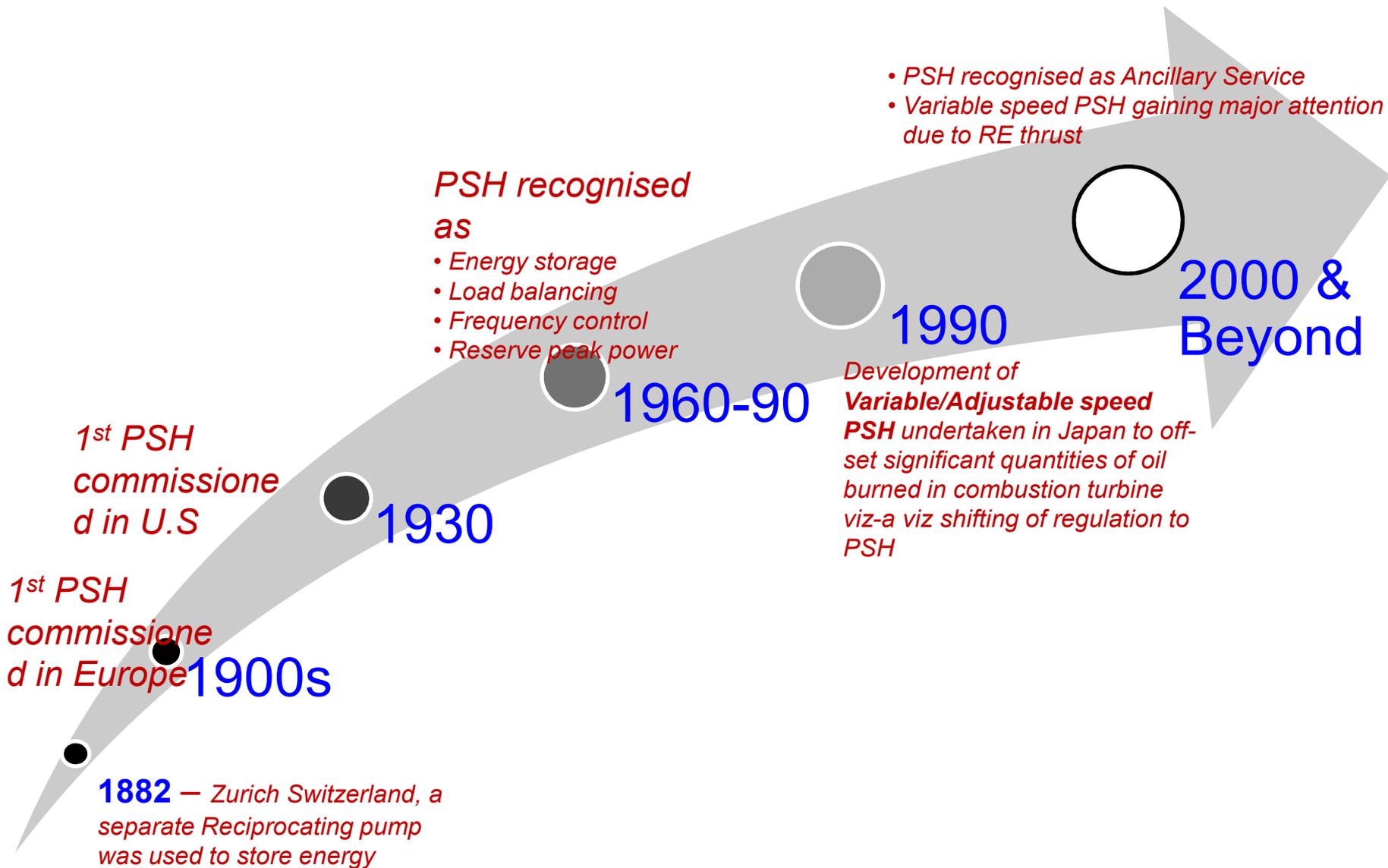
Government of India's ambitious program for Renewable Energy Generation with a target of 175 GW by 2022 comprising of Solar-100 GW, Wind -60 GW

# Storage and installed capacity of selected large electricity storage sites



(Vennemann et al., 2010)

# HISTORICAL EVOLUTION OF PSP



# PSH IN INDIA

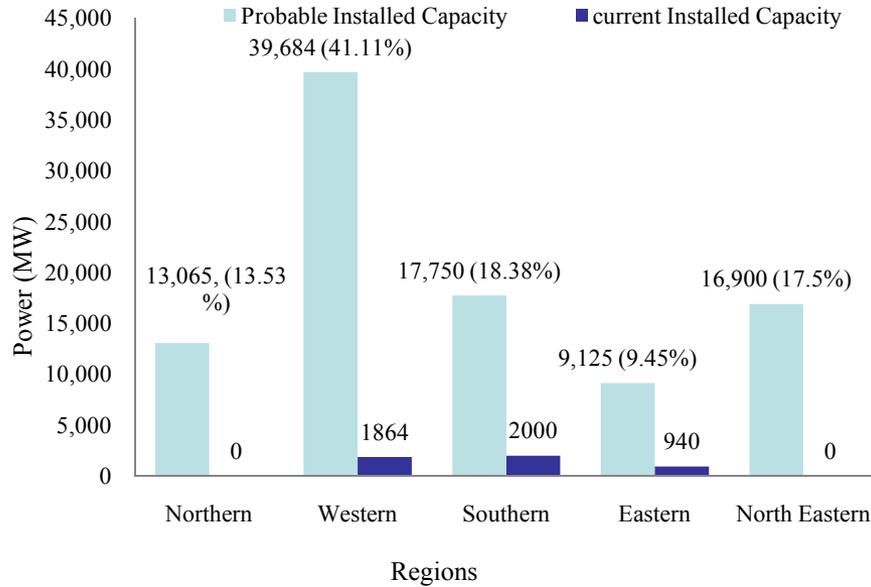
S. No.	Project name/ state	Installed Capacity		Year of Commission	Type of Plant	Operation in pump mode	Remarks
		No. of units	Total (MW)				
1	Kadana. I &II (Gujarat)	2x60+2x60	240	1990-1998	Mixed	Not working	vibration problem
2	Nagarjuna Sagar (Andhra Pradesh)	7x100	700	1980-1985	Mixed	Not working	tail reservoir being constructed
3	Kadamparai (Tamil Nadu)	4x100	400	1987-1989	Mixed	Working	
4	Panchet Hill ( Bihar)	1x40	40	1990-1991	Mixed	Not working	tail reservoir being constructed
5	Bhira (Maharashtra)	1x150	150	1995	Mixed	Working	
6	Srisaillam (Andhra Pradesh)	6x150	900	2001-2003	Mixed	Working	
7	Sardar Sarovar (Gujarat)	6x200	1200	2006	Mixed	Not working	tail reservoir being constructed
8	Purulia (West Bengal)	4x225	900	2007-2008	Pure	Working	
9	Ghatgar (Maharashtra)	2x125	250	2008	Pure	Working	
10	Paithon (Maharashtra)	1x12	12	1984	Mixed	Working	
11	Ujjani (Maharashtra)	1x12	12	1990	Mixed	Working	
		Total	4,804				

Sl no	Project/ state	Installed Capacity		Remarks
		No. of units	Total (MW)	
1	Tehri Stage-II (Uttarakhand)	4x250	1000	Under Construction
2	Koyana Left Bank (Maharashtra)	2x40	80	Under Construction
3	Kundah (Tamil Nadu)	NA	500	DPR returned due to non-resolution of inter-state aspects
4	Malshej Ghat ( Maharashtra)	NA	700	DPR prepared
5	Humbarli (Maharashtra)	NA	400	Survey & investigation being done for DPR preparation
6	Turga (West Bengal)	NA	1000	Survey & investigation being done for DPR preparation
		Total	3680	

- Out of 11 PSH plants (having total installed capacity of 4,804 MW), 3 plants are not operating in pumping mode due to unavailability of lower reservoir while one plant is not operating due to vibration problem.

# PSH IN INDIA

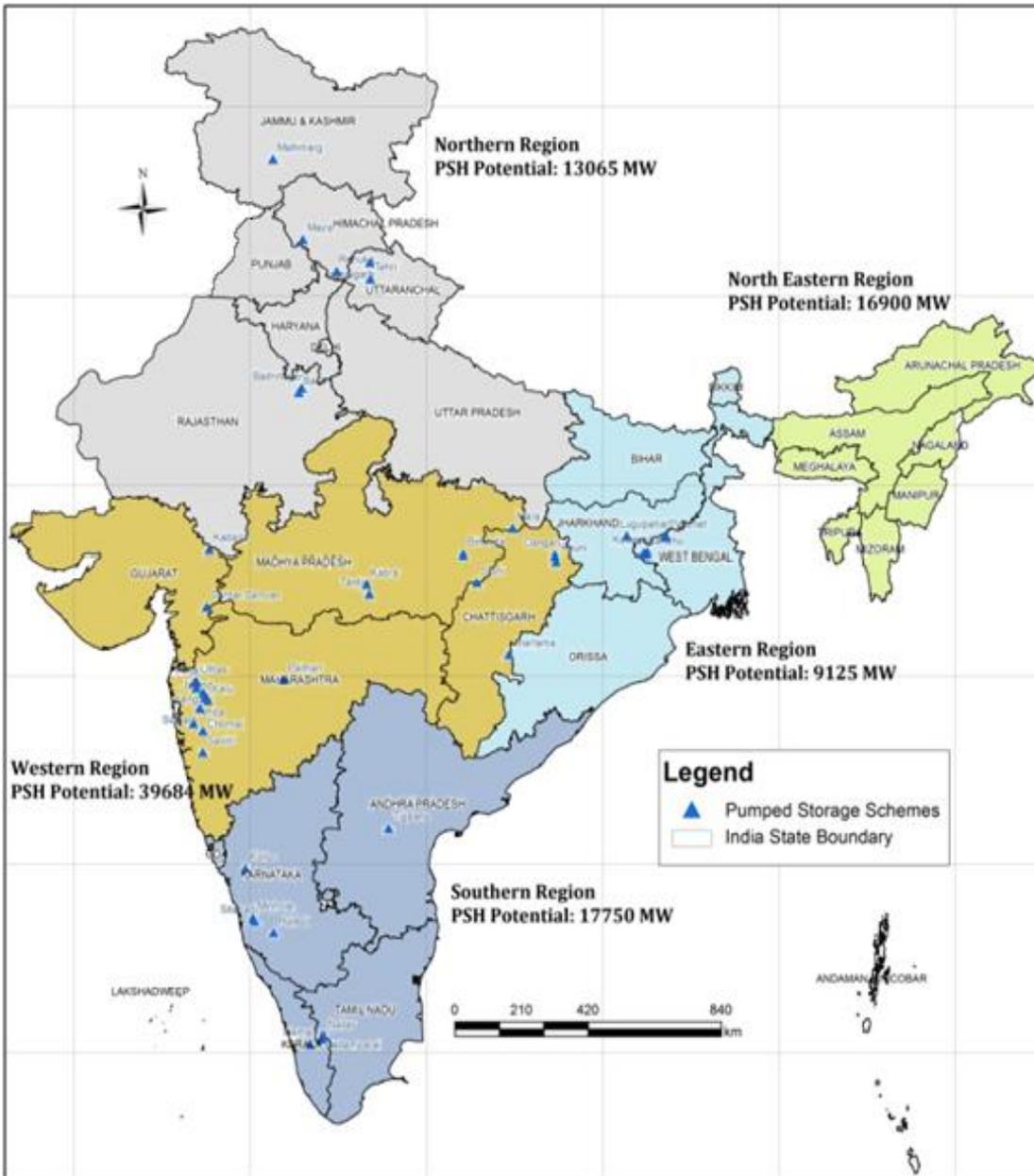
## PSH Potential



Region wise distribution of PSH potential and Current PSH installed capacity (MW)

S. No.	Region/State	Probable Installed capacity(MW)
	NORTHERN	
1	JAMMU & KASHMIR	1650
2	HIMACHAL PRADESH	3600
3	UTTAR PRADESH	4035
4	RAJASTHAN	3780
	SUB TOTAL	<b>13065</b>
	WESTERN	
1	MADHYA PRADESH	11150
2	MAHARASTRA	27094
3	GUJARAT	1440
	SUB TOTAL	<b>39684</b>
	SOUTHERN	
1	ANDHRA PRADESH	2350
2	KARNATAKA	7900
3	KERALA	4400
4	TAMIL NADU	3100
	SUB TOTAL	<b>17750</b>
	EASTERN	
1	BIHAR	2800
2	ORISSA	2500
3	WEST BENGAL	3825
	SUB TOTAL	<b>9125</b>
	NORTH EASTERN	
1	MANIPUR	4350
2	ASSAM	2100
3	MIZORAM	10450
	SUB TOTAL	<b>16900</b>
	TOTAL	<b>96524</b>

# PSH POTENTIAL SITE LOCATION

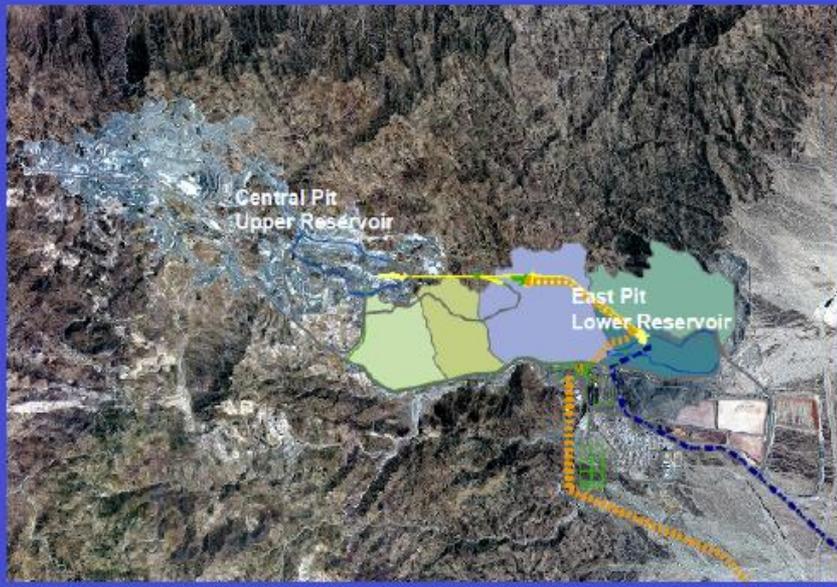


PSH sites	Numbers	Capacity (MW)
Developed	11	4804
Under Development	6	3680
Total Identified	63	96524

## Pumped storage projects planned (source: CEA, 2018)

Sl. No.	Name of project	Sate	Installed capacity (MW)	Agency	Present Status
<b>Projects planned on existing hydro projects</b>					
1	Humbarli	Maharashtra	400	NPCIL & THDC	Commitment from GoM awaited.
2	Varahi	Karnataka	700	KPCL	DPR likely by 2022.
3	Idukki	Kerala	300	KSEB Ltd.	Yet to be taken up.
4	Pallivasal	Kerala	600	KSEB Ltd	Yet to be taken up.
5	Upper Indravati	Odisha	600	OHPC	DPR to be prepared by WAPCOS.
6	Ghatghar Stage – II	Maharashtra	125	GoMWRD	
7	Sharavathy	Karnataka	2000	KPCL	TOR for CIA study from MOEF received. DPR under preparation.
8	Sillahalla	Tamil Nadu	2000	TANGEDCO	Survey under progress.
		<b>Sub total</b>	<b>6,725</b>		
<b>New Pumped Storage Projects</b>					
9	Malshej Ghat	Maharashtra	700	NPCIL & THDC	TOR for EIA expired. Commitment from GoM awaited.
10	Mutkhel	Maharashtra	110	GoMWRD	Preliminary investigation
11	Warasgaon	Maharashtra	1200	GoMWRD	NHPC explored and found attractive. No Forest land. Commitment from GoM awaited.
12	Atvan	Maharashtra	1200	GoMWRD	NHPC explored and found attractive. Under wild life.
13	Koyna st-VI	Maharashtra	400	GoMWRD	NHPC explored and found attractive. Under wild life.
14	Bandhu	West Bengal	900	WBSEDCL	DPR by 2019.
15	Kulbera	West Bengal	1110	WBSEDCL	Preliminary studies. Likely after Bhandhu.
16	Lugupahar	Jharkhand	2800	DVC	PFR under progress.
		<b>Sub total</b>	<b>8,420</b>		
		<b>Total</b>	<b>15,145</b>		

# Benefits of Closed Loop Pumped Storage System



- Self contained “off-stream” water system
- No need for new dams on main stem rivers
- Uses existing infrastructure
- This sidesteps the constraint of site availability thus minimize environmental impacts



# Erzhausen – Pumped Storage, Germany

Outside the Leine River system



# Waldeck Pumped Storage Hydroelectric, Germany (920 MW)

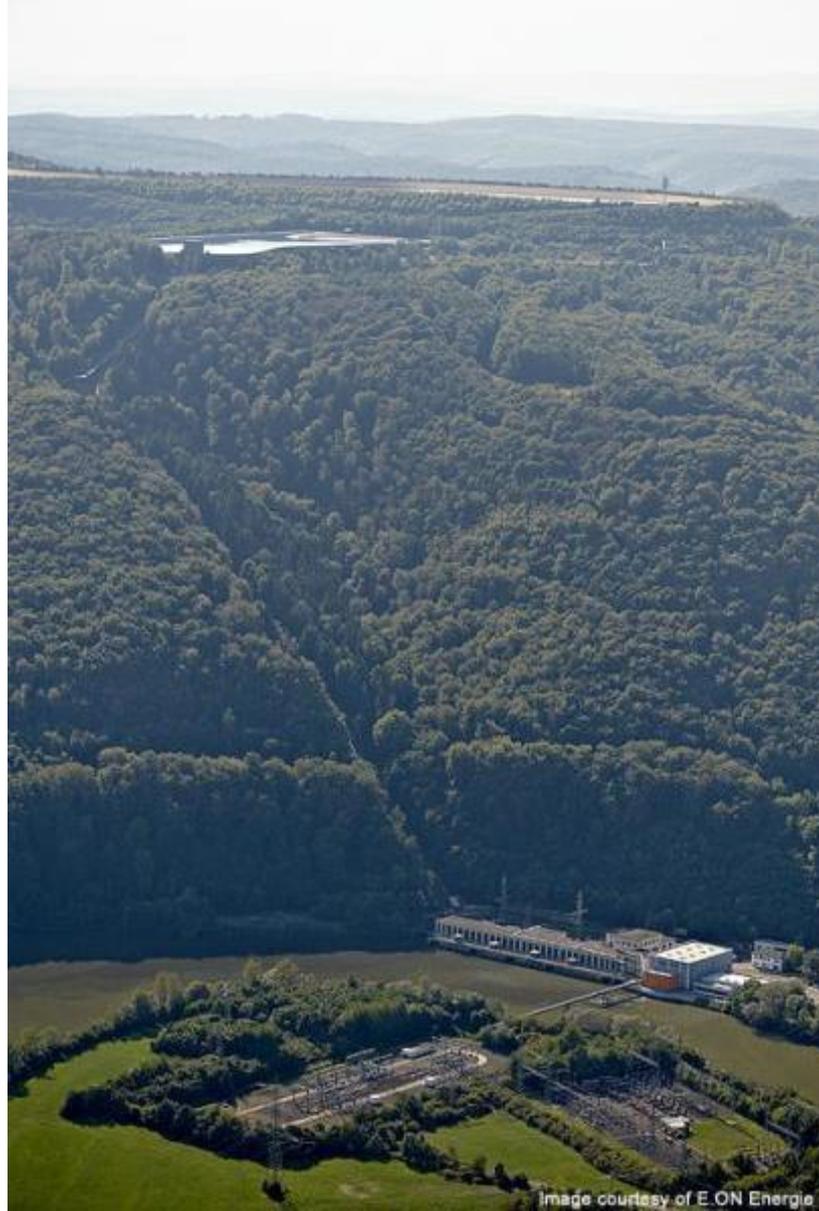


Image courtesy of E.ON Energie

# Goldisthal pumped-storage power plant, Germany (1053 MW)



The Porąbka-Żar pumped-storage power plant, Poland

The upper reservoir - 250 m x 650 m.

The total volume of the reservoir is 2.3 million m<sup>3</sup>.



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**Taum Sauk, 450 MW PSP, Missouri, USA Started in 1963, failed 2005,  
restarted 2010**



*Taum Sauk Upper Reservoir Failure*

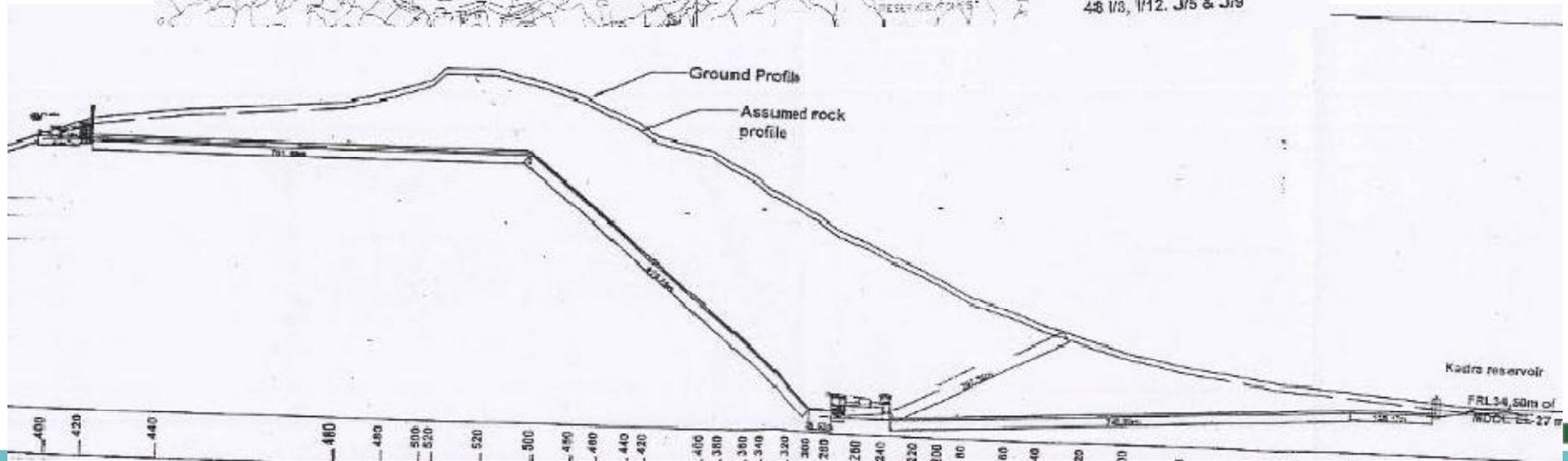
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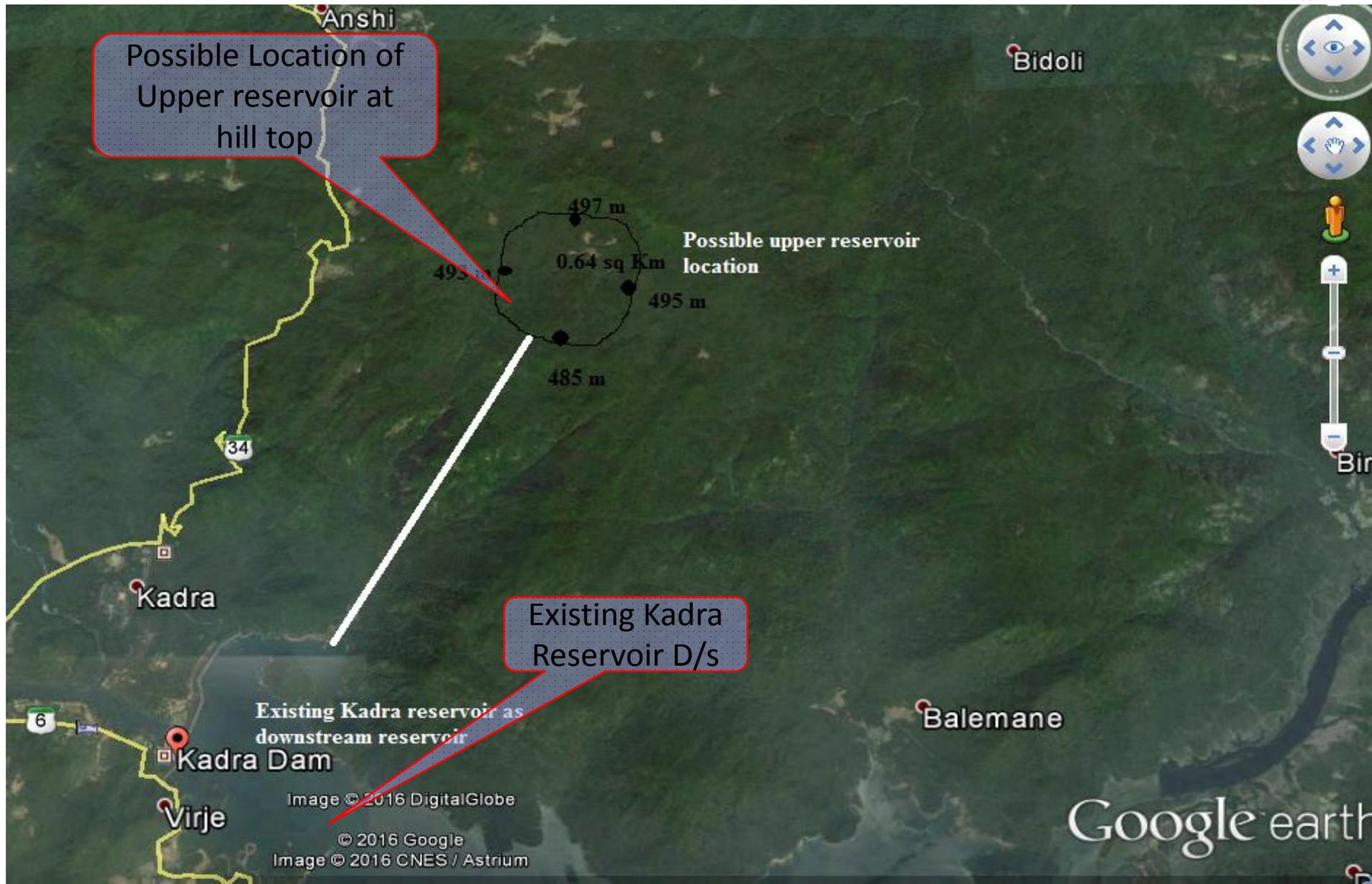
*Taum Sauk Upper Reservoir Rebuild*

# Kali Pumped Storage Scheme





# Possible locations of upper reservoir Kali PSP



Possible Location of Upper reservoir at hill top

Existing Kakra Reservoir D/s

497 m  
0.64 sq Km  
495 m  
485 m

Possible upper reservoir location

Existing Kakra reservoir as downstream reservoir

Kakra Dam

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# Possible locations of upper reservoir Kali PSP

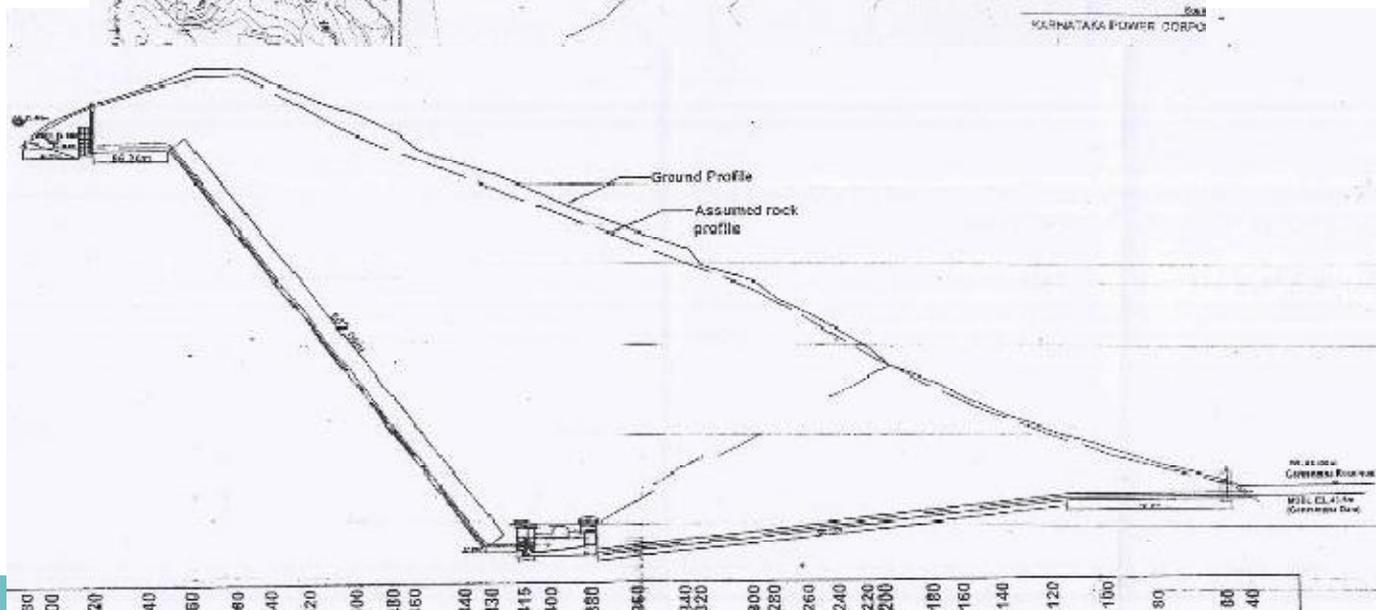
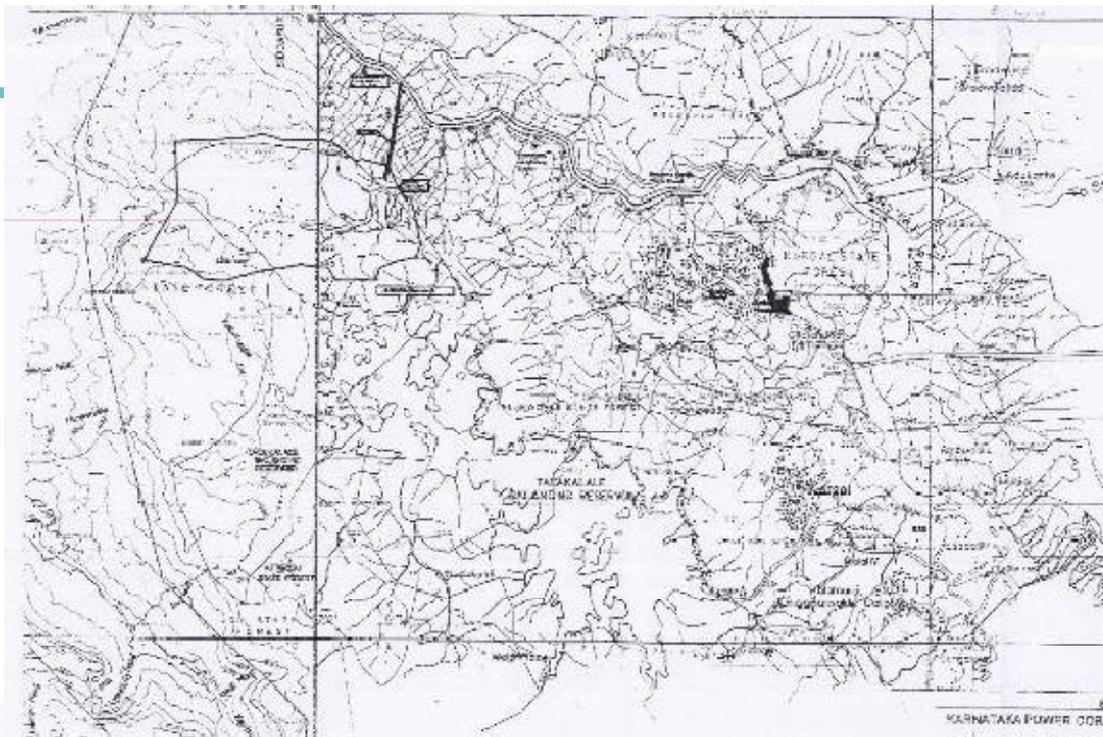


Existing Kadra Reservoir D/s

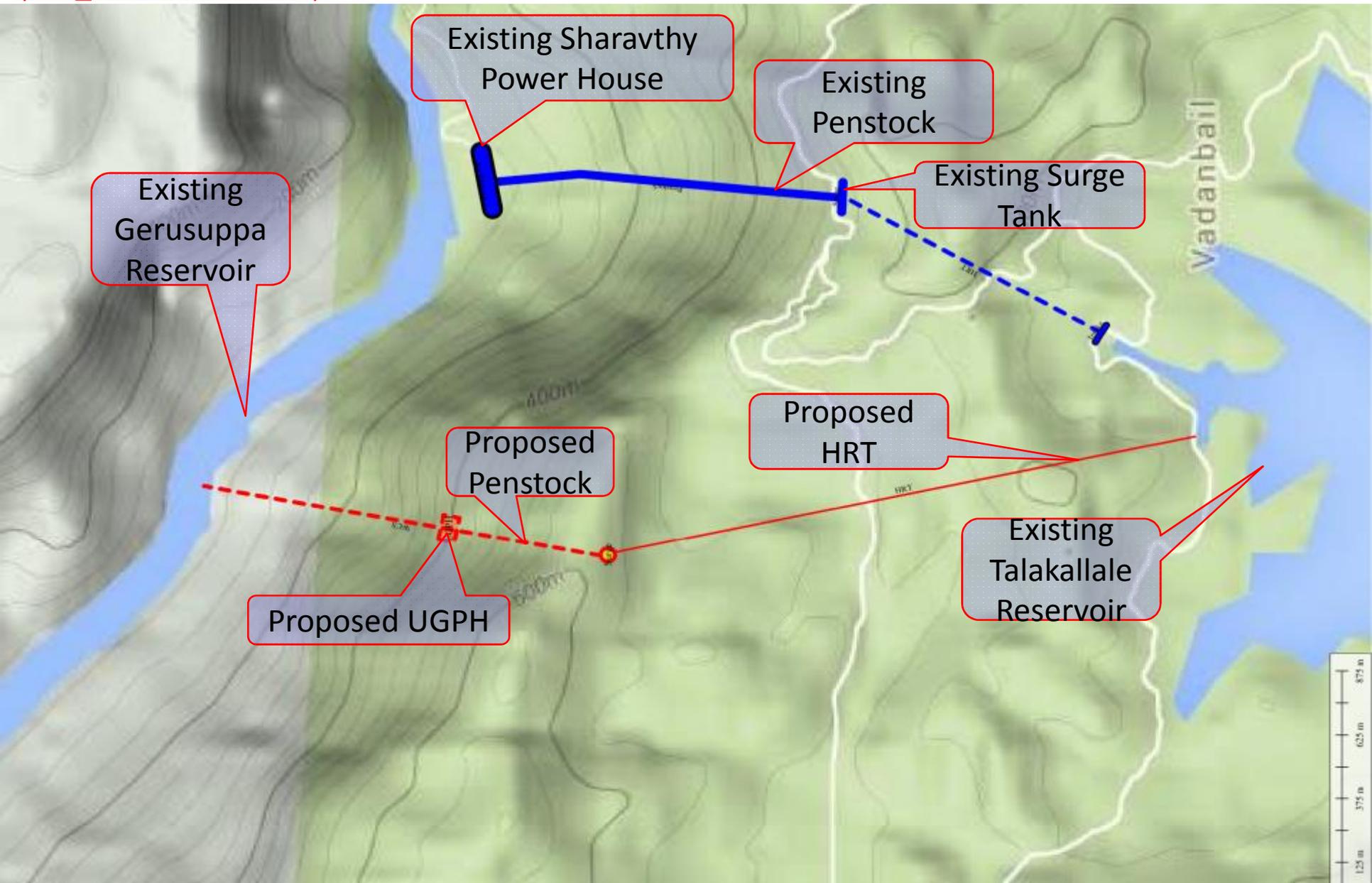
Possible Location of Upper reservoir at hill top

Possible location of upper reservoir

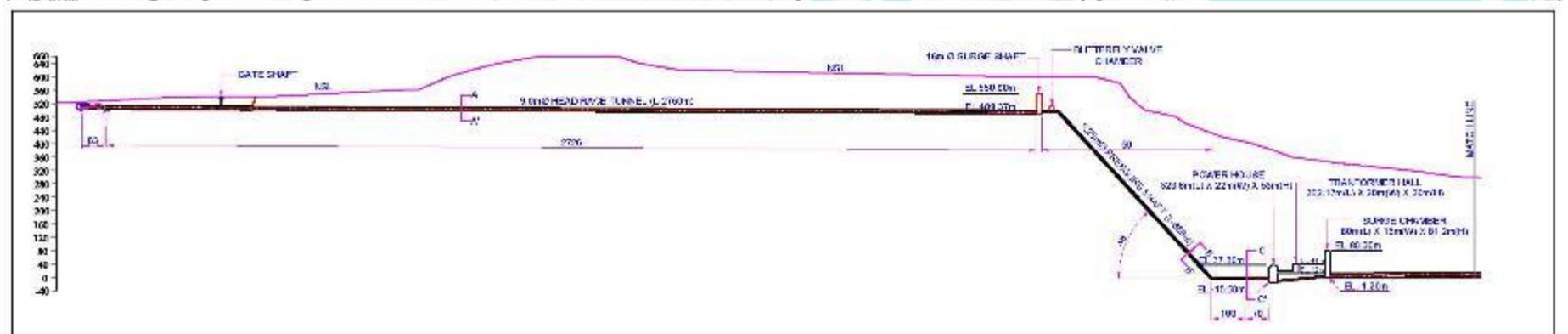
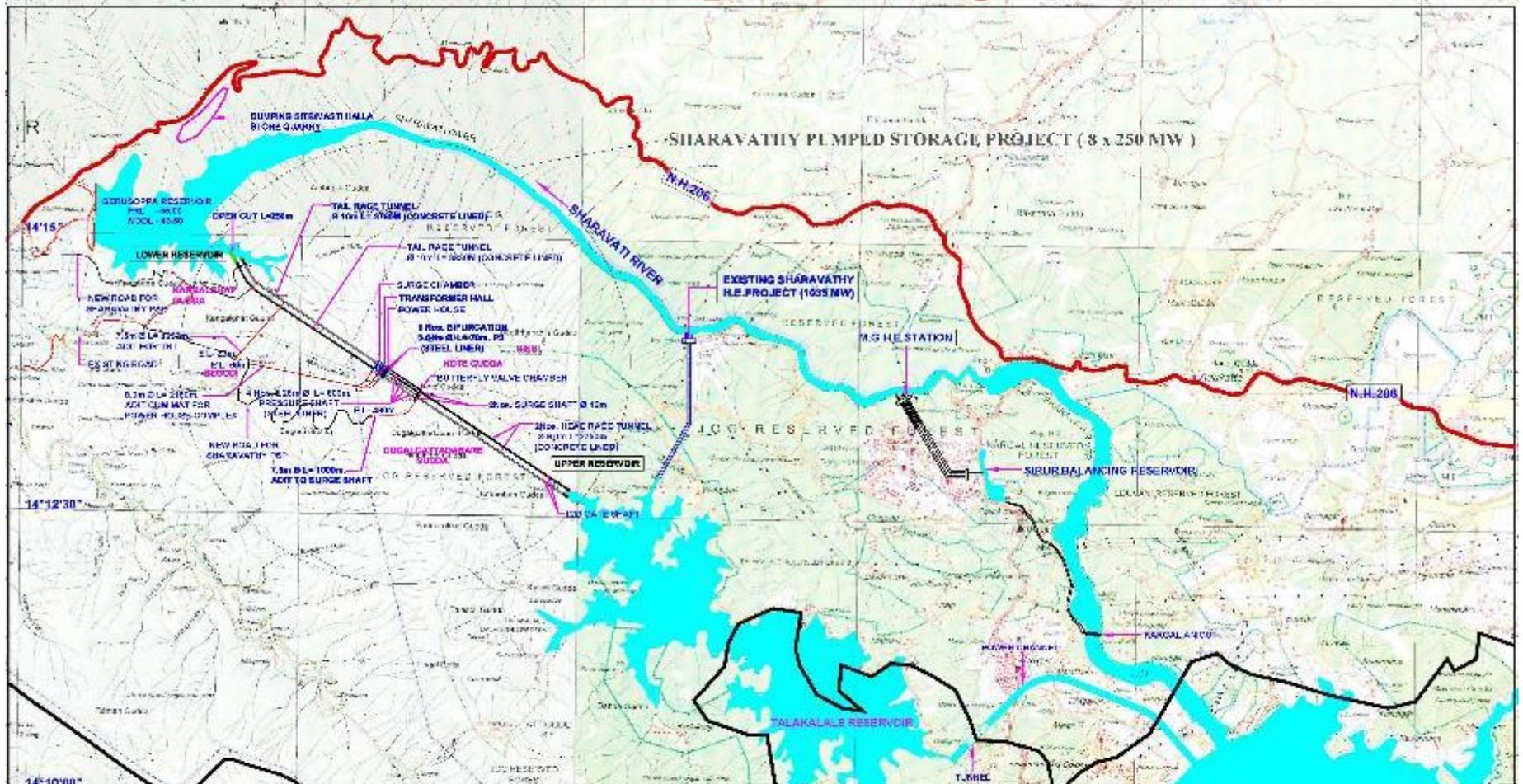
# Sharavathi Pumped Storage Scheme



# Proposed Sharavathi Pumped Storage Scheme (Option 02)



# Sharavathi Pumped Storage Scheme



# Brookfield Pumped Storage Projects

- Located in California
- 280 MW
- Preliminary Permit granted 10/2007
- Closed Loop system – will not reside on any existing waterways
- Water source identified
- Within one mile of transmission corridor
- Preliminary site control established
- Located in a market where the value of capacity is still evolving



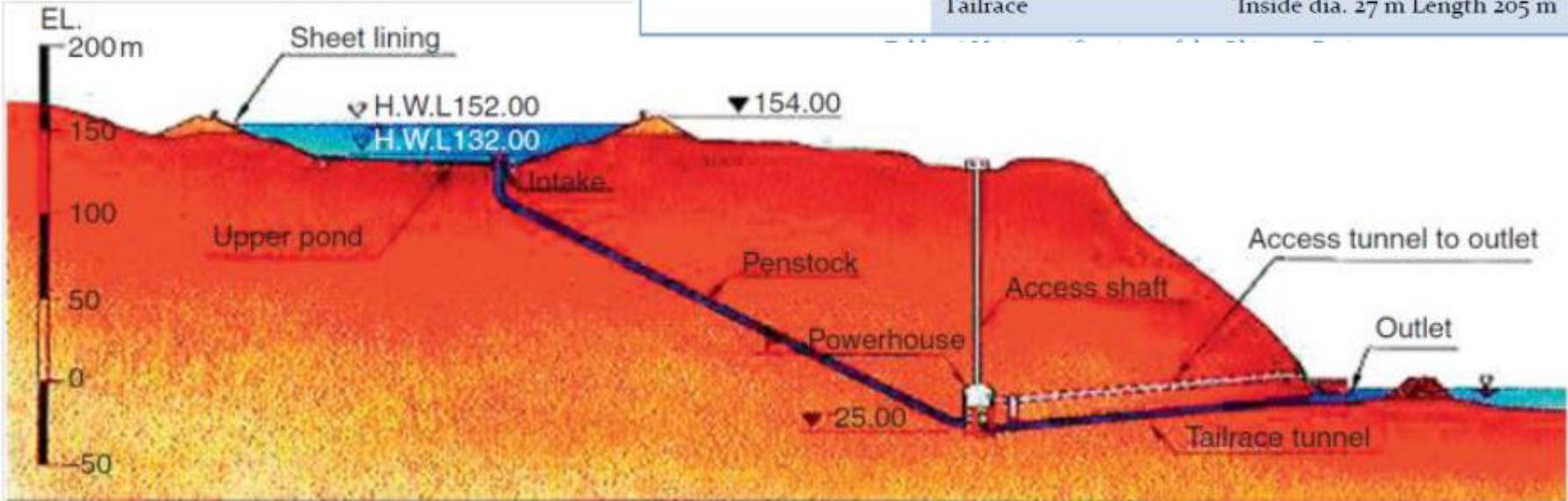
PROJECT LOCATION MAP



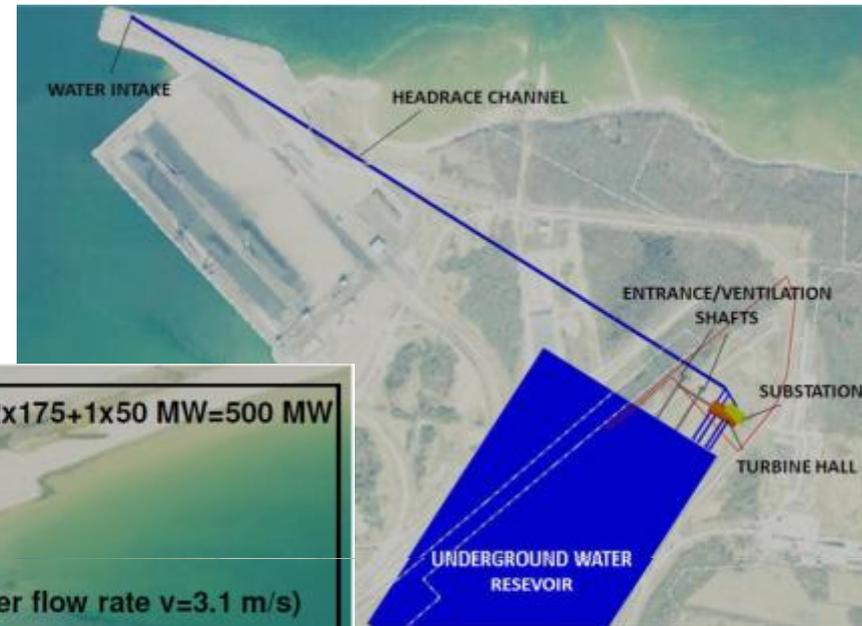
# Okinawa Seawater Based PSP, Japan



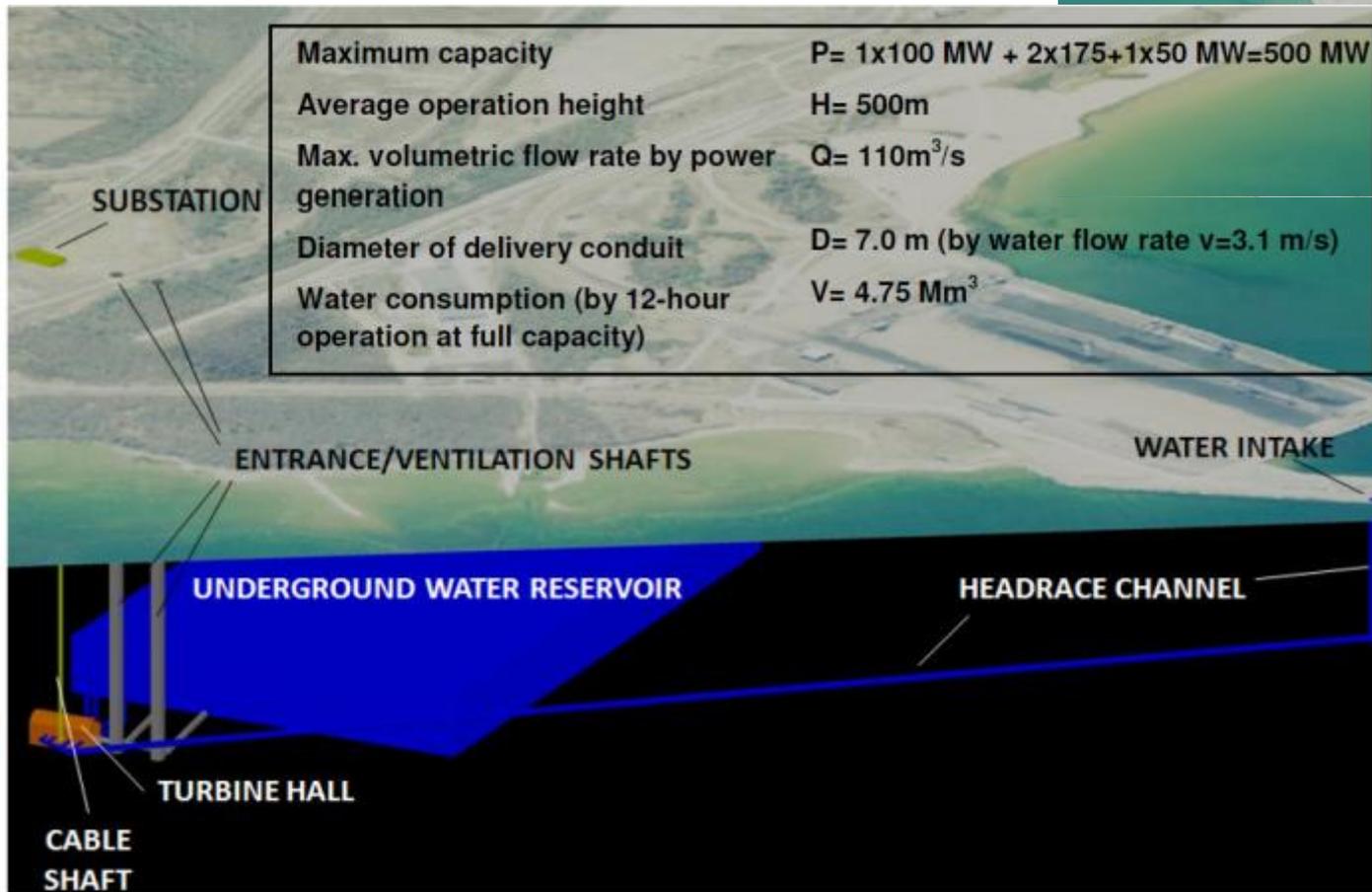
Okinawa Yanbaru Power Plant		Specification
Power plant	Max. Output	30 MW
	Max. Discharge	26 m <sup>3</sup> /s
	Effective head	136 m
Upper regulating pond	Type	Excavated type, Rubber sheet-lined
	Max. embarkment height	25 m
	Crest circumference	848 m
	Max. Width	251.5 m
	Total storage capacity	0.59x10 <sup>6</sup> m <sup>3</sup>
Waterway	Penstock	Inside dia. 24 m Length 314 m
	Tailrace	Inside dia. 27 m Length 205 m



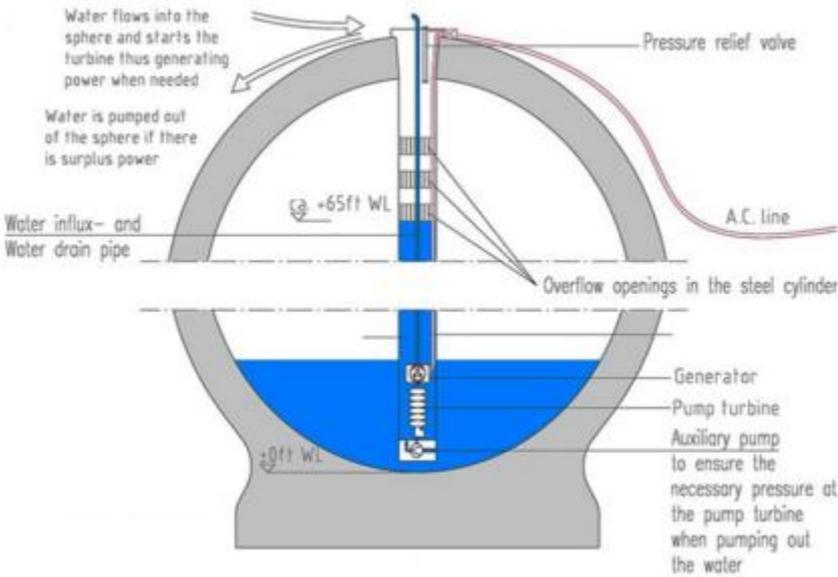
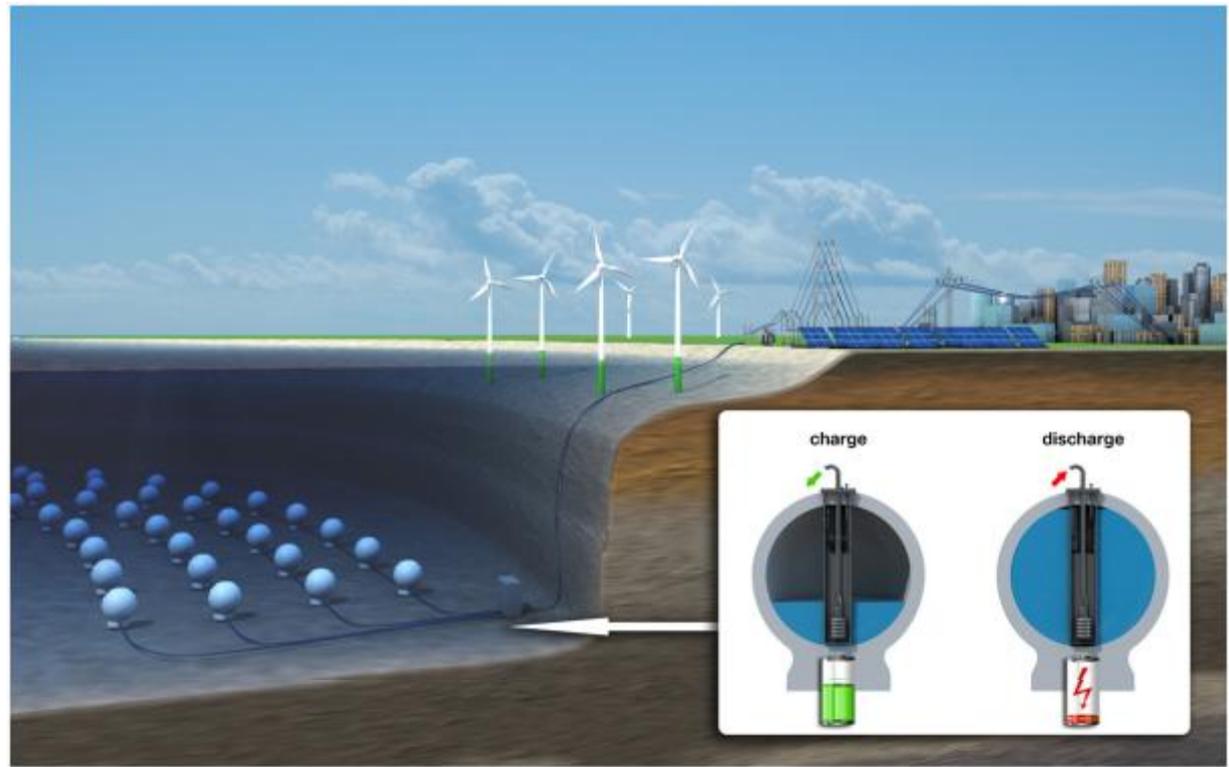
# Seawater Muuga PHES (Under construction Completed upto 2020)



Maximum capacity	$P = 1 \times 100 \text{ MW} + 2 \times 175 + 1 \times 50 \text{ MW} = 500 \text{ MW}$
Average operation height	$H = 500 \text{ m}$
Max. volumetric flow rate by power generation	$Q = 110 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$
Diameter of delivery conduit	$D = 7.0 \text{ m}$ (by water flow rate $v = 3.1 \text{ m/s}$ )
Water consumption (by 12-hour operation at full capacity)	$V = 4.75 \text{ Mm}^3$



# Underwater PHS (Stensea project)



Pumps water into 30-meter diameter spheres anchored at the seabed, which can store up to 20 MWh each. Another sea-based alternative solution was proposed in Belgium.

# PSH IN DISCARDED MINE SITES

- As per Indian Bureau of Mines, there are 82 abandoned mines in India.
- These discarded mines may be utilized as reservoir for PSH development.
- Mines considered for development are open pit or underground mine.

Main considerations for groundwater reservoir construction:

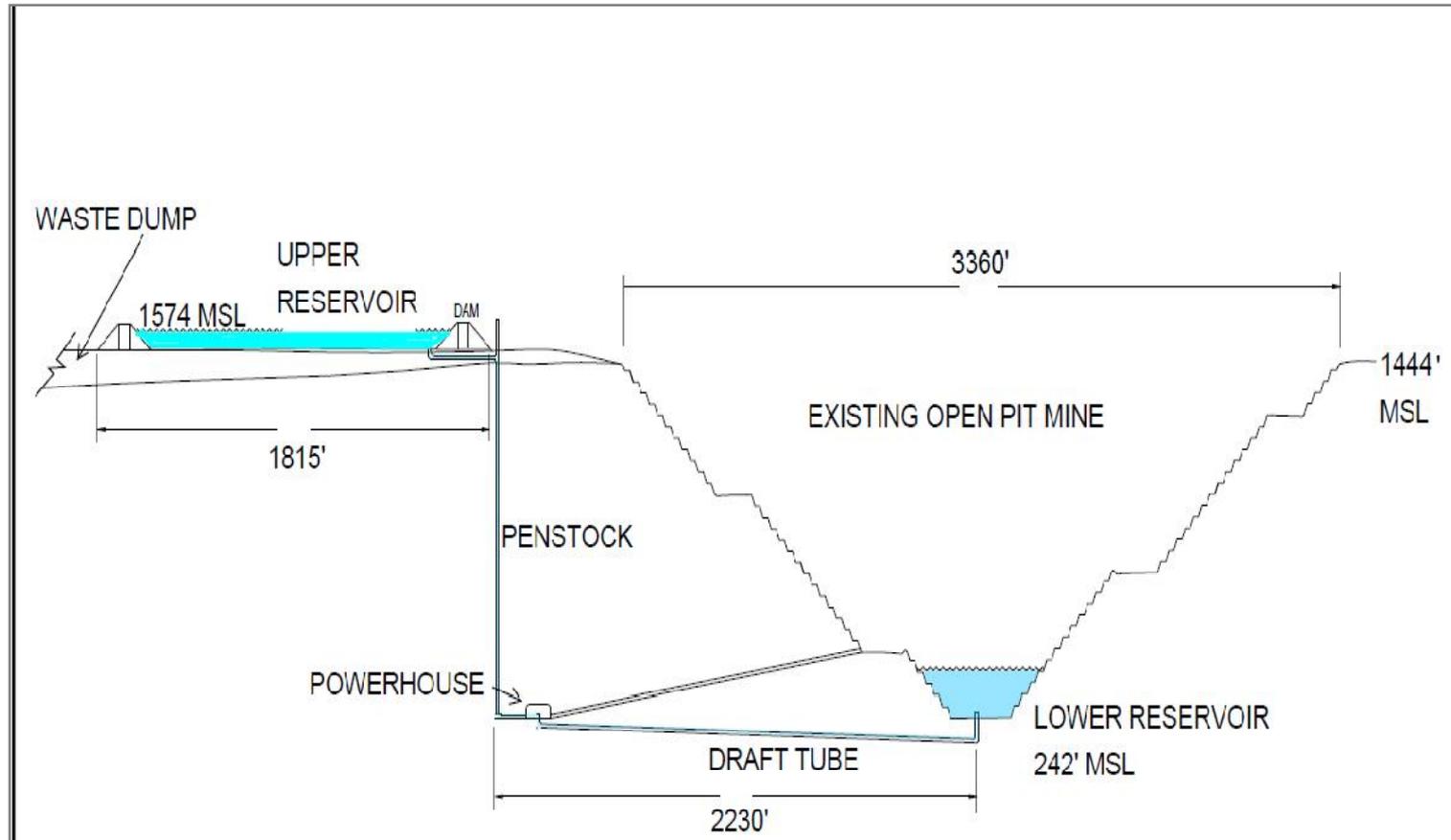
- a) large underground storage space
- b) nearby source of water.

In addition, other conditions that should also be considered are security, sustainability and the environment

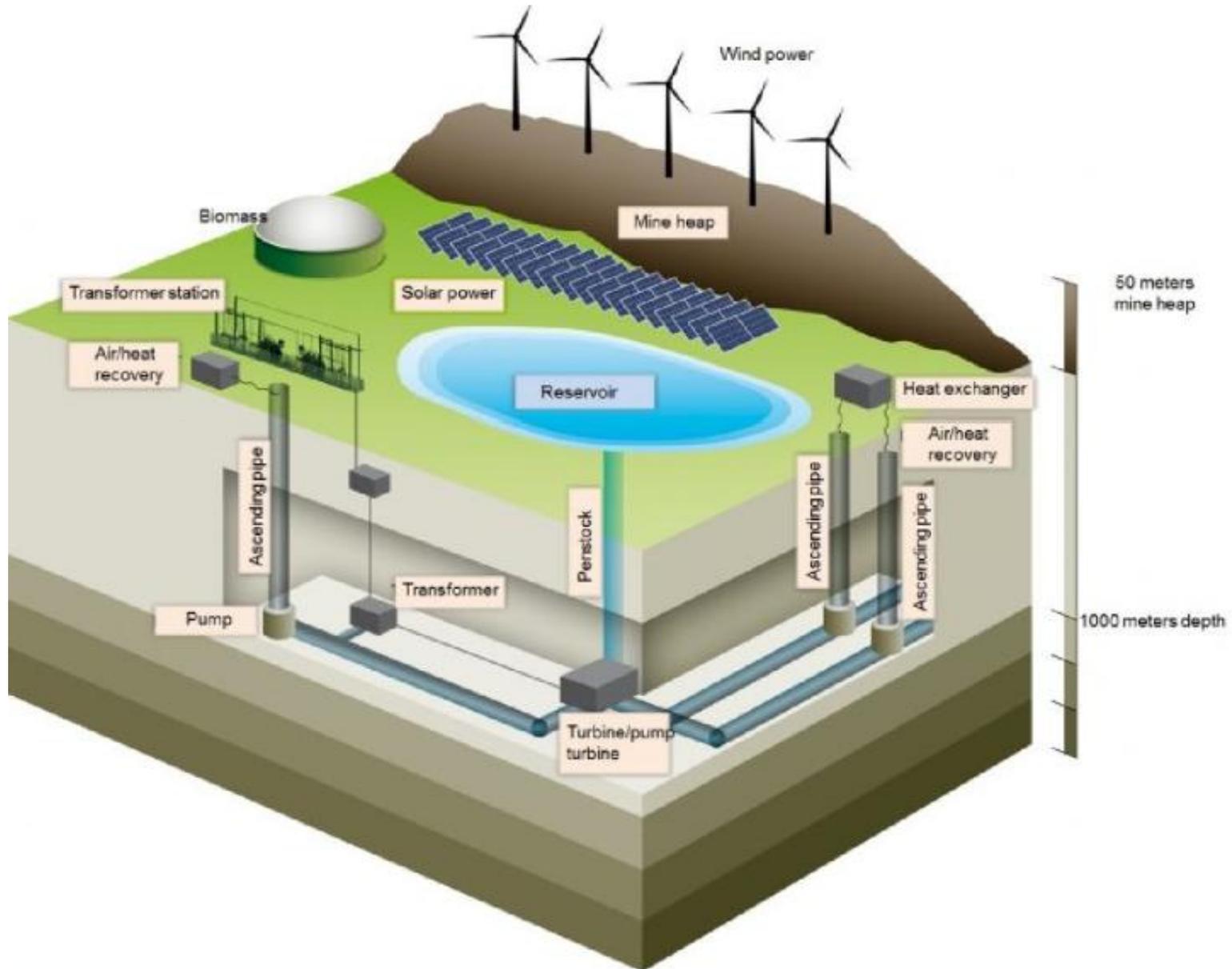
Geotechnical considerations for an underground reservoir:

- a) Structural adequacy of the rock mass
- b) Water tightness
- c) Mineral content and possible contamination
- d) Groundwater contamination
- e) Disposal of excavated material

# PSH IN DISCARDED MINE SITES



# The state of North-Rhine Westphalia (Germany) – Prosper-Haniel hard coal mine (600 m deep) 200 MW.



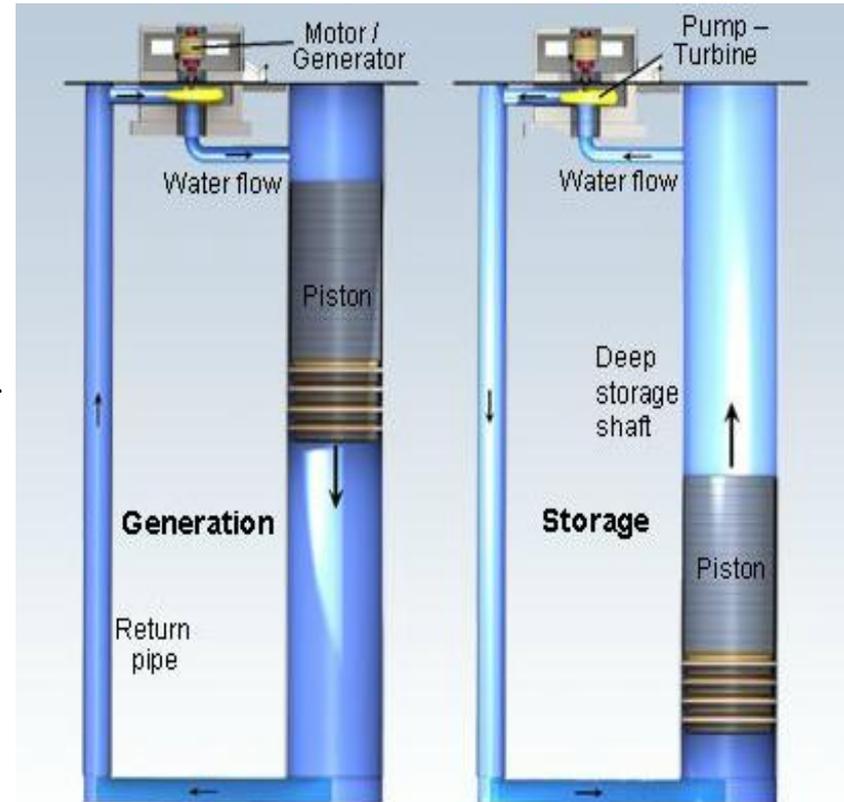
# GROUND WATER SITE - GRAVITY POWER MODULE

- Gravity power module (GPM) is the latest technical advancement which is in current development for exploitation of the widely available sites based on PSH
- Suspended large piston made from iron and concrete
- Deep shaft filled with water
- The energy stored by using grid power to force water down and lifting the piston.
- To produce electricity, the piston drops to force water through the turbine, and drives the generator
- The shaft is filled with water once, at the start of operations, but is then sealed and no additional water is required.

## Typical GPM Parameters

- 30-100 m diameter storage shaft
- 3-6 m diameter return pipe
- 500-1000 m deep
- 3 acre surface footprint

**Advantages:** high efficiency; flexible siting; use of existing technology, environmental compatibility, short time from project start to revenue, long lifetime, low cost per megawatt-hour and rapid construction.



(Source: Anthony DA. New energy storage option. Gravity Power 2011)

Patent: Gravity Power

# PSP Development Trends

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- Continuous improvement**
- In 40 years, from 70 to 80% cycle efficiency
  - Availability, Reliability, Cycling
- 

- More challenging sites**
- Very High or Very Low Head (<50m & >800m)
  - Head range increase
  - Underground reservoir
  - Sea water operation
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- Flexibility**
- Variable Speed offering
  - Power range increase in turbine mode
  - Reaction time reduction
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# PSP Key Facts

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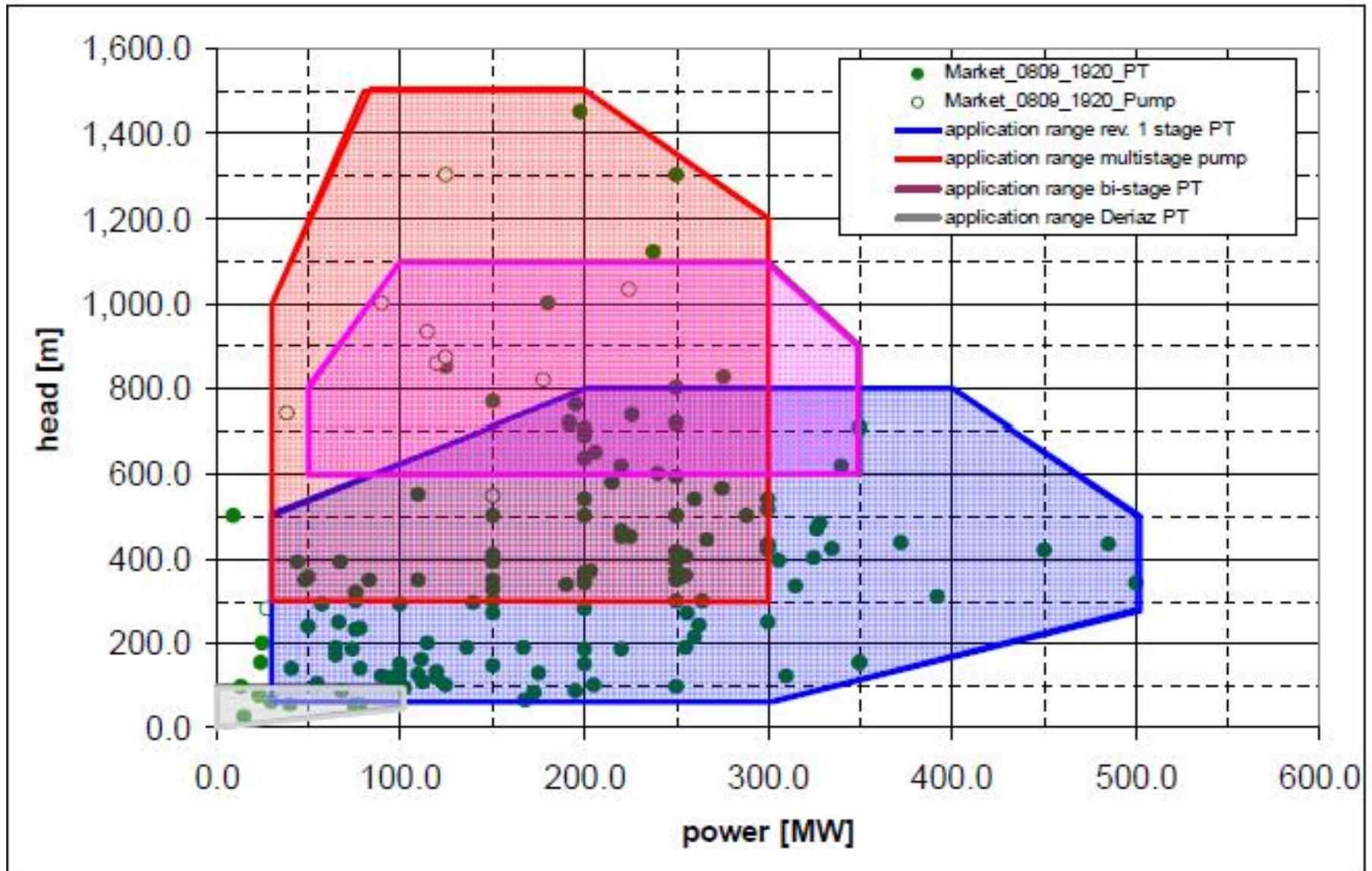
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<b>General Performances</b>	<b>5 to 500 MW</b>	Output/Input
	<b>&gt; 8 hours full load</b>	Storage capacity
	10 to 2000 m.	Head Range
	> 80%	Cycle efficiency
<b>Reaction Time</b>	<b>~ 15 s.</b>	50% to 100% Generation
<b>Ancillary Services</b>	<b>25% to 100%</b>	Production adjustment range
	<b>70% to 100%</b>	Pumping power adjustment range (Variable speed machines)

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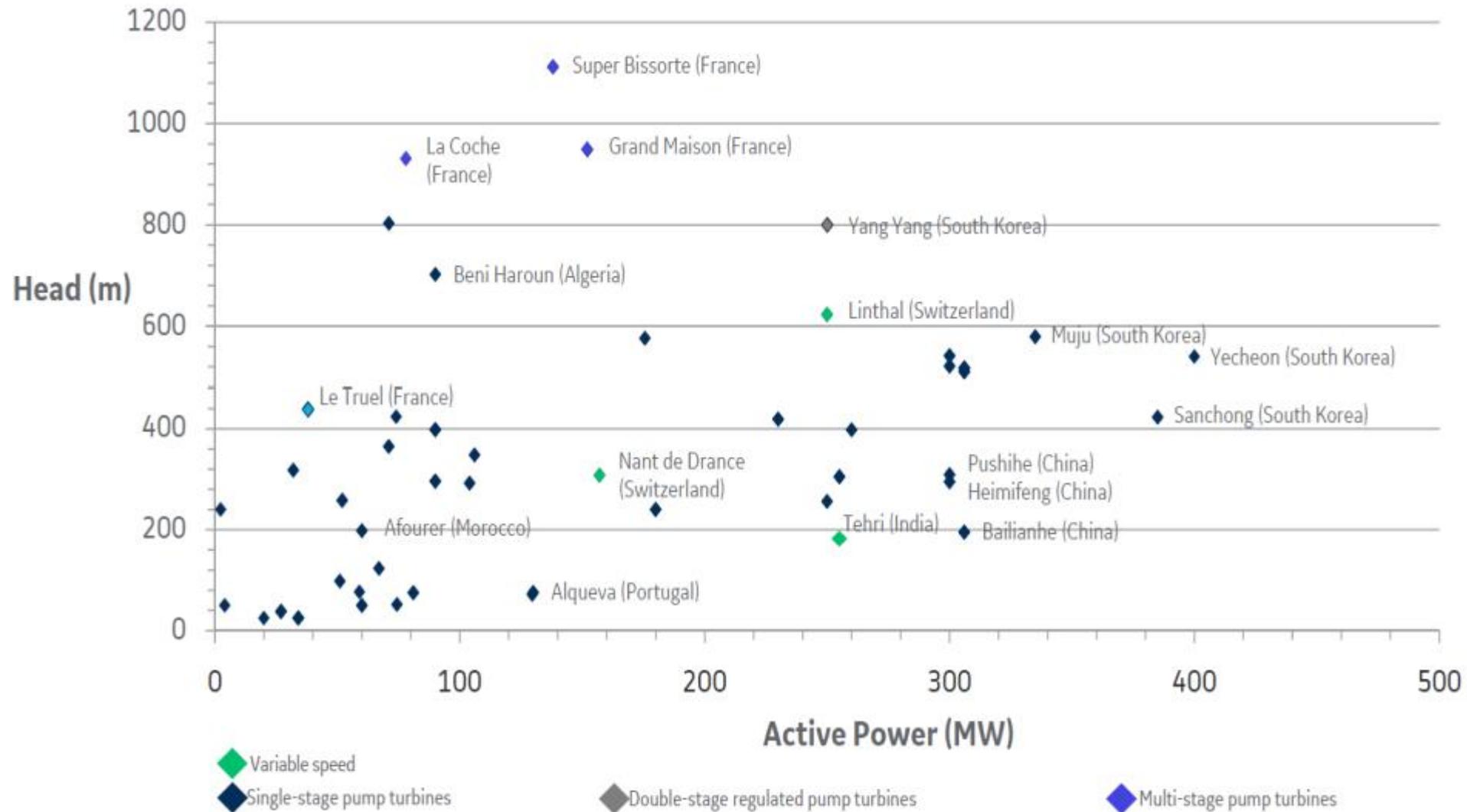
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# Application Range of Pump Turbines



source: Voith Hydro

# Range of PSP – Experience Profile (Alstom)



# PSP Technology Comparison

		Fixed speed	Variable speed		Ternary
			Doubly Fed (>100 MW)	Fully Fed (< 100 MW)	
<b>Cost</b>	Integration and equipment	*	**	***	****
<b>Space</b>		Low	Medium	Medium large	Large
<b>Overall efficiency</b>	Turbine mode	Medium	Medium high	High	Medium
	Pump mode	High	Medium	Medium	Low
<b>Regulation flexibility</b>	Turbine power	Medium	Medium high	Medium high	High
	Pump power	Low	Medium	Medium High	High
<b>Transfer time</b>	Pump to Turbine	Medium	Medium	Medium	Fast
	Turbine to pump	Slow	Slow	Medium	Fast
<b>Reaction</b>	50% power swing	Medium	Fast	Fast	Medium
<b>Installations</b>	Global	High	Medium	Low	Low

# Variable speed pump-turbines

<i>Feature</i>	<i>Technological Advantages</i>	<i>Economic Advantages</i>
<b>Adjustable pumping power</b>	Frequency regulation in pumping mode by accommodating variable supply	Additional ability to quickly ramp up and down to support more variable renewable energy resources
	More efficient use of equipment, reducing the need for thermal plant cycling; critical for avoiding greenhouse gas emissions	Operations and maintenance cost reduction and increase of equipment lifespan; greenhouse gas offsets if market develops
	Able to take advantage of shifts in grid dynamics to effectively manage variable energy supply and capture and store lower cost energy	Cost minimization and operation of existing units at peak efficiency; support growth of additional renewable energy resources
	There is an increase in energy generation due to the fact that the turbine can be operated at its peak efficiency point a under all head conditions.	This results in an estimated increase in energy generated on the order of 3% annually.
<b>Faster power adjustment and reaction time</b>	Improved balancing of variable energy units (wind/solar) and coordination of overall energy mix	More stable equipment translates into risk reduction and increased reliability of the domestic electric grid

# **New Technology influencing PHS**

**Improved efficiencies with modern reversible pump-turbines**

**Adjustable-speed pumped turbines**

**New equipment controls such as static frequency converters**

**Improved Generator insulation systems**

**Improved underground tunneling construction methods and design capabilities**

**Overall, the pumping/generating cycle efficiency has increased pump-turbine generator efficiency by as much as 5% in the last 25 years**

# Pump-Turbine Design: Multi-Objective Optimization

There is large Variety and complexity of requirements for pump-turbines :

Frequent start / stops

Stability over a wide range

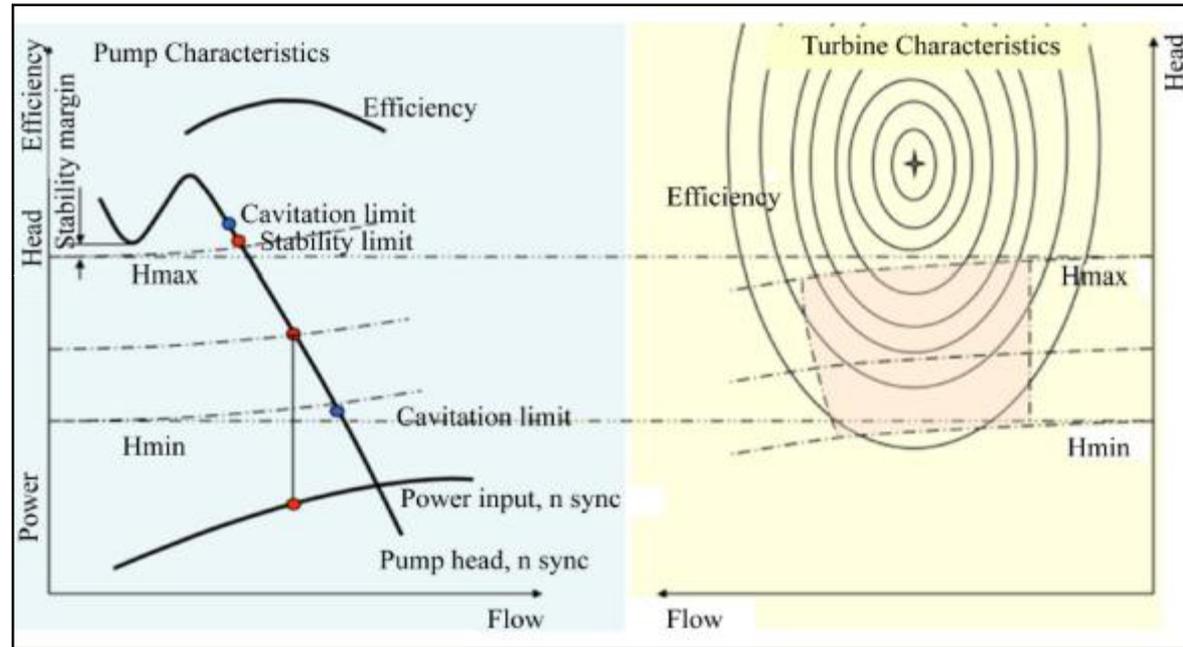
- Part Load operation
- Pump stability at high heads
- Dynamic stresses

Fast changeover times

Safe Operation

High efficiencies

Cost optimized dimensions



# Inputs Thankfully Acknowledged

- **BHEL**
- **Voith**
- **Andritz**
- **GE (Alstom)**

# Regulatory issues: Pumped Storage Plants

- CERC circulated discussion paper on “power storage devices” but not included PSP as storage even PSP being bulk storage technology.
- PSP are essentially generators in Motoring mode, may not be treated as Consumers (as they are not final consumers ) - Need to be taken care in PoC for Drawal charges.
- ToD tariff be implemented to make PSP economically self sustained.
- Incentive tariff for PSP
- Compensation for providing ancillary services
- Off peak power for PSP be made available at attractive price instead of throttling the thermal power plants.

# Issues for deliberation

- Separate hydro power pumped storage policy and according benefits to PSP as application to RE projects
- Attractive financing for PSPs
- Adjustable speed PSPs for better efficiency
- Operationalization of pump storage projects with not running in PSP mode
- Transmission charges exemption for off-peak energy required by PSPs and energy generated by PSPs
- Re-assessment of PSP potential
- To treat PSP as a regulatory grid management asset
- Incentivized tariff for PSP off-peak as well as peak power and for providing additional benefits like energy security, spinning reserve, black start facility, voltage & power factor regulation etc.

# Way forward

- Regulatory treatment and market design is highly critical to capture benefits of PSP.
- Tariff/market design to value ancillary, spinning /non spinning reserve and frequency regulation services, reliable service provider
- Peak power to be compensated
- To value the cost effective source of flexibility and storage
- PSP be treated as Grid rather than generation
- A scheme like “50,000 MW PM initiative” be also launched for PSP.



**Thank You**





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# ANDRITZ: AN OVERVIEW



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**Headquarters:** Graz, Austria

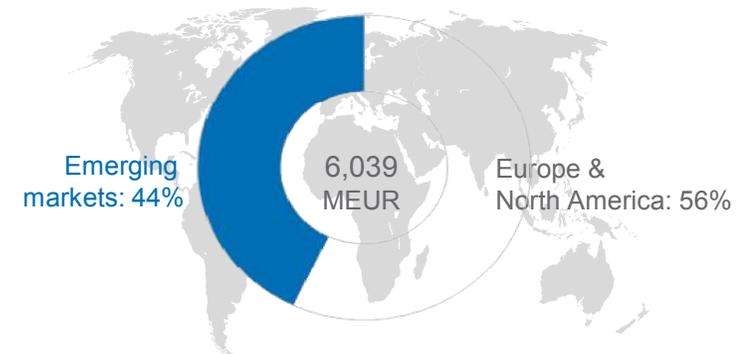
**Global presence:** over 250 production sites and service/sales companies worldwide

## KEY FINANCIAL FIGURES 2016 VS. 2015

	Unit*	2016	2015
Order intake	MEUR	5,568.8	6,017.7
Order backlog (as of end of period)	MEUR	6,789.2	7,324.2
Sales	MEUR	6,039.0	6,377.2
EBITA	MEUR	442.1	429.0
Net income (including non-controlling interests)	MEUR	274.8	270.4
Employees (as of end of period; without apprentices)	-	25,162	24,508

\* MEUR = million euros

## Sales by region 2016 (%)



	2016	2015
Europe	35	38
North America	21	19
South America	15	14
Asia (without China)	12	13
China	12	12
Africa, Australia	5	4

# ANDRITZ: AN OVERVIEW



Worldwide leading position in four business areas

## ANDRITZ

**ANDRITZ**  
Hydro



**Product offerings:**  
electromechanical  
equipment for  
hydropower plants  
(turbines, generators);  
pumps; turbo generators

**ANDRITZ**  
Pulp & Paper



**Product offerings:**  
equipment for production  
of all types of pulp, paper,  
tissue, and board;  
energy boilers

**ANDRITZ**  
Metals



**Product offerings:**  
presses for metal forming  
(Schuler);  
systems for production of  
stainless steel,  
carbon steel, and non-  
ferrous metal strip;  
industrial furnace plants

**ANDRITZ**  
Separation



**Product offerings:**  
equipment for solid/liquid  
separation  
for municipalities and  
various industries;  
equipment for  
production of animal feed  
and biomass pellets

# ANDRITZ HYDRO: A BRIEF



We are a global supplier of electro-mechanical systems and services ("from water-to-wire") for hydropower plants and a leader in the world market for hydraulic power generation.

*More than 175 years of turbine experience (1839)*

*Over 31,600 turbines (more than 434,600 MW) installed*

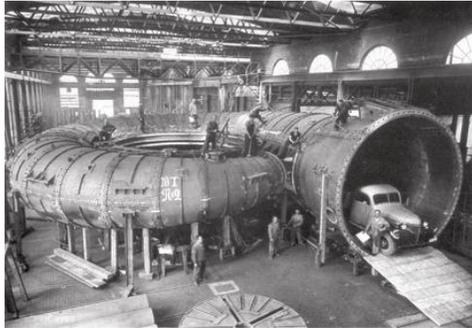
*Complete range up to more than 800 MW*

*Over 120 years electrical equipment experience (1892)*

*Leading in service and rehabilitation*

*More than 120 Compact Hydro units per year*

# ANDRITZ HYDRO: HISTORY



# ANDRITZ HYDRO: PUMPED STORAGE PROJECTS



- ANDRITZ HYDRO is a technology leader in the pumped storage technology with more than 10,000MW of installed capacity of Pumped Storage Plants across the globe
- ANDRITZ executed the first variable speed Pumped Storage Project executed outside Japan – GOLDISTHAL PSPs, which has been in successful operation for more than 15 years.

## Goldisthal / Germany

### Motor Generator

- 2 x 340 MVA DFM and 2 x 331 MVA fixed speed M/G, AC Excitation and Starting - SFC
- 300..346 rpm and 333 rpm

### Project Highlights

- two sets of synchronous and doubly fed asynchronous M/G
- Central location in the UCTE grid

Customer: Vattenfall

Commissioning: 2003



First variable speed  
PSPP in Europe!

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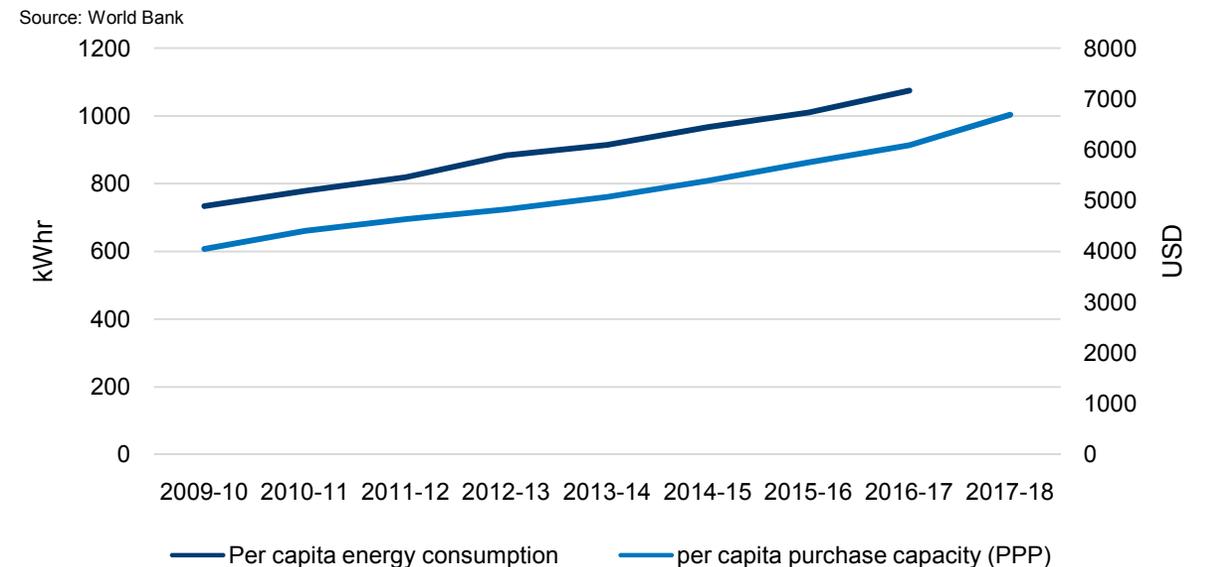
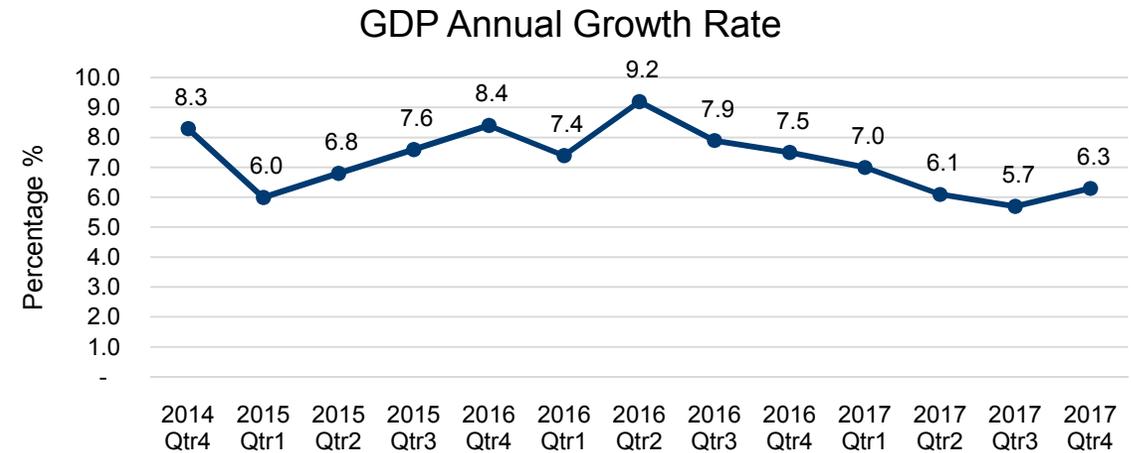
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# INDIA: MACRO ECONOMICS



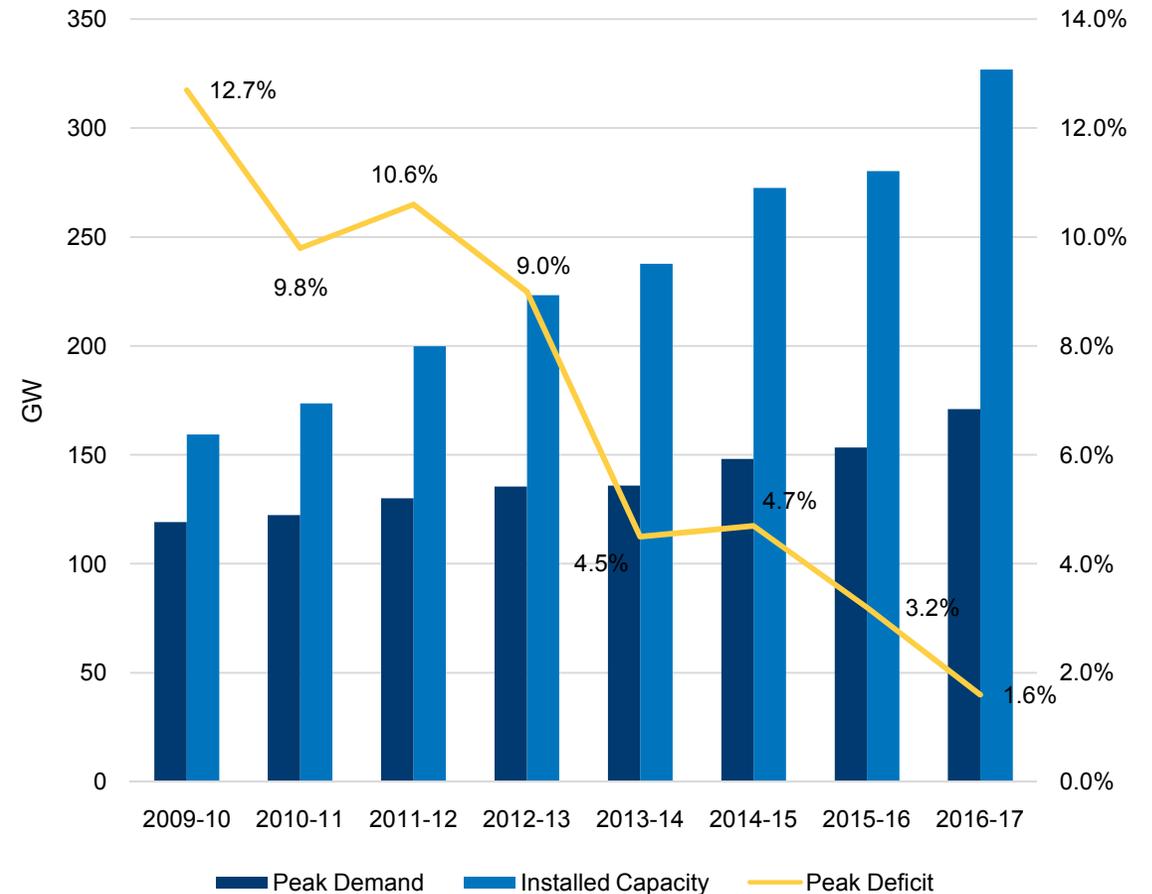
- India's Annual GDP Growth rate is at 6.3%
- Though Demonetisation and GST has impacted the growth, it is still one of the fastest growing economies
- India's GDP per capita on PPP basis continues to rise – presently at USD 6092 per person
- Per capita energy consumption stands at 1075kWhr while the global average stands at ~3600kWhr



# ELECTRICITY DEMAND: GROWTH RATE



- Installed Capacity has increased at CAGR of ~11% over last 7 years
- The peak demand has only increased at CAGR of ~5.3% over last 7 years
- Deficit gap has reduced from 12.7% to 1.6%
- Realistic view:
  - Per capita energy consumption is low
  - Frequent power cuts are common features
  - Energy growth shall continue to keep pace with the GDP growth rate.

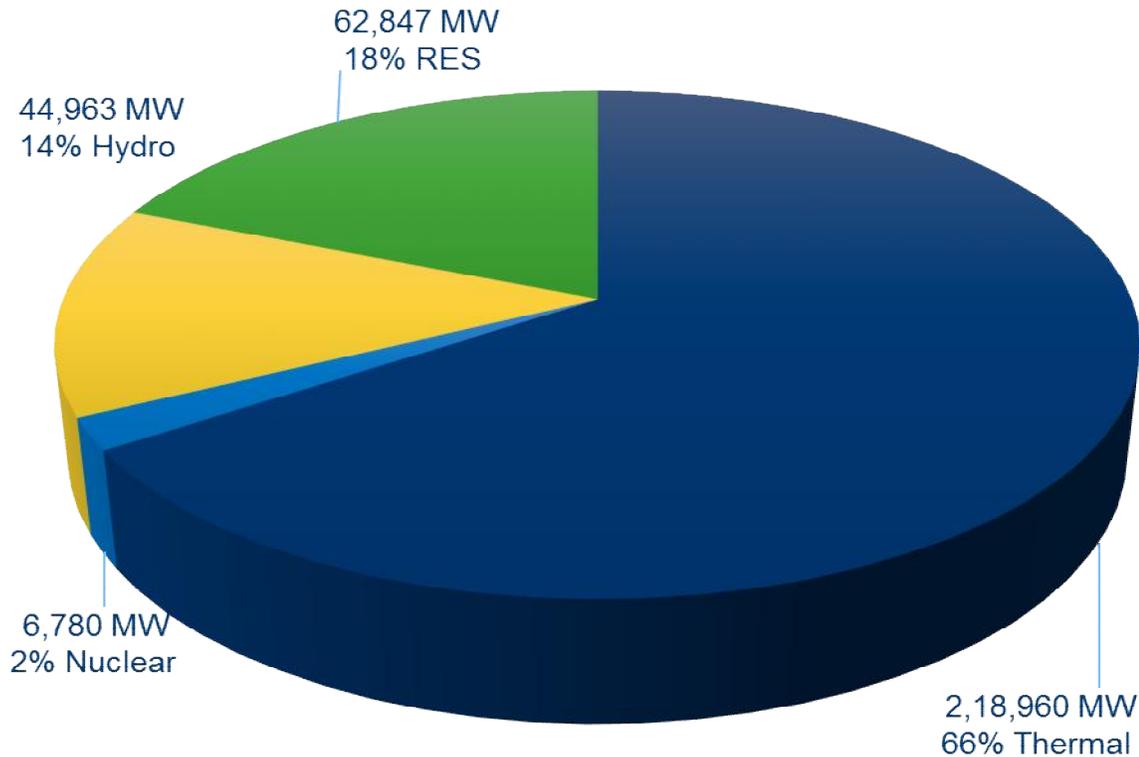


# POWER INSTALLATION MIX



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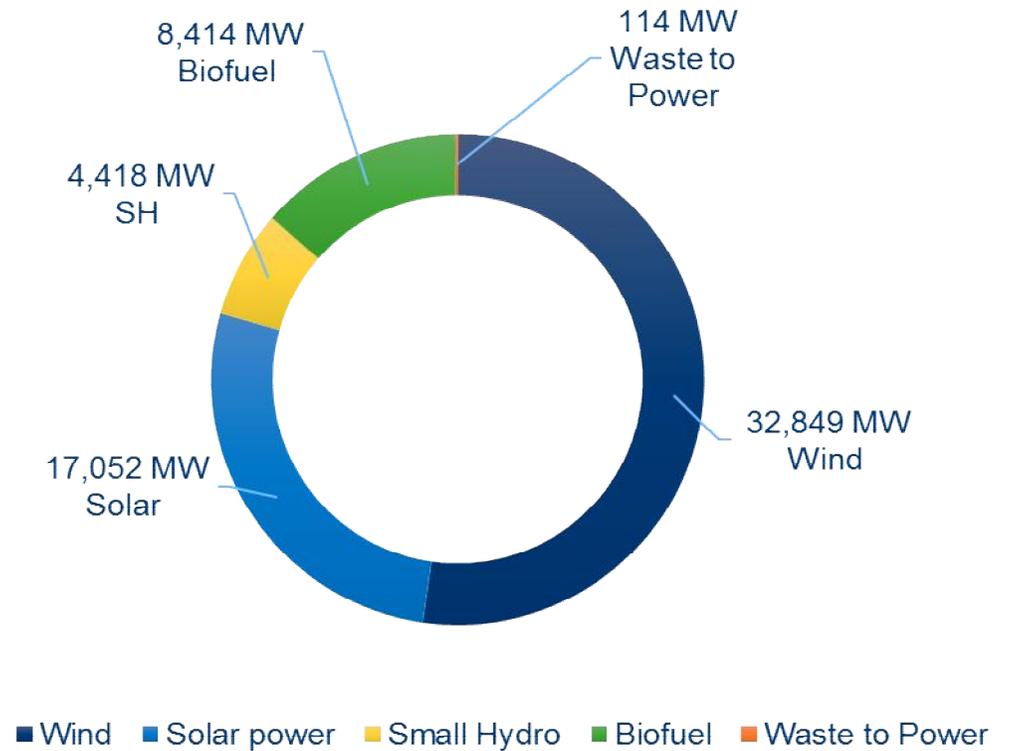
Total: 333,550 MW  
As on 31.12.2017



Source: CEA

## RENEWABLE MIX

Total: 62,847 MW  
As on 31.12.2017



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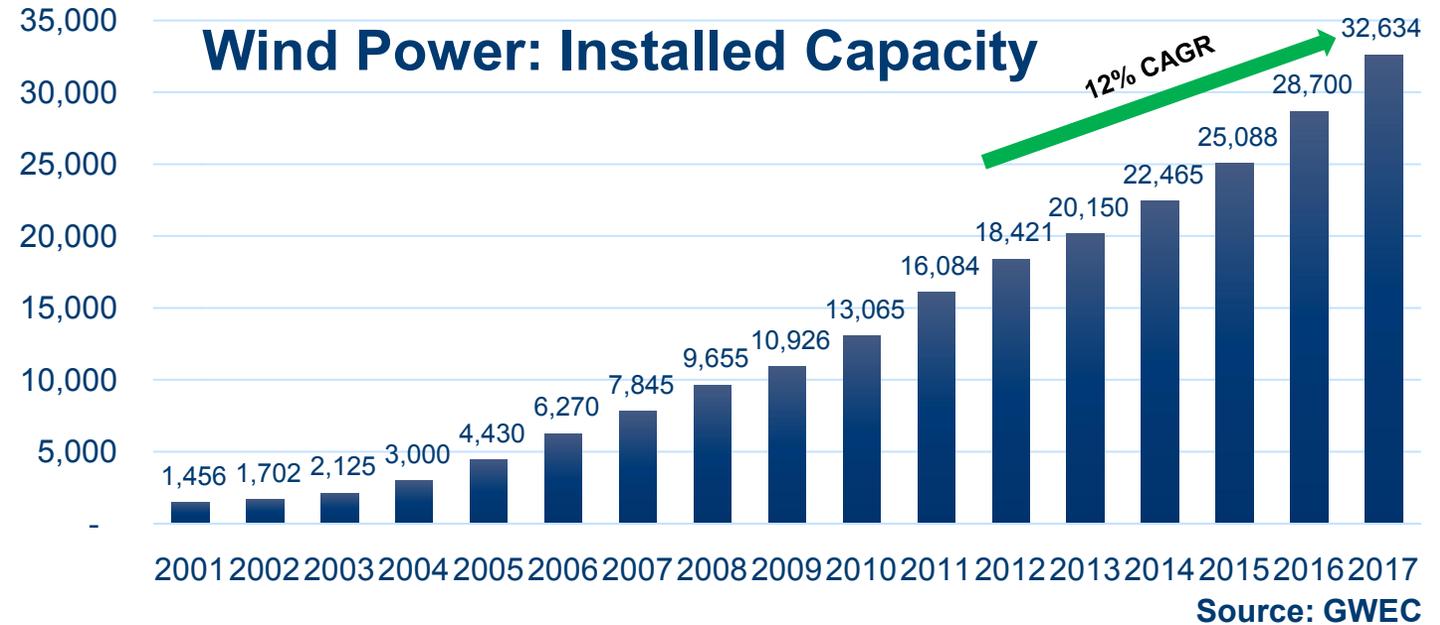
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# GROWTH OF RENEWABLE INSTALLATION

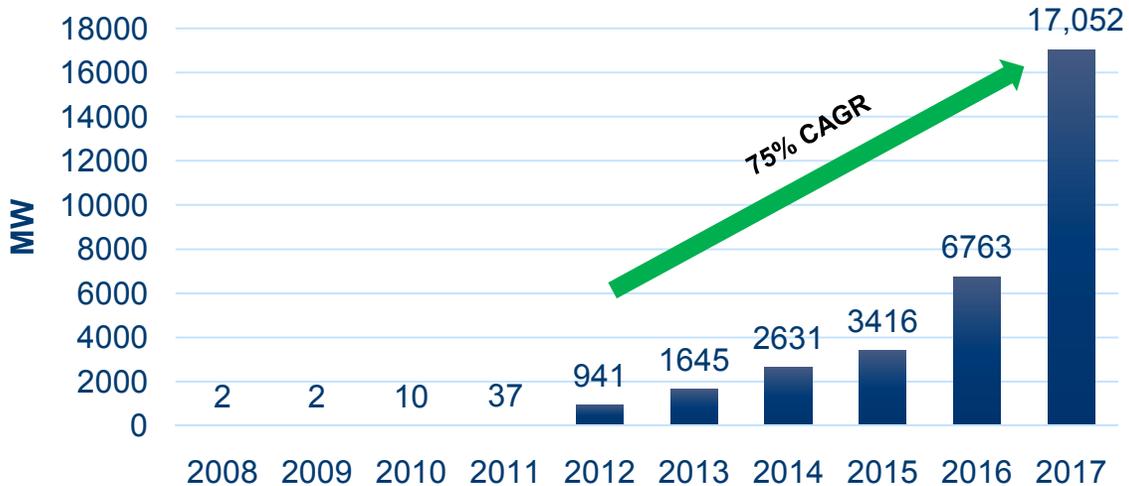


## Wind Power:

- Target for year 2022: 60,000MW
- With a growth rate of ~12% CAGR, the target is feasible.



## Solar Power: Installed Capacity



## Solar Power

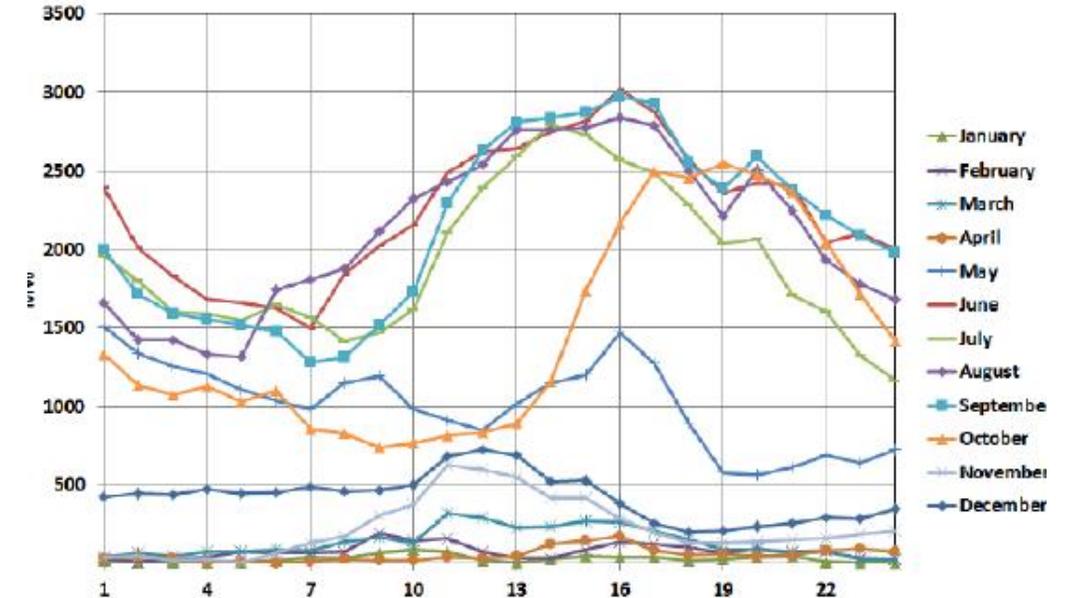
- Target for the year 2022: 100,000MW
- Solar Power installation has been seeing an exponential growth of ~75% CAGR over last 5 years.
- Target could even be exceeded at this growth rate

# VARIABILITY AND UNCERTAINTY OF WIND AND SOLAR POWER

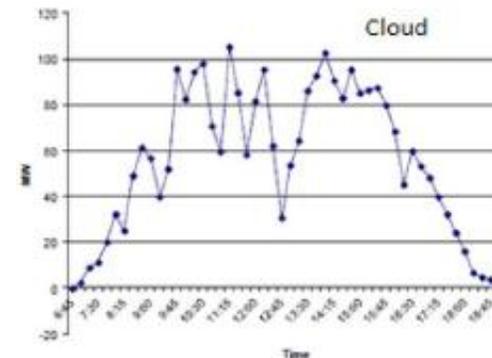
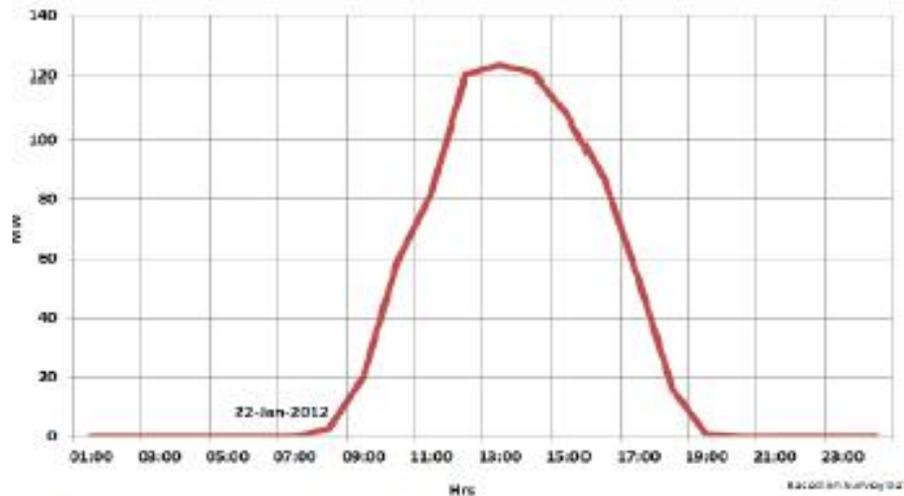


- Wind power and PV Solar are unpredictable depending upon wind speeds, cloud cover, etc.
- Solar can even go to zero in case of cloud / rain event
- Solar energy is dominant during the daytime, when the load requirement is flat

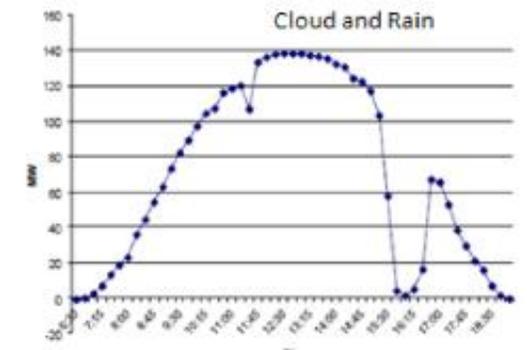
Tamil Nadu Typical Daily Wind Generation Pattern Month wise



Typical Daily Solar Power Generation Pattern in Gujarat



Lot of Variability on account of Cloud

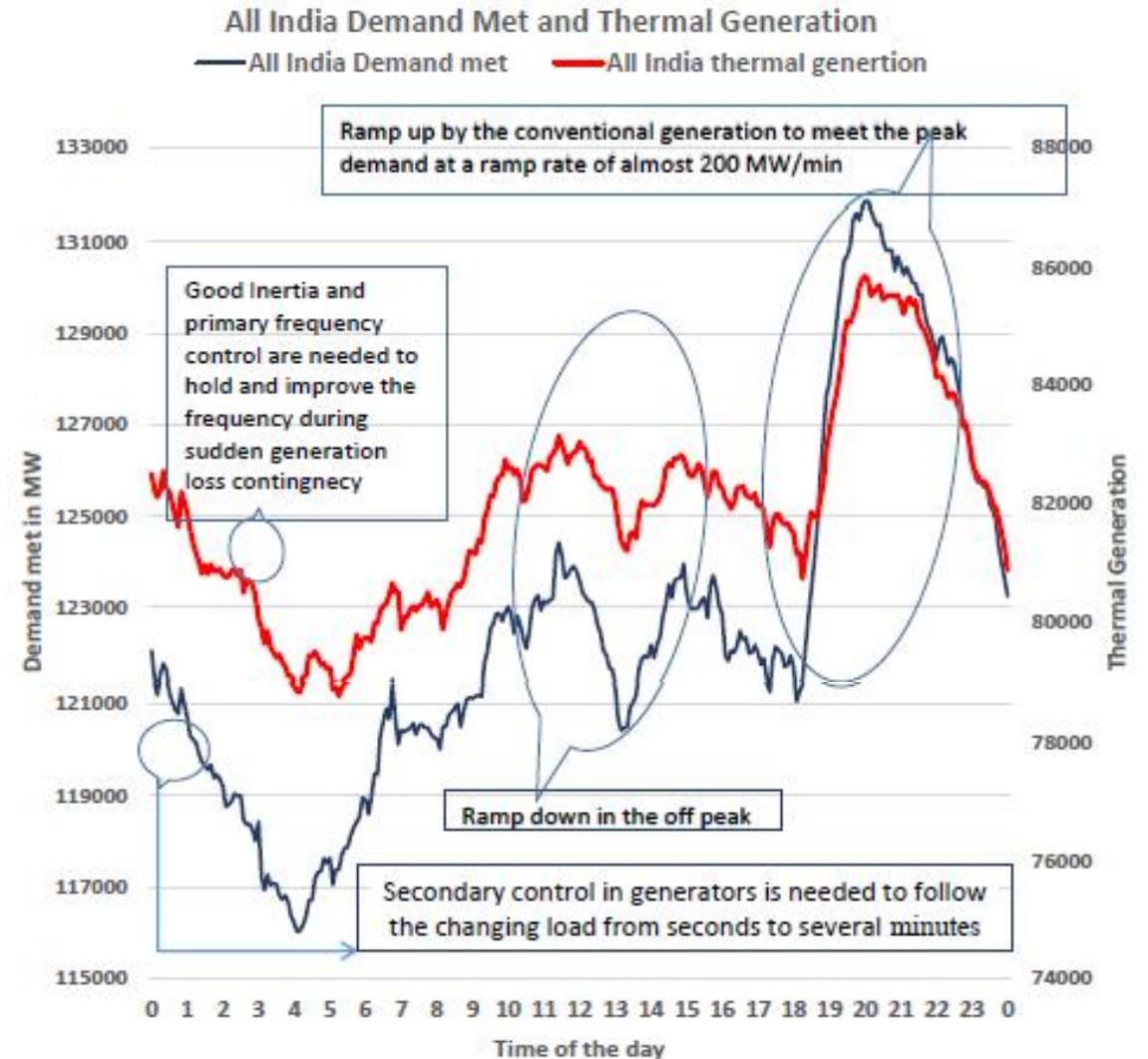


Solar Generation Dropping Zero in Cloud/Rain event

# NEED FOR STORAGE PLANTS?



- Load typically peaks in the evening
- Night time is the lean time for energy consumption
- Ramp rates are sharp  $\sim 200\text{MW} / \text{min}$ , depends upon region to region
- Thermal power plants cannot ramp up at the required pace
- Wind and Solar power is unpredictable
- Solar power is not available during the peak time.
- Flexibility required in the system to cope with the rapid changes and grid stability



# NEED FOR STORAGE PLANTS?



- Presently the grid is managed by:
  - balancing the grid every 15 mins
    - Primary Control: through governor operation of the existing plants. Thermal units are being operated at part load of upto 55% during lean time
    - Secondary Control: Automatic Generation Control (Presently only Pilot Project implemented)
    - Tertiary Control: Manual operation (eg.load shedding / backing down of units)
- During the lean time – thermal units are forced to backed down leading to higher heat rates, ie. Higher operational costs and thermal fatigues – reduction in lifetime
- During peak times units are overloaded to technical limits and manual load shedding is resorted.
- At present the forecasting of renewable energy is not accurate – may improve over medium time period.
- Flexibility needed to take care of rapid changes in the demand and overcoming the unpredictability of the renewable sources of energy.

## **CLEARLY THIS LEADS TO DEMAND FOR STORAGE PLANTS**

- Hydro Power plants especially Pumped Storage Plants
- Battery storage (new technology)

# SWOT ANALYSIS: PUMPED STORAGE PLANTS



## Strength

- Fixed and predicable energy – unaffected by seasonal changes
- Provides high inertial response & synchronous condenser mode of operation for reactive power support
- Spinning reserve to provide fast response to demand changes
- Provides flexibility and stability to the grid
- Provides large energy storage, sustainable over long period of time
- Minimum lifetime of 40 years

## Weakness

- Hydro is not recognised as renewable source of energy in India
- High capital and associated civil costs
- Long gestation period
- Environmental impact due to inundation

## Opportunity

- High thrust on solar & wind energy
- Recognition of requirement of Storage plants to overcome unreliability and variability of Solar and Wind power
- Global instances (eg. Australia) is generating awareness to the need of PSPs to bring in grid stability and flexibility
- Recognition to the needs of ancillary services
- Existing hydro project reservoirs
- Right to energy (Saubhagya scheme)

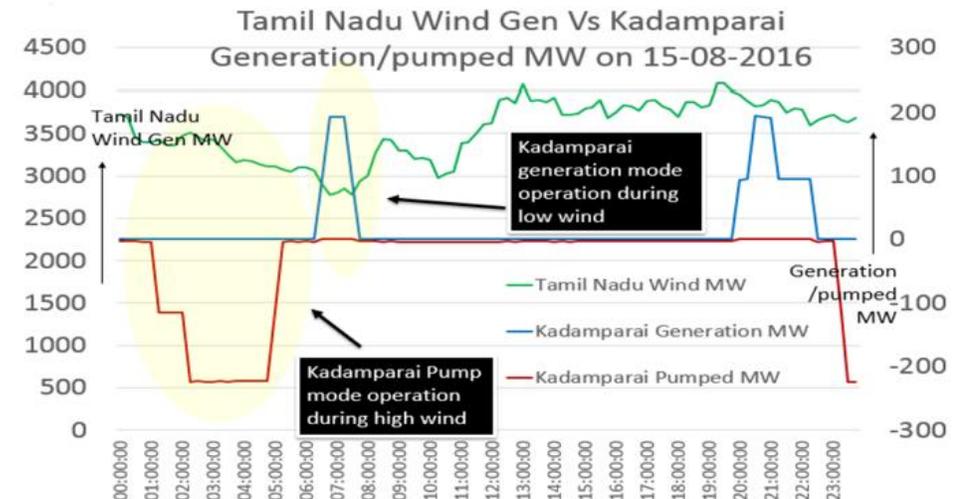
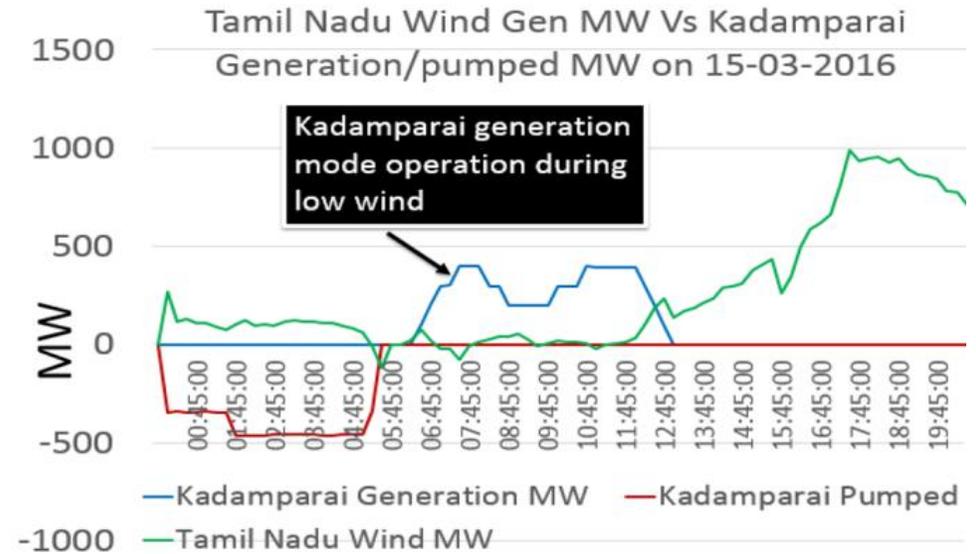
## Threat

- Strong battery storage lobby
- Opposition to reservoirs
- Large no. of projects in sensitive environmental zones (Western Ghats)
- Govt. & Authorities view that PSPs are expensive.
- Lack of tariff structure for ancillary services by PSPs
- Limited financing options and poor economic state of Generating Cos. and Discoms.
- Peoples' acceptance of prolonged load shedding

# PUMPED STORAGE PLANT OPERATION: EXAMPLES



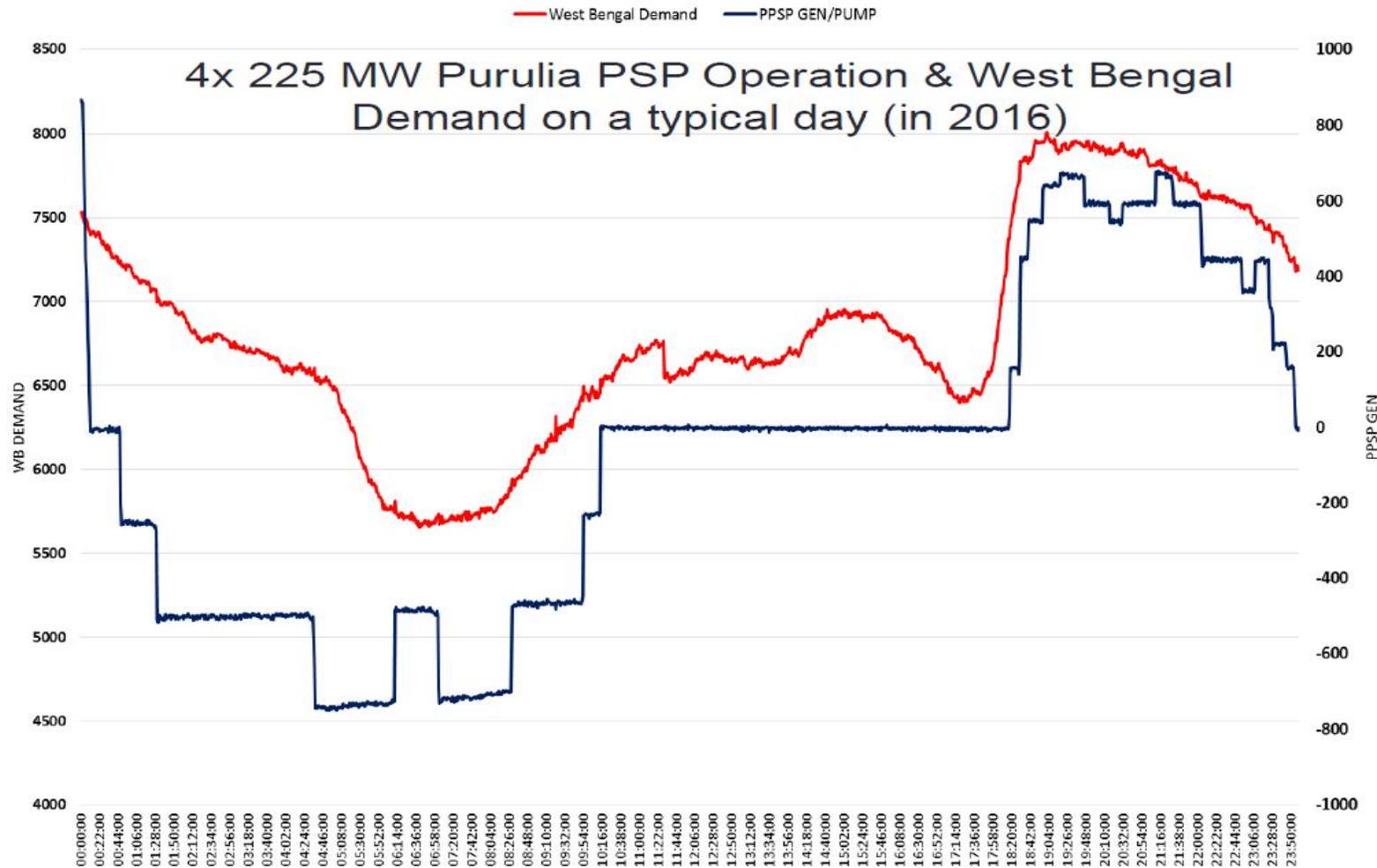
- Tamil Nadu state receives low water intake as well as low rainfall.
- Kadamparai balances the load demand as well as the uncertainty of wind power in the state of Tamil Nadu
- Successfully uses the pumped water to generate energy when required.



# PUMPED STORAGE PLANT OPERATION: EXAMPLES



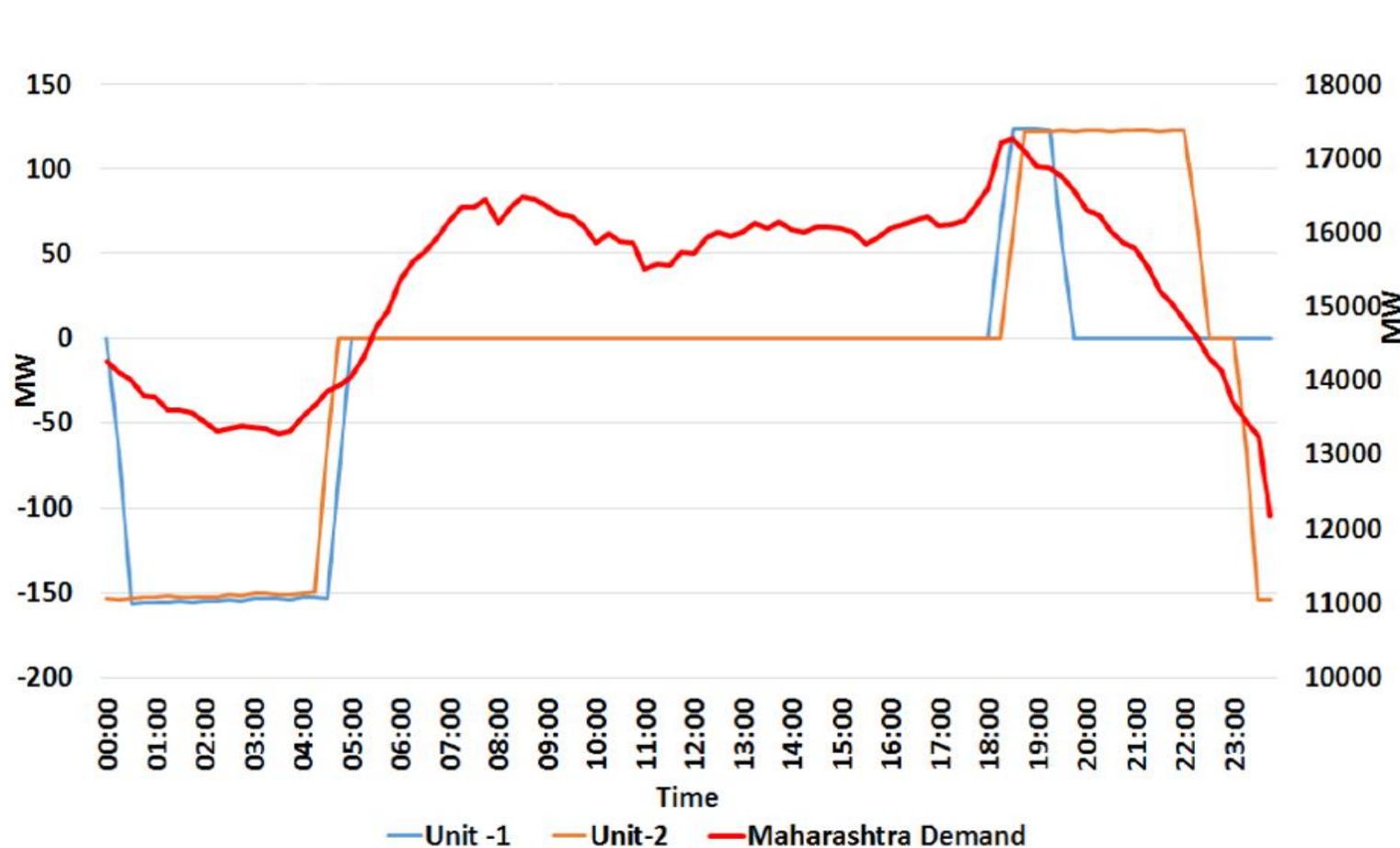
## Purulia Pumped Storage Plant (4 x 225MW) Operation Pattern



# PUMPED STORAGE PLANT OPERATION: EXAMPLES



## Ghatghar Pumped Storage Plant (2 x 125MW) Operation Pattern



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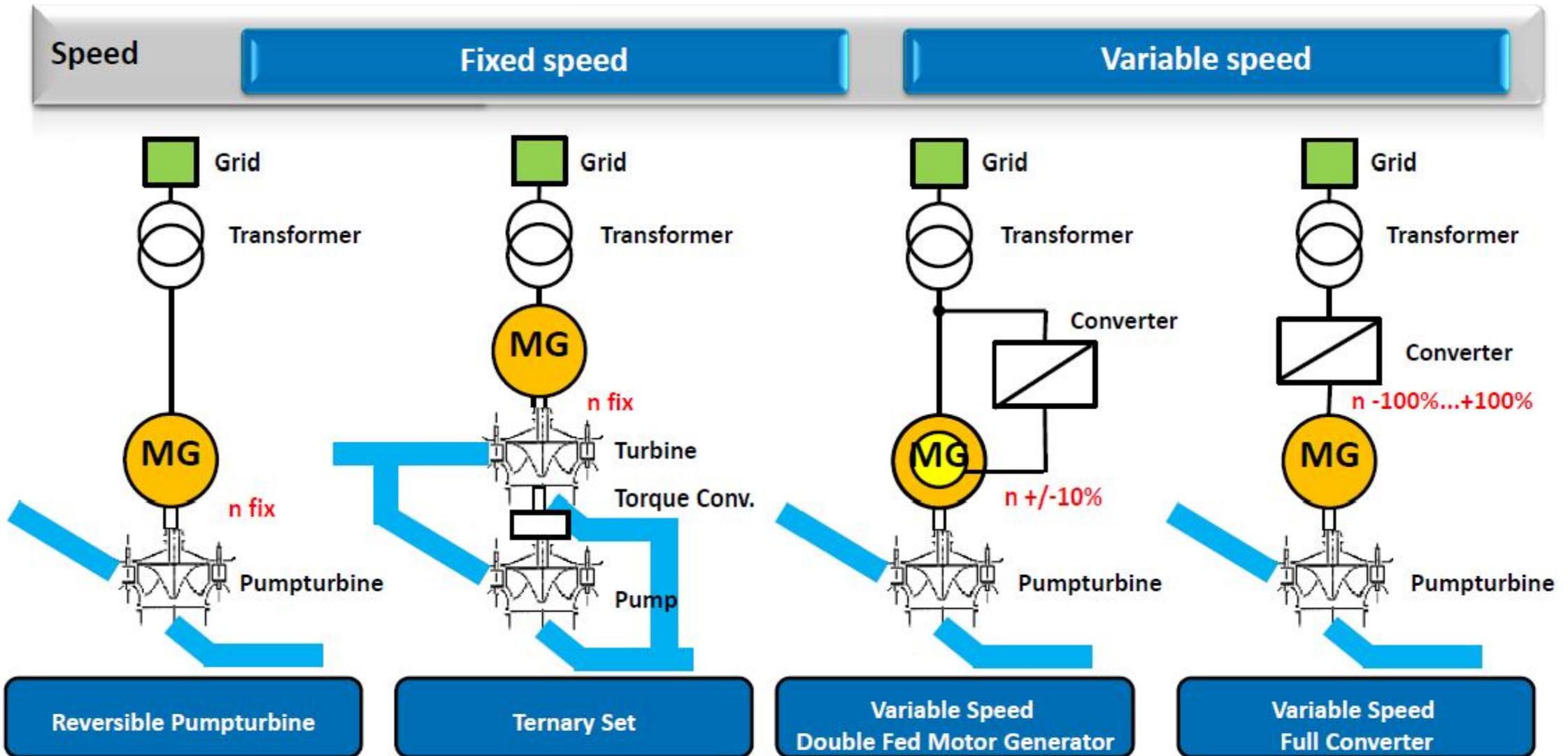
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# PUMPED STORAGE: SYSTEM OVERVIEW



# PUMPED STORAGE: COMPARISON



		Fixed speed		Variable speed	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><span style="color: red;">●</span> low</li> <li><span style="color: yellow;">●</span> middle</li> <li><span style="color: green;">●</span> almost best</li> <li><span style="color: green;">●</span> best</li> </ul>		Reverisble Pump-Turbine (w/o Hydraulic Short Circuit)	Ternary unit	DFM (Doubly fed asynchronous MG)	FSC (MG with a full size converter)
	system efficiency	T: <span style="color: yellow;">●</span> P: <span style="color: green;">●</span>	T: <span style="color: green;">●</span> P: <span style="color: green;">●</span> - <span style="color: red;">●</span>	T: <span style="color: yellow;">●</span> P: <span style="color: green;">●</span>	T: <span style="color: yellow;">●</span> P: <span style="color: green;">●</span>
	control range (Power +/- 100%)	<span style="color: red;">●</span>	<span style="color: green;">●</span>	<span style="color: yellow;">●</span>	<span style="color: green;">●</span>
	mode change times	<span style="color: red;">●</span>	<span style="color: green;">●</span>	<span style="color: yellow;">●</span>	<span style="color: green;">●</span>
Grid stability	reaction time on failure (frequency changes)	<span style="color: yellow;">●</span>	<span style="color: green;">●</span>	<span style="color: yellow;">●</span>	<span style="color: green;">●</span>
	power factor adoption (voltage changes in the grid)	<span style="color: yellow;">●</span>	<span style="color: green;">●</span>	<span style="color: yellow;">●</span>	<span style="color: green;">●</span>
	synchronous condenser	rotating machine	rotating machine	rotating machine	in standstill
	space requirements (Volume)	100%	150%-200%	115%-125%	125%-150%
	world wide references	>300	only a few	>10	less
	costs of the E&M equipment	\$	\$\$\$	\$\$	\$\$\$

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# PUMPED STORAGE: WAY FORWARD



- **Pumped Storage to be recognised as grid asset**
  - The future role for PSPs shall be grid balancing, especially in view of renewable energy dominant grid
  - In absence of suitable tariffs for ancillary services, PSPs under GENCOs cannot prove financial viability
    - No differential tariff exists and the generating/pumping mode on the basis of LDCs request is paid at 0.5 INR/kWhr
  - Incremental increase in wheeling charges would make the investment viable and attract easy financing
  - Integration of the PSPs with RLDCs would help in optimising RE – avoid RE curtailment
- **Integrate PSPs in the “Green Corridor” to balance the renewable energy**
  - Study the impact of integration of PSPs in the “Green Corridor” – Balancing storage close to the RE is the ideal condition – since the interconnection between regions are limited/overloaded.
  - Fortunately, most the 7-RE rich states also have the max. potential for PSPs – Maharashtra, Tamil Nadu, Kerala, Karnataka

# PUMPED STORAGE: WAY FORWARD



- **Evaluate most sustainable methodology to adopt Pumped Storage Schemes**

- Off – river (closed loop) Pumped Storage Projects
  - River course is not affected – minimum impact to the river basin
  - Fixed storage can be created depending on requirement – artificial reservoirs eg. Turkey Nest Reservoirs
- Utilise existing reservoirs
  - There are several projects between the existing reservoirs – a PSP can be set up between them eg. Sheravathy PSP proposed by KPCL
- Utilise existing reservoir with an artificial reservoir
  - The artificial reservoir could either be the head pond or tail pond depending upon the location
- Use discarded or deserted mines as tail pool reservoir
  - Presently, the thought is going about to fill using fly-ash or use as land fill



# THANK YOU!



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## 1. Potential of Pumped Storage hydro capacity in India.



# FOCUS ON PUMPED STORAGE PROJECTS

1. Probable installed capacity of pumped storage plants(PSP) in India is **96524 mw**
2. There are **63** identified sites in all the five regions of the country.
3. Above potential is excluding the schemes that could be taken up on the existing reservoirs and the proposed schemes on small stream/Nallah.



# FOCUS ON PUMPED STORAGE PROJECTS

Name of the region	Potential for Pumped Storage Hydro power plants in MW (No of sites)	Capacity already developed in MW (No of Projects)	Capacity under development in MW (No of projects)
<b>Northern</b>	<b>13065(7)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1000 (1) Tehri</b>
<b>Western</b>	<b>39684(29)</b>	<b>1840(4)</b>	<b>80 (1) Koyana</b>
<b>Southern</b>	<b>17750(10)</b>	<b>2005.6 (3)</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Eastern</b>	<b>9125(7)</b>	<b>940 (2)</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>North Eastern</b>	<b>16900(10)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>96524(63)</b>	<b>4785.6 (9)</b>	<b>1080 (2)</b>



# FOCUS ON PUMPED STORAGE PROJECTS

## Northern Region

State	Potential for Pumped Storage Hydro power plants in MW (No of sites)	Capacity already developed in MW (No of Projects)	Capacity under development in MW (No of projects)
Jammu & Kashmir	1650(1)	0	0
Himachal Pradesh	3600(2)	0	0
Uttarakhand	4035(2)	0	1000 (1)
Rajasthan	3780(2)	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>13065(7)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1000 (1)</b>



# FOCUS ON PUMPED STORAGE PROJECTS

## Western Region

State	Potential for Pumped Storage Hydro power plants in MW (No of sites)	Capacity already developed in MW (No of Projects)	Capacity under development in MW (No of projects)
Madhya Pradesh	6150 (4)	0	0
Chhattisgarh	5000 (3)	0	0
Maharashtra	27094 (20)	400 (2)	80 (1)
Gujarat	1440 (2)	1440 (2)	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>39684 (29)</b>	<b>1840 (4)</b>	<b>80 (1)</b>



# FOCUS ON PUMPED STORAGE PROJECTS

## Southern Region

State	Potential for Pumped Storage Hydro power plants in MW (No of sites)	Capacity already developed in MW (No of Projects)	Capacity under development in MW (No of projects)
Andhra Pradesh & Telangana	2350 (2)	1605.6 (2)	0
Karnataka	7900 (4)	0	0
Kerala	4400 (2)	0	0
Tamil Nadu	3100 (2)	400 (1)	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>17750 (10)</b>	<b>2005.6 (3)</b>	<b>0</b>



# FOCUS ON PUMPED STORAGE PROJECTS

## Eastern Region

State	Potential for Pumped Storage Hydro power plants in MW (No of sites)	Capacity already developed in MW (No of Projects)	Capacity under development in MW (No of projects)
<b>Jharkhand</b>	<b>2800 (1)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Odisha</b>	<b>2500 (1)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>West Bengal</b>	<b>3825 (4)</b>	<b>940(2)</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>9125 (6)</b>	<b>940 (2)</b>	<b>0</b>



# FOCUS ON PUMPED STORAGE PROJECTS

## North Eastern Region

State	Potential for Pumped Storage Hydro power plants in MW (No of sites)	Capacity already developed in MW (No of Projects)	Capacity under development in MW (No of projects)
<b>Manipur</b>	<b>4350 (2)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Assam</b>	<b>2100 (1)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Mizoram</b>	<b>10450 (7)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>16900 (10)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

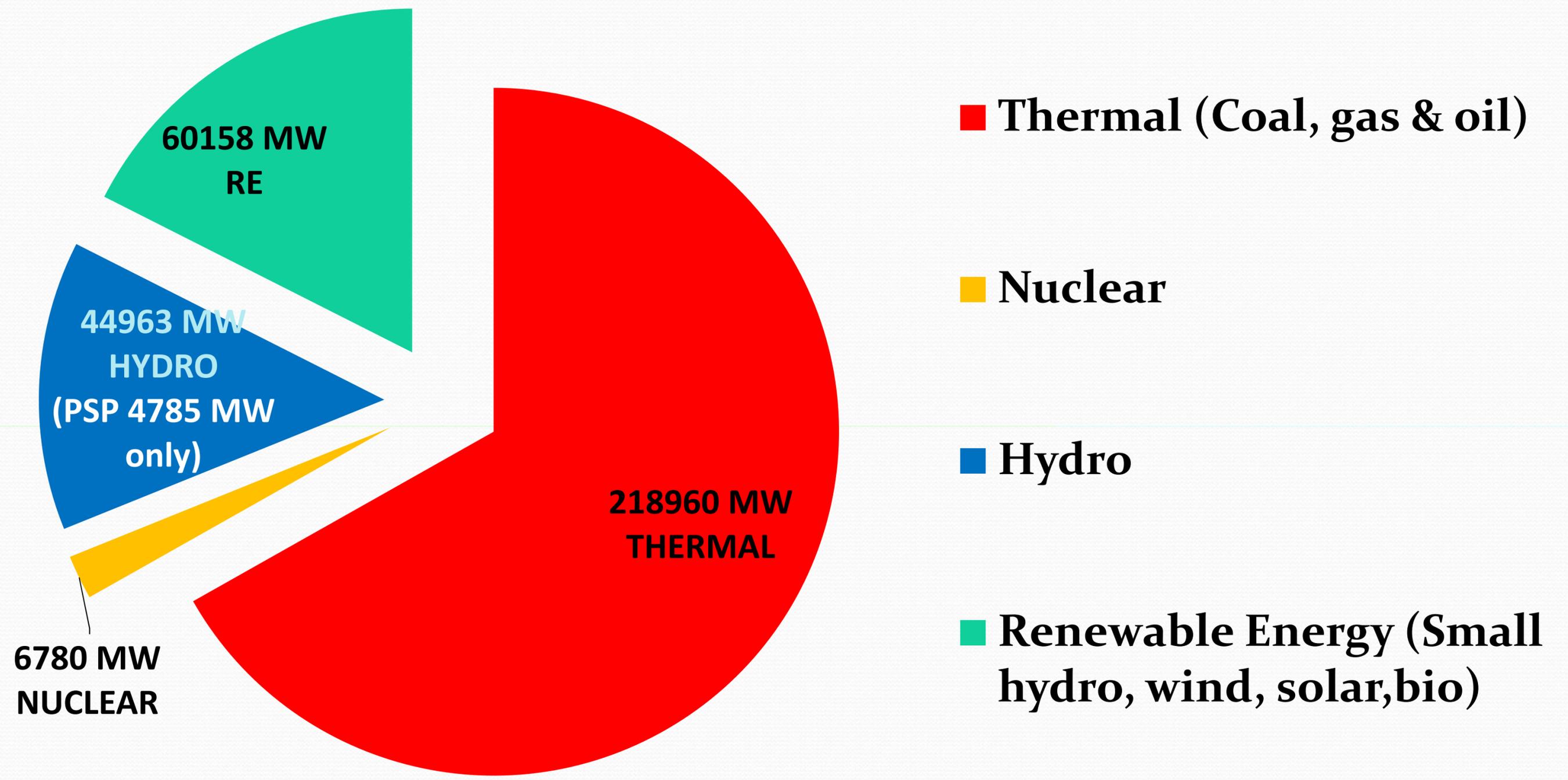


## **2. Current and upcoming Pumped Storage hydro capacity in India.**



# Installed capacity (MW) in India up to Nov'17 (330861)

COURTESY CEA





# **FOCUS ON PUMPED STORAGE PROJECTS**

## **EXISTING PUMPED STORAGE PLANTS IN INDIA**

1. SARDAR SAROVAR (GUJARAT)	1200 MW
2. SRISAILAM (TELANGANA)	900 MW
3. PURULIA (WEST BENGAL)	900 MW
4. NAGARJUN SAGAR (TELANGANA)	705.6 MW
5. KADAMPARAI (TAMILNADU)	400 MW
6. KADANA St I&II (GUJARAT)	240 MW
7. GHATGHAR (MAHARASTRA)	250 MW
8. BHIRA (MAHARASTRA)	150 MW
9. PANCHET HILL (DVC)	40 MW
<b>TOTAL CAPACITY</b>	<b>4785.6 MW</b>



## **FOCUS ON PUMPED STORAGE PROJECTS**

**OUT OF 9 EXISTING PUMPED STORAGE PLANT IN INDIA**

**FOLLOWING 5 PLANTS ARE OPERATIONAL IN PUMPING MODE**

➤ <b>SRISAILAM LBPH (TELANGANA)</b>	<b>900 MW</b>
➤ <b>PURULIA (WEST BENGAL)</b>	<b>900 MW</b>
➤ <b>KADAMPARAI (TAMILNADU)</b>	<b>400 MW</b>
➤ <b>GHATGHAR (MAHARASTRA)</b>	<b>250 MW</b>
➤ <b>BHIRA (MAHARASTRA)</b>	<b>150 MW</b>
<b>TOTAL CAPACITY</b>	<b>2600 MW</b>



# **FOCUS ON PUMPED STORAGE PROJECTS**

**OUT OF 9 EXISTING PUMPED STORAGE PLANT IN INDIA**

**FOLLOWING 4 PLANTS ARE **NOT** OPERATIONAL IN PUMPING MODE**

<b>1. SARDAR SAROVAR (GUJARAT)</b> <b>(TAIL POOL DAM UNDER CONSTRUCTION)</b>	<b>1200 MW</b>
<b>2. NAGARJUN SAGAR (TELANGANA)</b> <b>(TAIL POOL DAM NOT CONSTRUCTED)</b>	<b>705.6 MW</b>
<b>3. KADANA St I&amp;II (GUJARAT)</b> <b>(TURBINE VIBRATION PROBLEM)</b>	<b>240 MW</b>
<b>4. PANCHET HILL (DVC)</b> <b>(TAIL POOL DAM NOT CONSTRUCTED)</b>	<b>40 MW</b>
<b>TOTAL CAPACITY</b>	<b>2185.6 MW</b>



# **FOCUS ON PUMPED STORAGE PROJECTS**

## **UPCOMING PUMPED STORAGE PLANTS IN DIFFERENT STAGE OF DEVELOPMENT**

<b>S.N</b>	<b>NAME OF PROJECT</b>	<b>STATE OF LOCATION</b>	<b>INSTALLED CAPACITY (MW)</b>	<b>AGENCY</b>	<b>PRESENT STATUS</b>
1.	TEHRI PSP	UTTARAKHAND	1000	THDC INDIA LTD	UNDER CONSTRUCTION COMMISSIONING DEC 2020
2.	KOYANA LEFT BANK	MAHARASTRA	80	GoMWRD	UNDER CONSTRUCTION COMMISSIONING 2018-19
3.	KUNDAH	TAMIL NADU	500	TANGEDCO	DPR PREPARED, PROJECT TAKEN UP
4.	TURGA	WEST BENGAL	1000	WBSEDCL	DPR CONCURRED BY CEA
5.	MALSHEJ GHAT	MAHARASHTRA	700	THDC & NPCIL	DPR PREPARED BY THDC INDIA LTD



# **FOCUS ON PUMPED STORAGE PROJECTS**

## **UPCOMING PUMPED STORAGE PLANTS IN DIFFERENT STAGE OF DEVELOPMENT**

<b>S.N</b>	<b>NAME OF PROJECT</b>	<b>STATE OF LOCATION</b>	<b>INSTALLED CAPACITY (MW)</b>	<b>AGENCY</b>	<b>PRESENT STATUS</b>
6	LUGUPAHAR	JHARKHAND	2800	DVC	UNDER S&I TO BE TAKEN UP
7.	HUMBARLI	MAHARASHTRA	400	THDC & NPCIL	UNDER SURVEY AND INVESTIGATION
8.	WARASGAON	MAHARASHTRA	1200	GoMWRD	UNDER SURVEY AND INVESTIGATION
9.	CHIKHALDARA	MAHARASHTRA	400	GoMWRD	UNDER SURVEY AND INVESTIGATION
10.	SHARAVATHY	KARNATAKA	450	KPCL	UNDER SURVEY AND INVESTIGATION



# **FOCUS ON PUMPED STORAGE PROJECTS**

## **UPCOMING PUMPED STORAGE PLANTS IN DIFFERENT STAGE OF DEVELOPMENT**

<b>S.N</b>	<b>NAME OF PROJECT</b>	<b>STATE OF LOCATION</b>	<b>INSTALLED CAPACITY (MW)</b>	<b>AGENCY</b>	<b>PRESENT STATUS</b>
11.	SHOLAYAR-I	KERALA	810	KSEB	UNDER S&I TO BE TAKEN UP
12.	SHOLAYAR-II	KERALA	390	KSEB	UNDER SURVEY AND INVESTIGATION
13.	PORINGAL KUTHU	KERALA	80	KSEB	UNDER SURVEY AND INVESTIGATION
14.	VARAHI	KARNATAKA	700	KPCL	UNDER SURVEY AND INVESTIGATION
	TOTAL		10510		



**3. Capacity Addition Plan Of THDC India Ltd, a brief about under construction, 'Pumped Storage Plant' (PSP) Tehri.**



# THDC India Ltd

- THDC India Ltd is a joint venture of Govt. of India and Govt. of Uttar Pradesh incorporated in July 1988.
- Equity is shared in a ratio of 75:25 between GoI and GoUP.
- The company has an authorized share capital of Rs 4000 crores.
- THDC India Ltd is a Mini Ratna Category-I and Schedule-A CPSE under Ministry of Power, Govt. of India .



# THDC India Ltd

## Vision

- A world class energy entity with commitment to environment and social values.

## Mission

- To plan, develop and operate energy resource efficiently.
- To adopt state of the art technologies.
- To achieve performance excellence by fostering work ethos of learning and innovation
- To build sustainable value based relationship with stakeholders through mutual trust
- To undertake Rehabilitation and Resettlement of project affected persons with human face.



## **THDC INDIA LIMITED - CAPACITY ADDITION PLAN**

- With the commissioning of **Tehri Dam & HPP (1000 MW)** in 2006-07 and **Koteshwar HEP (400 MW)** in 2011-12, THDCIL has contributed 1000 MW and 400 MW of capacity addition during X and XI Plan respectively.
- With the commissioning of **50 MW Wind Power Plant at Patan**, **63 MW Wind Power Project at Dwarka, Gujarat**, THDCIL has added 113 MW capacity during XII Plan. Total Installed Capacity of THDCIL at the end of XII Plan is **1513 MW**.



## **THDC INDIA LIMITED - CAPACITY ADDITION PLAN**

THDC proposes to add 3918 MW during 2017-2022 in the Capacity Addition Programme of MOP with the planned commissioning of following Projects:

- Tehri PSP - 1000 MW
- Vishnugad Pipalkoti HEP - 444 MW
- Dhukwan SHP - 24 MW
- Khurja STPP - 1320 MW
- Bunakha HEP - 180 MW
- Malshej Ghat PSP - 700 MW
- Solar Energy Projects - 250 MW
  
- **TOTAL** - **3918 MW**



## **THDC INDIA LIMITED - CAPACITY ADDITION PLAN**

- **Total Installed Capacity of THDC INDIA Ltd by March'2022 is proposed to be **5431 MW.****
- **THDCIL is also exploring possibilities of development of Hydro Electric and Pumped Storages Schemes in other states viz. Chhattisgarh, Orissa etc and neighboring countries viz. Bhutan, Nepal etc.**
- **THDCIL is also providing specialized consultancy services in the Hydro Power Sector and other Engineering Works.**



**A brief about the under construction, 1000 MW 'Pumped Storage Plant' (PSP) Tehri.**



# **LOCATION OF TEHRI PSP**

- **It is located in Tehri Garhwal district of Uttarakhand in India, on river Bhagirathi, about 1.5 km downstream of its confluence with river Bhilangana.**
- **Nearest Railway Station : Rishikesh, 82 km**
- **Nearest Airport : Dehradun, 110 Km**



# Tehri Power Complex

**Tehri Power complex (2400MW) comprises:-**

- **i) Tehri HPP (1000MW) (2006-07)**
- **ii) Koteswar HEP (400MW) (2011-12)**
- **iii) Tehri PSP (1000MW) (Dec 2020)**

**(First pumped storage plant in central sector of the country)**



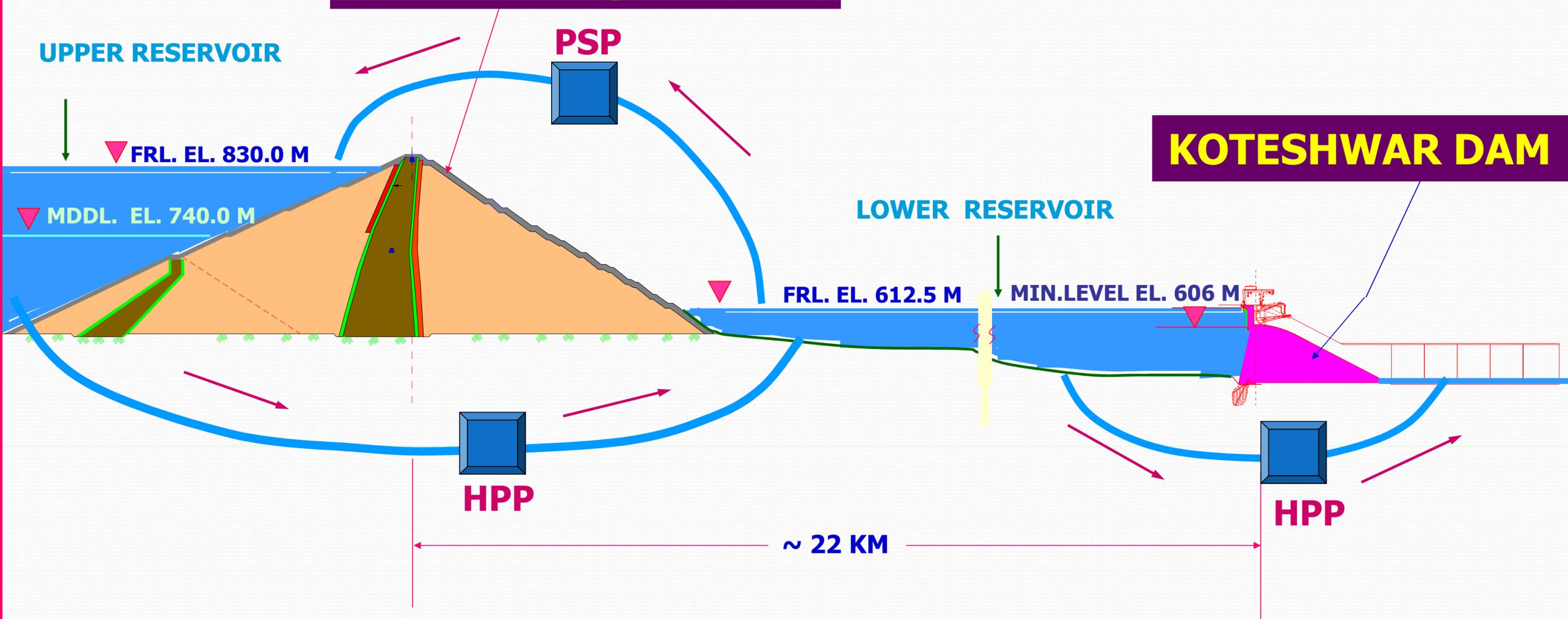
# CONCEPT BEHIND TEHRI PSP

- The operation of Tehri PSP is based on the concept of recycling of water discharged between upper reservoir and lower reservoir.
- Tehri Dam reservoir shall function as the upper reservoir.
- Koteshwar reservoir as the lower balancing reservoir.



# TEHRI PROJECT: L-Section

## TEHRI DAM (STAGE-I)



## L-SECTION OF UPPER AND LOWER RESERVOIR OF TEHRI PSP

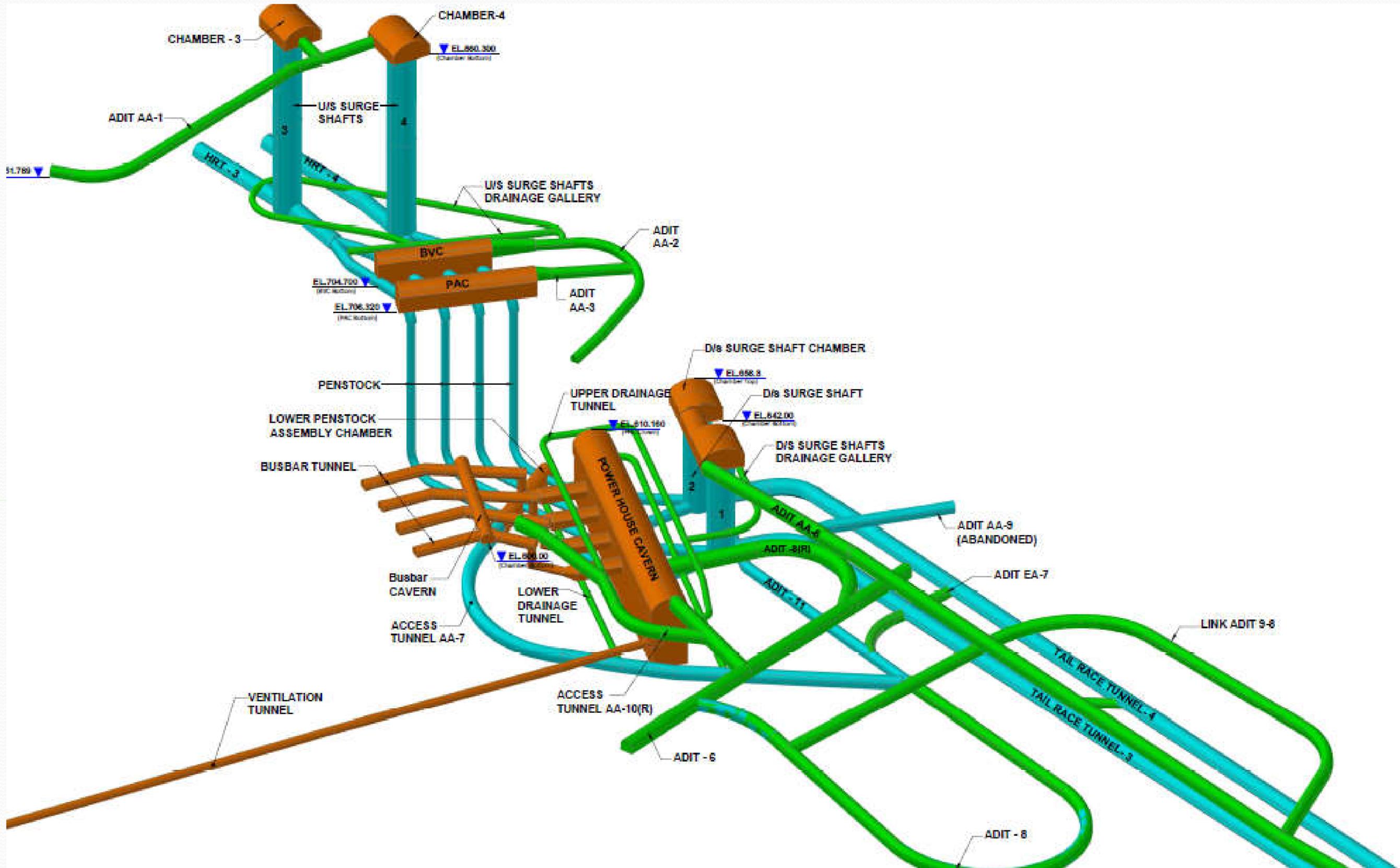


# OPERATION OF TEHRI PSP

- 90 m head variation from max to min head
- For pumping operation of reversible units during off-peak hours, the energy requirement will be of the order of 1600 MU limited to maximum of 1000 MW during off-peak hours
- PPA has been done with four states Delhi (600MW), Haryana(100MW), Uttarakhand (200MW) and Rajasthan(100MW) to get power in off peak hours.

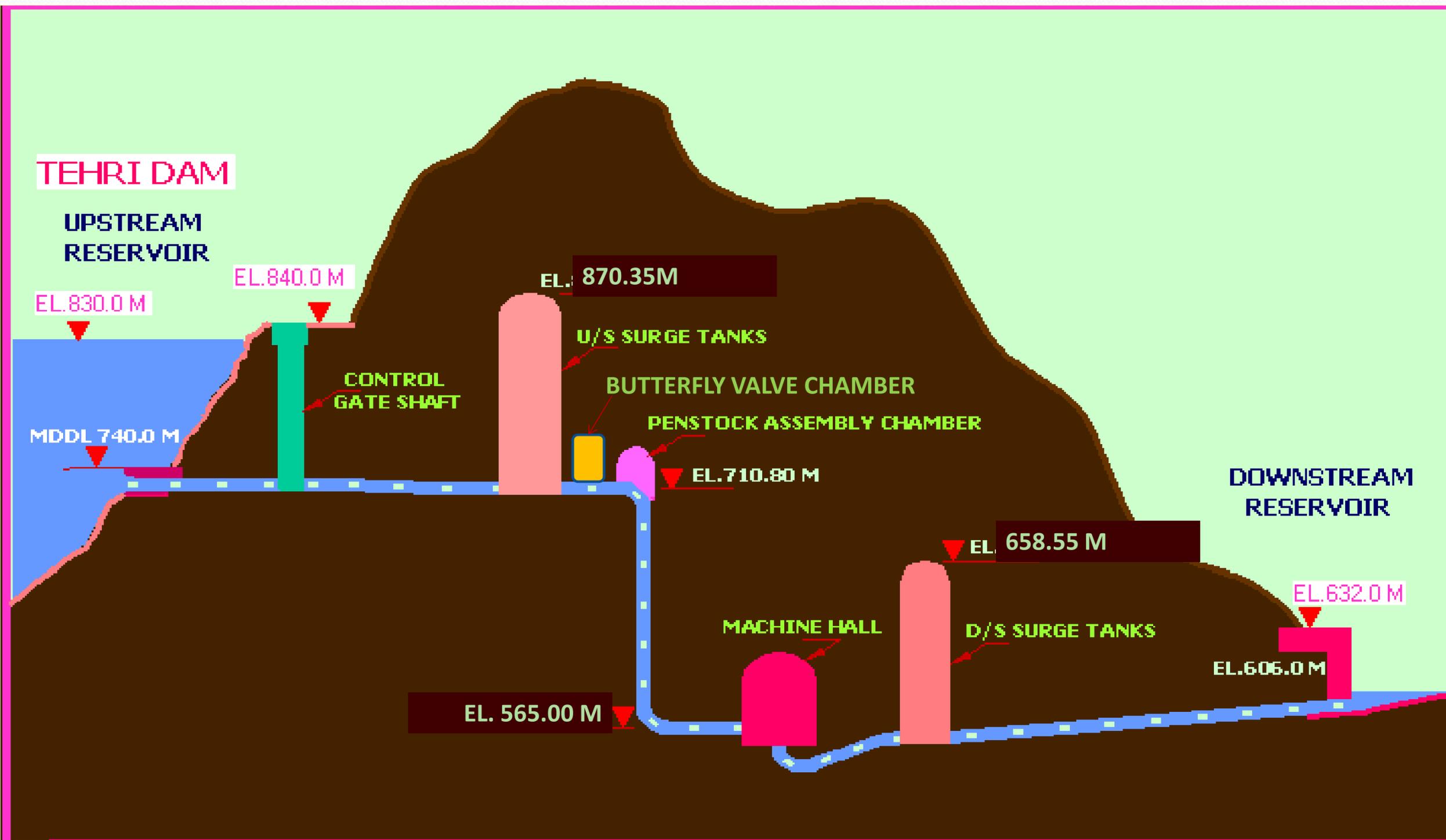


# 3D LAYOUT OF TEHRI PSP





# WORKING OF TEHRI PSP

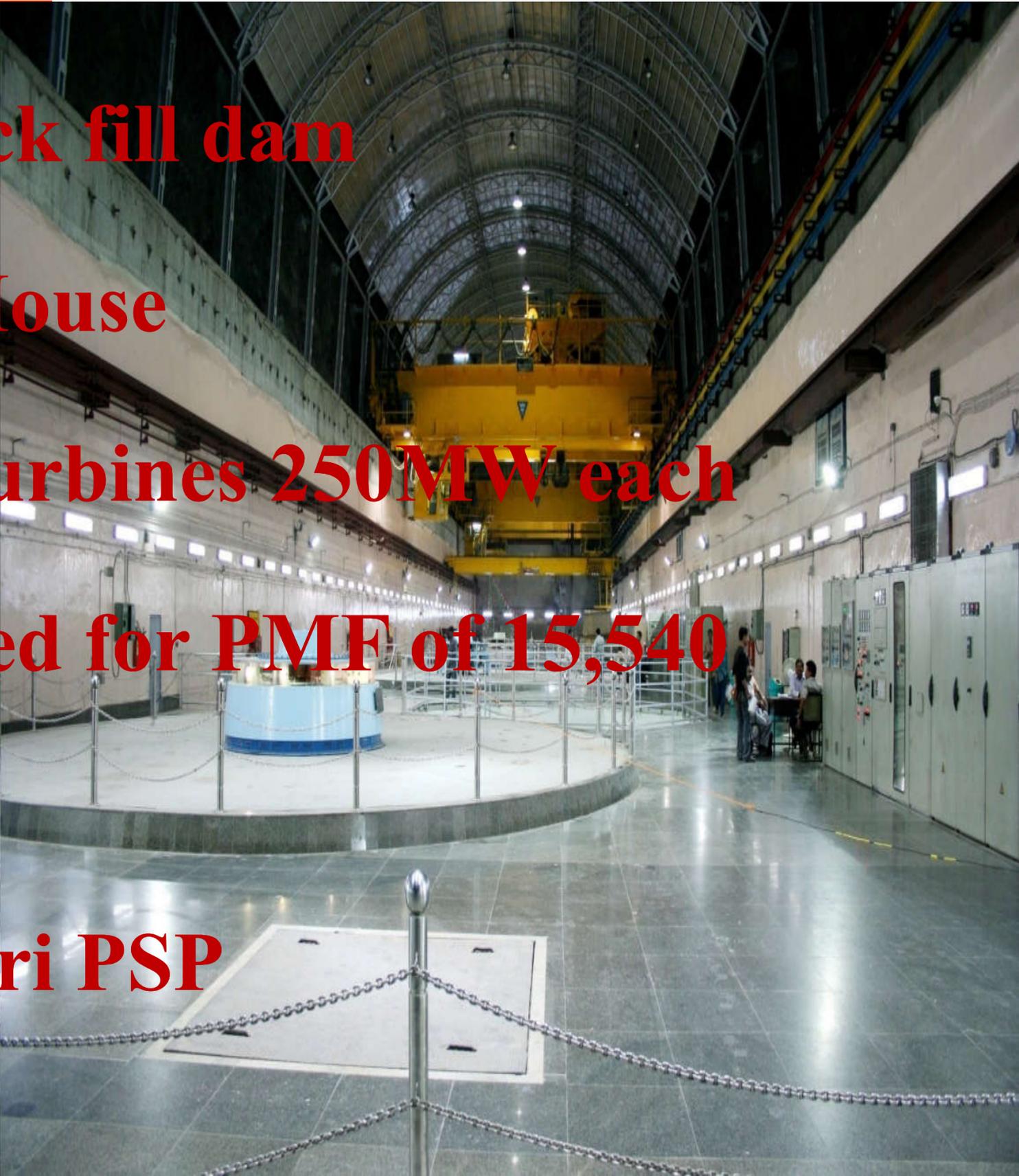


**PUMPED STORAGE PLANT -1000 MW  
CROSS SECTION THROUGH WATER WAY**



# TEHRI UPPER RESERVOIR AND TEHRI HPP POWER HOUSE

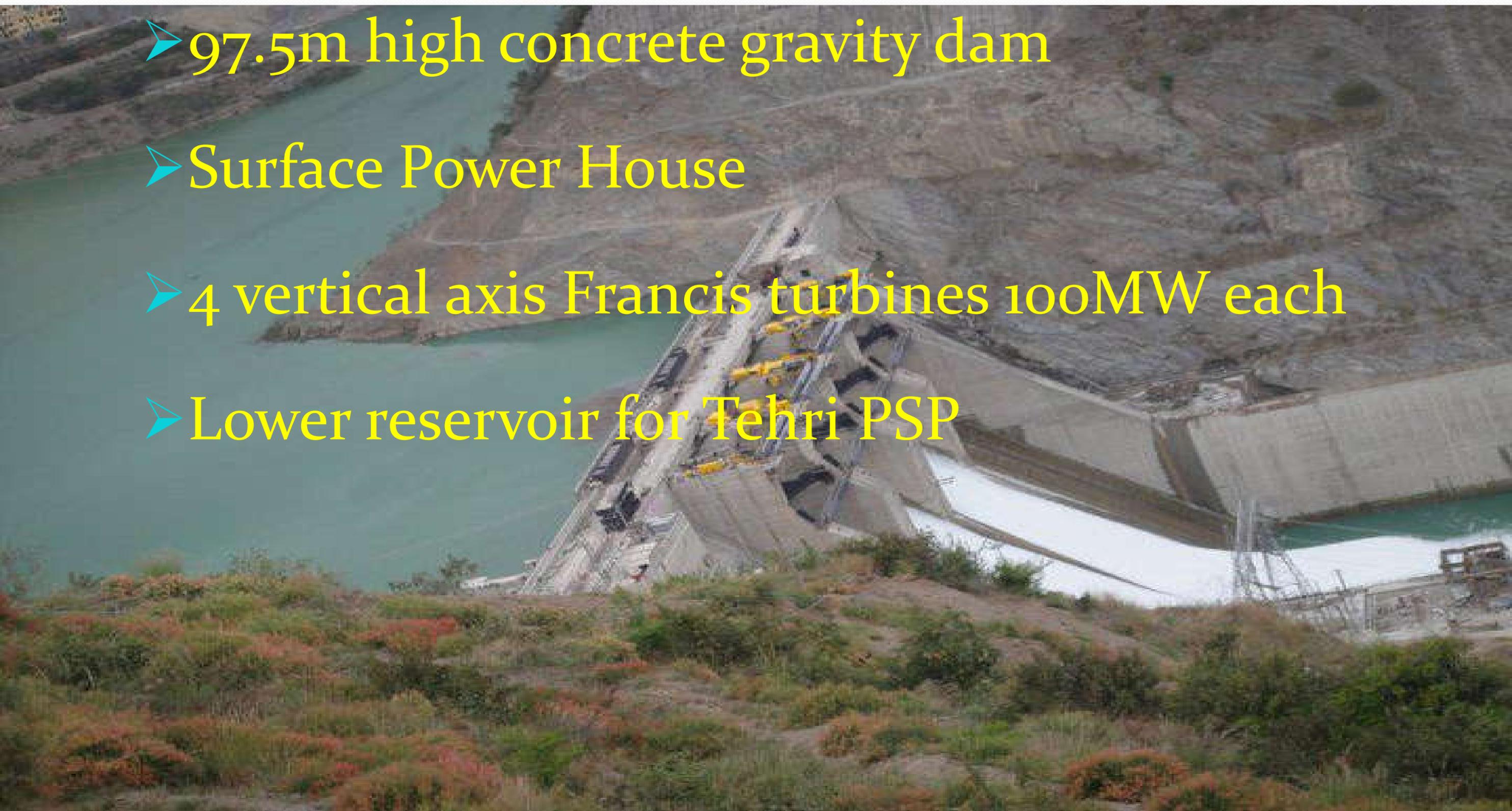
- 260.5m high earthen rock fill dam
- Under ground Power House
- 4 vertical axis Francis turbines 250MW each
- Spillway System designed for PMF of 15,540 cumecs
- Upper reservoir for Tehri PSP





# LOWER RESERVOIR & KOTESHWAR HEP

- 97.5m high concrete gravity dam
- Surface Power House
- 4 vertical axis Francis turbines 100MW each
- Lower reservoir for Tehri PSP





# TEHRI PUMPED STORAGE PLANT(4X250MW)

## SALIENT FEATURES:

1.	<b>Upstream Reservoir</b>	Tehri Dam Reservoir (Already commissioned)
2.	<b>Downstream Reservoir</b>	Koteshwar Dam Reservoir (Already commissioned)
3.	<b>Head Water Levels</b>	
	Maximum	830 m
	Minimum	740 m
4.	<b>Head Race Tunnels</b>	Two Nos concrete lined HRTs (HRT-3 & HRT-4) Already constructed.
	Diameter	8.5 M
	Length HRT-3	932 m
	Length HRT-4	1060 m



# TEHRI PUMPED STORAGE PLANT(4X250MW)

5.	Upstream Surge Shaft		
		Location	End of HRT
		Type	Restricted Orifice
		Numbers	02 Nos.
		Diameter	20.92 m
		Penstock Bifurcation	At the base of surge shaft
6.	Penstocks		
		Numbers	04
		Diameter	6.0 m
		Type	Steel lined



# TEHRI PUMPED STORAGE PLANT(4X250MW)

## 7. Power House

Type	Underground
Size of Machine hall	
Max. width	25.0 m
Height	55 m
Length	203 m
Location	Left Bank
Rated unit capacity	250 MW
Installed capacity	1000 MW
Number of units	04 nos.
Type of Machine	Variable speed vertical Francis type reversible Turbine.
Turbine Net Head Range	120.4m to 219.4 m
Pump delivery Head Range	130.5m to 229.5 m
Design Head	188 m
Rotational Speed	Variable speed



# TEHRI PUMPED STORAGE PLANT(4X250MW)

<b>8. Output</b>		
	-Nominal value	278 MVA
	-Maximum capacity	306 MVA
	Rated electrical power output	250 MW at about 188m WC of rated net Head
<b>9. Downstream Surge Shaft</b>		
	Numbers	02
	Diameter	18.44 m
	Height	Approx. 80 m
<b>10. Tail Race Tunnels</b>		
	Numbers	02
	Diameter	9.1 m
	Length	
	TRT-3	1151.00 m
	TRT-4	1255.00 m
<b>11. Tail Water Levels</b>		
	Maximum	612.5 m
	Minimum (in pump mode)	606 m
	Minimum (in turbine mode)	603 m
	Average	609.5 m



## **BENEFITS FROM TEHRI PSP**

- **1000 MW, peaking power, will be added to the Northern Region**
- **Annual generation of 1268 million units**
- **Stabilization of Grid (load balancing)**



## **AWARD OF MAJOR WORKS**

- **Under Single EPC Contract**
- **Consortium of GE Hydro France( formerly Alstom Hydro-France) Hindustan Construction Co. Ltd. and GE Power India Ltd (formerly Alstom India Ltd)**
- **Awarded on 23.07.2011**



## **MAJOR STRUCTURE – EPC CONTRACT**

- **Balance Works of Head Race Tunnel (HRT-3 & 4)**
- **Butterfly Valve Chamber**
- **Penstock Assembly Chamber & 04 nos. Penstocks**
- **Four Surge Shafts- Two upstream & two downstream**
- **Machine Hall**
- **Bus bar cavern and 04 no. bus bar galleries**
- **Tail Race Tunnels (TRT-3 & 4) & Outlet Structure**



# CONSTRUCTION DETAILS

## **(A) UNDERGROUND EXCAVATION:**

- UNDER GROUND EXCAVATION AT THE PROJECT IS BEING DONE WITH DRILLING BLASTING METHOD.
- TOTAL EIGHT BOOMERS (WITH TWO BOOMS) ARE BEING USED FOR DRILLING AT TEHRI PSP.



## **(B) STABILIZATION MEASURES**

As Per Site Requirement Following Stabilization Measures Are Being Taken At Tehri Psp

1. 25/32/36 mm DIA ROCK BOLTS/ANCHORS
2. Cable anchors
3. Structural steel supports
4. Shotcrete with wire mesh
5. Steel fibres reinforced shotcrete
6. Lattice girders with self drilling anchors/forepoles



# **CONSTRUCTION DETAILS**

## **(C) CONCRETE WORK**

- 1. CEMENT:** OPC-43 grade and OPC 53 grade
- 2. FINE AGGREGATE:** Grading zone-II & III
- 3. COARSE AGGREGATE:** MAX SIZE OF 40mm
- 4. CONCRETE :** Grade between M15 and M40
- 5. SUPER PLASTICIZERS:** To have economy and better workability concrete mixes have been designed with super plasticizers



# FINANCIAL STATUS

W.r.t. to Contract Value

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Contract/Value</b>	<b>Present status till Jan'18</b>	<b>% completion</b>
	<b>Overall EPC Contract: (INR : 1843.49 Crs.)</b>	<b>1101.71 Crs.</b>	<b>59.76%</b>
<b>1.</b>	<b>PDE Contract : INR : 39.54 Crs. (EURO 5125765+INR 65740936)</b>	<b>20.78 Crs.</b>	<b>52.57%</b>
<b>2.</b>	<b>Civil Work Contract : (INR : 661.47 Crs)</b>	<b>375.00 Crs.</b>	<b>56.69%</b>
<b>3.</b>	<b>Off - Shore components Contract : (Supply of EM &amp; HM Plant &amp; Machinery INR : 532.75 Crs. (EURO : 82841152)</b>	<b>399.48 Crs.</b>	<b>74.98%</b>
<b>4.</b>	<b>On - Shore components Contracts : (Supply of EM &amp; HM Plant &amp; Machinery INR : 524.72 Crs)</b>	<b>291.76 Crs.</b>	<b>55.60%</b>
<b>5.</b>	<b>Transportation - Services Contract : INR: 85.01 Crs. (EURO : 880200 + INR 79.35 Crs)</b>	<b>14.69 Crs.</b>	<b>17.28 %</b>

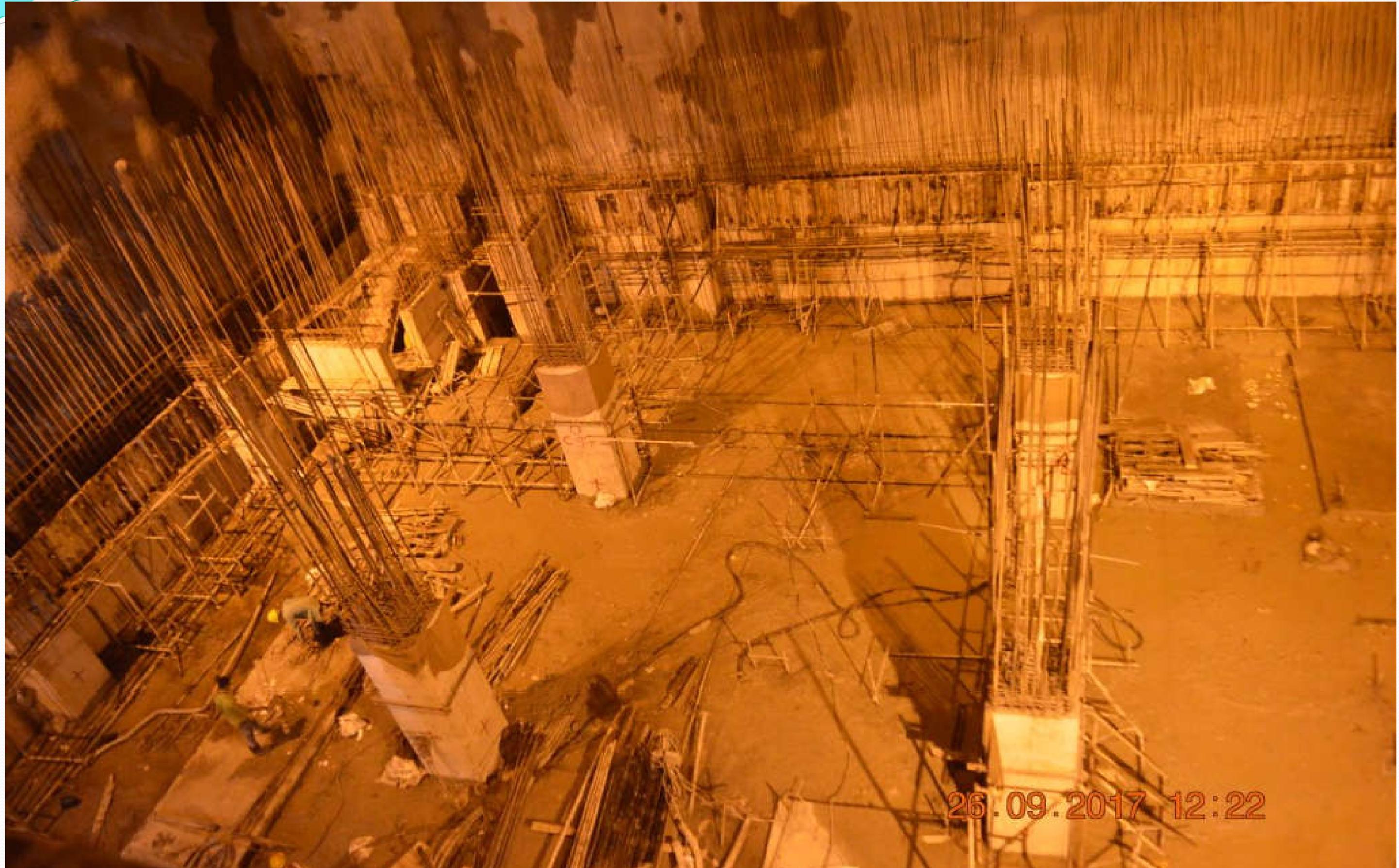
# Power House



# Barrier wall in Draft tube



# POWER HOUSE –Control room



# U/S Surge Shaft Upper Chamber- 3



# U/S Surge Shaft Upper Chamber- 4



# Butterfly Valve Chamber



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# Drainage gallery around BVC

**DG-BVC**



# Upper Bus Bar 8 : Lining



# Lower Bus Bar 8



# TRT 3 U/s Overt Reinforcement Works



# TRT 3 U/s Overt Concrete Works



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# TRT- 3 D/s Heading



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# TRT- 4 D/s Heading



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# TRT - 4 U/s invert lining



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**Key issues and challenges,  
and outlook for the PSP  
segment**



## Why do we need power storage?

- In addition to the upcoming Thermal and Hydro power plants Govt of India has planned to install 175 GW capacity from renewable energy sources by the year 2022.
- By 2022 it is expected that total installed capacity (all forms) in the country will be about 535 GW.
- In spite of so high installed capacity , 24x7 power will not be ensured, and grid will not be stable due to variability in the generation
- To ensure 24x7 power supply and to ensure grid stability, storage of power is required which can be used as and when required as per the demand.



## How to Store the power?

- **Batteries?** - Not economical in totality, having its limitations, not environment friendly, disposal issues etc.
- **Pumped Storage Plants?** - Yes, This is the most reliable, economical and best available method for storage of electricity



**Now, the need of the hour is to implement the Pumped storage plants along with RE segment projects.**

**But how can we implement it faster ?**



**To ensure fast implementation of the Pumped Storage Plants following issues need to be addressed-**

**1.Land Acquisition/Transfer:** Smooth and time bound transfer of land for the project can be achieved by providing **specific clause** for such projects in the **land acquisition act**.



2. **Environment/Forest/Other clearances:** During initial stage of implementation of the project related clearances shall be provided in a time bound manner by the Govt bodies. It can be achieved by **setting on-line time bound procedure.**
3. **Law and order:** During construction stage project work is stopped on trivial issues very frequently due to ineffective law and order situation towards the hydro projects. It can be made effective through a **special task force** having special powers for directing state authorities.



4. **Risk Register:** There are contractual disputes and tall claims which hamper the work in the form of time and cost overrun. It can be resolved in a smooth and fast manner by sharing the risks as per the **pre defined risk register.**
5. **All hydro projects under RE segment :** Govt shall take a decision to bring all hydro projects in the RE segment so that benefits of RE projects could be availed by PSP to make these projects viable.



## 6. PSP as Grid Asset:

- To make PSP's viable and qualify in merit order dispatch, it shall be treated as Grid Asset because PSP stabilizes the grid as other components.
- A substantial portion of its capital cost (75-80%) shall be subsumed and it shall be recovered through wheeling charges.
- Beneficiaries who provide off-peak power will be returned with peak power after accounting for losses and will have to bear balance 20-25 % of the capital cost.
- This will help DISCOMS to opt for pump storage system which is fully made in India and a green system



## **PSP Advantages:**

- *Mature Technology.*
- *Load balancing in the grid.*
- *Limited impact on the environment.*
- *Service life is very high.*
- *Flexible and fast acting plant.*



## ***Conclusion:***

*To fulfill the government of India's initiative 24x7 assured power for all and to see our country in the front line of the developed country, pump storage plants is the best available solution in combination with existing installed power projects and upcoming RES power projects with a stability in the grid.*



**THANK YOU**

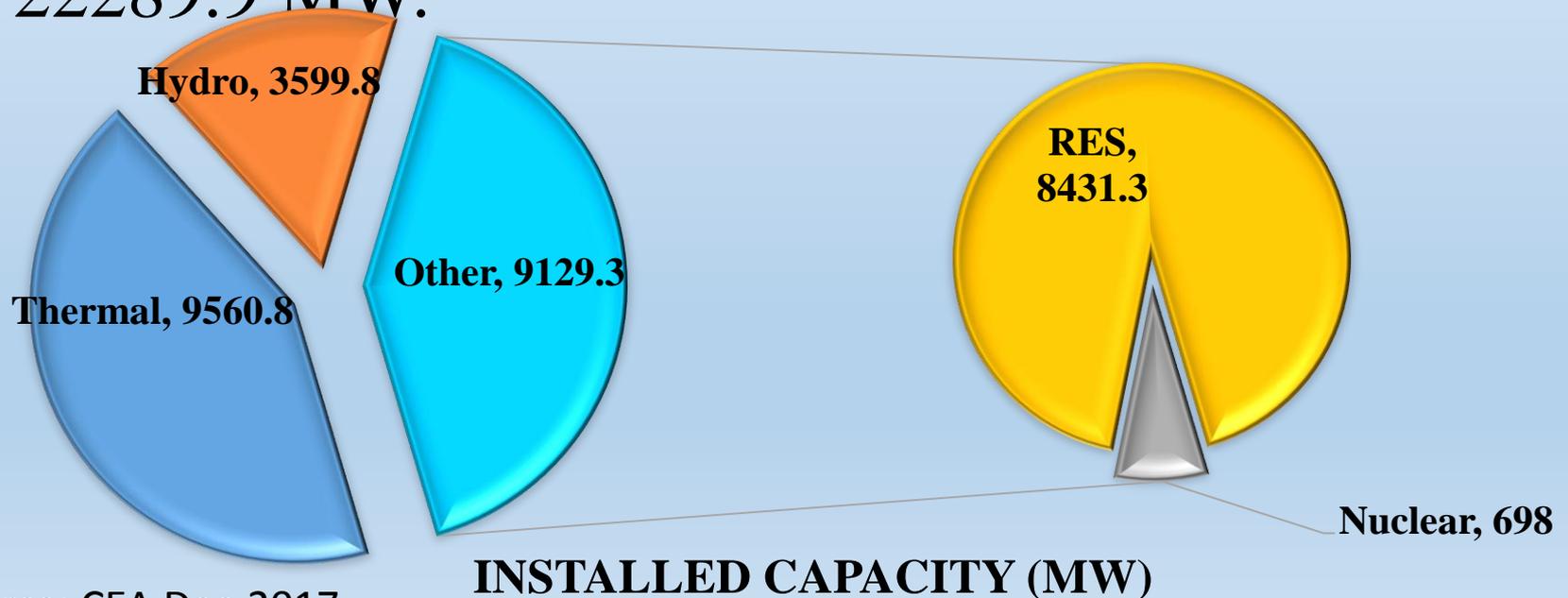
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KARNATAKA POWER CORPORATION LIMITED

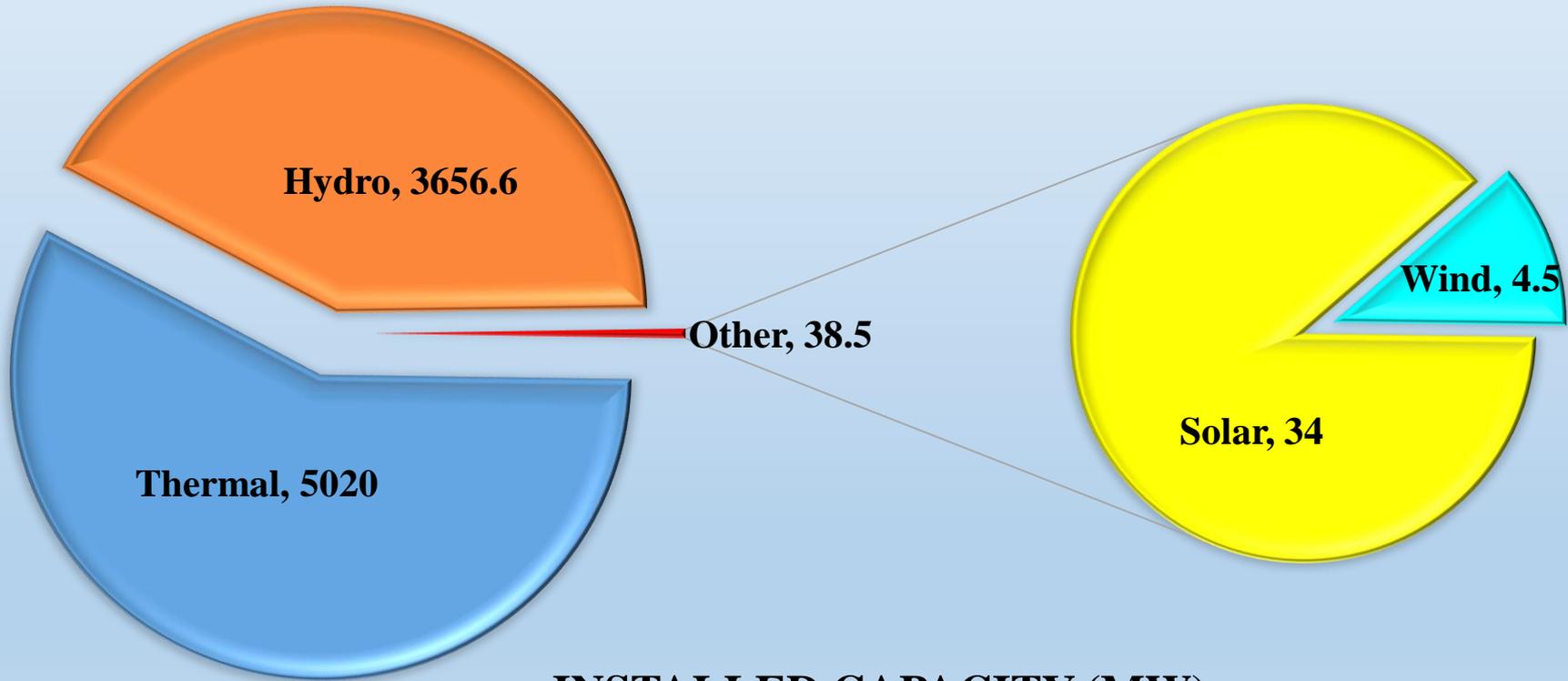


Sharavathy Pumped Storage  
Scheme in State of Karnataka

- Karnataka Power Corporation Limited (KPCL), a Government of Karnataka undertaking.
- It is a premier power generating company of Karnataka.
- Total installed capacity in Karnataka State - 22289.9 MW.



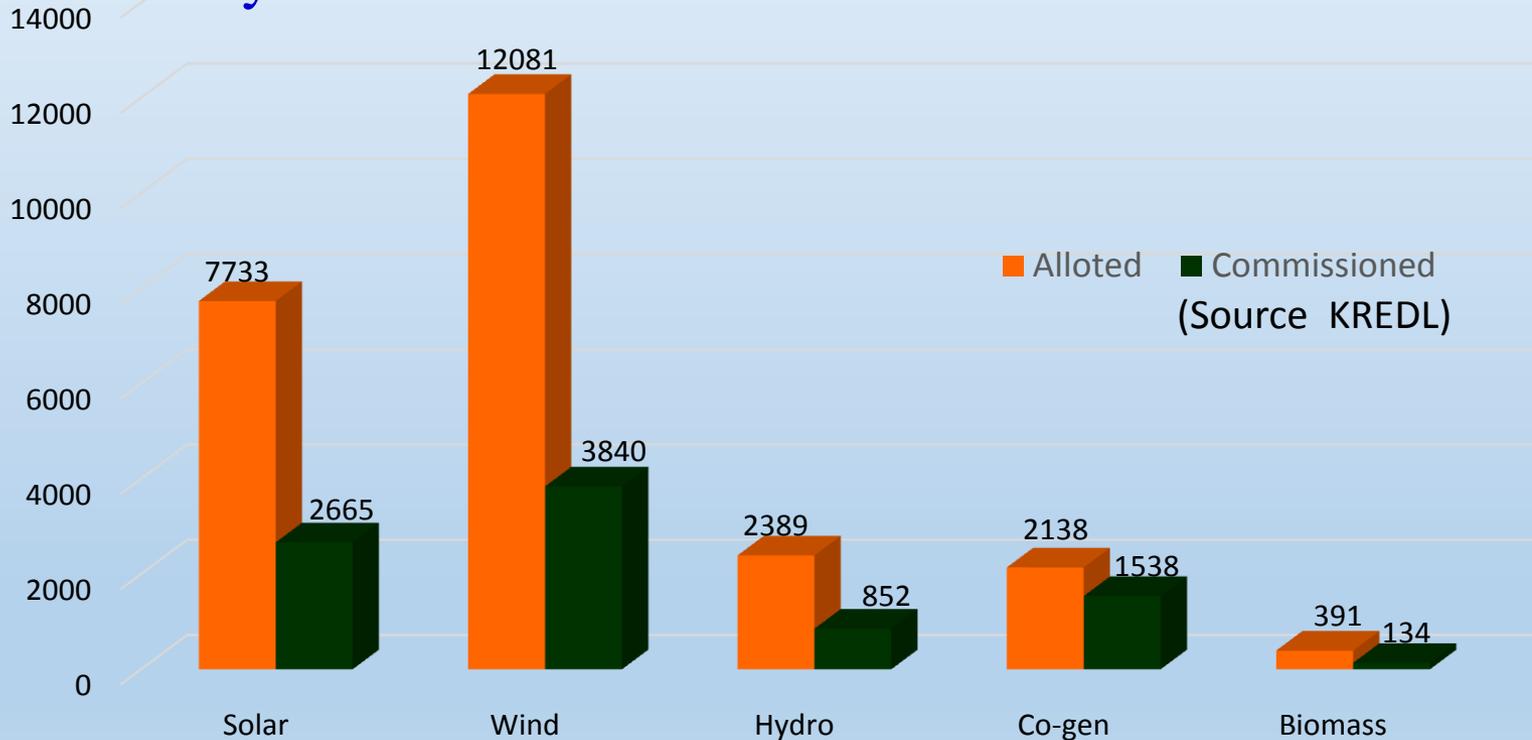
- Total installed capacity of KPCL - 8715 MW.



**INSTALLED CAPACITY (MW)**

# Need for Pumped Storage Scheme in State of Karnataka

- Policy of GoI & GoK- capacity addition in renewable energy sector is encouraged
- Present status of the capacity addition in renewable energy sector as on January 2018 in Karnataka is as follows:

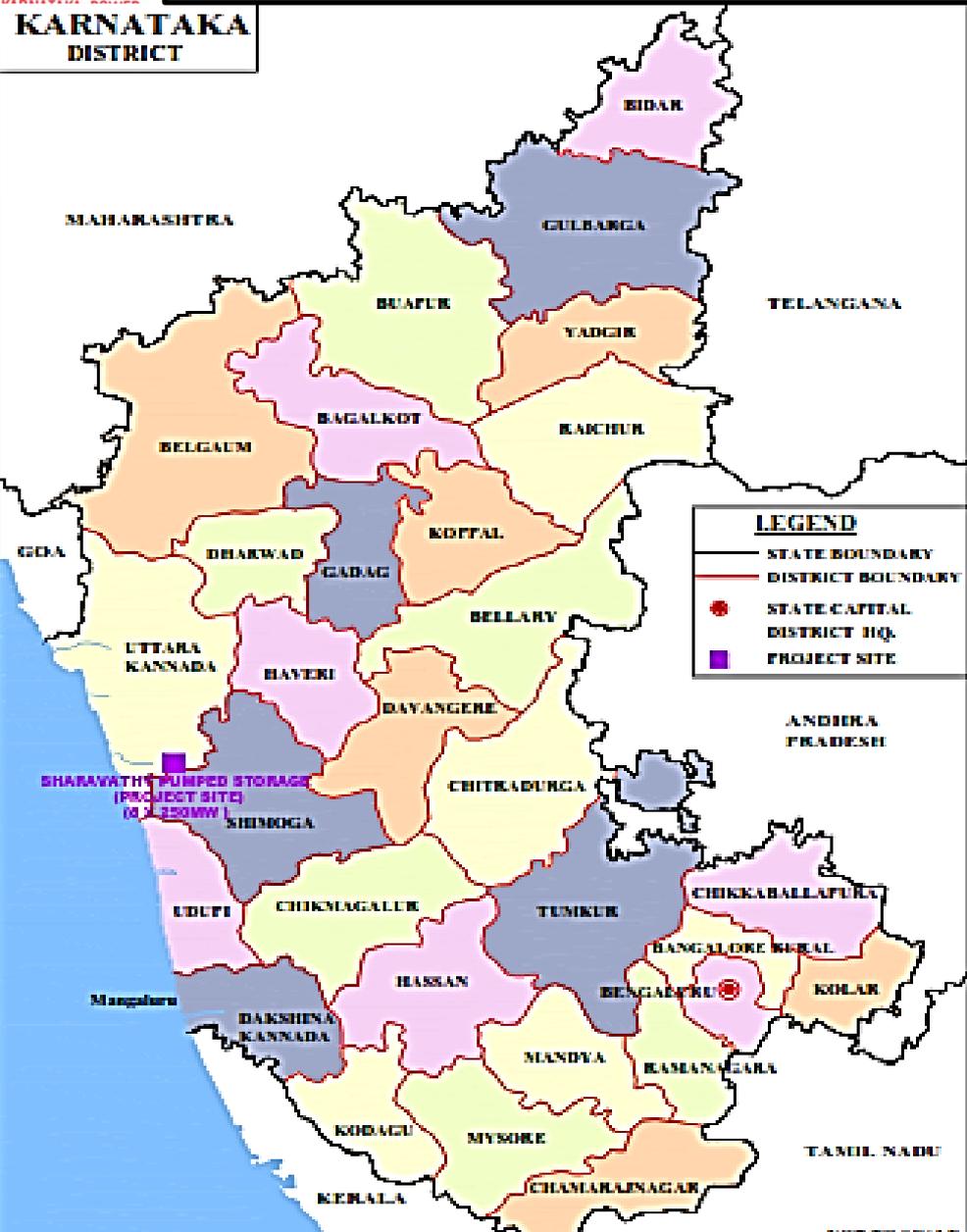


- Total Allotted RE sources : 24732 MW
- Already Commissioned RE Sources : 9029 MW



**KARNATAKA DISTRICT**

# Project Location



**KARNATAKA POWER CORPORATION LIMITED**

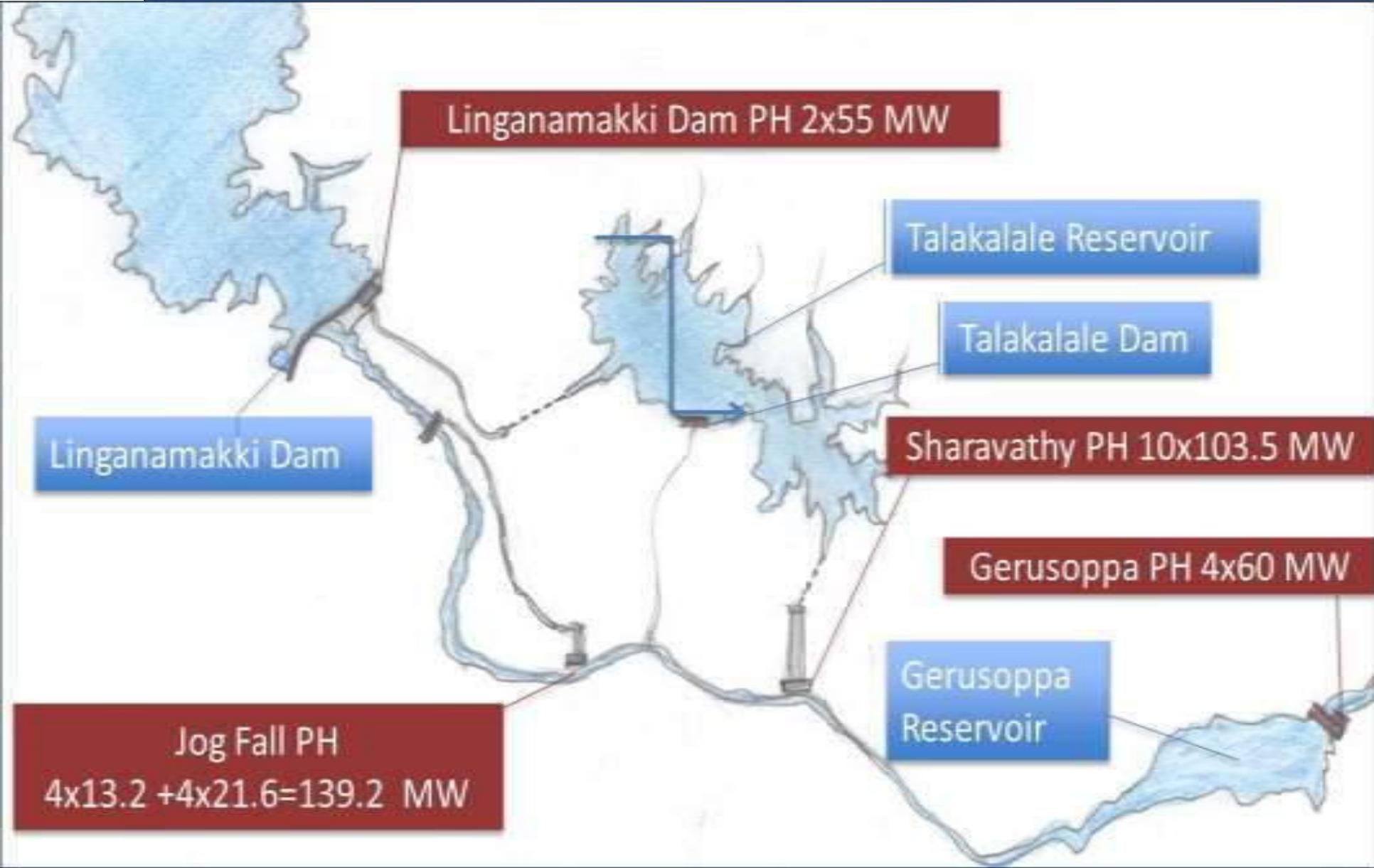
**SHARAVATHY PUMPED STORAGE PROJECT (0.7250 MW)**

**INDEX PLAN**

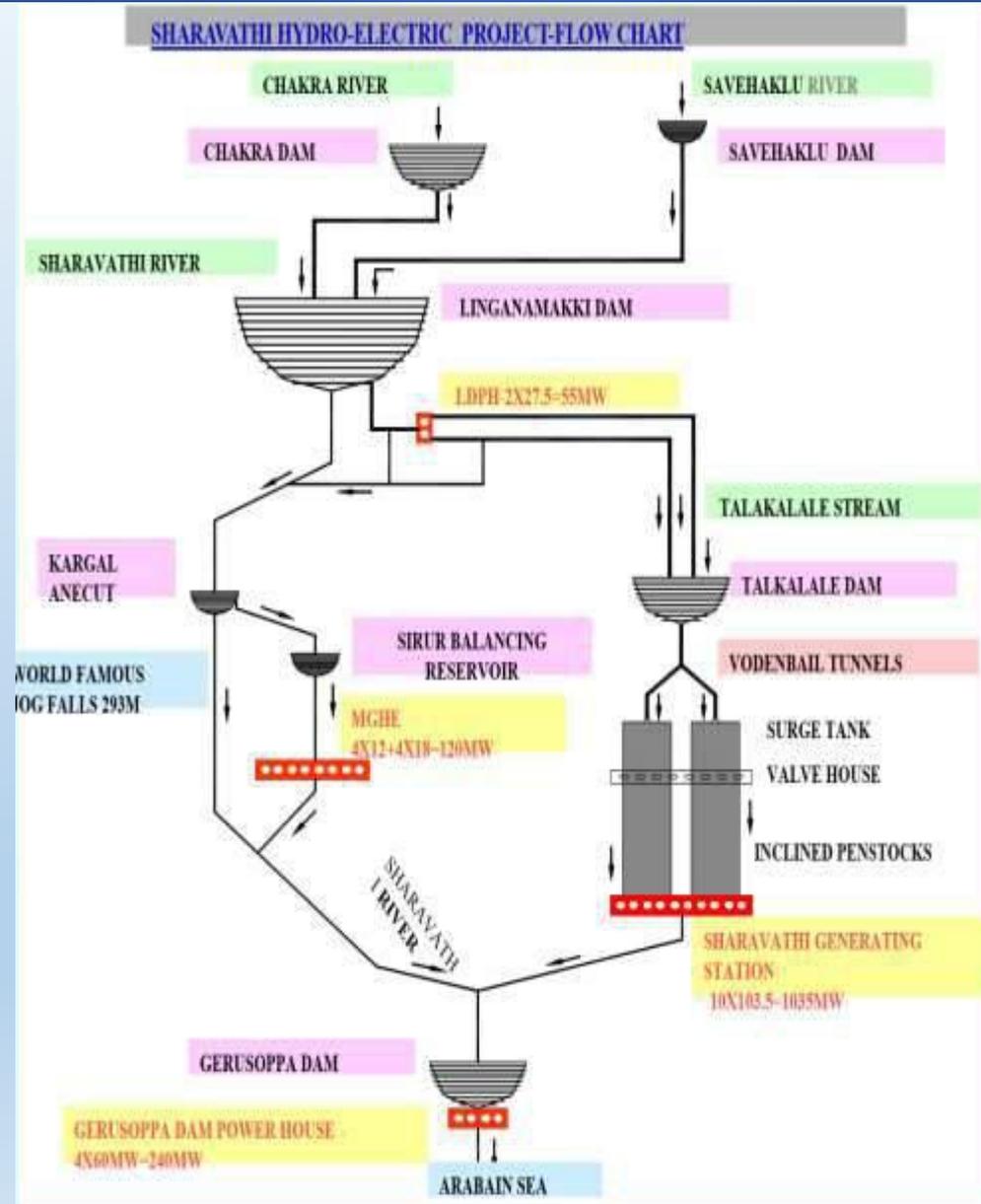
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# Sharavathy Pumped Storage Scheme in State of Karnataka

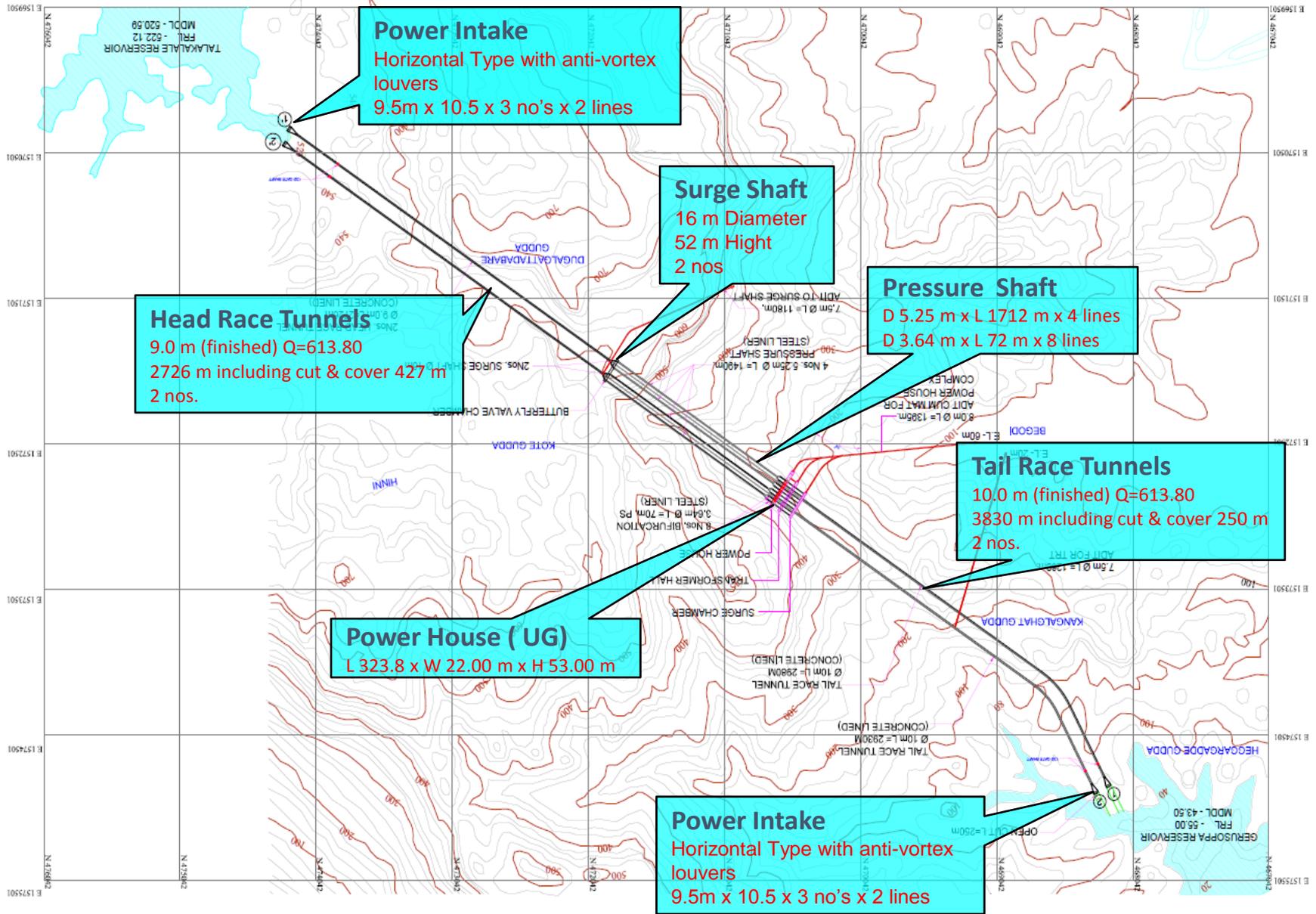


# Sharavathy Pumped Storage Scheme in State of Karnataka



- The Sharavathy pumped Storage H.E Project is planned between existing Talakalale and Gerusoppa reservoir which are situated at downstream of Liganamakki reservoir on Sharavathy river.
- The present scheme is a very attractive scheme both in terms of technical feasibility and from economical consideration.
- The scheme envisages utilization of the waters of the Sharavathy River released from Liganamakki dam through dam toe Power house by a hydel channel in to Talakalale reservoir, which is a balancing reservoir for existing Sharavathy H.E. project of 1035 MW.
- The proposed pumped scheme envisages power generation on a Pumped storage type development, harnessing a head of about 460+ m between Talakalale as upper reservoir and Gerusoppa as Lower reservoir.

# Sharavathy Pumped Storage Scheme in State of Karnataka



- The proposed Pumped storage scheme envisages the construction of:
- 2 (two) No. intake with trash racks having mechanical raking arrangement.
  - 2 (two) No. 2.726 Km long, 9 m diameter circular concrete lined headrace tunnels including cut & cover.
  - 2 (two) No. 0.828 Km long, 5.25m diameter inclined circular steel lined (including horizontal) pressure shafts
  - 2(two) no. 16m dia circular Surge Shafts 52m high.
  - An underground power house having an installation of 8 Francis type reversible pump-turbine driven generating units of 250MW capacity each.
  - 2 (two) no. 3.780 Km & 3.830 Km long concrete lined tail race tunnels to carry the power house releases to lower reservoir.

- The factors influencing the installed capacity of pumped storage scheme at a site are:
  - the requirement of daily peaking hours of operation;
  - operating head,
  - live pondage in the reservoirs
  - and their area capacity characteristics.

➤ The details are summarized below:

- Installed Capacity (MW) : 2000
- No of units : 8
- Unit Size (MW) : 250
- Head (max)- Generating : 478 m
- Head (Min)- Generating : 476 m
- Hours of daily Peaking Operation : 6
- Energy Generation (MWh) : 12000
- Pumping Energy (MWh) : 14833
- Cycle Efficiency : 80.90%

## ➤ **Power Evacuation Arrangement :**

- The 2000 MW power generated at 18 kV will be stepped up to 400 kV.
- This power shall be further evacuated by two 400 kV D/C transmission lines (Approx. 60 KM).

## ➤ Estimates of the Cost:

- The preliminary cost estimate of the project has been prepared as per guidelines of CEA / CWC.
- The break down of the cost estimates is given below:

Item Estimated	Cost (Rs. Lacs)
Civil Works	273980.38
Electro-mechanical Works	227764.24
<b>Total</b>	<b>501744.62</b>

## ➤ Financial Aspects:

- The Sharavathy Pumped Storage extension project, with an estimated cost (Generation only) of Rs. 5017.44 Crores and design peak energy generation of 4380 GWh is proposed to be completed in a period of 5 years.
- The tariff has been worked out considering a debt-equity ratio of 70:30, and annual interest rate on loan at 12.50%.
- Tariff: The cost of energy at bus bar as given below:

Sl No	Off peak Energy rate(Rs/kWh)	First year Tariff (Rs/kWh)	Levelized Tariff(Rs/kWh)
1	1	4.38	3.98
2	2	5.73	5.33
3	3	7.07	6.67

## ➤ **Present status of the Project:**

- PFR has been completed.
- MoEF & CC has issued ToR for conducting EIA & EMP studies and given approval for pre-construction activities.
- Detailed Survey and Investigations are under progress.
- Expected date for completion of DPR – Dec 2018

## ➤ **Conclusion & Recommendation:**

- The proposed Sharavathy Pumped Storage Project would perhaps be one of the biggest Pumped storage Schemes in the range of 2000 MW in India.
- Dams are existing and the powerhouse complex is underground.
- Sharavathy Pumped Storage Project involves minimum civil works and could be completed in 5 years.
- The cost per MW installed works out as Rs. 2.50 Crores

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# KADAMPARAI POWER HOUSE 4 X 100 MW.



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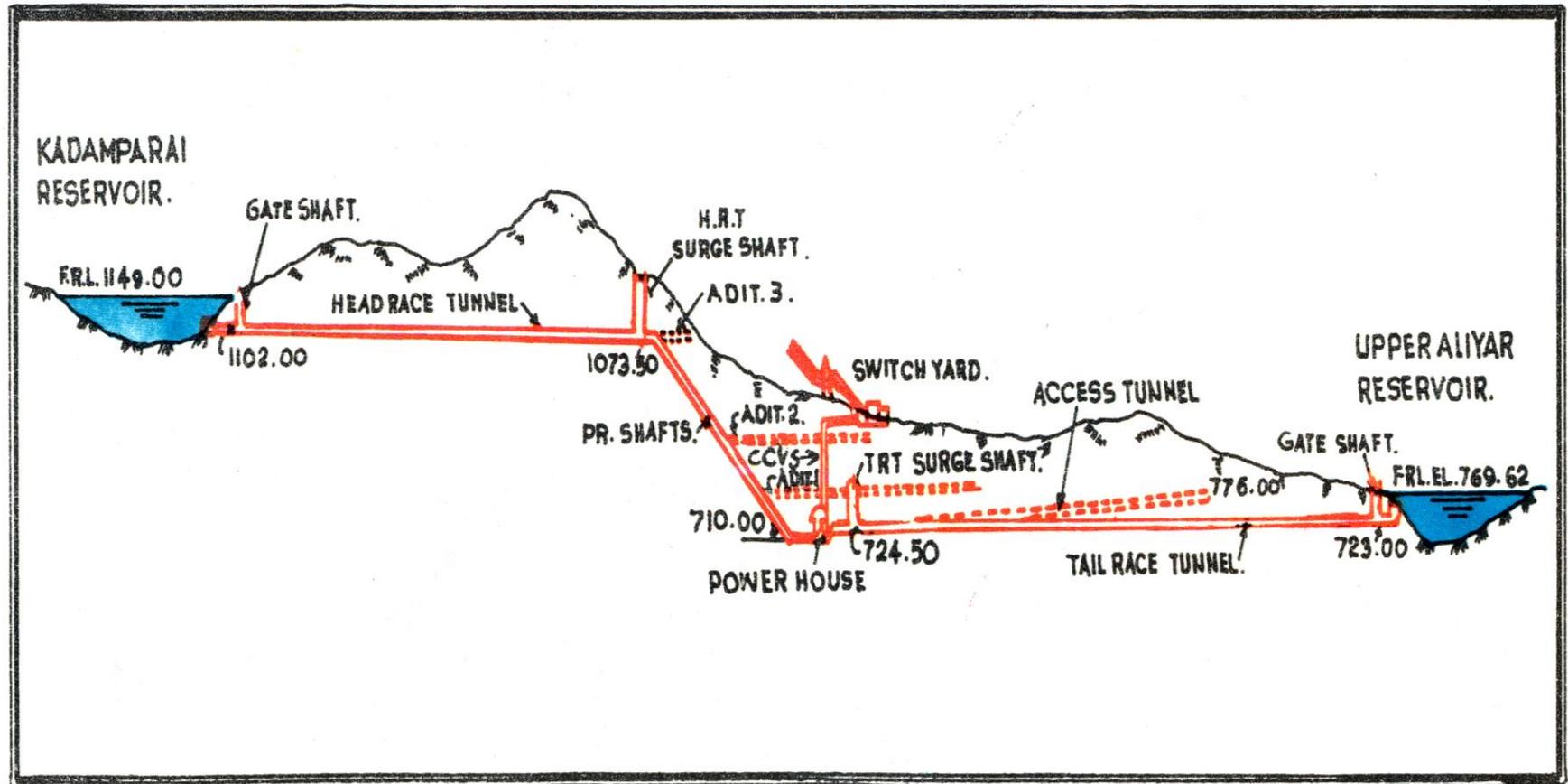
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KADAMPARAI -"A boon for power availability in the southern grid".



**CLOSE VIEW OF SWITCHYARD**

# kadamparai pumped storage



KADAMPARAI TO UPPER ALIYAR RESERVOIR — PROFILE

- The first unit (1x100MW) was commissioned on 17.10.1987. Subsequently the other Units were Commissioned on the respective dates.
- Unit II-26.02.1988,
- Unit III – 12.04.1989
- Unit IV- 16.12.1988.
- The capital cost of the Scheme is Rs 18050 Lakhs
- This is the first underground pumped Storage Scheme in Tamil Nadu Electricity Board and the biggest Hydro capacity.

# POWERHOUSE Commissioning Particulars

Number & Capacity of the Machine	<b>4 X 100 MW</b>
Date of commissioning of Units	1) 17.10.1987
	2) 26.02.1988
	3) 12.04.1989
	4) 16.12.1988

# Turbine Operating Parameters

<b>Make of Generator / Turbine</b>	
	<b>UNIT 1 GEC BOVING UNITED KINGDOM</b>
	<b>UNIT 2,3&amp;4 BHEL INDIA</b>
<b>Type of Turbine</b>	<b>Francis Reaction Reversible</b>
<b>HEAD for each Power House</b>	
<b>a)Maximum</b>	<b>1) 395 mts (GENERATOR MODE) 2) 413 mts (PUMP MODE)</b>
<b>b)Minimum</b>	<b>1) 323 mts (GENERATOR MODE) 2) 341 mts (PUMP MODE)</b>
<b>Speed of Machine</b>	<b>500 rpm</b>

# Generation Capacity of one UNIT

Generation Details	Generation in Lakh Unit	Water discharge in Mcft
Per Unit /Hour Generation @full load (100 MW)	1 Lakh Units	3.7 Mcft
All the four Units run between 18.00 Hrs to 22.00 Hrs (i.e. 04 Hours)	16.00 L.U	59.2 Mcft.
Equivalent water Pumped Details	Consumption in Lakh Unit	Water Stored
Per Unit/ hour consumption and water stored	1.1 Lakh Units.	3.00 Mcft
If four Units are run as PUMP mode the time required for the above discharge (59.2 Mcft) Pump Running Hours 05 Hrs	22 L.U.	59.2 Mcft

# Kadamparai Dam Particulars (Upper Reservoir)

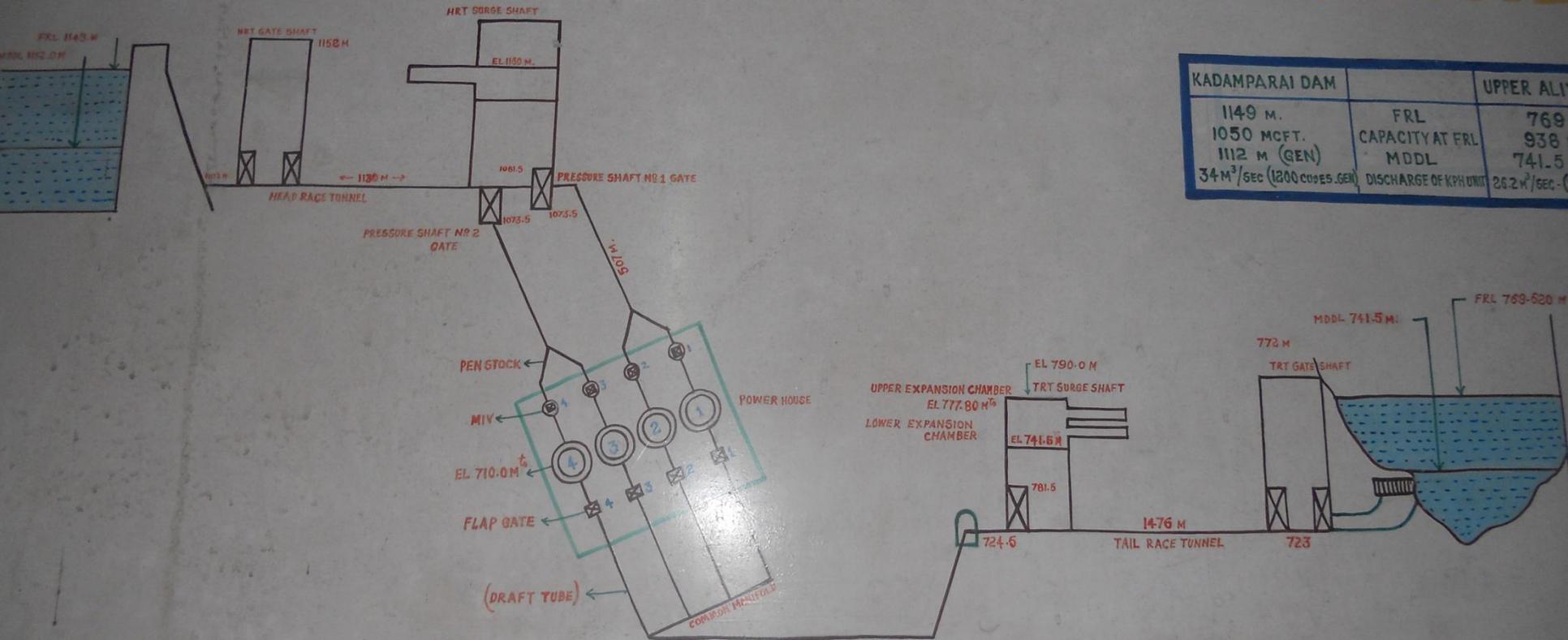
Height of dam in Ft.	221.45
FRL in Ft.	3770
Storage in Mcft.	1089
MDDL in feet	3648
Dead storage in Mcft	140.57

# Upper Aliyar Dam (Bottom Reservoir) Particulars

<b>Height of the Dam</b>	<b>265</b>
<b>Full Reservoir level in feet</b>	<b>2525</b>
<b>Storage in MCft</b>	<b>937.89</b>
<b>Dead Storage in MCft</b>	<b>23.1</b>

Minimum Draw Down Level for pump operation at 2445 feet and dead storage is 209 MCft at upper Aliyar Dam

# SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM OF WATER CONDUCTOR SYSTEM



KADAMPARAI DAM		UPPER ALI
1149 M.	FRL	769
1050 MCFT.	CAPACITY AT FRL	938
1112 M (GEN)	MDDL	741.5
34 M <sup>3</sup> /SEC (1200 CUSEC) GEN	DISCHARGE OF KPH UNIT	26.2 M <sup>3</sup> /SEC

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# Grid frequency prior to 2002

- Grid was operated at lower frequency [i.e between 48.5Hz&49.0Hz for more times till 2002 and less surplus power was available during off peak time.
- Surplus power was available in the grid during National holidays,& on Sundays by which time two or three units were utilized as pump at Kadamparai.

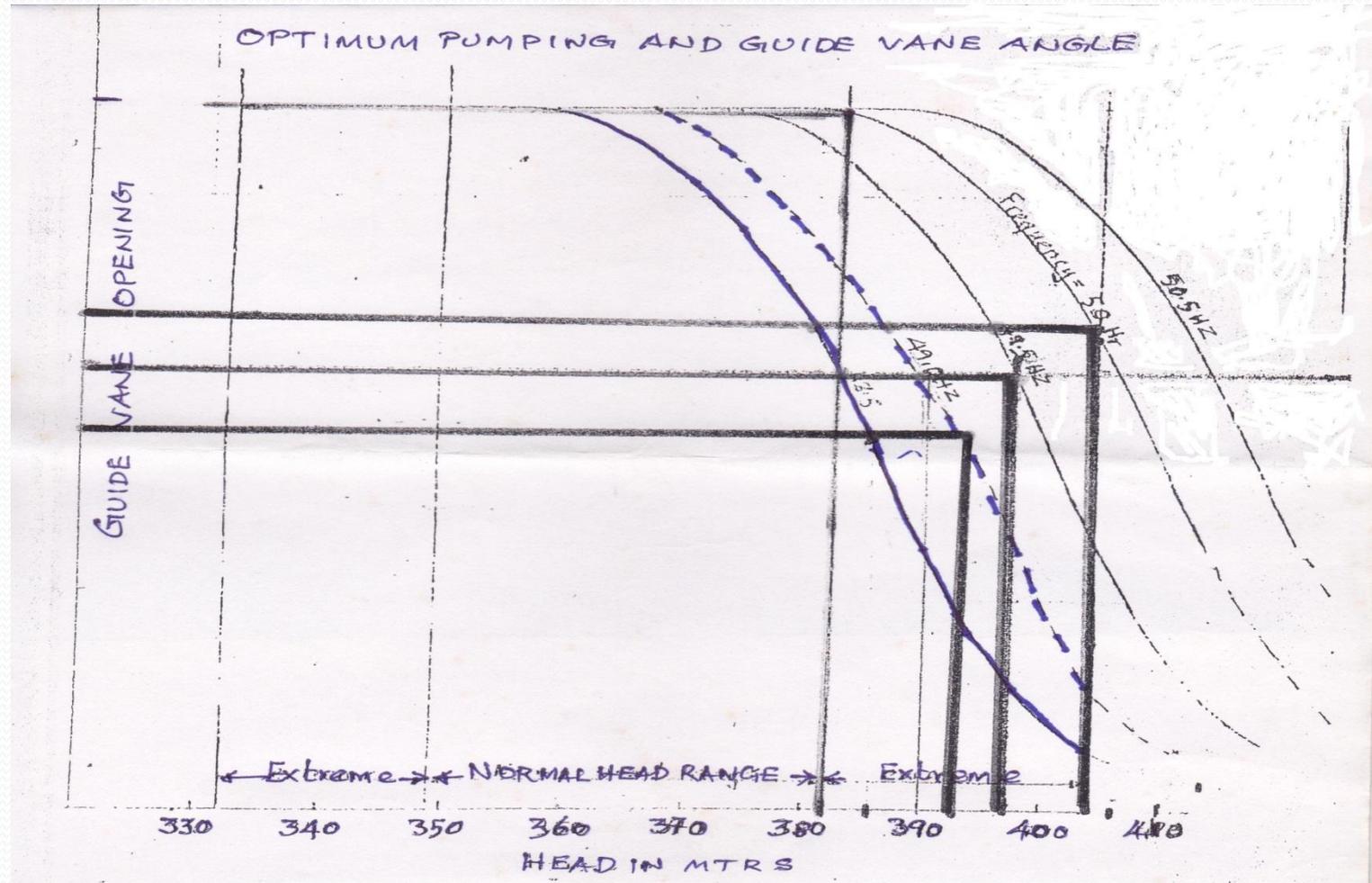
# Frequency limitation for pump operation at Kadamparai.

- Frequency for pump operation at Kadamparai is designed between 49.5hz and 50.5hz .The motor input required is about 109 mw at rated speed. If all the four units are operated as pump, then the power input required at station end is about 440 MW. First time, on 12-02-2003 only all the four units were put on pump mode though the station was commissioned in 1989.

# Low frequency pump operation

- For low frequency operation below 49.5 Hz and upto 48.5 Hz , the designer have recommended to limit the dynamic operating head to 381 m and to reduce the guide vane opening by 60 %.
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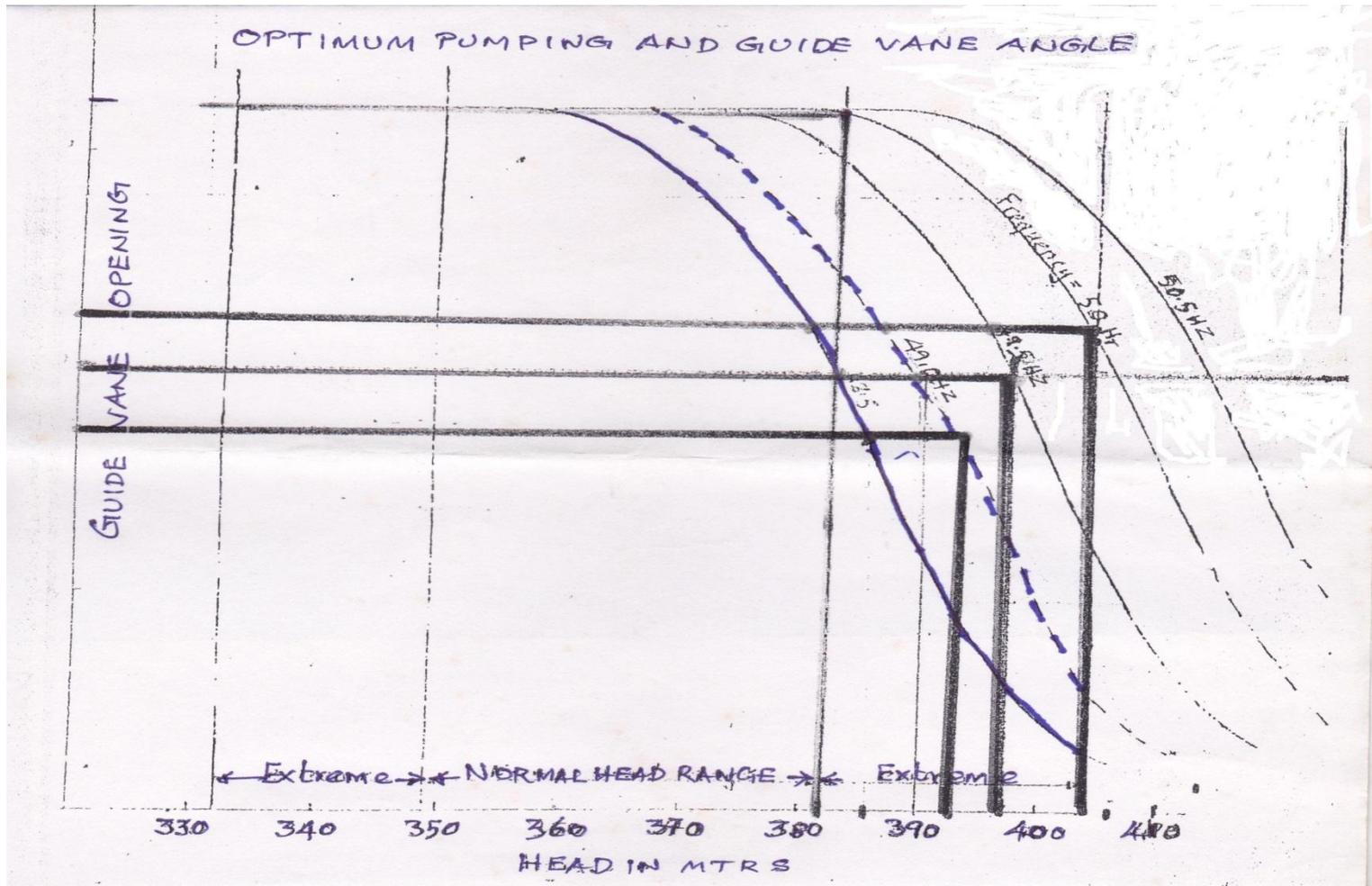
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# Operating frequency

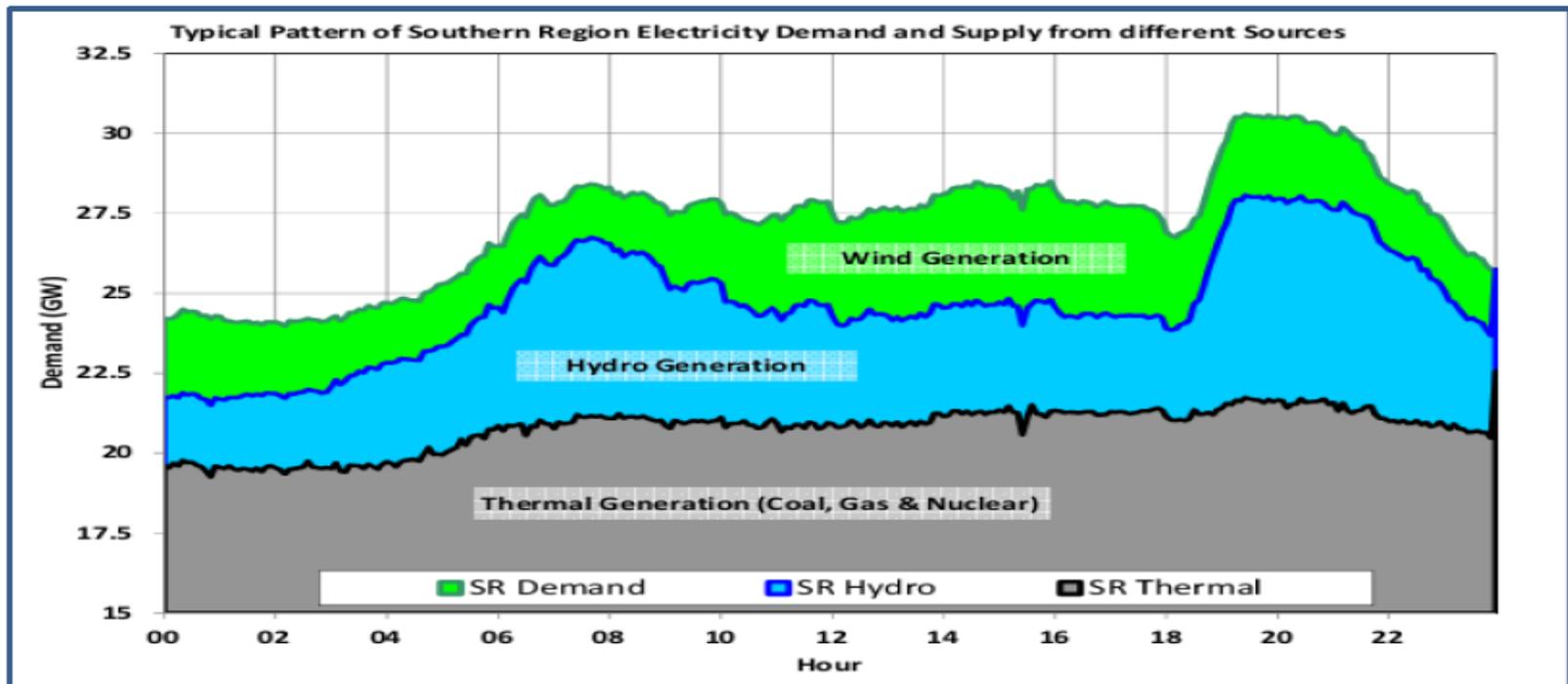
- Frequency range was narrowed from  $\pm 3\%$  to  $1.0\%$  in 2003 and imposed the penal mechanism of deviation from schedule known as the UI mechanism in southern region.[ABT]
- This is only a commercial mechanism but this method has improved the operating frequency of southern region for longer duration above  $49.5\text{Hz}$  .[REFER SLIDE-4]

# Pump operation after 2003.

- Pump operation at kadamparai have increased during off peak hours and this was possible due to gradual wind power capacity addition in Tamil Nadu. Wind had also helped for better performance of the station after 2003.

# Wind in SR Grid.

Management of Intermittency & Variability in Wind generation- Southern Region (July 2011)



# Performance of Pump operation after 2003.

- 2003-04----471MU --WIND CAP-1361MW
- 2004-05----232MU\*---DO-----2040MW
- 2005-06----555MU---DO-----2898MW
- 2006.07----416MU----DO-----3476MW
- 2007-08----403MU-----DO-----3857MW
- 2008-09----237MU\*\*-----DO-----4288MW
- 2009-10----485MU-----DO-----4890MW
- Reason for low performance
- \*DAM GEOMEMBRANE WORK-8 MONTHS- TOTAL SHUTDOWN.\*\* POWER CUT IMPOSED IN TAMILNADU DUE TO SHORTAGE OF POWER.

# Pump performance-contd

2010-11	--611 MU	-----WIND CAP	--5887 MW
2011-12	--533 MU	-----DO	-----6970 MW
2012-13	---335 MU	----DO	-----7165 MW
2013-14	---497 MU	----DO	-----7275 MW
2014-15	---511 MU	----DO	-----7345 MW
2015-16	---420 MU	-----DO	----- ~7500 MW

[tentative data]

<b>S.No</b>	<b>YEAR</b>	<b>GENERATIO N in MU</b>	<b>WATER PUMPED in MCFT</b>	<b>CONSUMED in MU</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>2010-11</b>	<b>572.140</b>	<b>17664.00</b>	<b>619.789</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>2011-12</b>	<b>510.537</b>	<b>15521.54</b>	<b>544.615</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>2012-13</b>	<b>302.063</b>	<b>9611.75</b>	<b>337.254</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>2013-14</b>	<b>505.190</b>	<b>14188.61</b>	<b>497.846</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>2014-15</b>	<b>502.470</b>	<b>14571.40</b>	<b>511.277</b>
<b>6</b>	<b>2015-16</b>	<b>413.410</b>	<b>11662.01</b>	<b>409.193</b>
<b>7</b>	<b>2016-17</b>	<b>289.115</b>	<b>9392.31</b>	<b>328.575</b>
<b>8</b>	<b>2017-18 Till Jan'18</b>	<b>298.81</b>	<b>11257.98</b>	<b>303.38</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>8083.72MU</b>	<b>200153.97 MCFT</b>	<b>3551.931MU</b>

# Reservoir regulation.

- During south west monsoon season, both upper and lower reservoirs i.e. Upper Aliyar & Kadamprai are filled up to their maximum level. Wind and inflow are peak at that period. Any operation of pumping due to high wind energy had resulted less spill in the lower reservoir. No spill in upper reservoir.
- Whenever KPH is used on generation mode due to sudden outage of thermal/nuclear, and if lower reservoir is kept very near to FRL, spill had occurred.

# Challenges faced

- Dam leakage -reservoir level regulation and geomembrane installation.
- upper dam filling through pump operation after geomembrane installation.
- Frequent start/stop-components failure in stator/turbine.
- Removal of 25 ton mass rock over the control room due to a crack in the crown.

# Major rehabilitation works after fire accident

## . E & M works

- **Renovation works in unit 2, 3, & 4 and its auxiliaries are cable laying in both vertical shafts, unit transformers & bus duct erection, crane erection, lift erection, excitation panel replacement in unit 3 & 4 testing and commissioning.**
- **[civil works]**
- **cable shaft 1 & 2- concrete lining.**
- **Access tunnel shotcreting works due to rock fall and dust control during the process of work. Besides carbon/smoke dust, cement dust also gave problem in the control panel circuits of unit 1 during renovation period.**
- **Unit 3 & 4 transformer bay re-construction**

# Problems faced.

- 230 kv cable failure due to fall of conduit.
- Thrust runner disc insulation failure.
- Brake track disc rubbing.
- power transformer neutral bushing crack.
- Runner uplift.
- Rotor earth fault -dynamic condition
- MIV struckup-flow reversal-sudden stop of unit during shutdown from pump mode

# View of access tunnel, upper and lower reservoirs



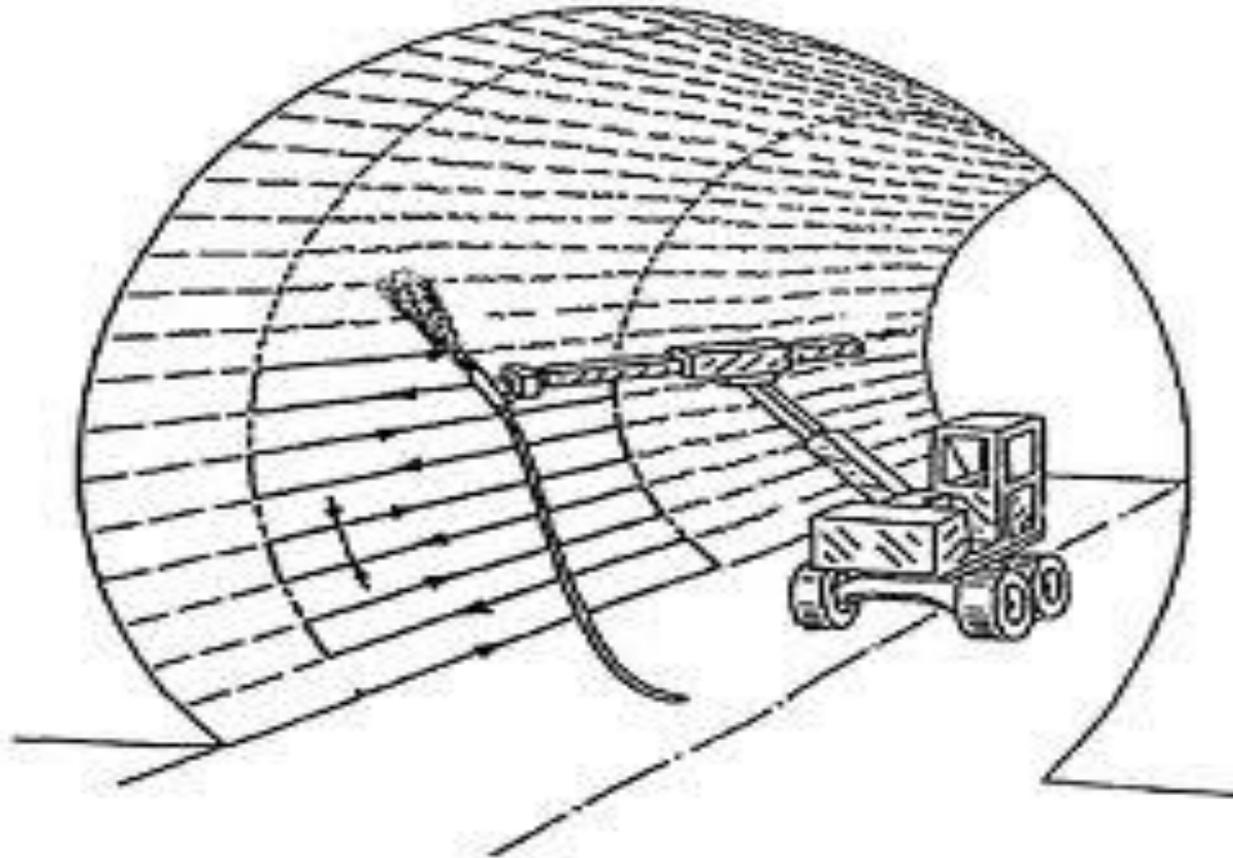
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# Rock fall in access tunnel.



# Removal of loose rocks and rock bolting shotcreting works in access tunnel.



# Rock mass removal

- crack noticed on the crown of the power house above unit 3 and one portion was hanging.
- structural arrangements were made and rock mass about 25 Tons- lowered on the structure.
- Remedial measures - Rock bolting-& Shot-creting done in the crown portion.

# crack in the crown -chain link fence provided after rock bolt provision



# Unit 2.- Runner uplift.

- During commissioning & testing of unit 2 in 1989 , the governor was adjusted for settings in turbine mode.
- The unit 2 rapidly began to over speed which caused excessive up thrust and the runner came to rest suddenly and seized.
- Repairs to the runner and spiral casing - done by BHEL and commissioned.

# unit 2-230 KV cable fault

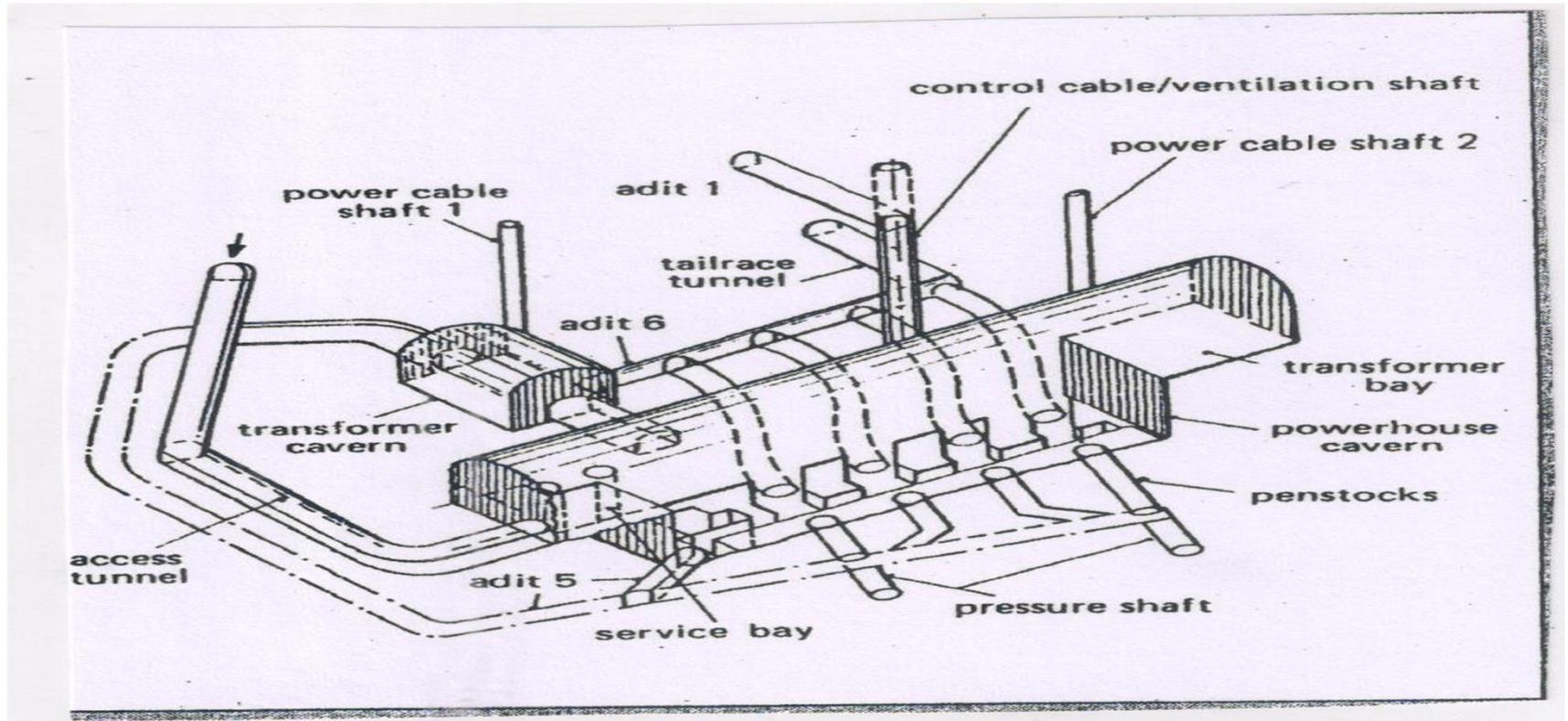
In June 1990, conduit pipes fixed in the vertical power cable shaft for lighting [200 m-depth] fell on the 230 kv cable and damaged the cable insulation at many locations in all seven cables.

unlined vertical shaft and seepage was present. Corrosion on clamping material caused failure and be one of the reasons for fall of conduit pipes on the power cables.

# Repairs to Silec cable.

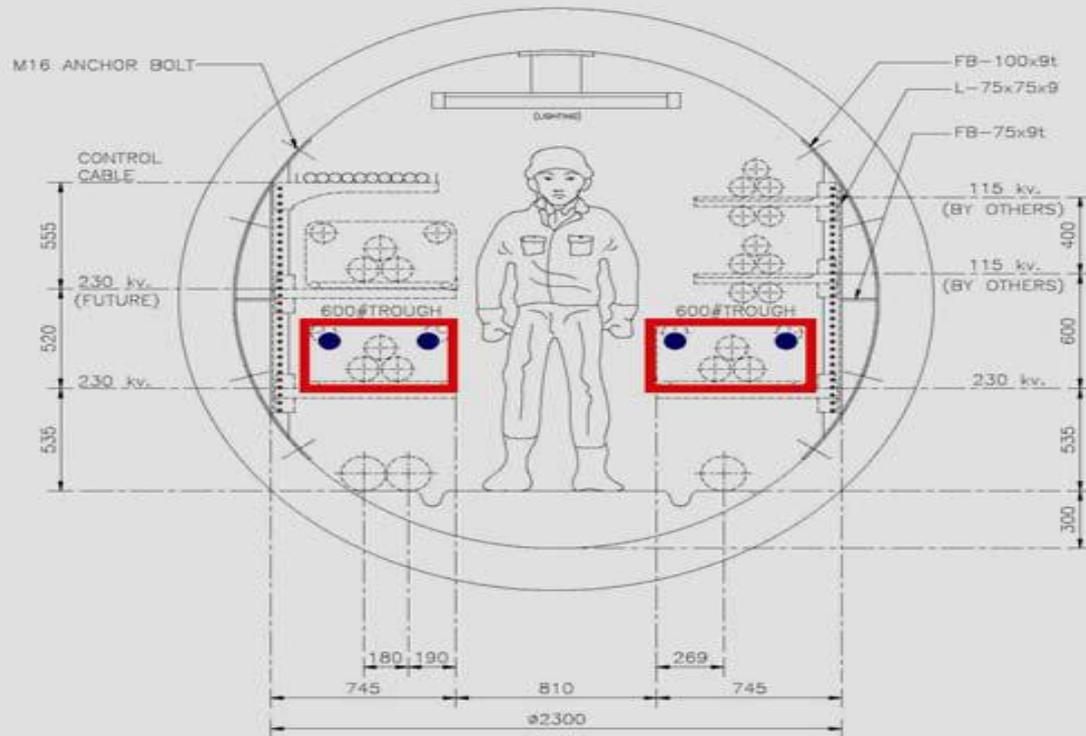
- The power cable shaft 1 was inspected and all the conduits were removed . Damages on the cables were assessed.
- Connection between cables by means of joint was also checked .Due to space limitation in the vertical shaft this idea was dropped.
- Out of 7 runs ,only three cables were found healthy, though outer sheath were damaged at many locations.Insulations applied on the three cables and unit 1 was put into service.

# cavern with three vertical shafts.





# cable in horizontal shaft



# view of vertical portion of power cable shaft 2



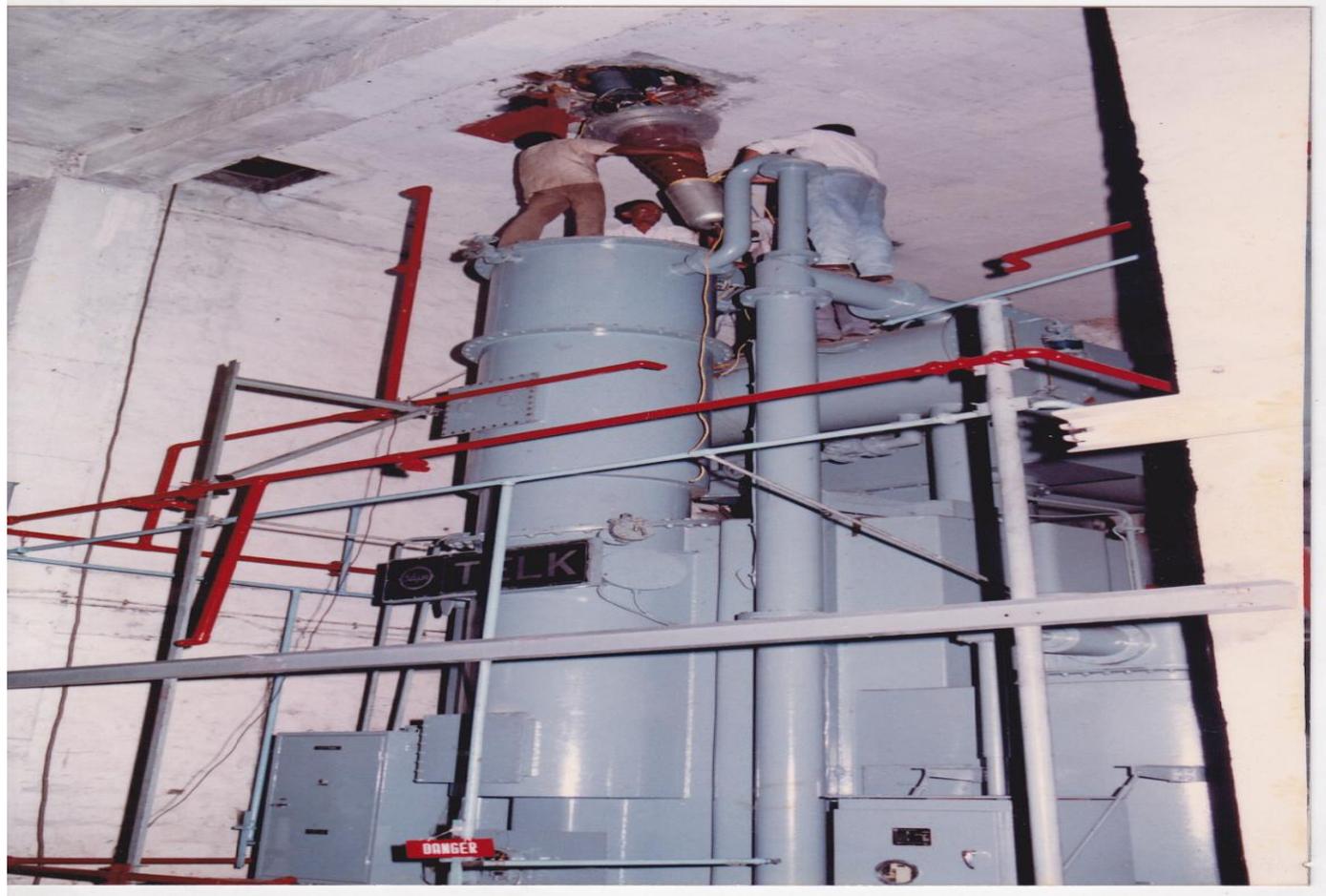
view of horizontal portion of cable tunnel.



# Low IR value on 230 KV cable.

- .Due to seepage of water in the cable gallery inside power house, low IR value in one phase of the cable was reported due to water entry into the indoor pot head.
- To rectify the defect, assistance of the cable jointer from Silec/France was utilized and defect rectified in 1993.

# Erection of indoor termination in transformer pot head tank.



# Fire in transformer bay

- The main transformer bay of underground hydropower station is constructed deeply underground and connected with the switch yard through power cable shaft .Transport passage is called as access tunnel and is of 1 km in length . The transformers placed in two locations inside the cavern. Unit 3&4 transformers were damaged in a fire accident in Oct'90.

# Fire fighting

- **When the fire occurred , the visibility inside cavern was poor. Approach to tr bay was difficult for carrying out fire fighting operation since the combustion process was fast & dense.**
- **The fire spread quickly because of the smooth air flow in the underground hydropower station through access tunnel . Vertical shafts acted as chimney.**
- **The smoke volume was exhausted naturally through the power cable shafts and through ventilation tunnel.As a measure of fire fighting , water pumped inside cavern upto generator floor so as to avoid damage to other equipments.**
- **Hence up upto generator floor , flood situation was created.**

# Equipments damaged in fire

- 7 Nos unit power transformers ,single phase, 45 MVA: 11kv/230kv were damaged
- 230KV cables-7 runs-length each about 300m connected between transformer and switchyard in power cable shaft 2 were damaged
- EOT Crane
- unit 3 & 4 bus duct
- Power house lift and switchyard lift.

# Laying of power cable

Power Generated is transferred through 230 kv single core cable of 500 sq mm to outside switchyard. 7 runs of 230 KV Cables and 2 runs of 22 KV cables were Laid in power cable shaft 2 .

Supply of cables were by CCI and terminations at switchyard and indoor were by Kabeldon /Sweden. Installation was done by M/S Cable Corporation of India in 1994.

The cable laying in the vertical shaft was a challenging job since the weight of cable per metre is about 14 Kgs and each run about 350 m

# Forces acted on the cable due to an earth fault at the station.

- One day ,when units 3 & 4 were running at full load, tripped due to an earth fault in the 230 KV switch yard.This was happened due to sanp of the Kundah conductor connected to the line isolator and main bus .
- On inspection of vertical shaft the loose provision gave near the mouth of the vertical shaft was found straightened.This was due to high mechanical forces acted on the cable due to an earth fault.

view of clamps fitted in the vertical shaft.



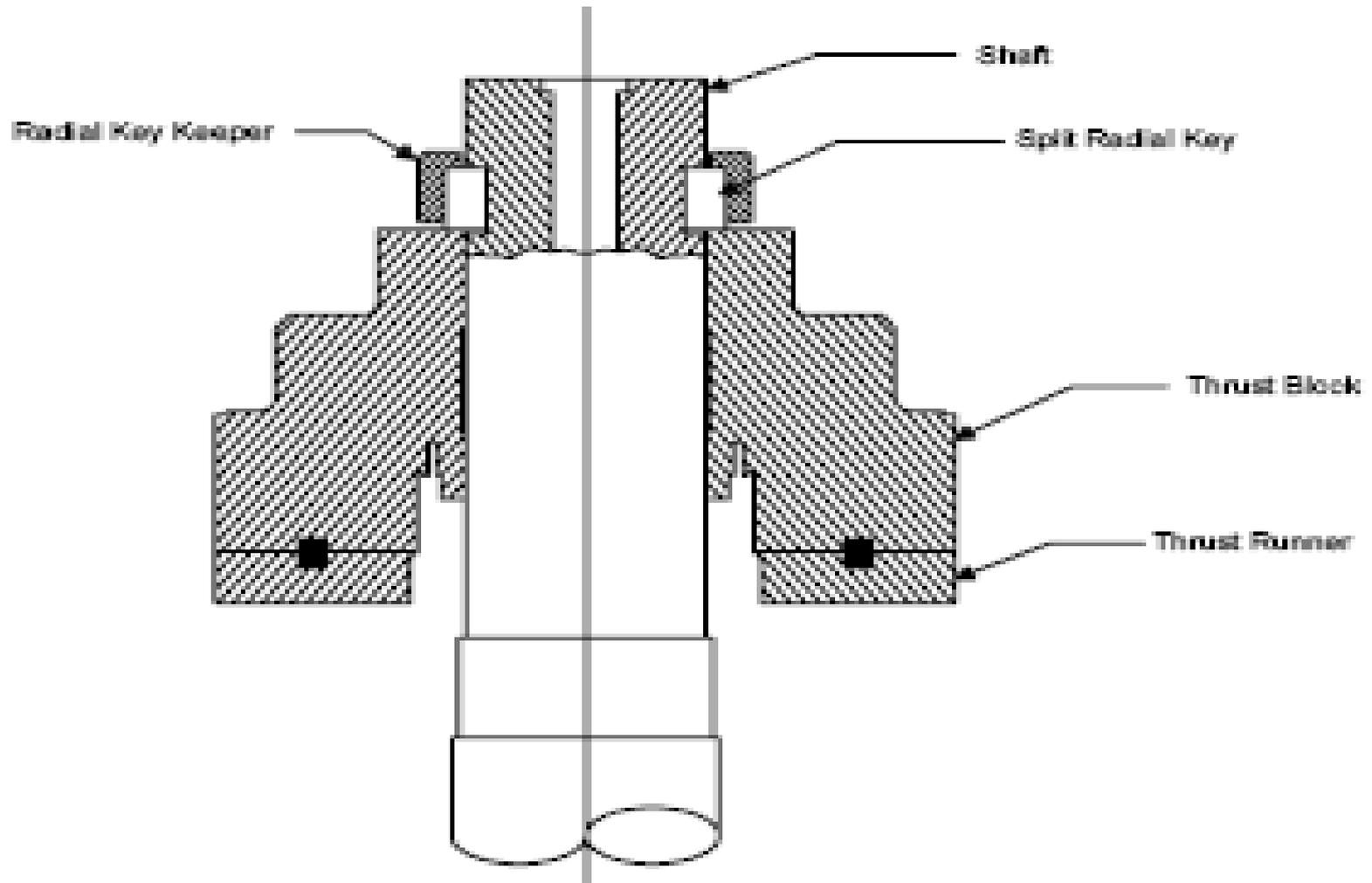
view of outdoor end termination  
after erection.



# Thrust runner disc insulation failure

- Scoring marks on thrust collar runner disc was noticed at KPH during voltage built up after completion of renovation. The reason for this defect was due to the low insulation value of the insulation disc fitted between runner disc and thrust collar.
- As per CIGRE report, such failure occurs in the units where static excitation is used which induces spikes in the shaft voltage and cause and breakdown of oil film if the oil is contaminated.

# View of thrust block



# Method adopted.

- The insulation disc was supplied and works supervised by BHEL.
- Insulation is being checked on regular intervals and oil is changed as and when required to avoid failure of insulation in thrust and guide bearing.

# Brake track rubbing.

- One day when unit was running as generator, the generator brake track disc assembly got contact with brake shoe and created noise and spark .
- The unit was brought to shutdown due to rubbing. The incident was happened due to failure of bolt fitted with the brake disc and rotor rim at one location
- .As the replacement requires dismantling of the generator and its reassembly , as an immediate measure the brake track disc was welded with generator rim and unit brought into service.
- Regular inspection of welded clamp WAS done.

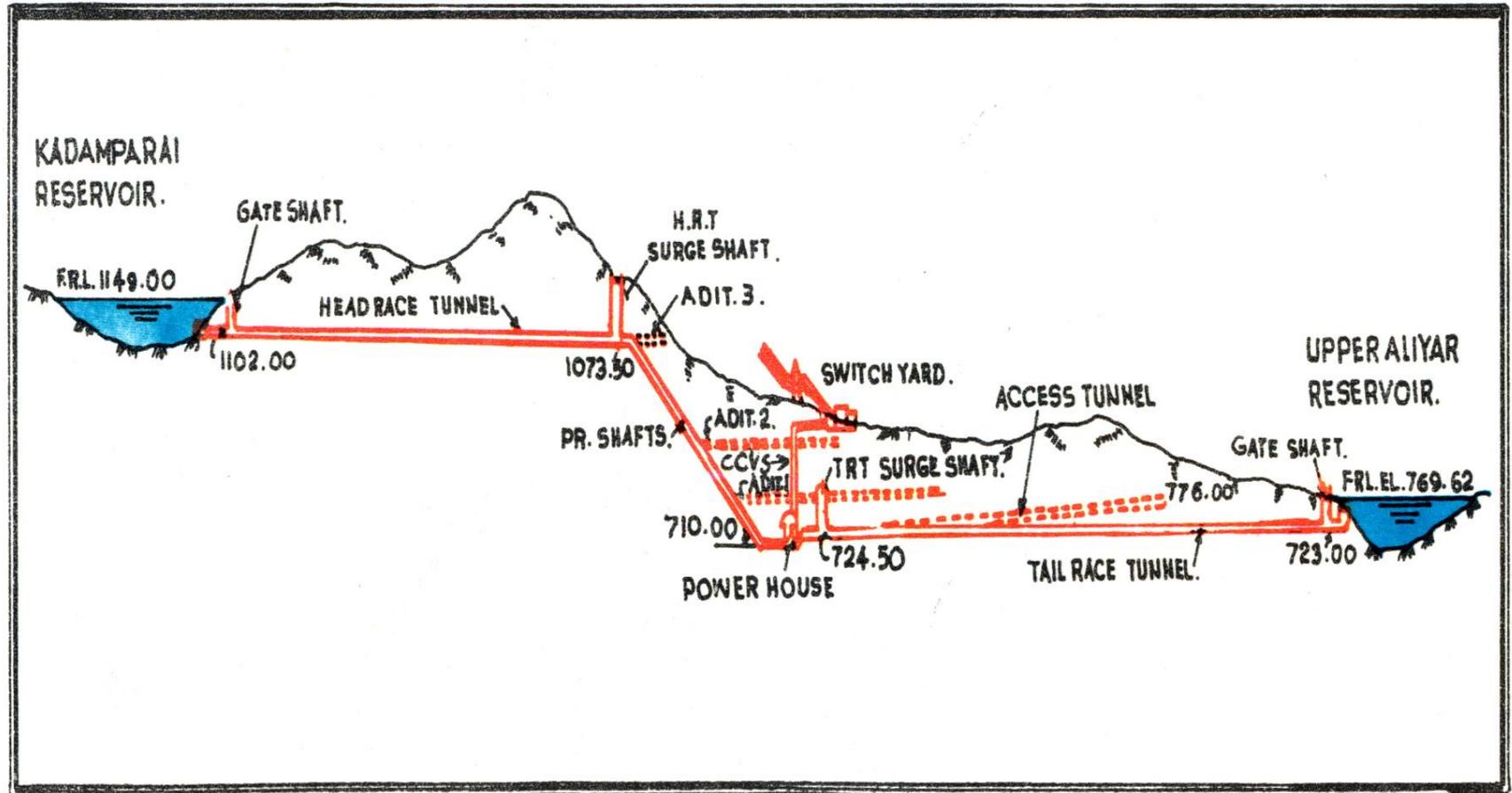
# mechanism box components failure

- The unit breakers are operated 6 to 8 times at KPH in a day. Back to back operation is preferred during pump selection since short duration when compared with SFC start. Frequent start-stop is also one of the reasons for the wear and tear on the control valve, and bearings in the breaker mechanism box.
- In one occasion, field coil failure, and FDR burnt was happened due to non-opening of one phase of the unit breaker for a shorter duration due to struck up of the opening mechanism latch in one phase.

# Outage in stator .

- Due to frequent start and stop operation of units on both directions[clockwise & anti-clockwise] have increased the vibration in the machines and caused outage of stator in all four units. The machine availability was found reduced between 2009 & 2015. Fall of loose component in unit 2 & rotor contact with stator in unit 4 have caused outage of units for longer duration. Stator earthfault was faced in unit 1 & 3 due to aging of insulation ,oil vapour carbon dust & coil vibration.

# Leak in adit 1 & 2.



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# Leakage and reservoir level

- However, over the years, the seepage increased and in 2003 the maximum operating level was pegged at 75 % of maximum height to limit the seepage. In 2003 the leakage was around 15,000 Lpm and rose to 25,000 Lpm in 2004.
- Hence upper reservoir regulated at a lower level and it was according to inflow & pump operation.

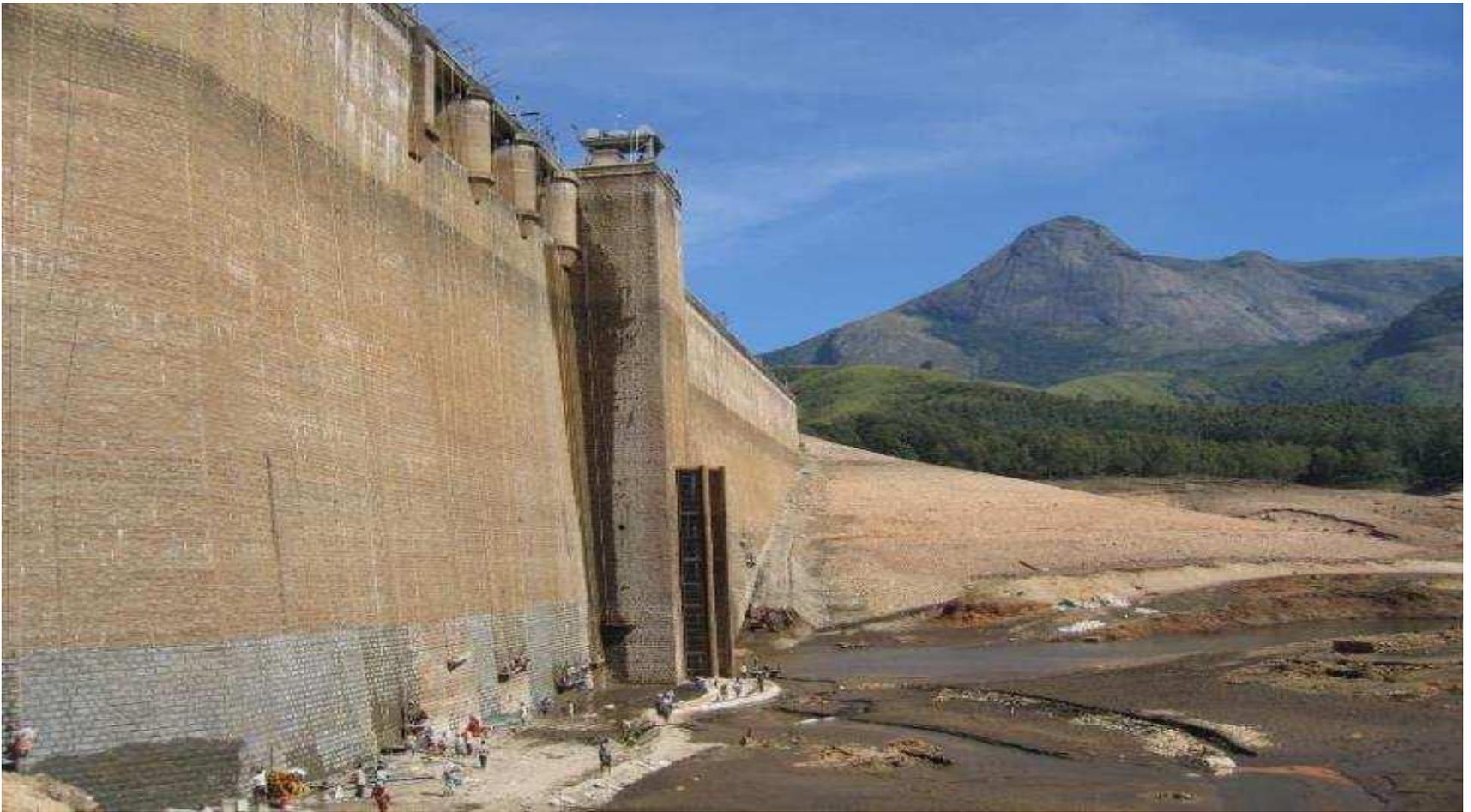
# geomembrane installation

- Various methods adopted in kadamparai dam to reduce the leakage had not given any fruitful result ,instead the leakage was increased from 1000 to 4000 Lpm. It was further increased from 4000 Lpm to 10000 Lpm in 2002-03. Then it went to 15000 Lpm. Maximum leakage recorded was about 25,000 Lpm in july -Aug 2004. Hence it was decided to go for geomembrane installation instead of conventional methods.

# Dam empty

- For fixing Geomembrane in the upstream face of kadamparai dam, the upper reservoir was emptied in Sept 2004 and water stored in the lower reservoir to its full capacity with a program to use the water in summer 2005. [ i.e., after completion of geomembrane installation work].

# view of Kadamparai dam -empty condition.



# work in progress

- The PVC geocomposite was laid over the antipuncturing geotextile



# geomembrane installation work in progress.



# Upper reservoir filling

- First time one unit was operated as pump in April 2005 using SFC for filling water in Kadamparai dam after completion of geomembrane work.
- Being summer period and as there was no inflow to kadamparai dam ,water was filled by pumping from the lower reservoir.
- This was an achievement and useful record in the operation history of the power house.
- The summer demand was met in 2005 by utilizing Kadamparai pumped storage.

# VIEW OF HRT INTAKE-WATER FLOW



# View of dam after installation of geomembrane and initial filling .



Full level at Kadamparai dam.



# Effect of geomembrane

- The installation of the exposed PVC geocomposite provided as a rehabilitation measure proved efficient in the control of leakage.
- Seepage was less than 100 lpm when measured at FRL in 2005 monsoon.[ i.e., after installation of geomembrane].

# Area & cost

- Geomembrane fixed in the upstream face was for 17500 sq m and at an expenditure of 12 crores.
- The Kadamparai dam is operated at FRL after this work and the leakage is very minimum .
- No repairs done on geomembrane at kadamparai.

# Lessons learnt.

**1. Locating main step-up transformers in a separate underground cavern and providing extensive heat exhaust system .**

**Adequate reliable dewatering system is required for an underground power station. Better to have a flood drainage tunnel if topography permits.**

**In Tamilnadu, while constructing PUSHEP these points are considered.**

**2. Total shutdown is required for any work in the wcs on tailrace side due to common manifold system at KPH. In future, minimum 2 tunnels on tailrace side is to be provided if more units are programmed.**

**3. Flap gate on DT is not recommended for future pss since the flap gate which used at KPH is not reliable.**

# Buckling in Pressure Shaft 1&2

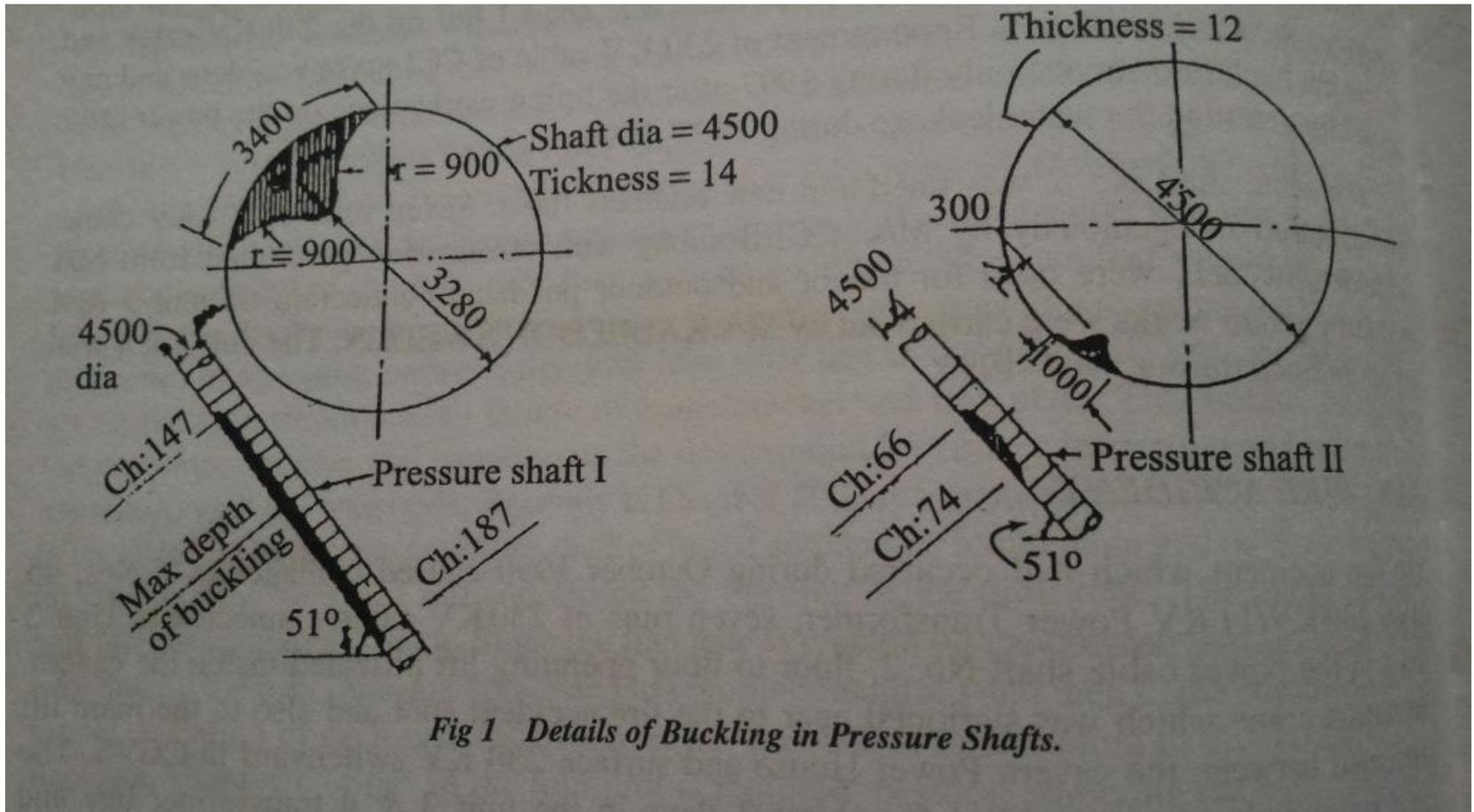


Fig 1 Details of Buckling in Pressure Shafts.

# Flap gate problem

- FLAP GATE-EXCESSIVE VIBRATION DURING INTIAL COMMISSIONG.
- VIBRATION WAS DUE TO PLY IN BETWEEN WORM WHEELS FIXED IN THE GEAR BOX-WORM WHEEL CHANGED WITH HARD MATERIAL AND PLY ADJUSTED.VIBRATION REDUCED.
- HINGE PIN/BRACKET FAILURE AND LINK FAILURE.
- Due to link failure ,flap gate was closed while the machine was running. pump operation was affected, but generator operation was performed with this defect till rectification.

# flap gate-contd

- Failure of hinge/bracket obstructed the proper closure of flap gate .Hence isolation of unit for runner inspection and for flap gate rectification works total shutdown was availed everytime.
- For any emergency in the tailrace water conductor system TRSS is closed for isolation,thereby four units are not available for operation.

2 additional hinges  
with bracket  
provided in the flap  
gate as an  
improvement  
measure.



# DRAFT TUBE LINER PIECE

## broken view



# LINER PIECES COLLECTED NEAR TRSS GATE



# PIECES COLLECTED BELOW THE RUNNER







# A PLATE GOT STRUCK IN THE RUNNER





# VIEW OF RUNNER





THANK you

...

|| A YOUNG MAN WHO WAS GRADUATED YESTERDAY  
|| AND STOPPED LEARNING TODAY  
|| WILL BE UNEDUCATED TOMORROW

*-Swami Vivekananda*

**Let us learn, learn and continue to learn  
till the last Nano second of our life**

# ***Role of Pumped Storage Plants in Large Scale RE Integration***

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# RE Scenario in India



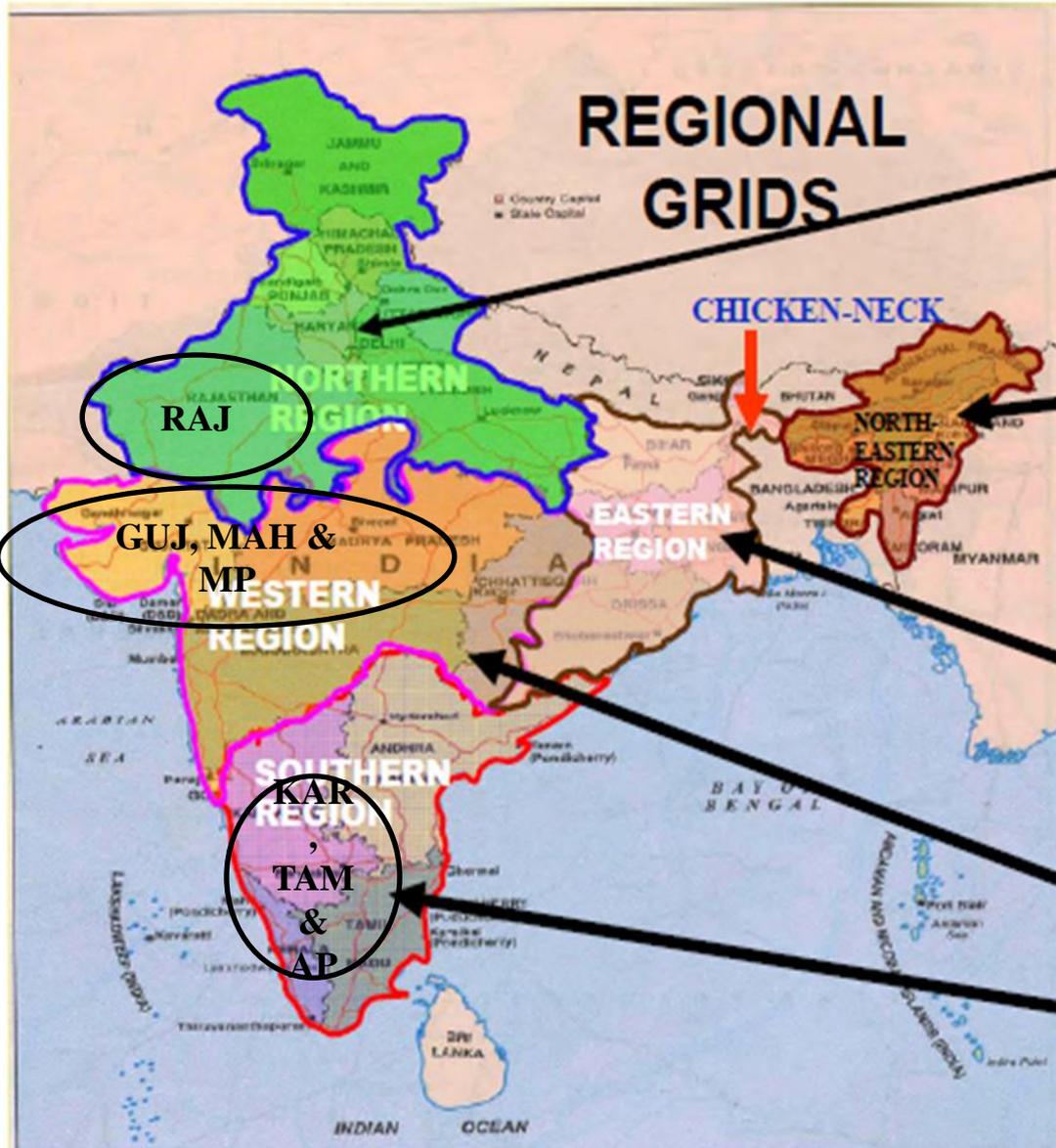
# Renewable Energy Installed in India at Glance



RE Sources	Installed Capacity (MW)	Target 2020 -22 (MW)
Wind Energy	32848	60000
Solar Energy + Rooftop	16070 + 982	100000 (60000 + 40000)
Biomass Energy	8414	10000
Waste to Energy	114	
Small Hydro Energy	4418	5000
<b>Total</b>	<b>62847</b>	<b>175000</b>

➤ Target is 175 GW against actual RE energy 62 GW

# Sector wise RE potential



Deficit Region  
Snow fed - run-of-the -river hydro  
Highly weather sensitive load  
Adverse weather conditions: Fog & Dust Storm

Very low load  
High hydro potential  
Evacuation problems

Low load  
High coal reserves  
Pit head base load plants

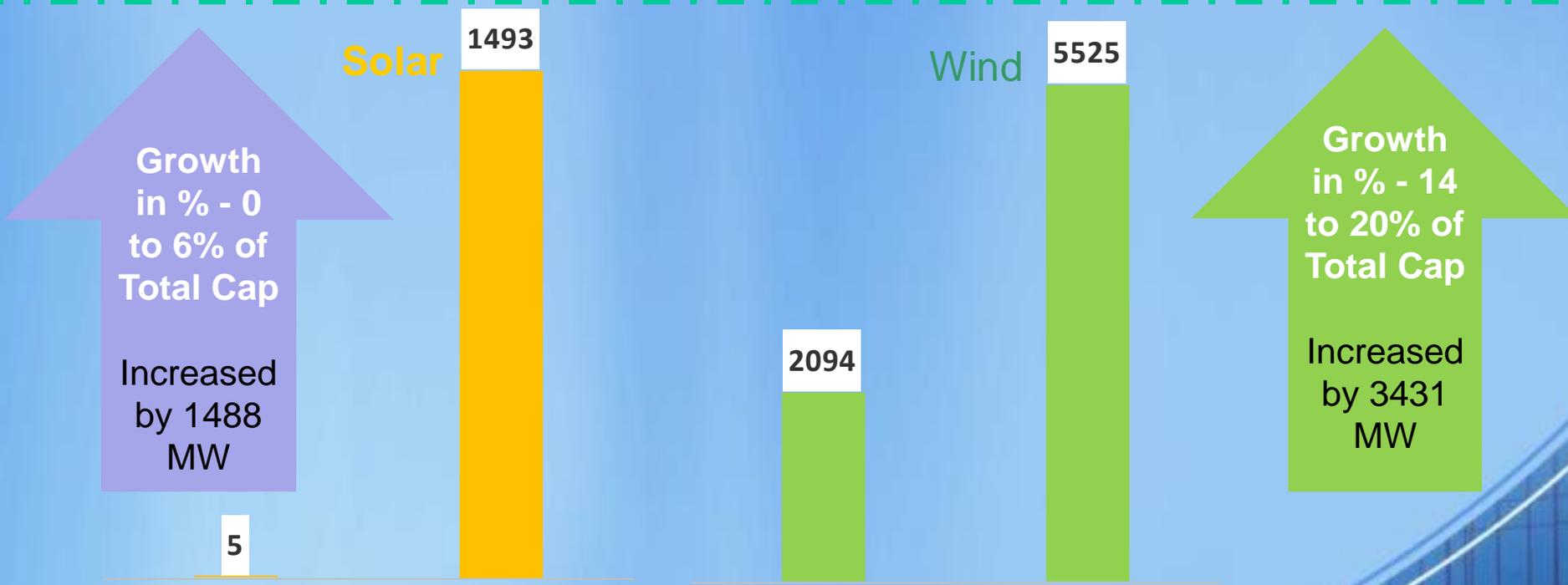
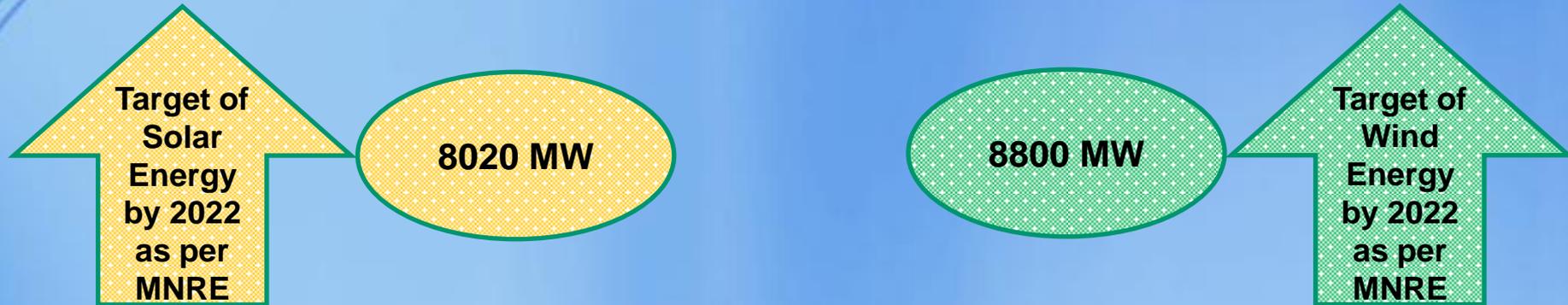
Industrial load and agricultural load

High load (40% agricultural load)  
Monsoon dependent hydro

# RE Scenario in Gujarat



# RE Growth ... till today & RE Target



2010-11

As on Today

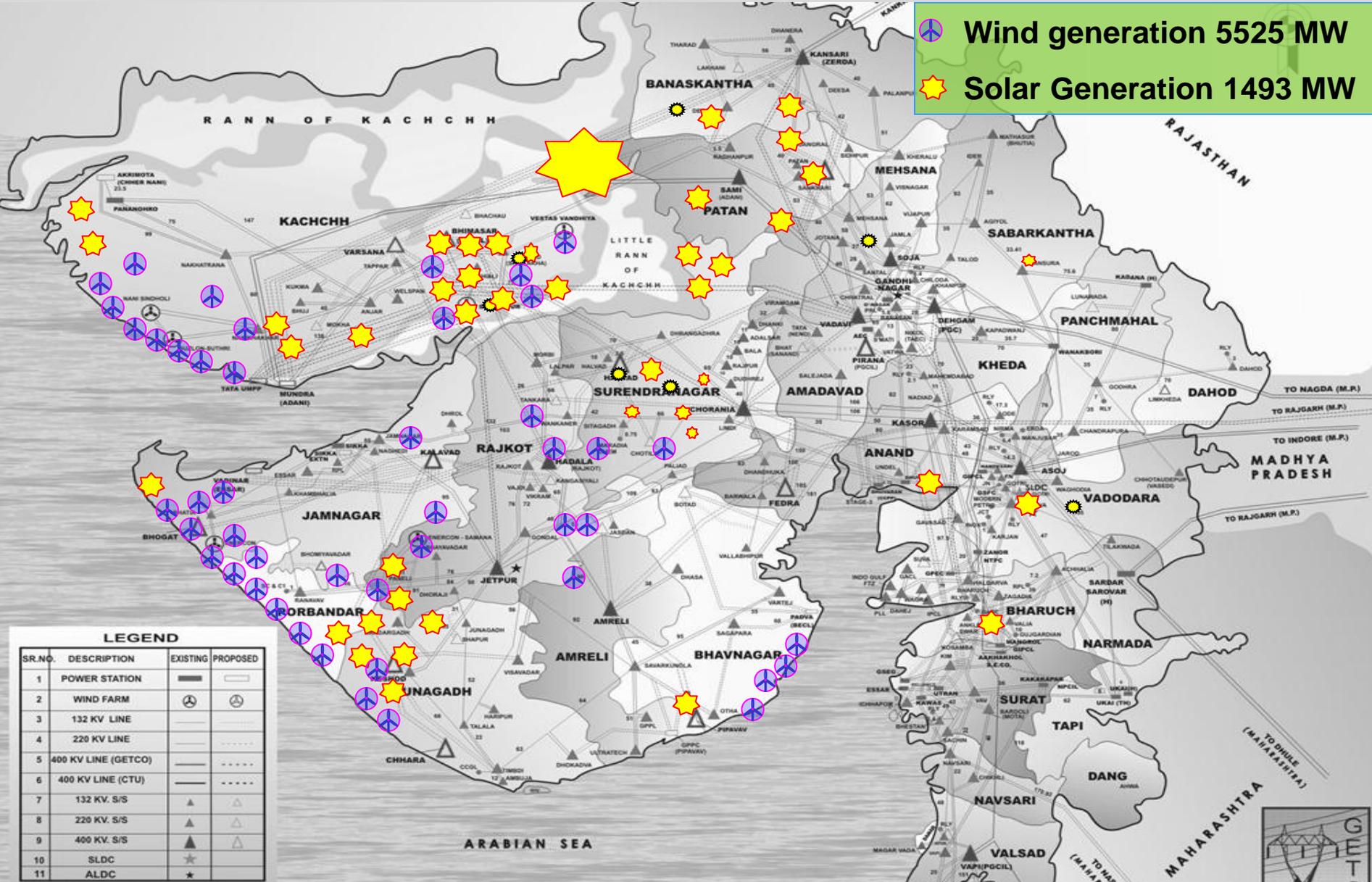
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As on Today

Data in MW

# Gujarat Renewable Power Location

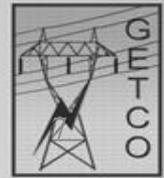
 Wind generation 5525 MW  
 Solar Generation 1493 MW



**LEGEND**

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4	220 KV LINE		
5	400 KV LINE (GETCO)		
6	400 KV LINE (CTU)		
7	132 KV. S/S		
8	220 KV. S/S		
9	400 KV. S/S		
10	SLDC		
11	ALDC		

Coastal Area –that gives challenges for network



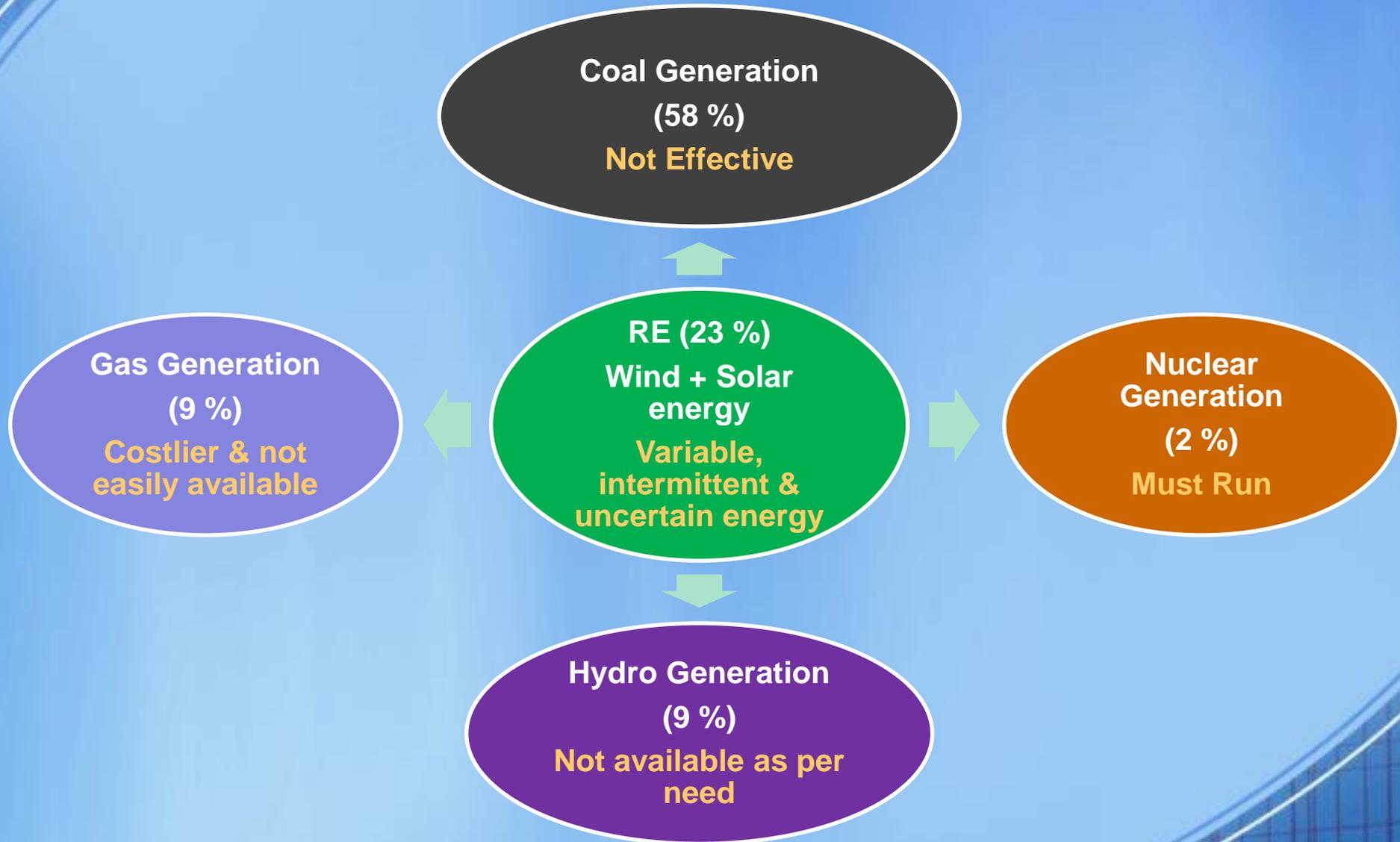
# RE Integration & Challenges in Gujarat

## Need of Pump Storage Plant





# Need of Balancing Sources for RE Rich State



# RE Integration : challenges



Variable  
(Seasonal)

Intermittent

Uncertain

Reactive Power

Remotely located

DSM Violation

Forecasting

Balancing  
Mechanism

Over-rule  
Merit Order

Impacting  
Conventional  
Plants

Network  
Inadequacy

**But, the biggest one is “Must Run Status”**

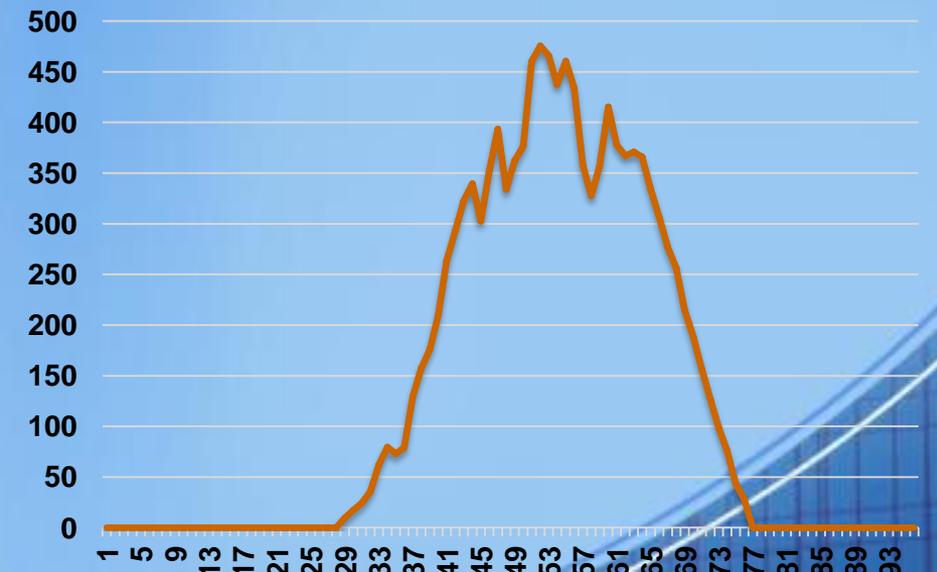
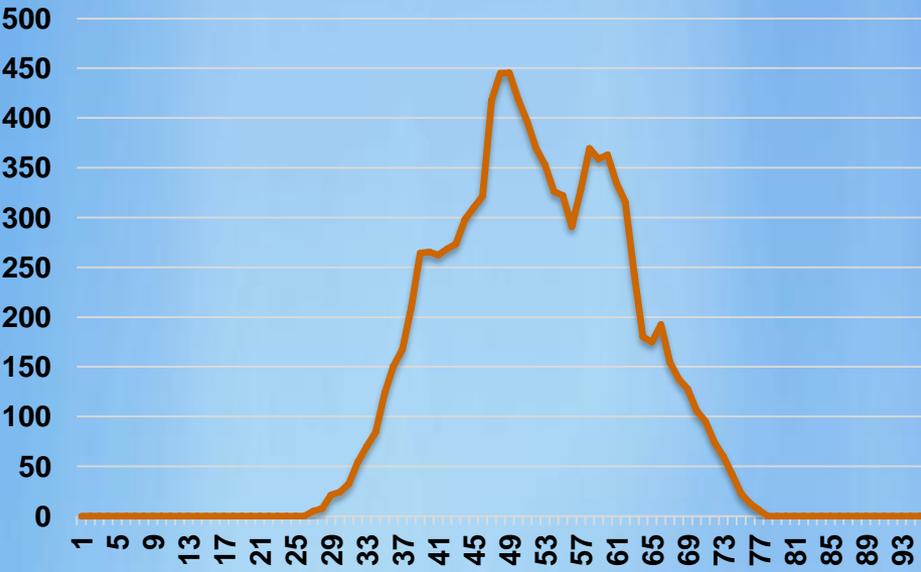
# RE Generation Variation in Sys Operation



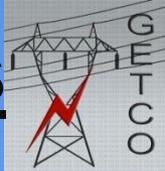
10.06.2016 (Variation of 963 MW in 2 hrs)



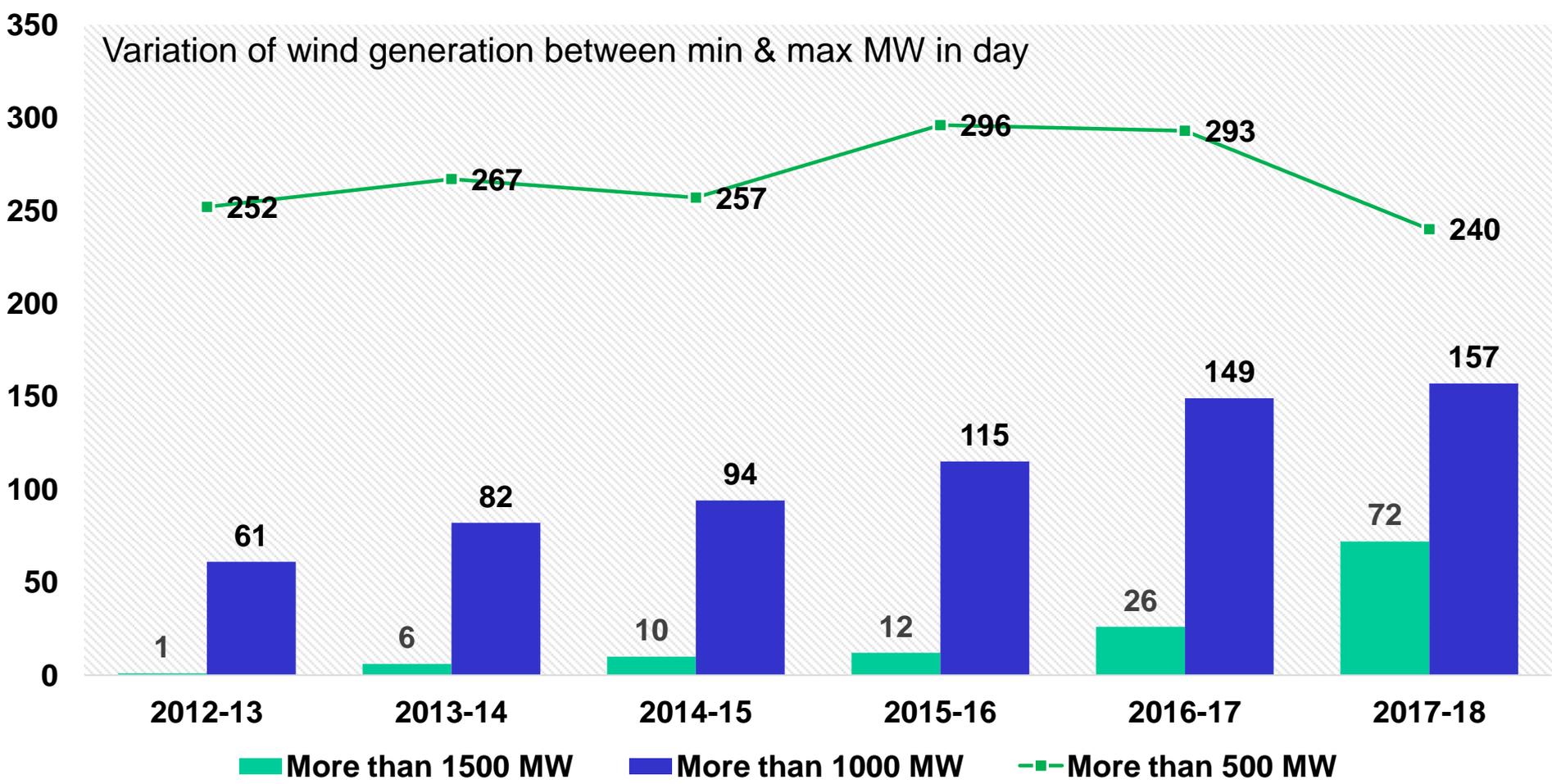
10.01.2016 (1253 MW in 3 hrs)



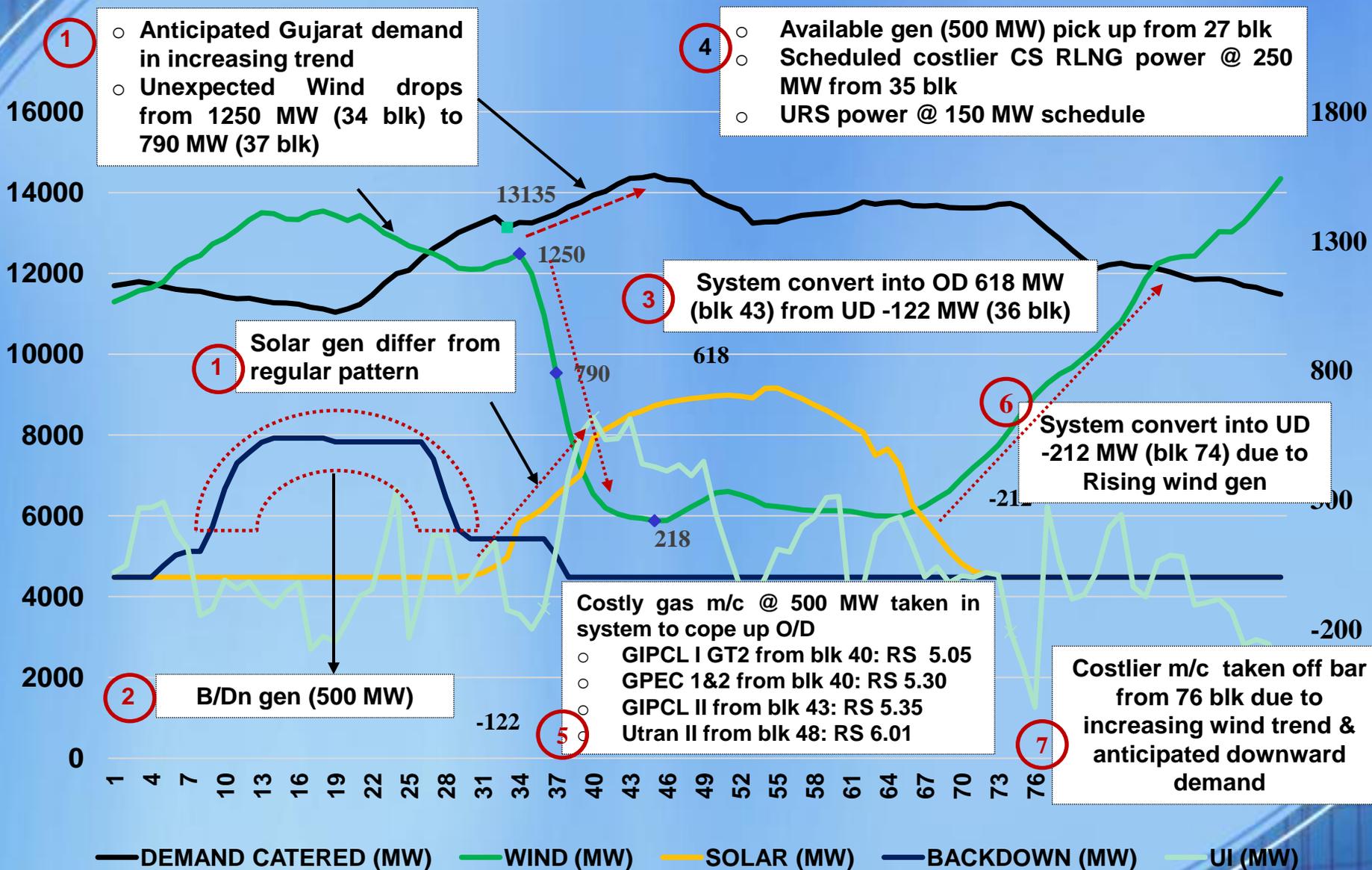
# RE Generation Variation in Nos. of days



- **Solar Generation** is highly ramp up and down at morning and evening.
- Extremely variable during monsoon and cloud cover.



# Impact of RE : 01.12.2017

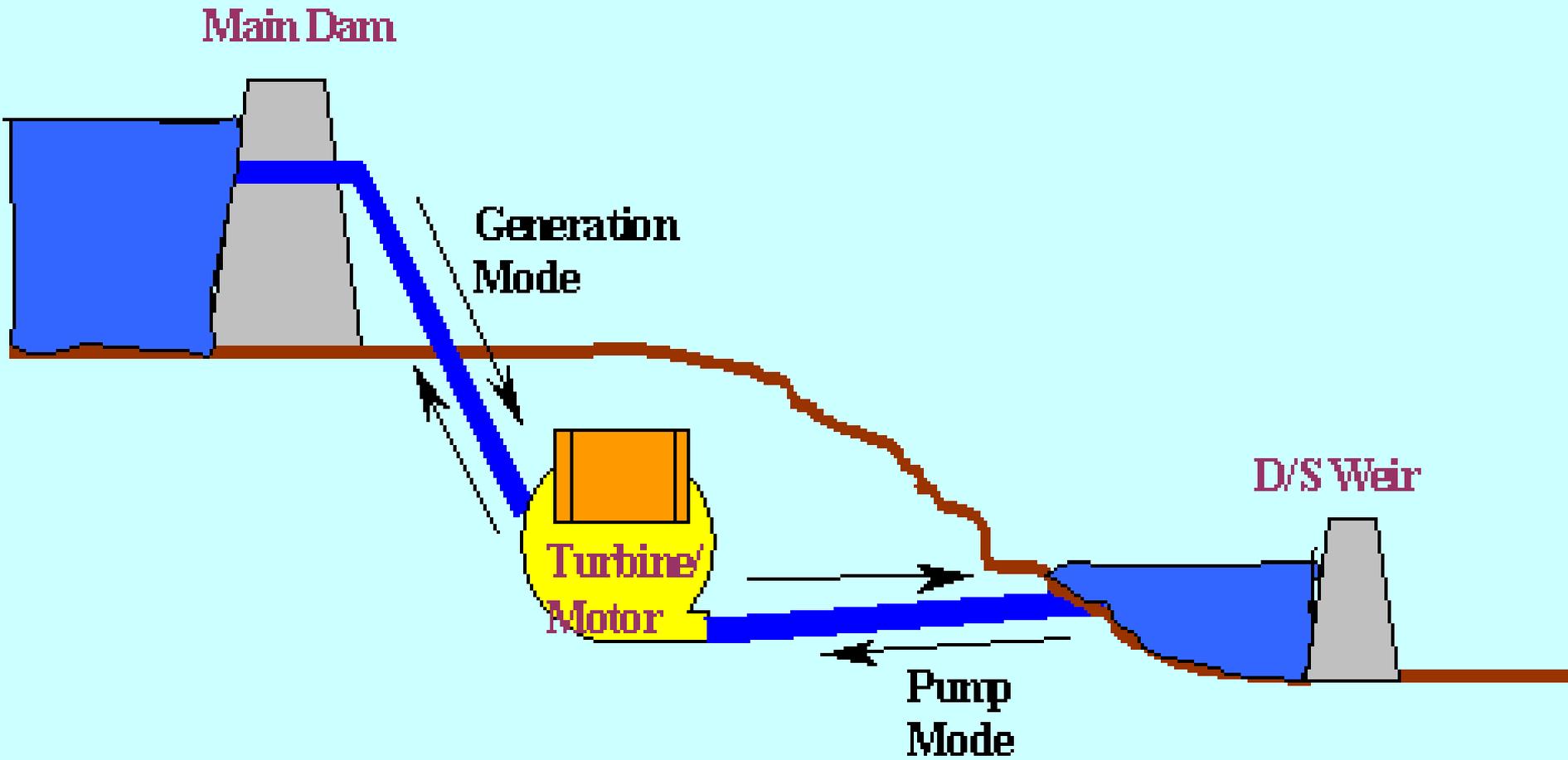


# Way Forward

## Hydro generation with pump mode features



# Typical arrangement for Pump Mode operation



# Role of Pump Storage for RE integration

- System operator needs immediate balancing measures to counter the variability of RE, load demand and grid security.
- Measures
  - Ramping Up & Down conventional generators – uneconomical and increased stresses
  - Shedding of Loads : undesirable & public inconvenience
  - To bring the required generation at a speed to match the rate of variability of RE.
  - Gas generation, Hydro generation are best balancing options
  - Gas generation is quite costly solution
  - Hydro generation is the most cheaper and viable option.
  - The hydro generation having a pump mode operation is superior balancing option compared to run of river hydro projects.

# Cost Analysis for Pump Storage Plant

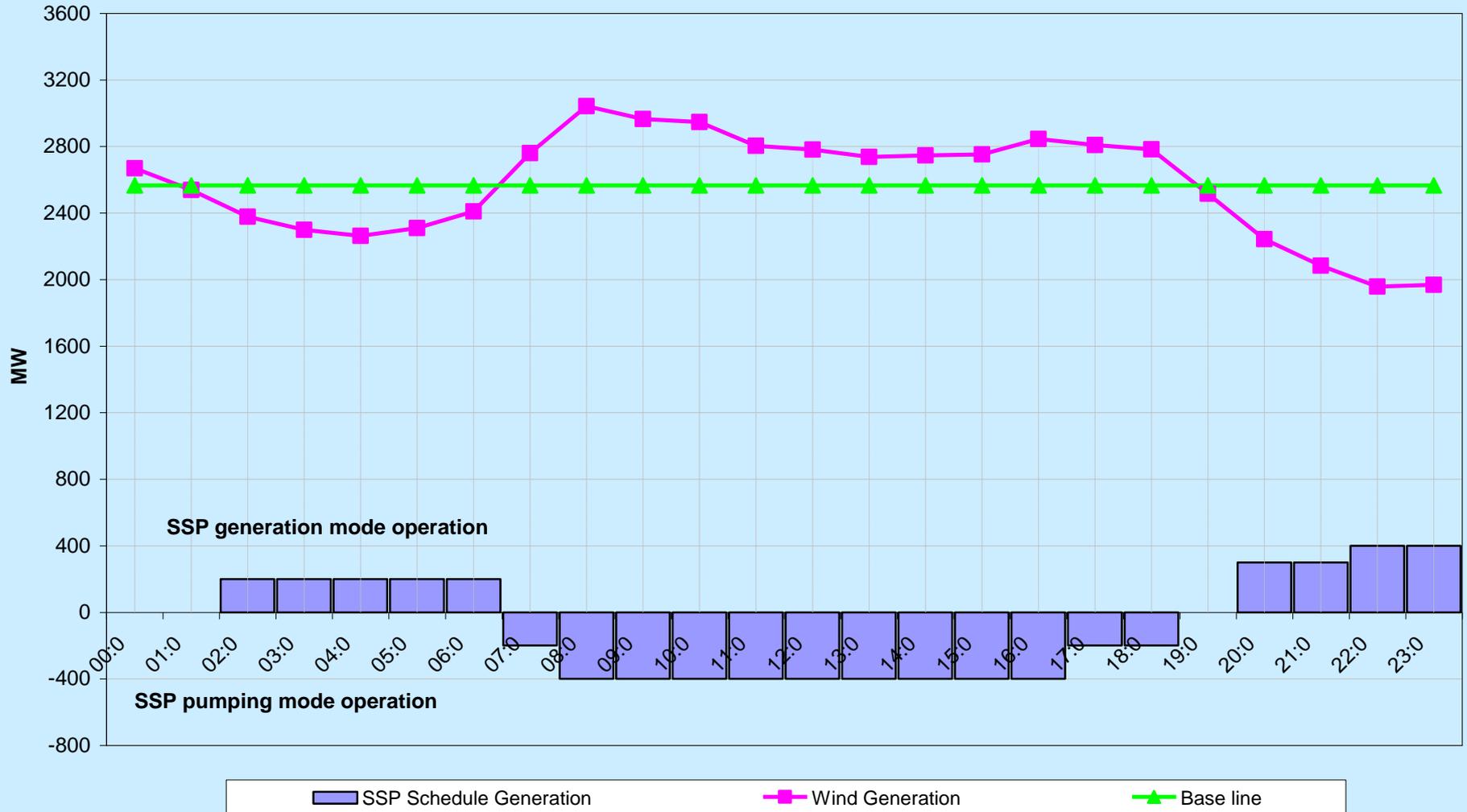
## Operation of Hydro machines in pumping mode - Example



# Case-1: Benefit during Peak Wind generation day (16.06.2016)



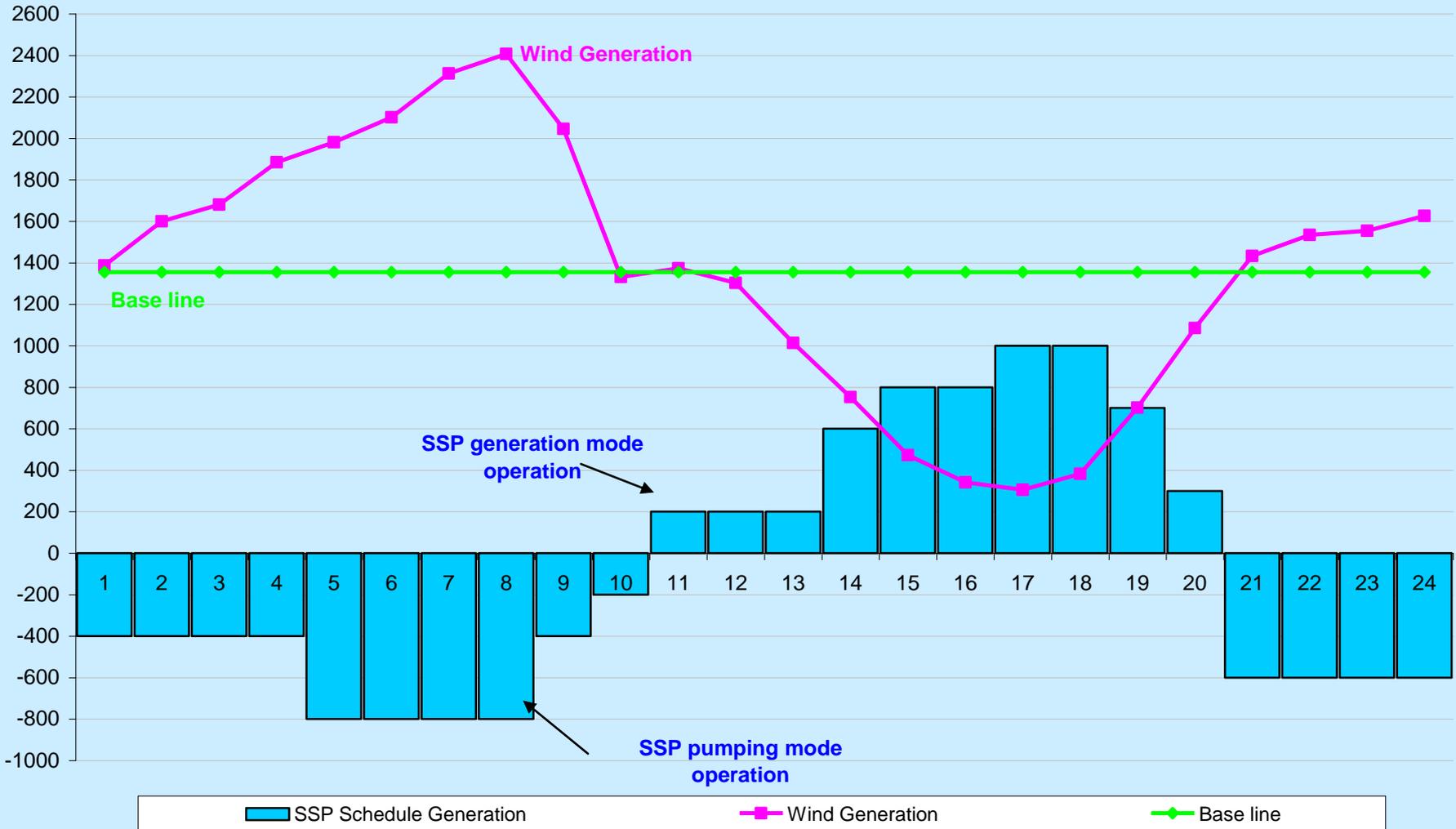
Case-1: Peak Wind generation day (16.06.2016) : Wind gen Base line: 2566 MW, Total benefit = 0.84 Lakh  
(with 55.64 MWH stored water of Rs. 1.14 Lakh)



# Case-2: Benefit during Peak wind variation day (14.12.2016)

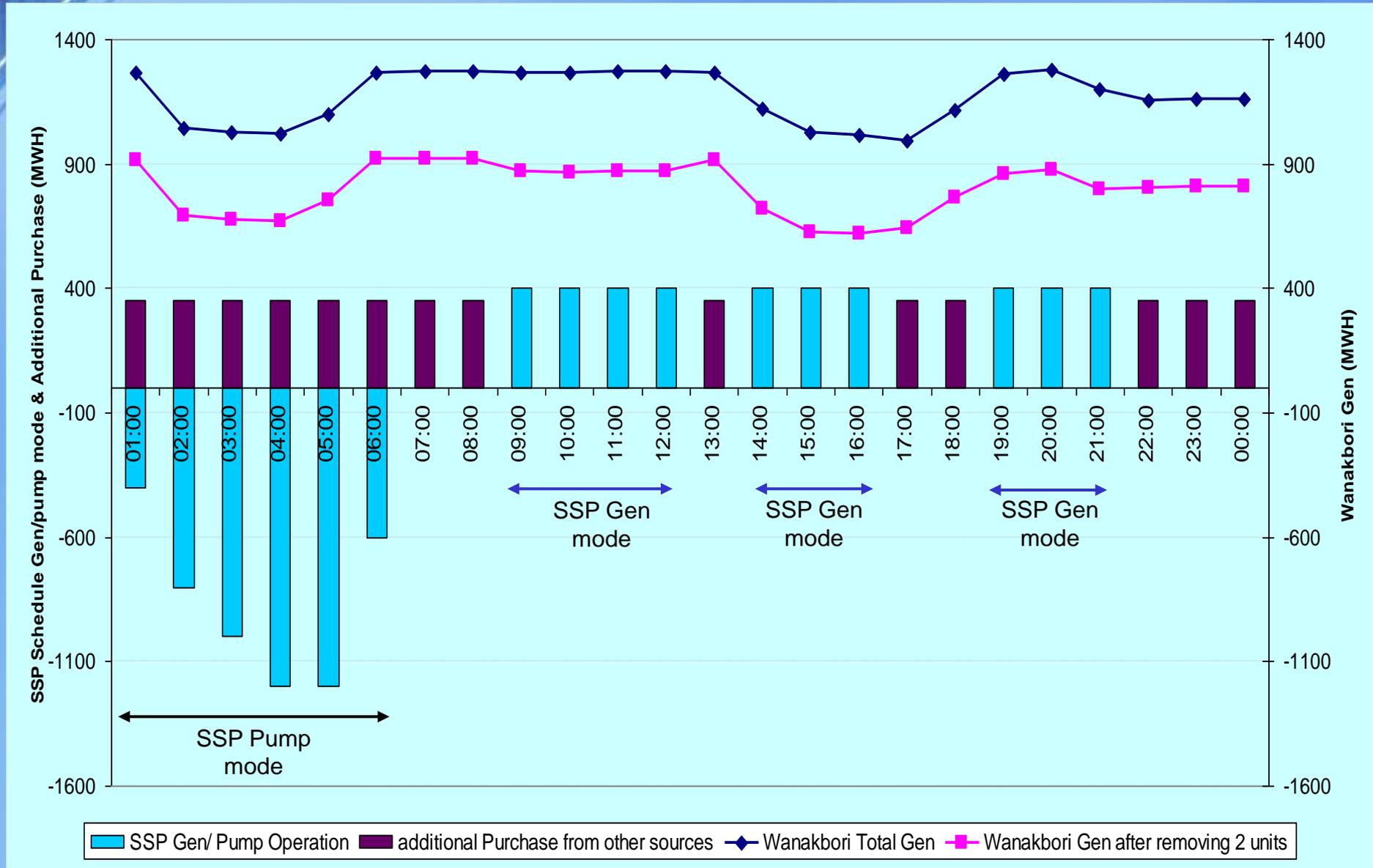


Case-4: Peak Wind variation day (14.12.2016) : Wind Gen Base Line : 1355 MW : Total Benefit = 41.85 Lakh



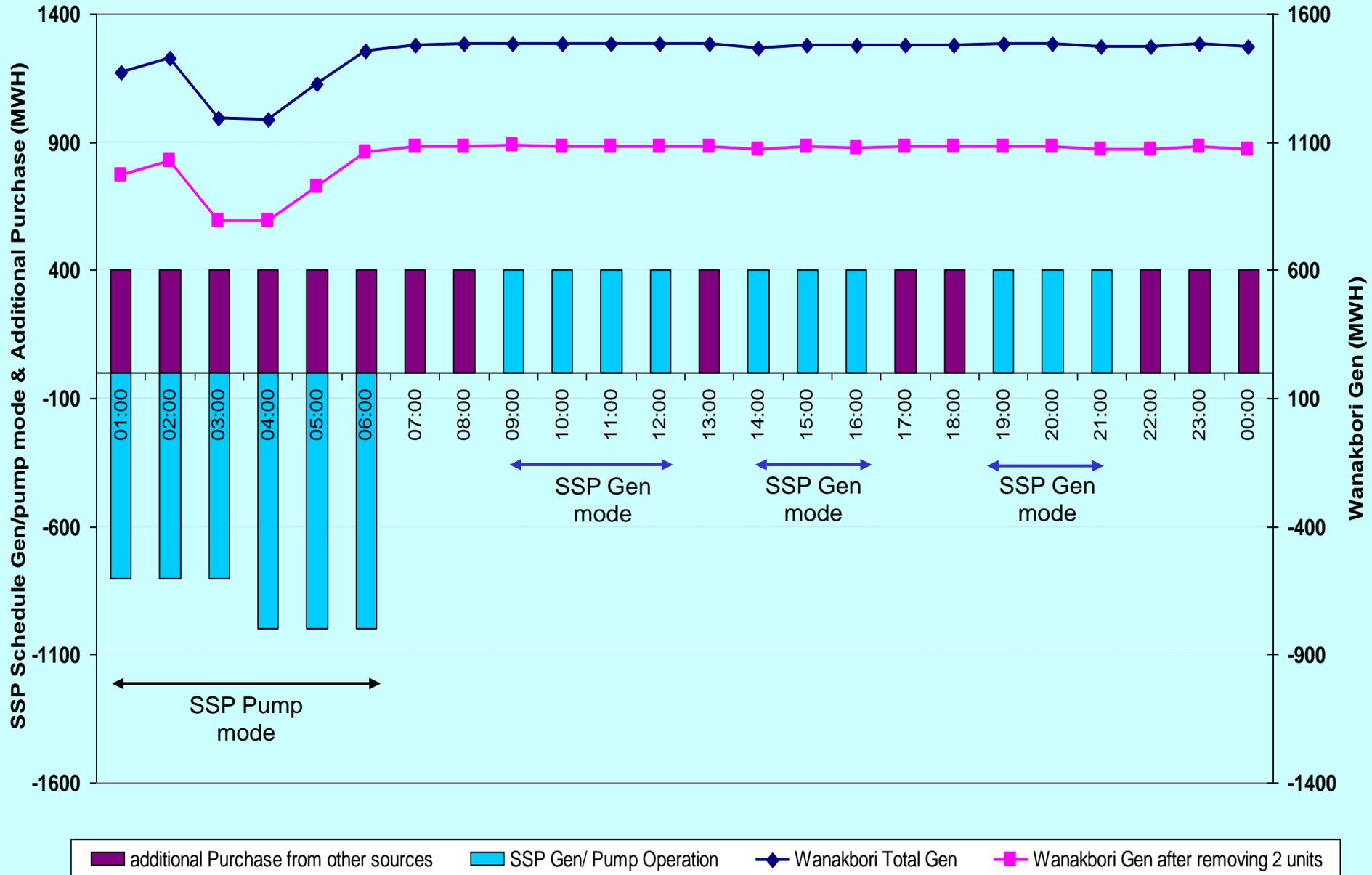
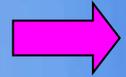
# Case-3 : Replacement of 2 units of WTPS by SSP Gen on 23.01.2018

**Total Benefit : 13 Lac**



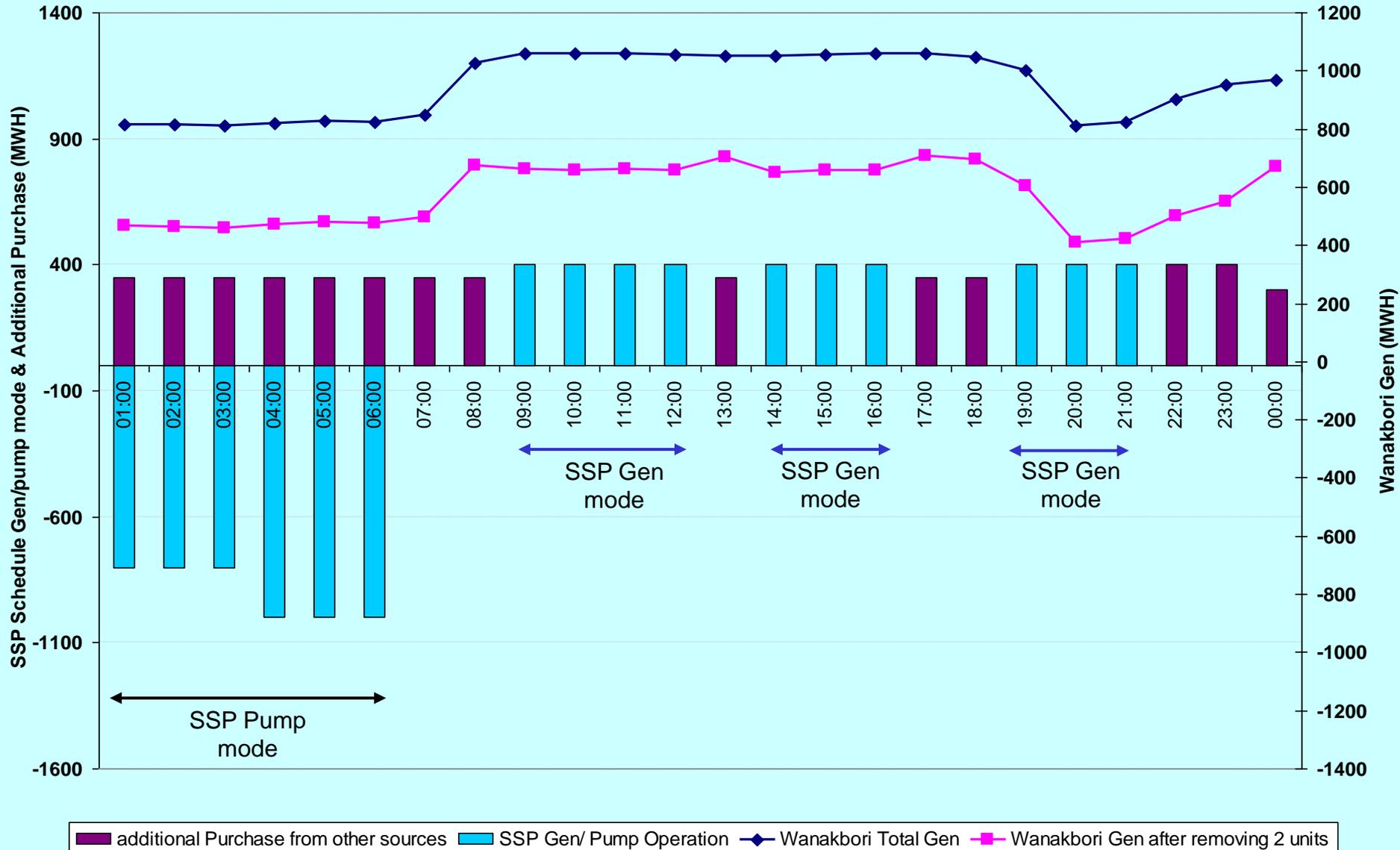
# Case-4 : Replacement of 2 units of WTPS by SSP Gen on 04.01.2018

**Total Benefit : 11 Lac**



# Case-5 : Replacement of 2 units of WTPS by SSP Gen on 15.12.2017

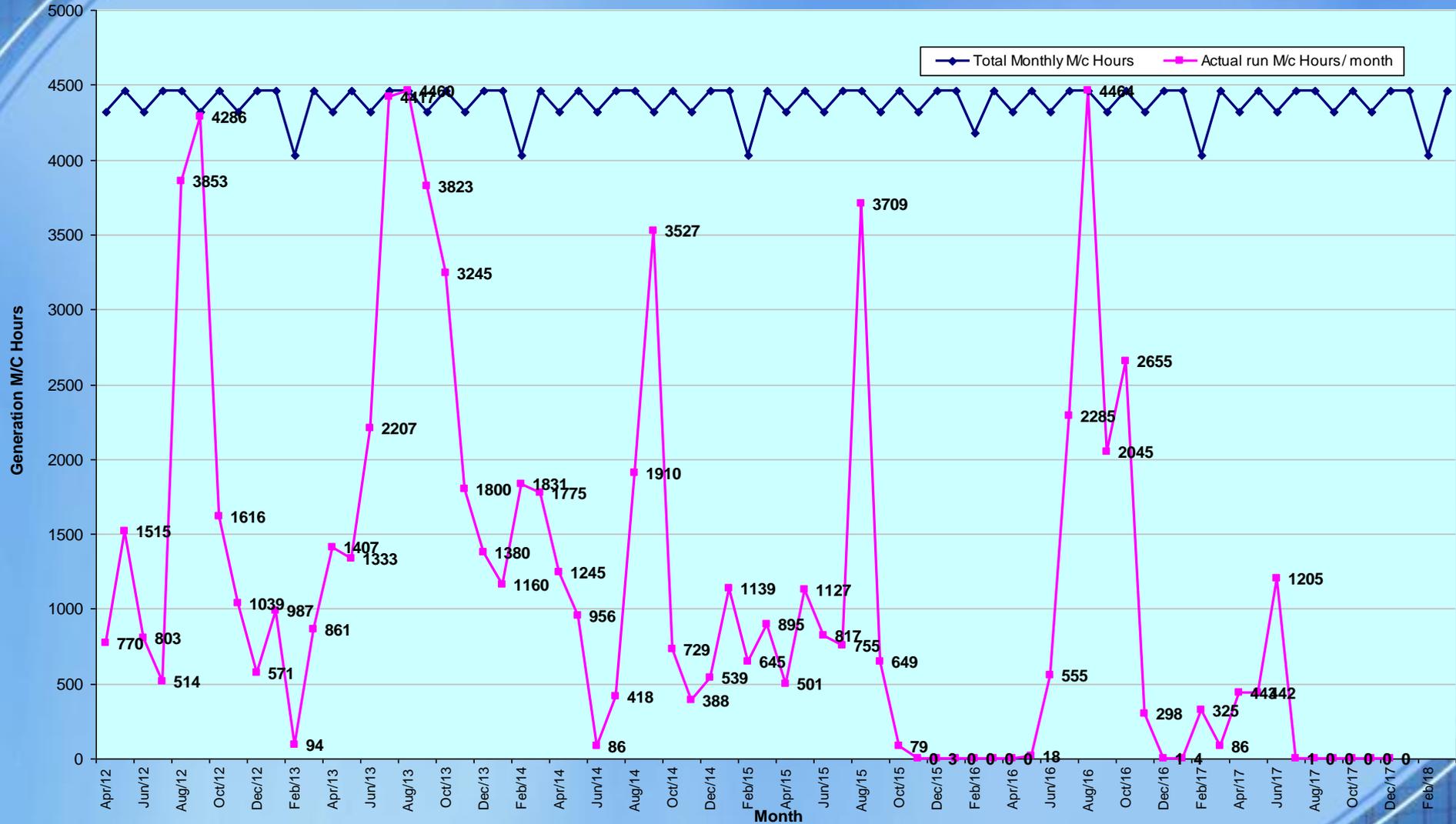
**Total Benefit : 11 Lac**



# SSP Total Machine Hours Vs. Actual Machine Hours



## SSP Total M/c Hours vs Actual M/c Hours generation : 2012-2018



Courtesy : SSNNL submission

## Operational Status since its commissioning in Conventional Mode

- Total Machine Hour available per year =  $6 \times 24 \times 365 = 52560$  Hours
- Machine Hour Utilized so far in last 6 years

	Year	Year-days	M/c Hours/day	Total Monthly M/c Hours/year	Actual run M/c Hours/ year	<b>% utilization*</b>
1	2012-13	365	144	52560	16909	<b>32.1%</b>
2	2013-14	365	144	52560	28838	<b>54.9 %</b>
3	2014-15	365	144	52560	12477	<b>23.7 %</b>
4	2015-16	366	144	52704	7640	<b>14.5 %</b>
5	2016-17	365	144	52560	12736	<b>24.2 %</b>
6	2017-18	365	144	52560	2091	<b>4 %</b>

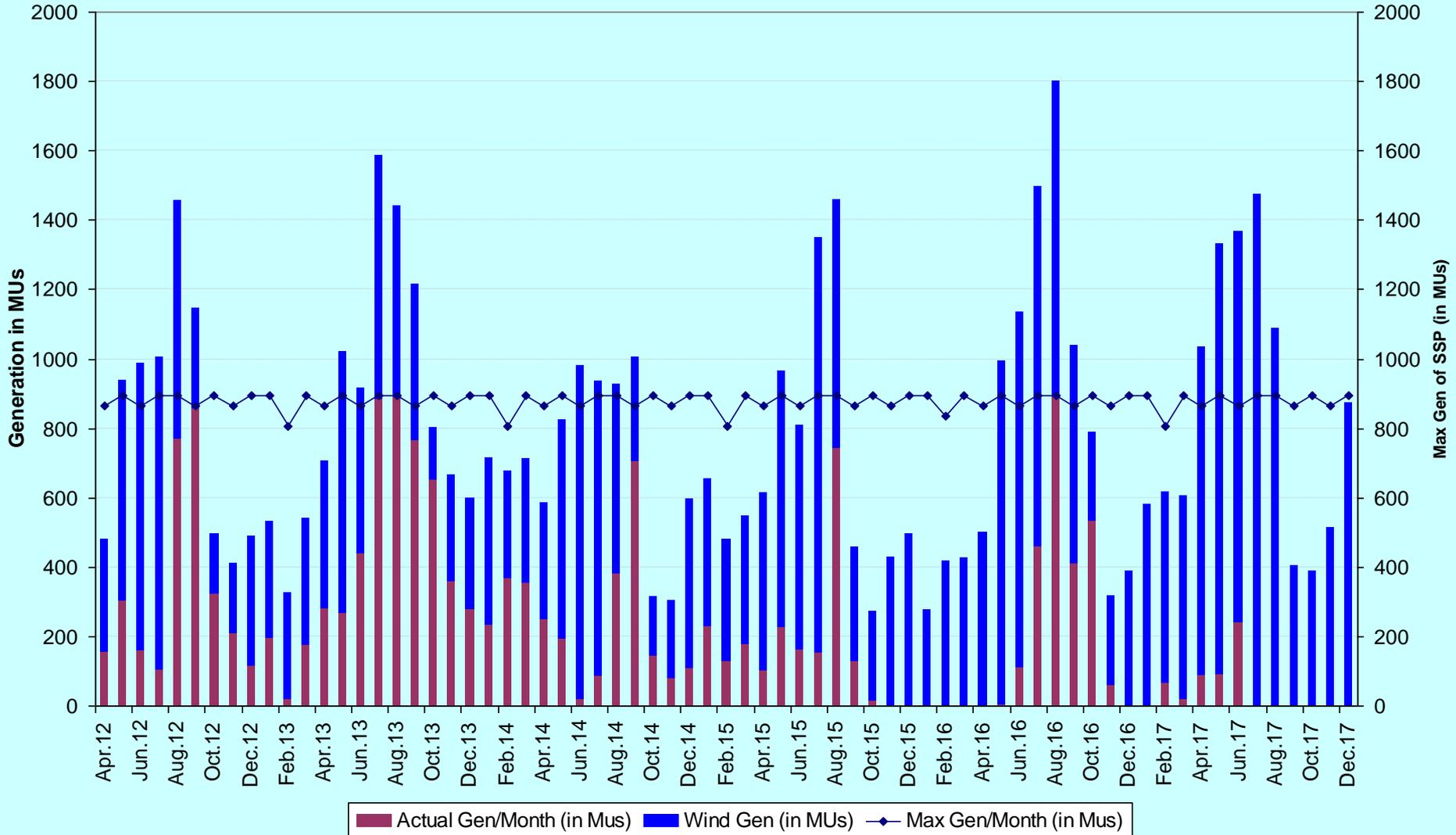
(\*) : Balance Machine Hours can be used for following

1. To generate the electricity during peak time
2. To absorb the electricity during off-peak time through pumping operation and storage of energy in form of water head
3. Operation of the machines to maintain grid discipline against variability on account of Renewable Energy (RE)/
4. Increase in Plant Load Factor (PLF) and maximum utilization of machines.

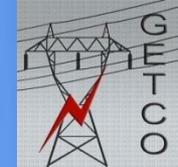
# SSP generation & wind generation : Opportunities



### Actual SSP Gen Vs Wind Generation : 2012-2017



# Pump storage hydro plant (India as whole)



State	Name of Project	Unit	Installed Capacity	Pumping mode operation
Gujarat	Kadana St. I&II	4 X 60	240	Not Working
	Sardar Sarovar	6x200	1200	Not working
Andhra Pradesh	Nagarjuna Sagar	7 X 100.80	705.60	Not Working
	Srisaillam LBPH	6x150	900	Working
Tamil Nadu	Kadamparai	4x100	400	Working
DVC	Panchet Hill	1x40	40	Not working
Maharashtra	Bhira	1x150	150	Working
	Ghatgar	2x125	250	Working
West Bengal	Purlia PSS	4x225	900	Working

**Special focus on large size balancing with multi State beneficiary either of existing / inoperative / under construction project is MUST.**

# Pump storage hydro plant : Status



Status of Pumping mode operation	Installed Capacity	Nos. of Plant	State-wise Installed Capacity in MW
<b>Existing</b>	<b>4785.60</b>	<b>9</b>	GJ, MH, AP, TN, WB, DVC
<b>Working</b>	<b>2600</b>	<b>5</b>	TN (400), MH (400), AP (900), WB (900)
<b>Non Working</b>	<b>2185.6</b>	<b>4</b>	GJ (1440), AP (750), DVC(40)
<b>Under Construction</b>	<b>1080</b>	<b>2</b>	UTK (1000), MH (80)
<b>Under Planning</b>	<b>2600</b>	<b>4</b>	TN (500), MH (1100), WB (1000)

**New specially built / commenced balancing project to be drafted as multi State.**

# Need for Pump storage hydro plant

## Most reliable, feasible, accessible



- All inoperative pump mode hydro plant shall be made operative on highest priority.
- Plant wise follow up and monitoring at highest level of MoP, CEA and Utility.
- Regulatory framework for pump mode operation will be required from Hon'ble commission.
- The operation of balancing plant for other State (mutual agreement between States), policy to be finalized and RLDC should encourage without any additional charges up to allotted transmission capacity.
- A research work may be entrusted to reputed institute/agencies for converting conventional hydro in to pump mode by change in turbine, additional tail race etc. which shall be mandatory in future.

# Conclusion

**Ambitious target to achieve 60 GW wind & 100 GW solar generation by 2020-22.**

**It is suggested to.....**

**pool pump mode sources at regional level and use them in the grid as and when required.**

***In a way,***

***RE generation to be given status of national asset and such pump storage scheme would act as a balancing mechanism of the grid.***

**Thanking you !!!**

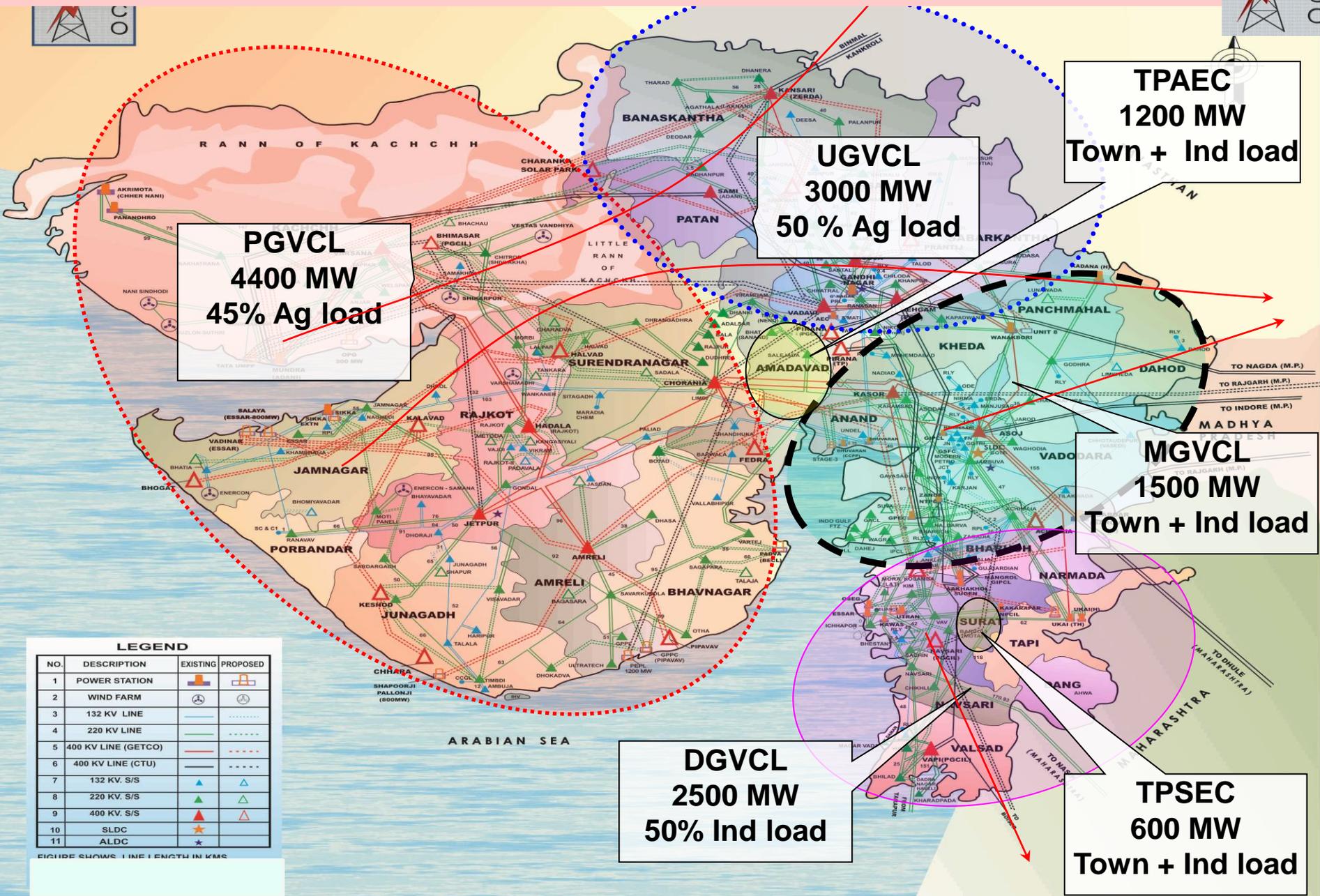
# RE Rich State Statistic

Source of power	Coal	Gas	Diesel	Nuclear	Hydro	Non RE	RE	Total
<b>Installed Capacity (MW)</b>	192972	25150	838	6780	44963	270995	60854	330260
<b>Percentage (%)</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>100</b>

Region	State**	Coal	Gas	Diesel	Nuclear	Hydro	Non RE	RE*	Total
SR	Tamil Nadu	13547	1027	412	1448	2203	18637	10820	29277
	Karnataka	9408	0	153	698	3600	13859	8431	21492
	Andhra P	9891	3930	37	127	1674	15659	6598	22069
WR	Gujarat	15528	6562	0	559	772	19980	6973	26951
	Maharashtra	26845	3753	0	690	3332	34620	7977	42269
	Madhya P	12375	357	0	273	3224	16228	3891	19766
NR	Rajasthan	10905	825	0	557	1931	14199	6737	20585
RE rich State	<b>Total MW</b>	96661	14825	602	4352	16742	133182	49227	182409
	<b>Percentage (%)</b>	52	9	0	2	9	73	27	100

Note(\*): Wind, Solar, Biomass, West to energy, etc.

# Gujarat Load Diversity Scenario

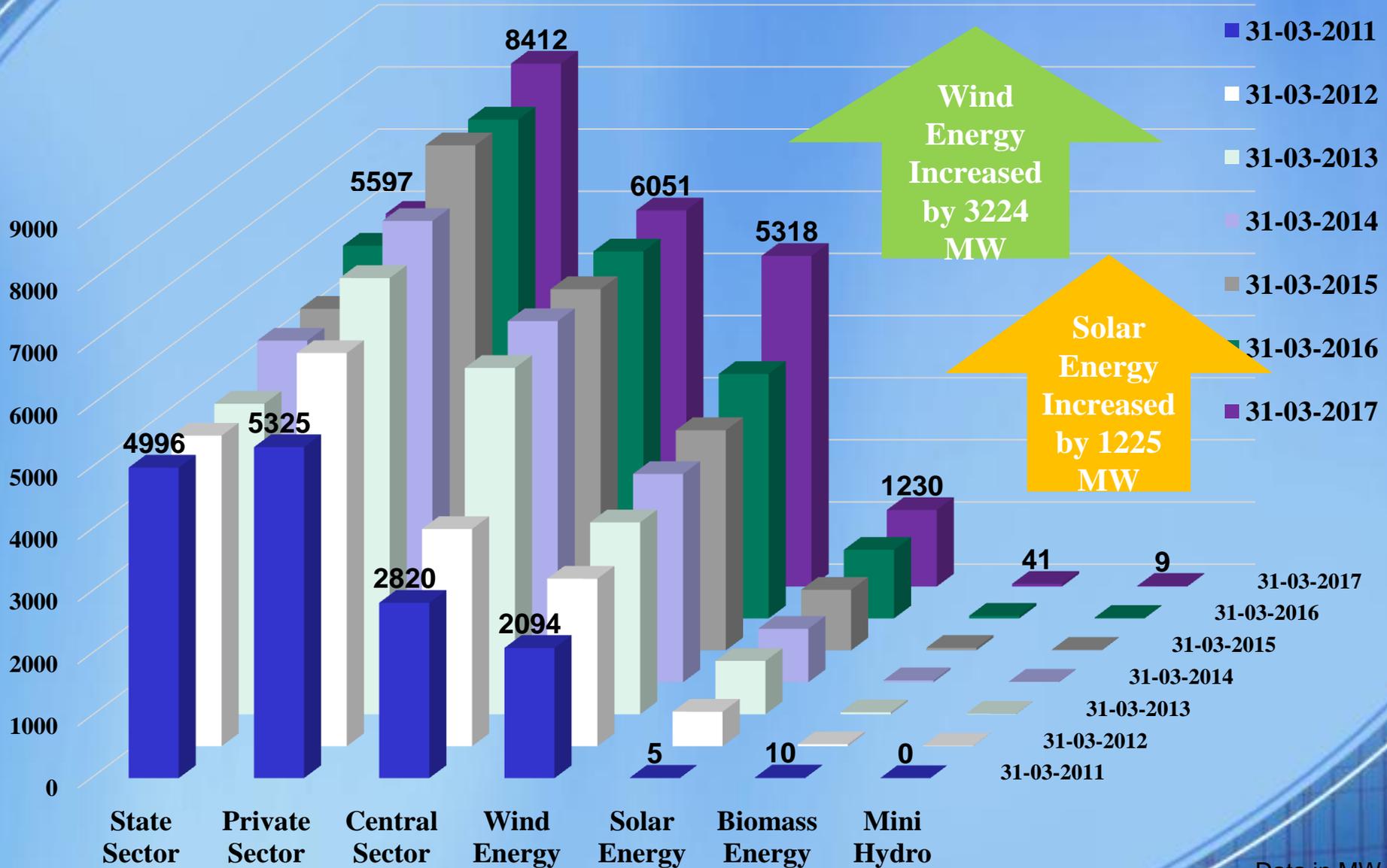


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FIGURE SHOWS LINE LENGTH IN KMS

# RE Development So far...

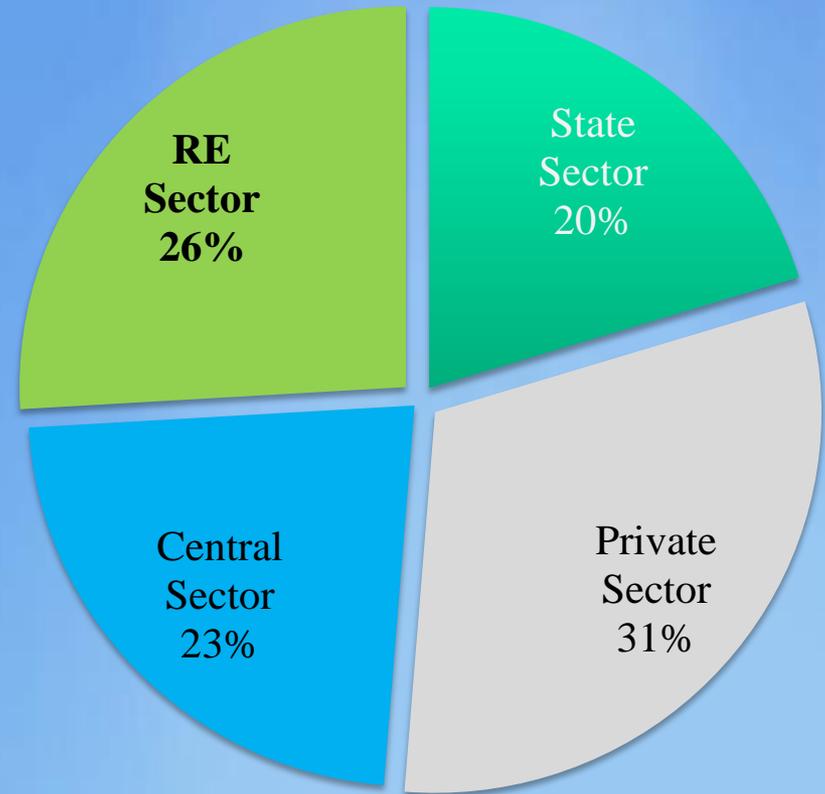
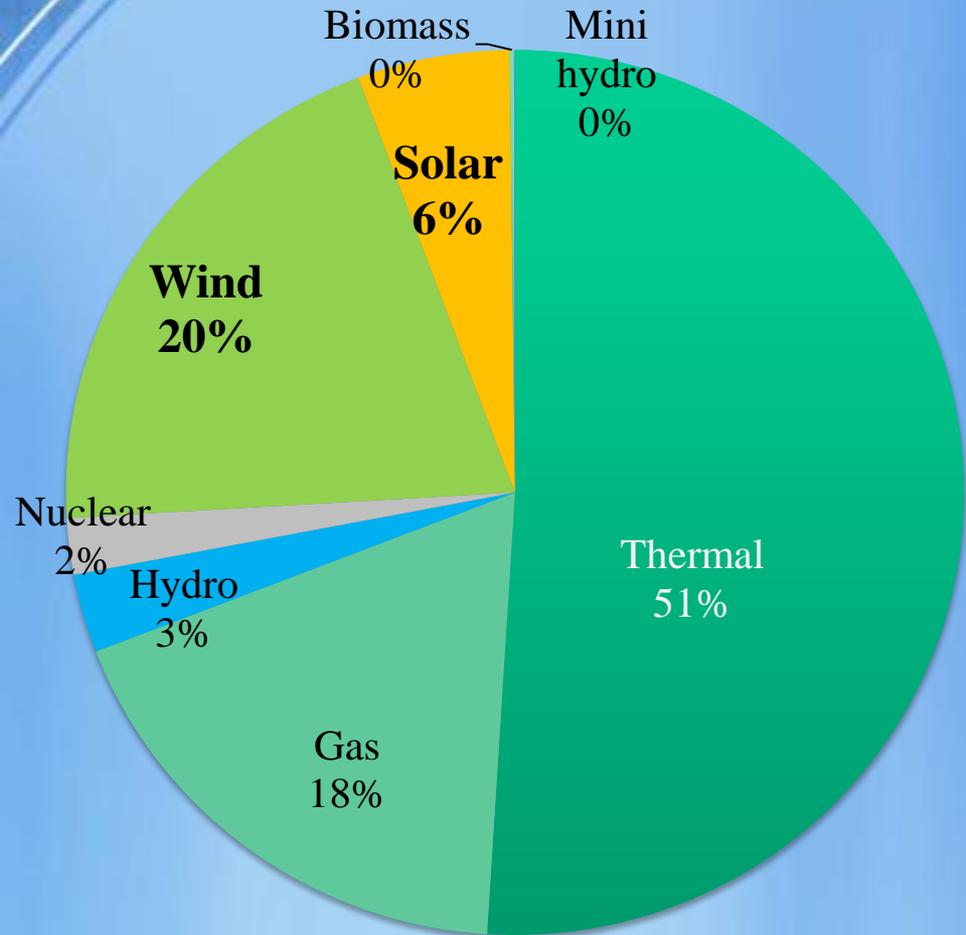


# RE Operational Statistics in Gujarat



System scenario	Energy	Date	Remark
<b>Max Catered in Mus</b>	372.657	06.10.17	Max 17003 MW
<b>Max Catered in MW</b>	17097	09.10.17 @ 15.00 hrs	Total 366.573 Mus
<b>Max Wind Gen in Mus</b>	75.87	05.07.17	Max 3763 MW @ 18.00 hrs & Min 2433 MW
<b>Max Wind Gen in MW</b>	3763		
<b>Max Solar Gen in Mus</b>	7.01	18.01.18	Max 1018 MW @ 13.00 hrs & Min 0 MW
<b>Max Solar Gen in MW</b>	1018		

# RE Installed Capacity & Actual Generation



RE Source

Solar Energy of Total Inst. Cap.

Wind Energy of Total Inst. Cap.

RE Installed Capacity

6%

20%

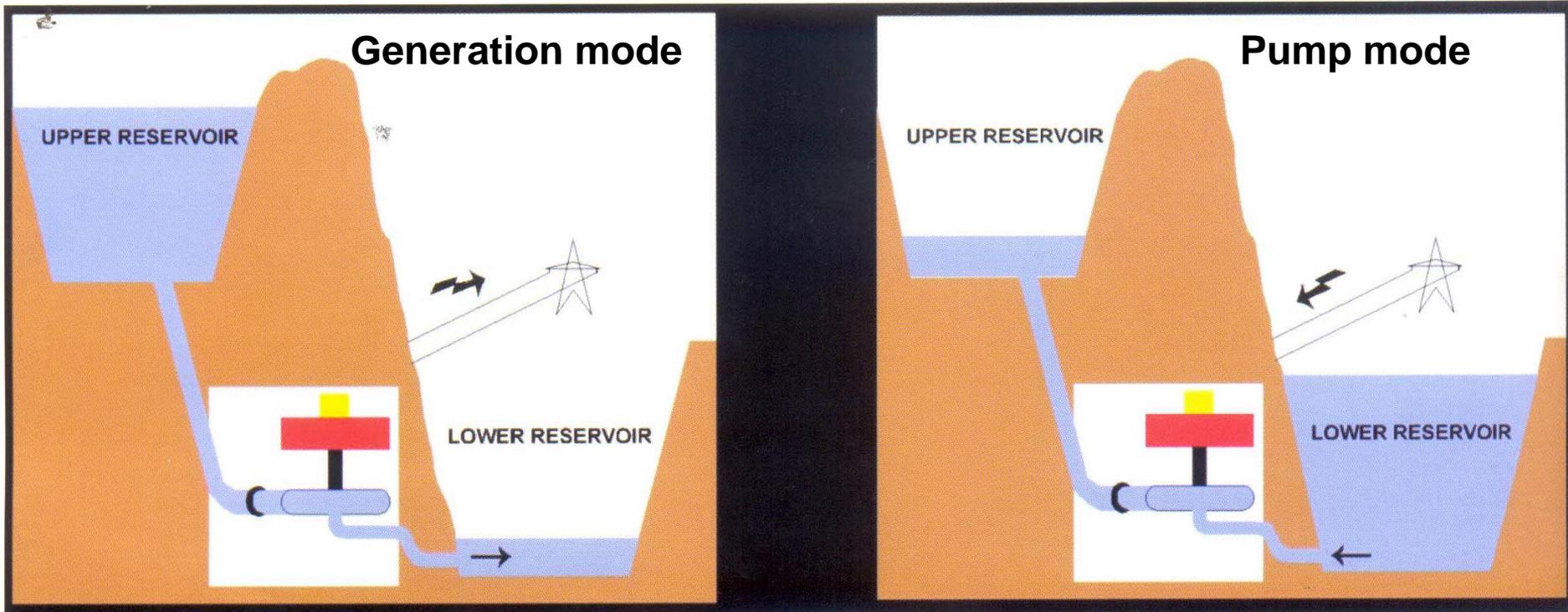
RE Actual Injection

2%

8%

Pumped storage hydro power plant is a type of hydroelectric generation plant that stores energy in the form of water, pumped from a lower elevation reservoir to a higher elevation reservoir. It pumps water from lower reservoir to upper reservoir during off-peak period and generates electricity during peak periods. This is currently one of the most effective means of storing large amount of electrical energy. It helps in power generation load levelling.

## Possible & Reliable Solution: View of Gujarat



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- In view of above, the benchmark /base line of wind generation is considered for harnessing the Surplus / shortfall wind generation as
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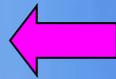
Sr. No.	Case-2 : Utilizing Cheaper power for pumping & generation through SSP	
	Content	
1	Wind Generation (Mus)	61.60
2	Energy Catered (Mus)	248.76
3	Power generated in Generation mode (Mus) for <b>11 M/c Hrs</b>	2.20
4	Power consume for pumping mode operation (Mus) for <b>20 M/c Hrrs</b>	3.99
<b>Benefit</b>		<b>Rs. In Lakh</b>
5	Total cost to pump water by utilizing cheap power available on that day of 3.99 MUs (Avg cost = 1.62/unit)	64.64
6	Saving cost due to backdown costly generators of 2.20 MUs (Avg cost = Rs. 2.99/unit)	65.78
7	Revenue using SSP as generators as 2.20 MUs (Rs. 2.05/unit)	45.10
8	Additional cost for pumping water (8) = (5)-(7))	19.54
9	Benefit due to backdown costly Generator and utilizing pumped hydro generation (9)=(6) - ((7)+(8))	<b>1.14</b>
10	Balance Stored MWH (Pump-Gen)	55.64
11	Stored water Cost (Rs. In Lakh)	<b>1.14</b>
12	<b>Machine Hours available /day in Gen/Pump mode</b>	
	Max. Machine Hours/ day for generation	63
	Max Machine Hours/ day for pumping	81
	Max Total Machine Hours/Day	144
	Actual. Machine Hours/ day for generation	11
	Actual Machine Hours/ day for pumping	20
	Total Machine Hours/ day	31
	13	Total Benefit / day (9+11)
14	If such 3 cycle if operate in a day than total benefit / day (Sr. 13) X 3	6.84
15	Total Benefits / year (Rs. in Lakh) if such instance 10 times in month : (Sr. 14) X 10 instances X 12 months	<b>821</b>

## Case-2: Benefit during Peak wind variation day (14.12.2016)



- The peak wind variation generation day on 14.12.2016 is considered for the study. The wind generation baseline considered as 1355 MW for an entire day.
- In this scenario,
  - During High wind instances: scheduled costly generation is to be backed down as per merit order criteria.
  - Suddenly drop/ low wind generation instances: ramp up backed down generation / costly generation
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# Case-2: Benefit during Peak wind variation day (14.12.2016)



Sr. No.	Case-3: Peak wind variation day (14.12.16) : SSP pumping/ generation mode performed to balance variability	
	Content	
1	Wind Generation (Mus)	32.61
2	Energy Catered (Mus)	266.54
3	Power generated in Generation mode (Mus) <b>for 29 M/c Hours</b>	5.80
4	Power consume for pumping mode operation (Mus) <b>for 39 M/c Hours</b>	7.80
<b>Benefit</b>		<b>Rs. In Lakh</b>
5	Total cost to pump water by utilizing cheap power available on that day of 7.80 MUs (5.7 MUs @ Rs. 1.69/unit & 2.07 MUs @ Rs. 2.46/unit)	147.81
6	Saving cost due to backdown costly generators of 5.80 MUs (at Average Rs. 3.27/ unit)	189.66
7	Revenue using SSP as generators as 5.80 MUs (@ Rs. 2.05/unit)	118.90
8	Additional cost for pumping water (8) = (5)-(7))	28.91
9	Benefit due to backdown costly Generator and utilizing pumped hydro generation (9)=(6) - ((7)+(8))	<b>41.85</b>
10	<b>Machine Hours / Day</b>	
	Max. Machine Hours/ day for generation	63
	Max Machine Hours/ day for pumping	81
	Max Total Machine Hours/Day	144
	Actual. Machine Hours/ day for generation	29
	Actual Machine Hours/ day for pumping	39
	Total Machine Hours/ day	68
11	Total Benefit / day (9)	41.85
12	Total benefits / year <b>Rs. In Lakh</b> if such instance 10 times in month : (Sr. 11) X 10 instances X 12 months	<b>5022</b>

**Case-3 :**  
**Replacement of 2**  
**units of WTPS by**  
**SSP Gen on**  
**23.01.2018**

Sr. No.	Hrs.	Wanakbor i Total Gen	Wanakbori Gen after removing 2 units	Wanakbori 2 unit gen pattern	SSP Operation		additional Purchase from other sources
					Gen	Pump	
1	01:00	1267	917	350		-400	350
2	02:00	1044	694	350		-800	350
3	03:00	1025	675	350		-1000	350
4	04:00	1020	670	350		-1200	350
5	05:00	1101	751	350		-1200	350
6	06:00	1268	918	350		-600	350
7	07:00	1272	922	350	0		350
8	08:00	1270	920	350	0		350
9	09:00	1268	868	400	400		
10	10:00	1265	865	400	400		
11	11:00	1273	873	400	400		
12	12:00	1270	870	400	400		
13	13:00	1264	914	350	0		350
14	14:00	1119	719	400	400		
15	15:00	1027	627	400	400		
16	16:00	1017	617	400	400		
17	17:00	991	641	350	0		350
18	18:00	1114	764	350	0		350
19	19:00	1261	861	400	400		
20	20:00	1275	875	400	400		
21	21:00	1200	800	400	400		
22	22:00	1153	803	350	0		350
23	23:00	1159	809	350	0		350
24	00:00	1159	809	350	0		350
<b>Total</b>		<b>28082</b>	<b>19182</b>	<b>8900</b>	<b>4000</b>	<b>-5200</b>	<b>4900</b>

SR. NO.		MWH	Rs (in Lac)
1	Total Gen by Wanakbori (@Rs.3.65/-)	8900	324.85
2	From Grid (@ Rs. 3.65/-)	4900	178.85
3	Revenue from SSP (@Rs. 2.05/-)	4000	82
4	Pumping mode op of SSP @ Rs. 2.50 from Grid	5320	133
5	Addition cost for pumping (4)-(3)		51
6	Total Benefit [(1)-{(2)+(3)+(5)}]		13.00



**Case-4 :**  
**Replacement of 2**  
**units of WTPS by**  
**SSP Gen on**  
**04.01.2018**

Sr. No.	Hrs.	Wanakb ori Total Gen	Wanakb ori Gen after removing 2 units	Wanakb ori 2 unit gen pattern	SSP Gen/ Pump Operation		additional Purchase from other sources
					Gen	Pump	
1	01:00	1371	971	400		-800	400
2	02:00	1426	1026	400		-800	400
3	03:00	1191	791	400		-800	400
4	04:00	1189	789	400		-1000	400
5	05:00	1326	926	400		-1000	400
6	06:00	1457	1057	400		-1000	400
7	07:00	1480	1080	400	0		400
8	08:00	1484	1084	400	0		400
9	09:00	1485	1085	400	400		
10	10:00	1483	1083	400	400		
11	11:00	1484	1084	400	400		
12	12:00	1483	1083	400	400		
13	13:00	1481	1081	400	0		400
14	14:00	1468	1068	400	400		
15	15:00	1479	1079	400	400		
16	16:00	1476	1076	400	400		
17	17:00	1479	1079	400	0		400
18	18:00	1480	1080	400	0		400
19	19:00	1484	1084	400	400		
20	20:00	1482	1082	400	400		
21	21:00	1473	1073	400	400		
22	22:00	1473	1073	400	0		400
23	23:00	1481	1081	400	0		400
24	00:00	1473	1073	400	0		400
<b>Total</b>		<b>34588</b>	<b>24988</b>	<b>9600</b>	<b>4000</b>	<b>-5400</b>	<b>5600</b>

SR. NO.		MWH	Rs (in Lac)
1	Total Gen by Wanakb ori (@ Rs. 3.65/-)	9600	350.40
2	From Grid (@ Rs. 3.65/-)	5600	204.4
3	Revenue from SSP (@ Rs. 2.05/-)	4000	82
4	Pumping mode op of SSP @ Rs. 2.50 from Grid	5400	135
5	Addition cost for pumping (4)-(3)		53
6	Total Benefit [(1)-{(2)+(3)+(5)}]		11.00



**Case-5 :**  
**Replacement of 2**  
**units of WTPS by**  
**SSP Gen on**  
**15.12.2017**

Sr. No.	Hrs.	Wanakb ori Total Gen	Wanakb ori Gen after removing 2 units	Wanakb ori 2 unit gen pattern	SSP Gen/ Pump Operation		additional Purchase from other sources
					Gen	Pump	
1	01:00	817	467	350		-800	350
2	02:00	813	463	350		-800	350
3	03:00	810	460	350		-800	350
4	04:00	821	471	350		-1000	350
5	05:00	828	478	350		-1000	350
6	06:00	824	474	350		-1000	350
7	07:00	848	498	350	0		350
8	08:00	1026	676	350	0		350
9	09:00	1060	660	400	400		
10	10:00	1059	659	400	400		
11	11:00	1061	661	400	400		
12	12:00	1056	656	400	400		
13	13:00	1052	702	350	0		350
14	14:00	1050	650	400	400		
15	15:00	1056	656	400	400		
16	16:00	1058	658	400	400		
17	17:00	1059	709	350	0		350
18	18:00	1046	696	350	0		350
19	19:00	1003	603	400	400		
20	20:00	810	410	400	400		
21	21:00	822	422	400	400		
22	22:00	901	501	400	0		400
23	23:00	950	550	400	0		400
24	00:00	969	669	300	0		300
<b>Total</b>		<b>22799</b>	<b>13849</b>	<b>8950</b>	<b>4000</b>	<b>-5400</b>	<b>4950</b>

SR. NO.		MWH	Rs (in Lac)
1	Total Gen by Wanakb ori (@Rs. 3.65/-)	8950	326.67
2	From Grid @ Rs. 3.65	4950	180.67
3	Revenue from SSP (@ Rs. 2.05/-)	4000	102.5
4	Pumping mode op of SSP @ Rs. 2.50 from Grid	5400	135
5	Addition cost for pumping (4)-(3)		53
6	Total Benefit [(1)-{(2)+(3)+(5)}]		11.00



# Cost Benefit Analysis of Kadana, Gujarat



## Cost benefit analysis of KADANA pump mode operation (for 2 machines)

Sr. No.	Content	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16	Jul-16	Aug-16	Sep-16	Oct-16	Nov-16	Dec-16	Jan-17	Feb-17	Mar-17	Total	Rate per Unit	Amount Million RS
1	Total wind generation (MUs)	500	992	1026	1041	908	631	255	259	389	578	551	591	7720		
2	Total back down of all conventional ONBAR generators (MUs)	478	565	514	601	808	552	800	587	717	1211	960	506	8298		
3	Back down having variable cost below Rs. 2.00/Unit (Mus)	36	214	197	492	903	388	594	276	233	701	456	161	4650		
4	Max available potential at Kadana for the month (MUs)	57	59	57	59	59	57	59	57	59	59	53	59	955		
7	Generation of WTPS 1-6 in Mus	596	466	276	78	0	199	142	71	362	100	73	375	2738	Rate per Unit	Amount Million RS
8	Available energy for pump mode operation in Mus (Minimum of 3,4 & 7)	36	59	57	59	0	57	59	57	59	59	53	59	614	2	1228
9	Available Generation in Mus considering 60% efficiency	22	35	34	35	0	34	35	34	35	35	32	35	369	3.5	1290
	Benefit															61.43
																Say RS. 6.14 Cr

Enough quantum of water is available for pump mode operation at Kadana

# Cost benefit analysis of SSP pumpmode operation (with 6 machines)

Sr. No.	Content	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16	Jul-16	Aug-16	Sep-16	Oct-16	Nov-16	Dec-16	Jan-17	Feb-17	Mar-17	Total	Rate per Unit	Amount Million RS	
1	Total wind generation (MUs)	500	992	1026	1041	908	631	255	259	389	578	551	591	7720			
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3	Total Back down having variable cost below RS. 2.00/Unit (Mus)	36	214	197	492	903	388	594	276	233	701	456	161	4650			
4	Max available potential at SSP for the month (MUs)	494	510	494	510	510	494	510	494	510	510	461	510	6007			
5	Generation of WTPS 1-6 in Mus	596	466	276	78	0	199	142	71	362	100	73	375	2738			
6	Available energy for pump mode operation in Mus (Minimum of 3,4 & 5)	36	214	197	78	0	199	142	71	233	100	73	161	1504	2.0	3008	
7	Available Generation in MUs considering 75% efficiency	27	161	148	59	0	149	107	53	175	75	55	121	1128	3.5	3948	
8	<b>Benefit</b>	<b>With the utilisation of Cheaper power of Gujarat Only</b>											<b>Say 94 Cr.</b>		<b>940</b>		
10	<b>Cost benefit analysis with the utilisation of Cheaper power of other States up to the available potential of SSP for pump mode (as per Sr. No. 4)</b>																
11	Max available potential at SSP for the month (MUs)	494	510	494	510	510	494	510	494	510	510	461	510	6007	2.0	12013	
12	Available Generation in MUs considering 75% efficiency	370	383	370	383	383	370	383	370	383	383	346	383	4505	3.5	15767	
13	<b>Benefit</b>	<b>With the utilisation of Cheaper power of all beneficiary States</b>											<b>Say 375 Cr.</b>		3754		

# Civil Investigation and Planning for Pumped storage Projects in Kerala

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# General principle of Pumped Storage Scheme

- A Pumped storage Hydroelectric Plant may be defined as a plant in which the water that is used for power generation is pumped back into the high level reservoir using off peak power for generation of additional power during peak period

# Investigation

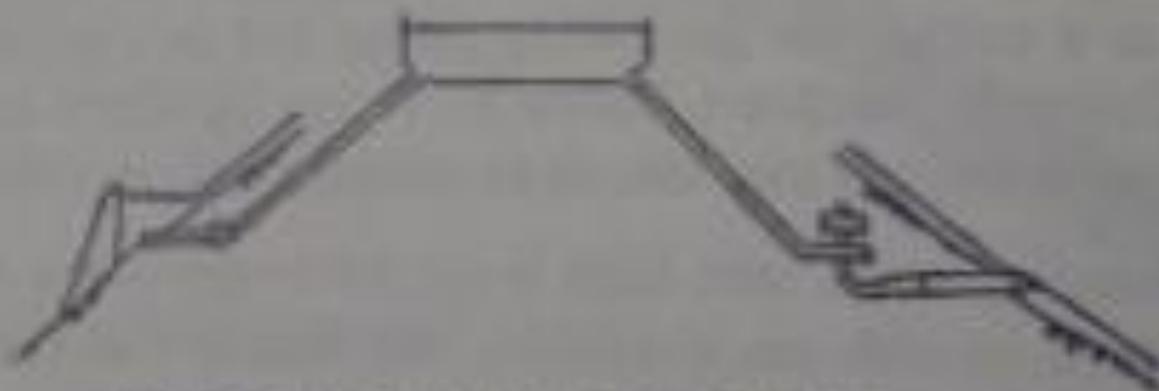
- Types of Pumped Storage Schemes
  - Storage or Re circulating Type
  - Pond age or Multiuse Type
  - Part Head or Water user type



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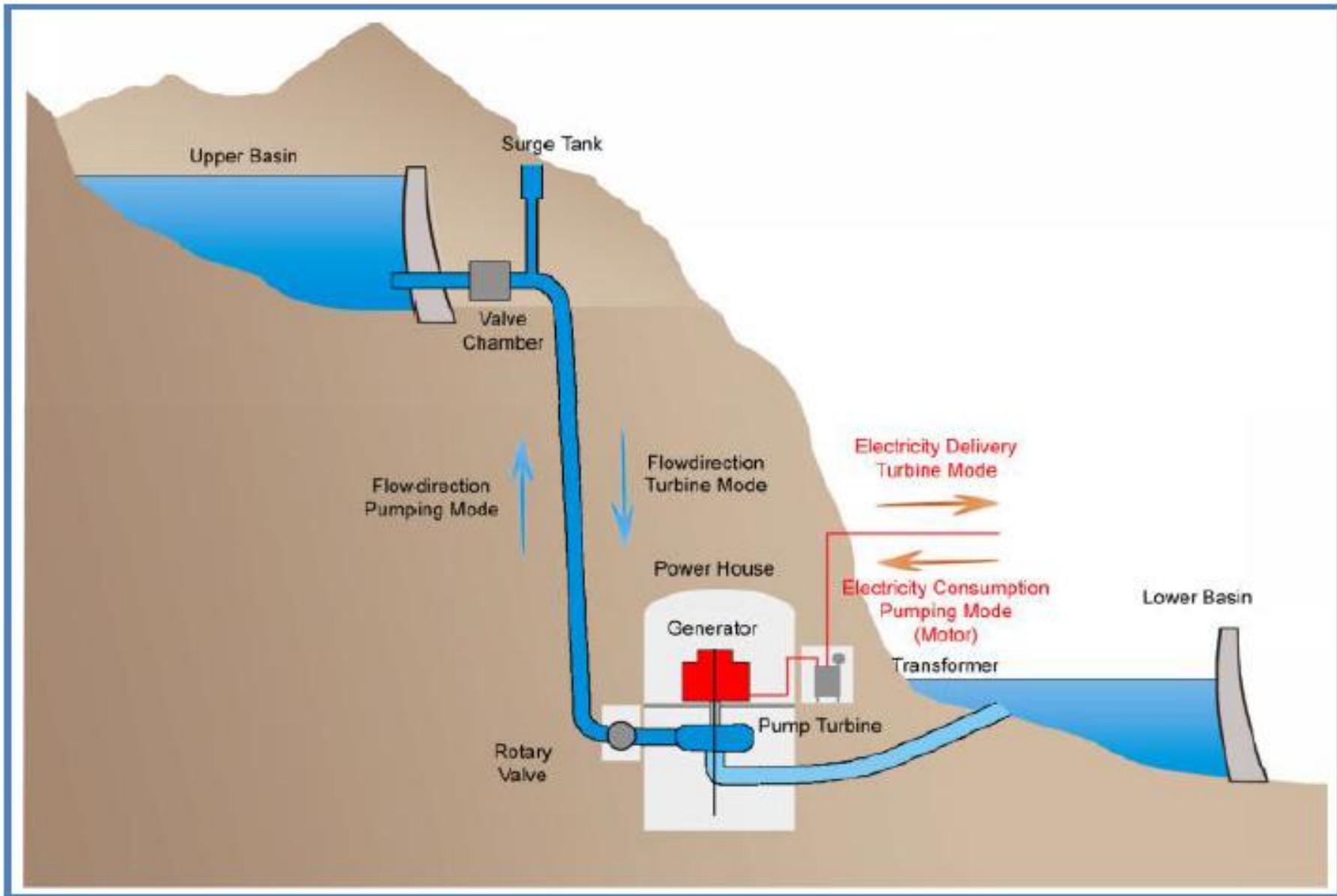
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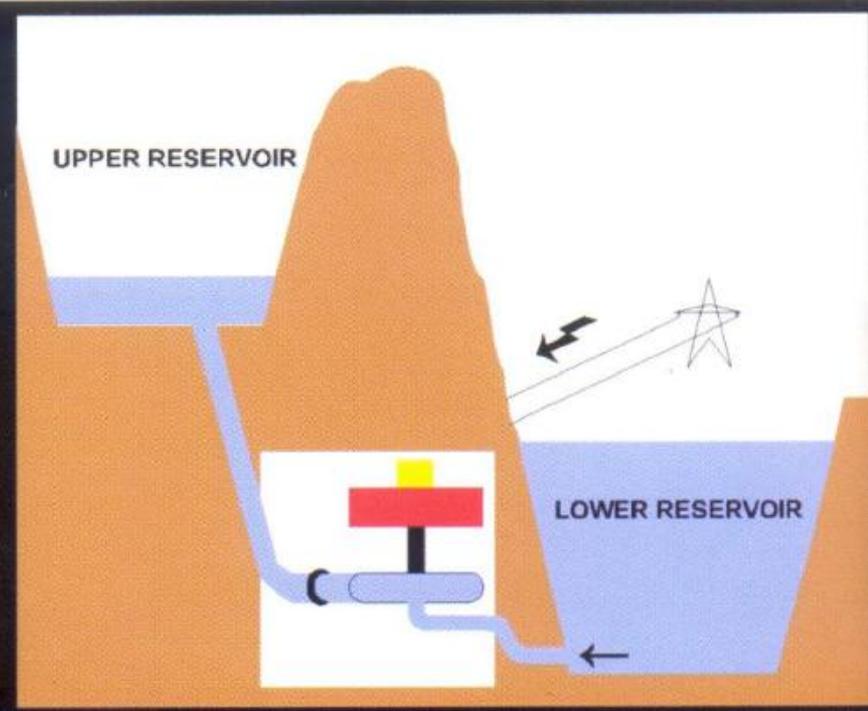
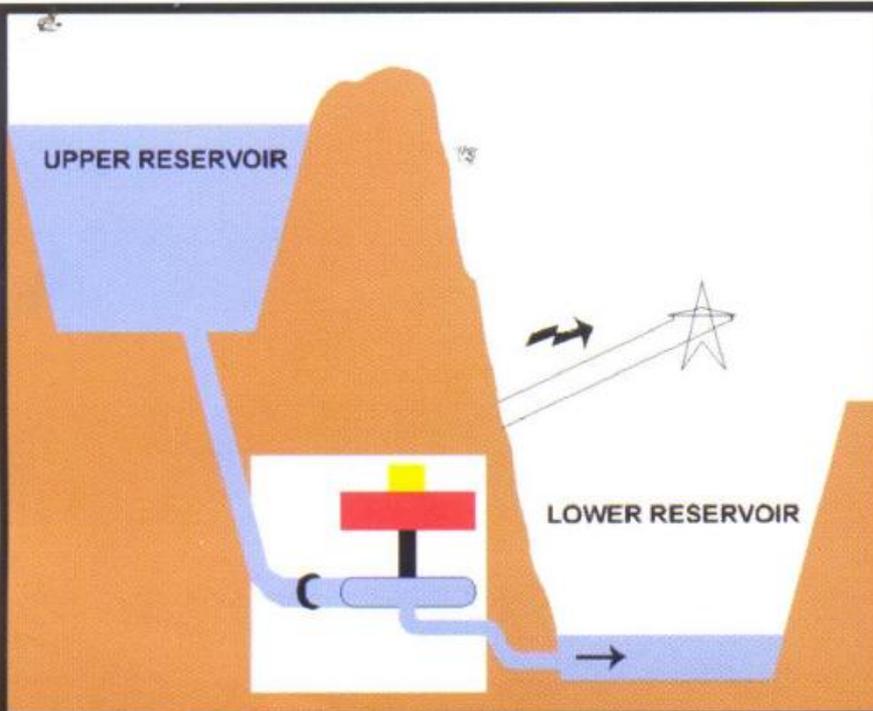
# Investigation

- Designed for
  - For improving the daily output of a particular station
  - For improving the daily operating conditions of a large interconnected group of power stations; thermal or hydroelectric
  - For supplementing the natural flow into a storage reservoir which is insufficiently supplied by its catchment area or for increasing the firm output obtainable with the storage capacity provided



**Figure 1: Typical Pumped Storage Plant Arrangement (Source: Alstom Power).**

# Aspects of Pumped Storage



# Steps involved in Planning of a Pumped Storage Plant

- Site Identification
- Preliminary Selection of Project Layout
- Survey & Investigation
- Determination of Project Parameters & Assessment of Project benefits and Economic Evaluation
- Preparation of Detailed Project Report

# Survey and Investigation

- River Survey
- Réservoir Survey
- Head works surveys (dams, barrage, weir, etc)
- Plant sites and colonies
- Canal, branch canals, and water conductor system
- Major canal structures
- Power house, switch yard, surge shaft, tail race tunnel(s), adits, penstocks etc.
- Surveys for command area including Ground Confirmation Survey
- Soil surveys
- Soil conservation
- Construction material surveys.
- Any other i.e. Archaeological, Right of way, communication etc.



# Topographical Survey

- Dam site up to 500m upstream and down stream extending an elevation of top of dam +  $\frac{1}{4}$  of dam height. Contour interval 1 to 5m. Scale of map 1:500 to 1:2000
- Reservoir area survey cover elevation up to 5m + MWL
- Power channel 150m on either side of channel .scale 1:2000 to 1:5000
- Survey of Tunnel – 100 to 400m wide strip along the tunnel alignment. Scale 1:2000 to 1:5000
- PH and switchyard 1:1000 to 1:2000

## Survey & Investigation

### 1) Detailed topographical Surveys

- Detailed field surveys are to be carried out on the basis of preliminary layout.
- Surveys for the general layout should extend from about 2 km upstream of the diversion site to about 1 Km downstream of the tailrace with the stream.( These limits can be changed)
- The survey should bring out the advantages of the chosen alignment/locations of the project components

- The survey should be connected to a Permanent bench Mark
- Levels of all components are to be correlated to a salient project bench mark to ensure correctness in relation to each other
- Surveys for various locations viz. diversion weir, water conductor, cross drainage works, fore bay, penstock etc. should extend to cover an area to accommodate all possible arrangements to enable optimizing the alignment and location of the various component structures of the scheme.

# Survey & Investigation

- 2) Hydrological Investigations : Hydrological data such as Rainfall and Snowfall measurements, Stream gauging for discharge measurement
- 3) Geological Investigations : A judicious and careful geological assessment with limited geological exploration is essential for selecting appropriate alignment , locating the various structures of the scheme and working out suitable strengthening measures wherever necessary.
- 4) Construction material survey : The availability of required quantity of construction material such as aggregate, sand earth, boulders , water etc. should be assessed and their locations identified by survey of project area and are to be tested for quality/strength

- 5) Infrastructure Survey: The availability of infrastructure such as Roads and bridges up to the project area and internal roads in the project area, Construction Power, Drinking water, Communication facilities, Office Building and Staff Quarters etc. should be investigated and clearly documented.
- 6) Survey for Power evacuation: Present Position of power supply, system loads, load factor etc..the grid after commissioning of the plant, Details of major loads to be served, energy demand etc..are to be investigated. The plan for evacuation of power shall also be investigated.
- 7) Environment Impact assessment : For Projects costing more than 100 Cr.

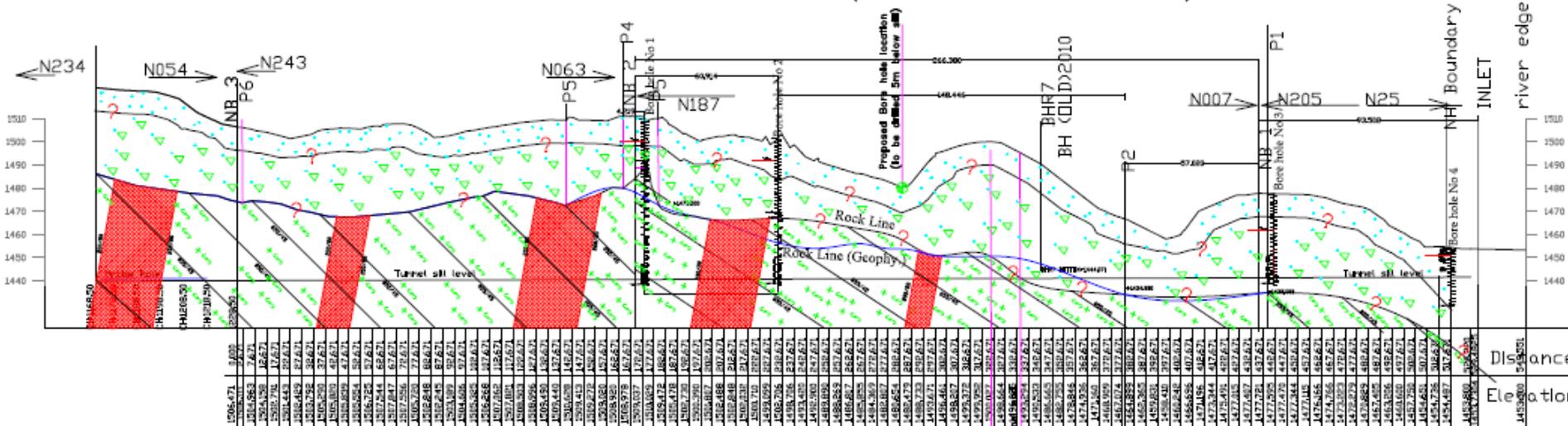
## **Engineering geological, geophysical, Seismological and Construction material survey**

- Engineering Geological survey
  1. Surface investigation
  2. Subsurface investigation
  3. Geo technical survey
  4. Geophysical survey
  5. Seismological survey
  6. Rock and soil mechanic testing
- **Environment and Forest survey**



# Geological problem

**PALLIVASAL EXTENSION SCHEME**  
**GEOLOGICAL SECTION ALONG TUNNEL ALIGNMENT (BETWEEN INTAKE AND 1168.5m)**



Distance	Elevation
1435.00	1455.00
1435.25	1454.75
1435.50	1454.50
1435.75	1454.25
1436.00	1454.00
1436.25	1453.75
1436.50	1453.50
1436.75	1453.25
1437.00	1453.00
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**INDEX**

	Top soil
	Shoulder area with soil - highly weathered and crushed rock mass (Vp = 700 to 2200 m/s)
	Pink Granite and Quartz (Vp = 4000 to 4500 m/s)
	Inferred Rock Line
	Sheared rock (Vp = 2500 to 2800 m/s)

**Note:-**

1. ALL DIMENSIONS ARE IN METERS
2. Weak zones (in red) are based on Geophysical profile P4
3. Rock line are marked based on Geophysical profiles (P1,P2,&P4) and bore holes 1,2,3,4 and Old BHR7

Scale:- 1:1000

- Planning

# HEAD

- Normal operating head: 90 – 630 m.
- Low head projects generally require larger conduits, less cost effective.
- High head projects (> 750 m) require more complex multistage pump/turbine units.
- High head projects more cost effective, because based on the power equation, the product of the total volume of water stored by the total head is proportional to the total energy stored.
- It require smaller reservoirs (less water required) and have smaller electrical-mechanical equipments providing an equivalent amount of energy.

# FLOW RATE

- It is calculated based on desired generating capacity and available head.
- For a given head, projects with higher design flow rates require larger waterway conduits and pump/turbine units.
- It is important to perform a cost-benefit analysis to look at different flow rates/plant sizing capacity that provide the greatest overall benefit.
- Another important consideration regarding design flow rates is to minimize the head losses in the waterways.
- Smaller flow rates, and associated smaller conduit diameters, have higher head losses w.r.t larger conduits (expensive).

# WATERWAY

- Pumped storage hydropower projects typically have two sections of waterways.
- The first section is the high head portion between the upper reservoir and the pump/turbine unit(s) and the second section is the low head portion between the pump/turbine unit(s) and the lower reservoir.
- A waterway that travels the shortest distance possible between the upper reservoir, powerhouse, and lower reservoir is optimal.
- A shorter waterway is preferred to minimize both construction costs and friction losses in the system.
- Waterways can either be located on the surface of the slope or buried underground

# UPPER AND LOWER RESERVOIRS

- The sizing of the upper and lower reservoirs depends on the size of the installed units, the operating head, the site characteristics, and the number of hours that operation of the turbines is required.
- A typical plant is sized to operate between 4 and 20 hours depending on local energy needs.
- Storage required in the system can be estimated by the following equation

$$S = \frac{976 (C) t_s}{H e_g}$$

S = Storage (acre-feet), C = Plant capacity (MW),  $t_s$  = Storage requirement in hours of equivalent full-load generation (hours), H = Average gross head (feet),  $e_g$  = generation efficiency, including head losses (%).

- The planning of the upper reservoir and depends on the following factors:
  - ❖ Availability of existing reservoir
  - ❖ Topography of the project site and the presence of streams and rivers
  - ❖ Geologic conditions
  - ❖ Seepage losses in the reservoir foundations

# PUMP/TURBINE SELECTION

- The sizing of pump/turbine units depends on the project economics, site characteristics, and requirements of the power system.
- Larger scale projects are generally more economically viable.
- It requires selection of larger pump/turbine units, sufficient water available, sufficient operating head, and adequately sized upper and lower reservoirs.
- For projects with low head or limited water available, a smaller scale project is more appropriate.
- The selection of pump/unit size and type also affects the size and configuration of the powerhouse.
- Adjustable speed pumps/turbines require additional components, which result in larger overall powerhouse dimensions and higher construction costs.

## Underground or Over ground ?

- Power houses - to be positioned well below the MDDL of the lower reservoir
  - to address cavitation and requirement of pumping head
- Hence underground or semi underground power houses
- Fully underground systems - Power house, Switchyard and Evacuation System require underground caverns and access tunnels
- Semi underground systems require space for power house, switchyard etc

# Assessment of Project Cost, Benefits and Economic & Financial Evaluation

- An accurate assessment of the expected cost is considered as a most important activity in order to ascertain the economic feasibility and to prepare a viable financing plan.
- As the project cost estimate are made before the work is done, the estimated cost is only an indication of the order of the likely cost.
- To arrive at the total cost of the project, estimates are generally made separately for Civil works including Hydro Mechanical works and Generating Plant including E&M works.

# Assessment of Project Cost, Benefits and Economic & Financial Evaluation

- The economic viability of Hydro Electric Projects is determined by comparison with the cost of alternative sources at the same place considering therein all elements such as cost of Transmission, Distribution etc.
- The Economic Evaluation could be carried out by opting for Cost of Energy Generation, Benefit-Cost Ratio, Net Present value, Economic Internal Rate of return etc

# Projects

*Shall be*

- Technically Feasible
- Practically Executable
- Economically Viable
- Environment Friendly

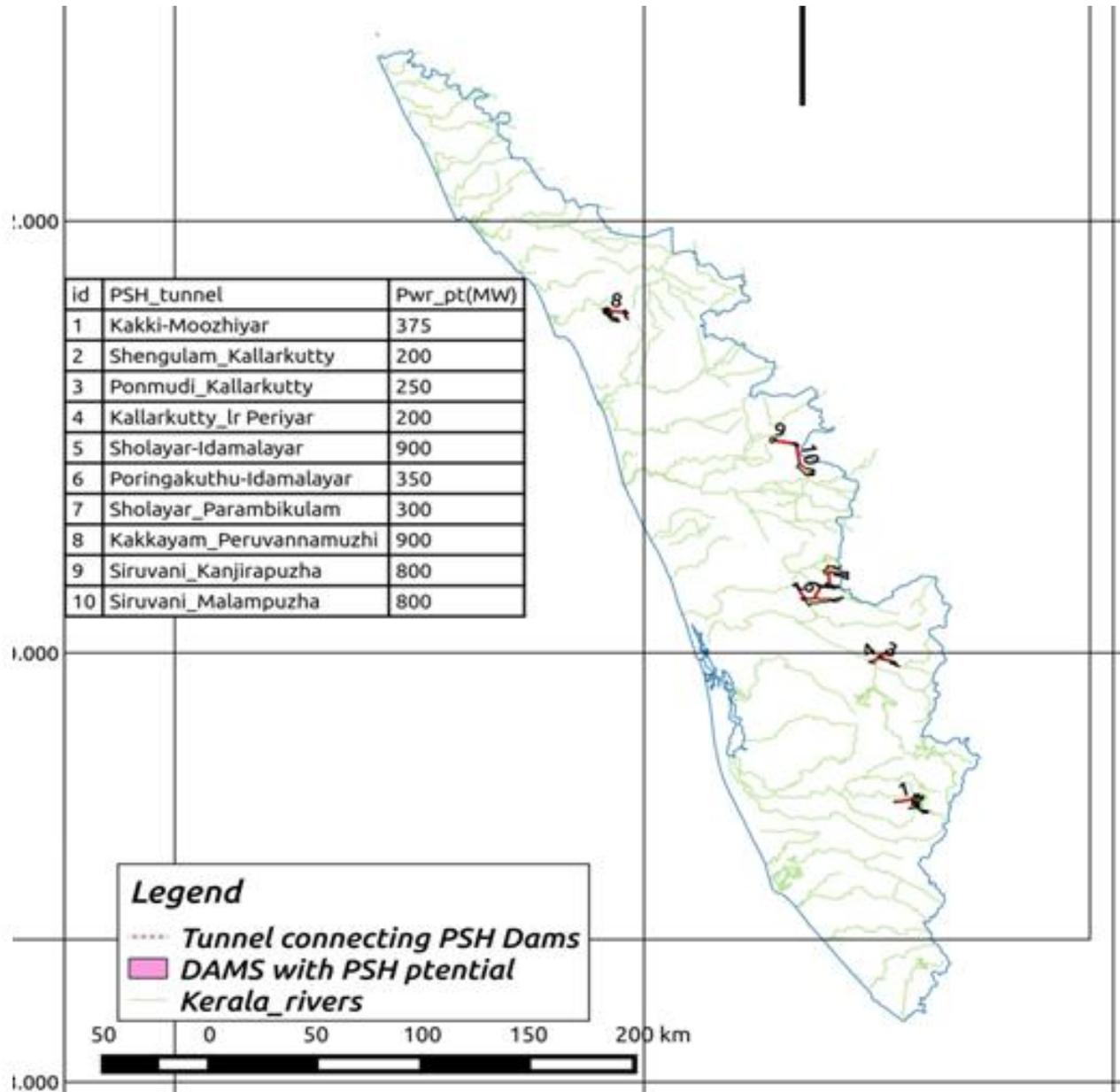
# Assessment of Project Cost, Benefits and Economic & Financial Evaluation

- The Financial Evaluation is undertaken to assess the financial viability /soundness of the project from the point of view of the developer and financial Institutions
- The financial Evaluation could be carried out by opting for the Pay back Period method, the Financial Internal Rate of Return method, the Net Present Value method etc.

## Potential Sites Identified

Sl.No.	Existing Reservoirs	Potential (MW)
1	Kakki - Moozhiyar	375
2	Sengulam - Kallarkutty	200
3	Ponmudi - Kallarkutty	250
4	Kallarkutty - Lower Periyar	200
5	Sholayar - Idamalayar	900
6	Poringalkuthu - Idamalayar	350
7	Sholayar - Parambikulam	300
8	Kakkayam - Peruvannamoozhi	900
9	Siruvani - Kanjirapuzha	800
10	Siruvani - Malampuzha	800
	<b>Total potential</b>	<b>5075</b>

# Identified Pumped storage schemes





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