



# First meeting of the Technical Committee

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Confederation of Indian Industry

## “175 GW capacity and over 15% share of grid power through renewables by 2022 and 40% by 2030”

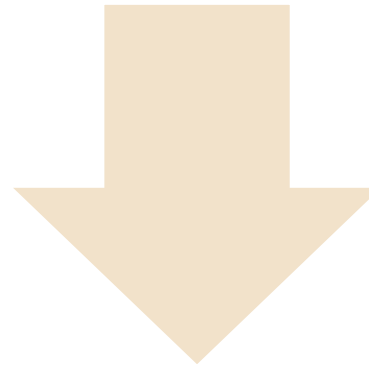
RE Source	2022 Target	Achieved 31.12.16*
Solar	100	9.03
Wind	60	28.7
Biomass	10	7.9
SHP	5	4.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>50.02</b>

- India **crossed 1/4<sup>th</sup> of the 2022 capacity targets**
- **~75% of the capacity** to be added in **8 RE Rich States**
- **Differing set of issues** for RE rich and poor states
- **Multitude of efforts** underway at various levels

State	RE Target	Share	Achieved	% of target	In Pipeline
Andhra Pradesh	17,934	<b>10%</b>	3,572	20%	1,004
Gujarat	17,133	<b>10%</b>	5,230	31%	250
Karnataka	11,997	<b>7%</b>	5,715	48%	7,600
Madhya Pradesh	14,394	<b>8%</b>	3,221	22%	800
Maharashtra	19,526	<b>11%</b>	6,613	34%	500
Rajasthan	17,886	<b>10%</b>	5,396	30%	1,168
Tamil Nadu	20,784	<b>12%</b>	9,449	45%	485
Telangana*	9,377	<b>5%</b>	1,029	11%	2,600
Punjab	4,772	<b>3%</b>	1,200	25%	400
Assam	663	<b>0%</b>	34	5%	170
Other States	44,525	<b>26%</b>			
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,74,534</b>				

## Objective

To provide a platform to promote coordination among various states and central actors to achieve the national renewable energy and climate change targets



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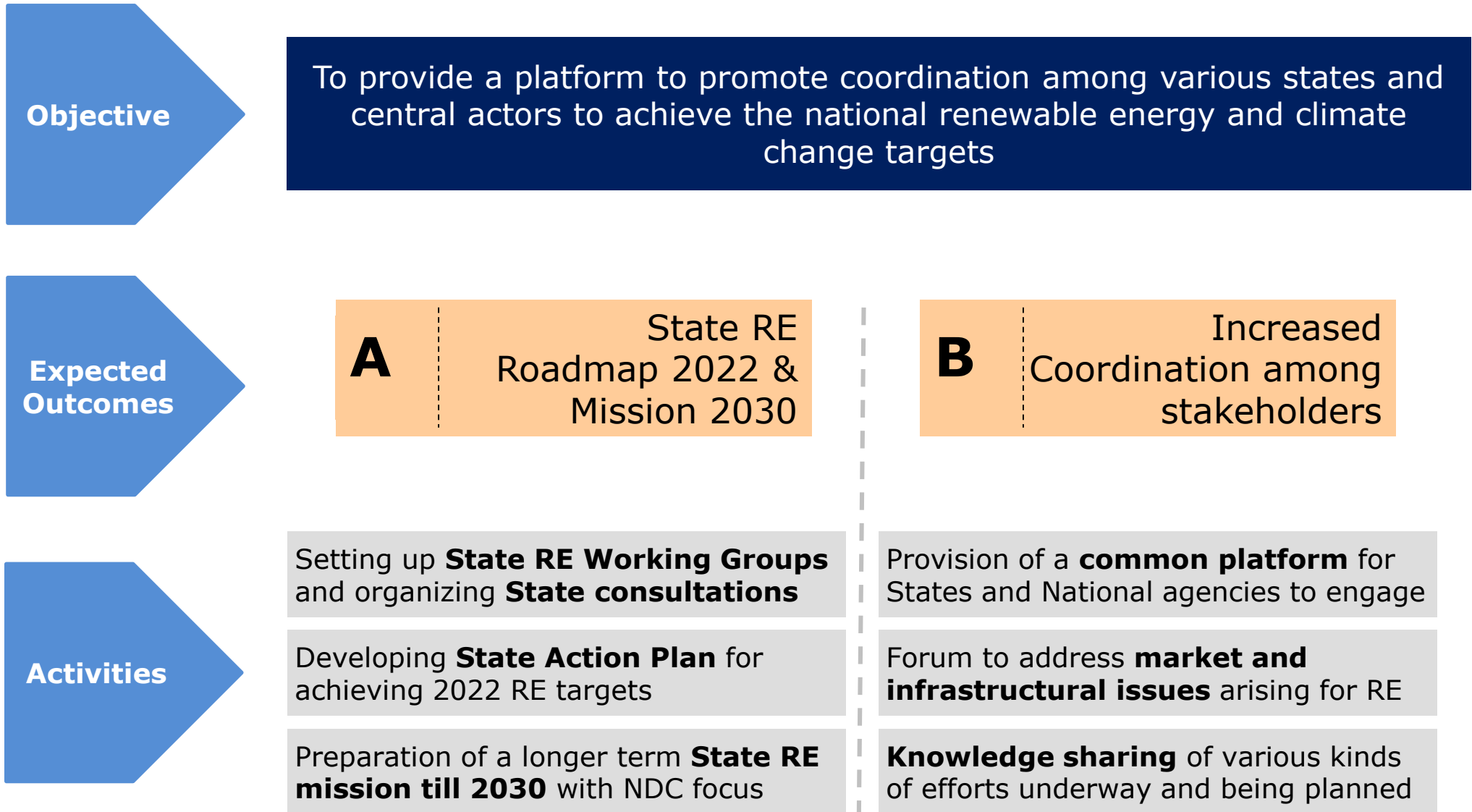
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- Minister, Energy
- Ministers of Energy of different states

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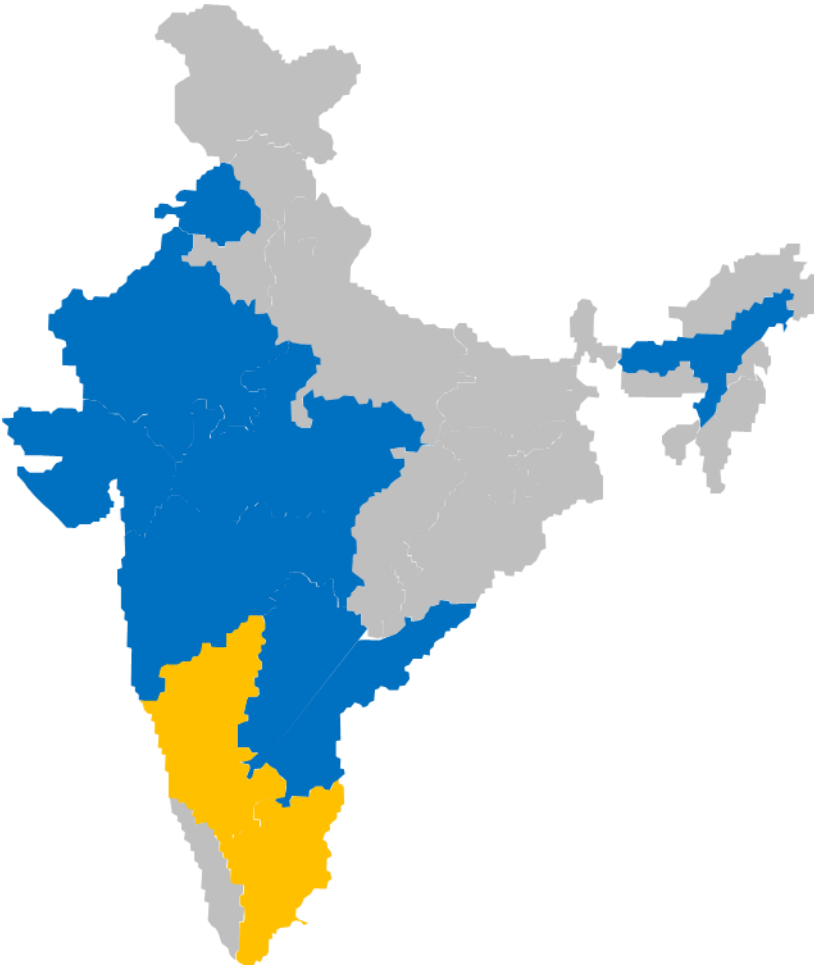


Steering Committee

- CEO, NITI Aayog
- Secretary, MoP
- Secretary, MNRE
- Principal Secretaries of Energy of different states



# 4 State RE Roadmap – Progress Report



State	Constitution of SWG	State level meeting
Rajasthan	✓	✓
Tamil Nadu	✗	✗
Karnataka	✓	✗
Gujarat	✓	✓
Assam	✓	✓
Maharashtra	✓	✓
Andhra. P	✓	✓
Telangana	✓	✓
Madhya. P	✓	✓
Punjab	✓	✓

● Work initiated     
 ● Yet to initiate

### **Marketplace for RE Power**

- *RPO targets in achievable range for many states*
- *Need to start balancing RPO obligations/ Country objectives – RE Certs or physical sale*

### **Balancing**

- *ISTS network, Improved and more real-time forecasting*
- *Request for setting up of REMCs in every state – increased coordination between Central and State Govt agencies to set these up*

### **Infrastructure**

- *Pace of ISTS network and Green Energy Corridor Phase I rollout to be enhanced – plans for GECII to be defined*

### **Finance**

- *Financial support to DISCOMs for handling more RE power*
- *Allocation of NCEF to states for promotion of renewable energy*
- *Liberal Goods and Service Tax regime for NRSE*

### **Tapering Demand and available conventional capacity**



**Thank you**



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# **Technology and Policy Leapfrogs in India's Energy Sector**

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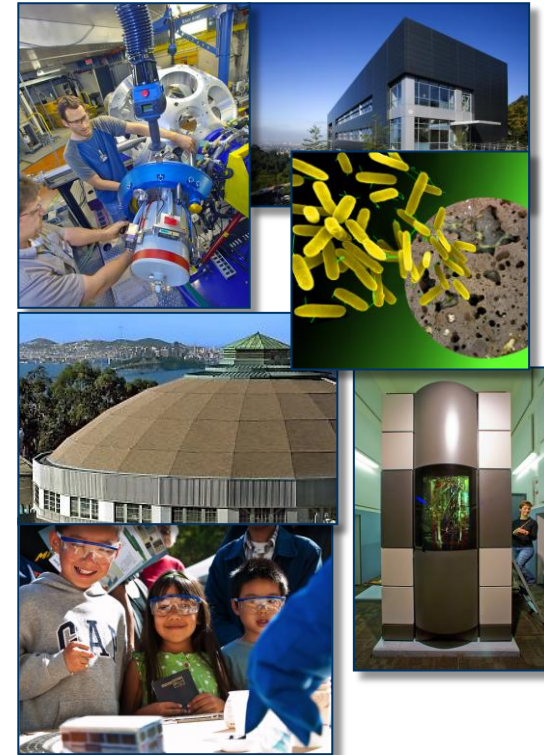


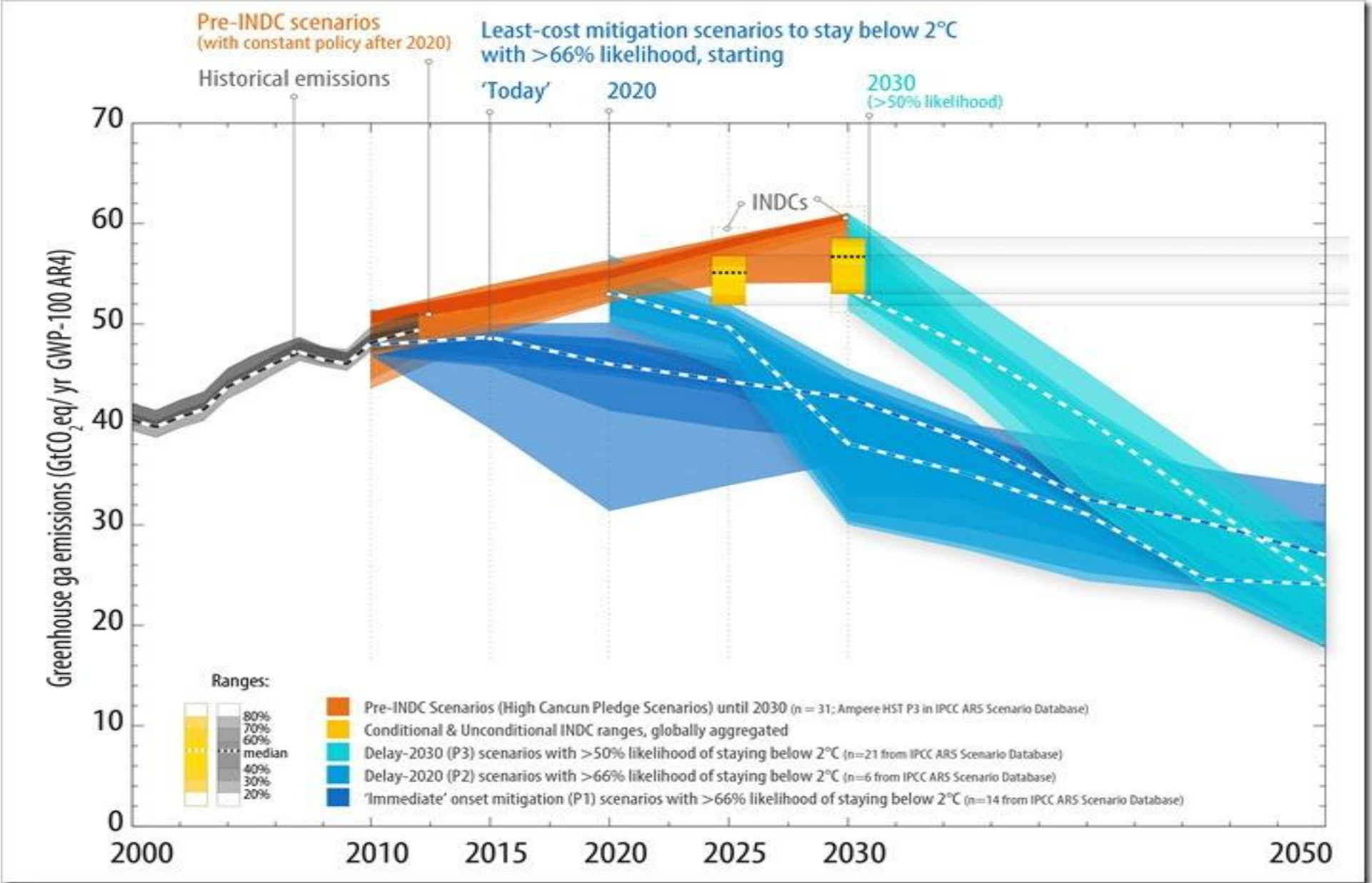
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**13 — Nobel Prizes**  
**13 — National Medal of  
Science recipients**  
**4,200 — Employees**  
**200 — Site acreage**

- **Dedicated to solving the most pressing scientific problems facing humankind**
  - Basic science for a secure energy future
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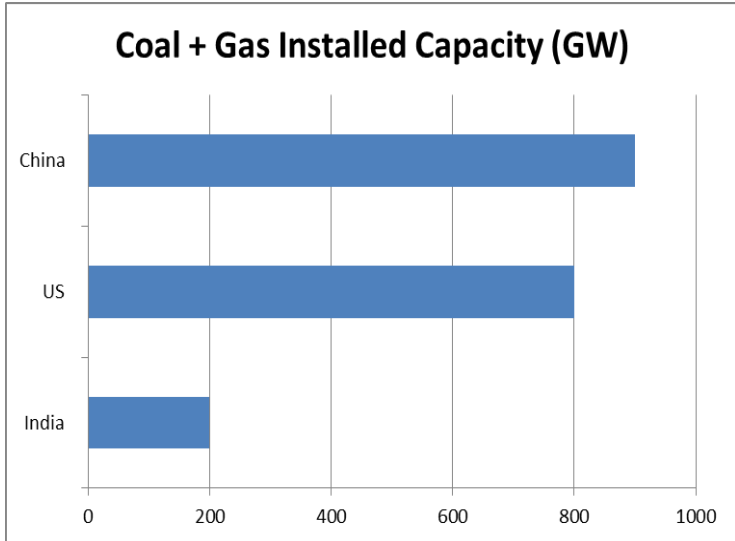
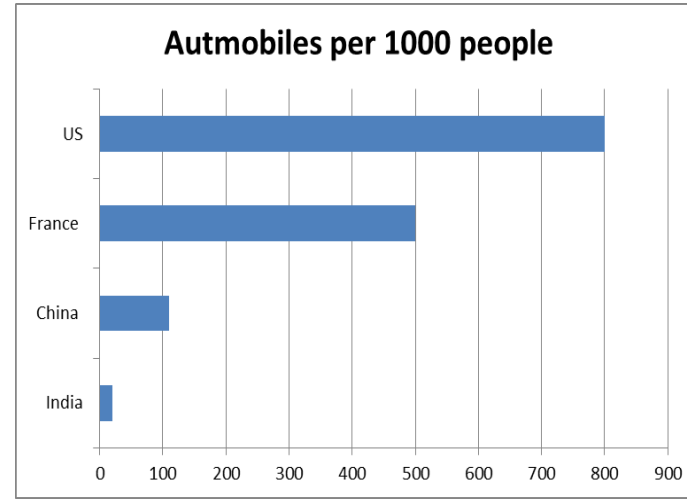




India without coal and oil will address air quality, import dependence, and the need for deep GHG emission cuts

# Why India can leapfrog to a clean energy future?

Most is yet to be built: India lags **~\$ 1-2 trillion** in fossil assets; clean energy increasingly competitive



*Cool Roofs (or White roofs) can lower the buildings cooling energy consumption by ~20%*

*How rooftops of the two cities differ ?*



*Delhi*



*Jaisalmer*

## *Electricity access beyond lighting*



Less than 20W smart and efficient home system that includes: 2 lights, 23-inch TV, table fan, radio/clock, mobile charger

Entire system can be powered using a 40W solar panel (see picture) and a 30Ah battery

# *Leapfrog to Renewable, Electrified Transportation*

Exploding Personal Vehicle  
Ownership



Air Pollution



Oil Imports



- Electric cars have much higher benefits in India
- Public procurement can accelerate the initial market adoption



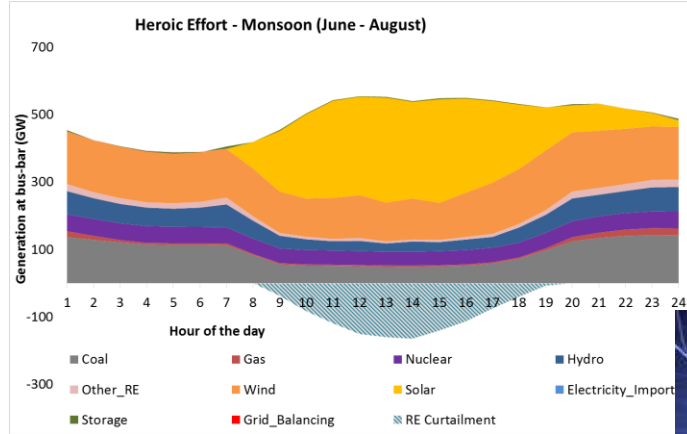
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**Thank you !**

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# India Raising Ambition: How a Future Without Coal and Oil can be Achieved in India



RE based Power



Smart and innovative storage



Integrated markets



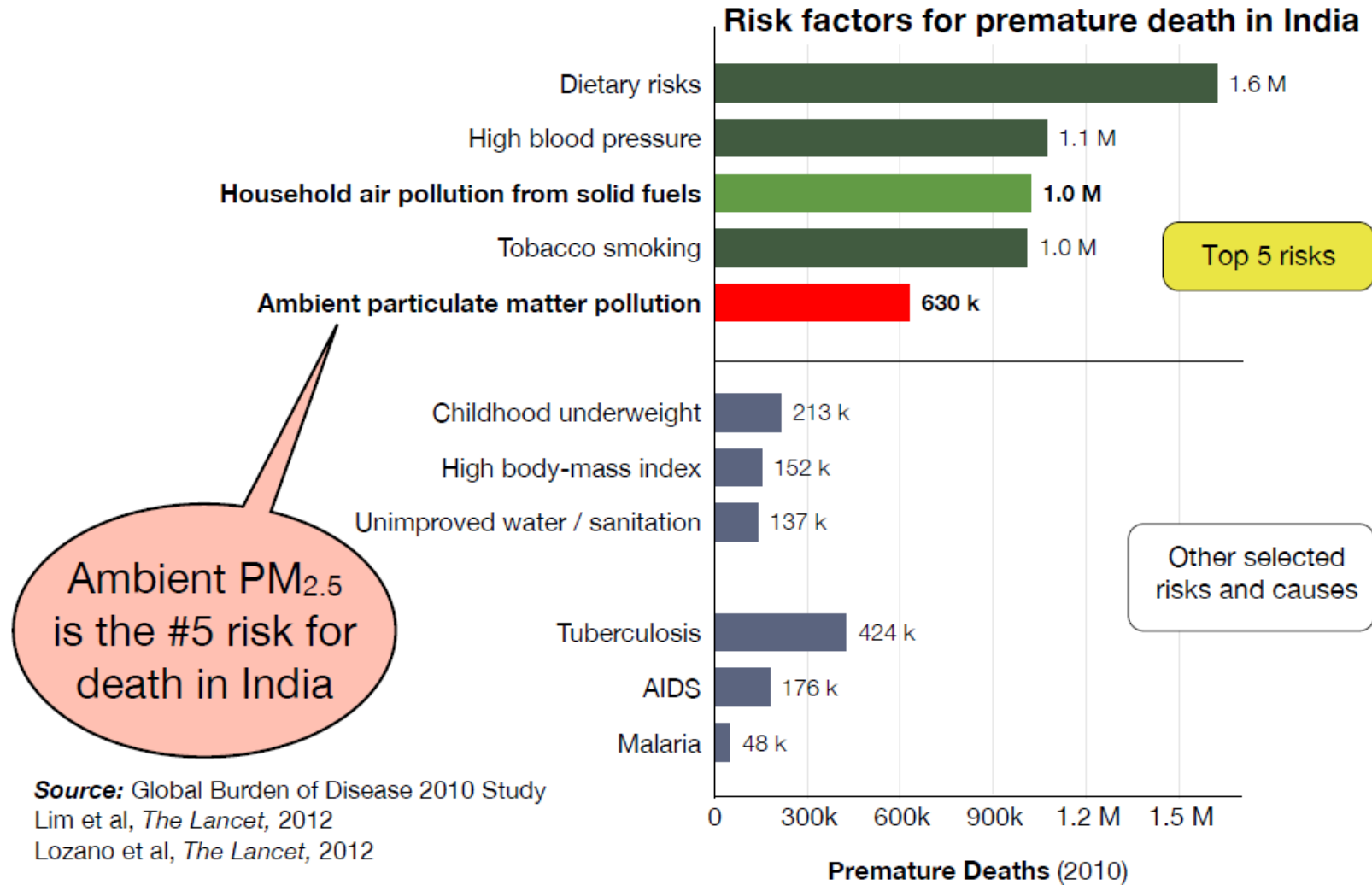
Electrified transport



Smart and super efficient demand

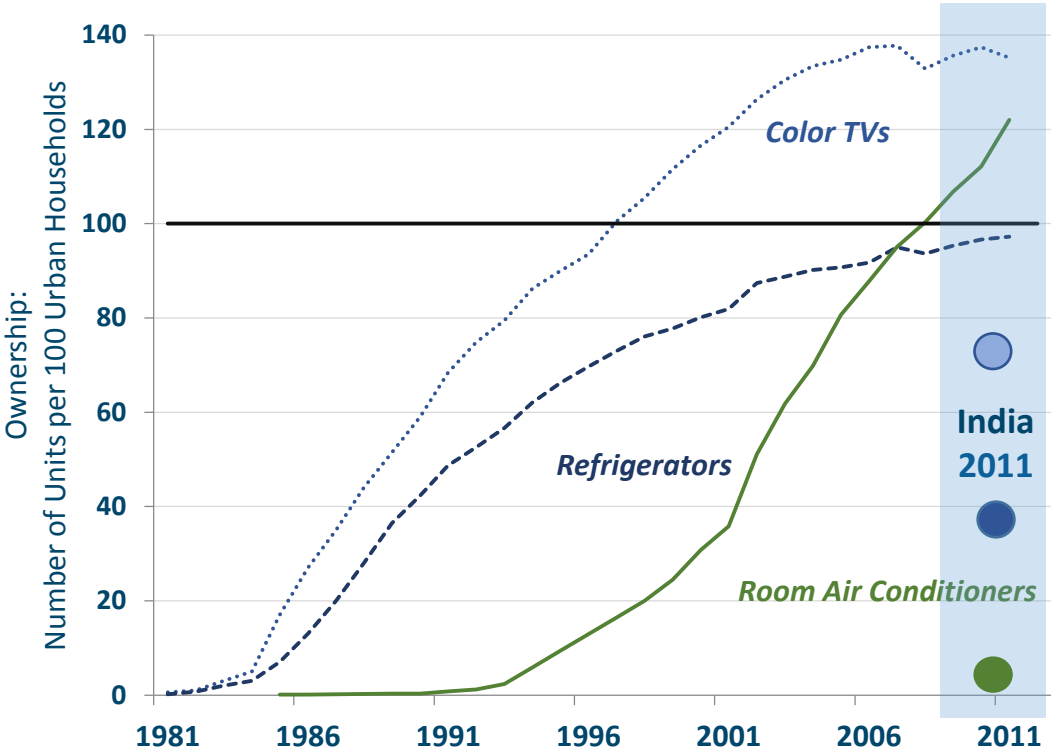


# Comprehensive Strategies for Clean Air

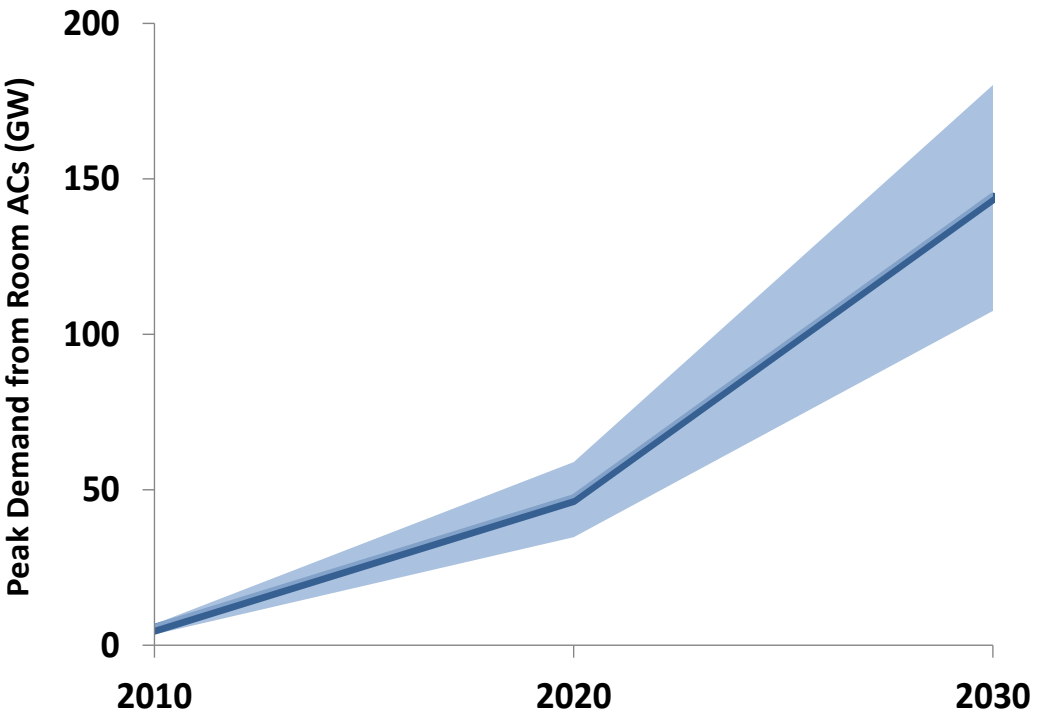


# Managing the Air Conditioning Demand: Crucial for Power Sector

## Growth in China's AC Market



## AC Peak Demand Projections for India



## *RE Procurement and Grid Integration: Assessing the least cost strategy*

- India is planning to make ~\$1 Trillion investments in the power sector over next 20 years
- Substantial potential exists in RE procurement (especially wind) cost reduction
  - E.g. solar costs dropped over 80% over the last 10 years; wind costs virtually unchanged for the last 10-15 years
- Significant opportunity to identify the leapfrogging least cost integration strategies
  - For example, what kind of investments are needed to balance RE – can fast-ramp coal plants be useful or investments in gas are essential ? What is the role of Demand Response / EVs?
  - Ultra-Mega Power Plant for RE?

➔ Identify and support smart investments



# RE Grid Integration Study

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National Renewable Energy Laboratory

CEA, 23 February 2017

# Sponsors and official GOI lead



# Grid Integration Studies: Our Purpose



- If India develops 100 GW of solar and 60 GW of wind energy, how would the system operate in 2022?
- What can policy makers do to lower the cost of operating this system?
  - Note: Fixed costs considered as sunk cost

# Modeling team

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- Brendan McBennett

## LBNL

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# Stakeholder Participation

- Grid Integration Review Committee
  - Peer Review and Guidance
  - Over 150 Experts
  - Three sets of meetings

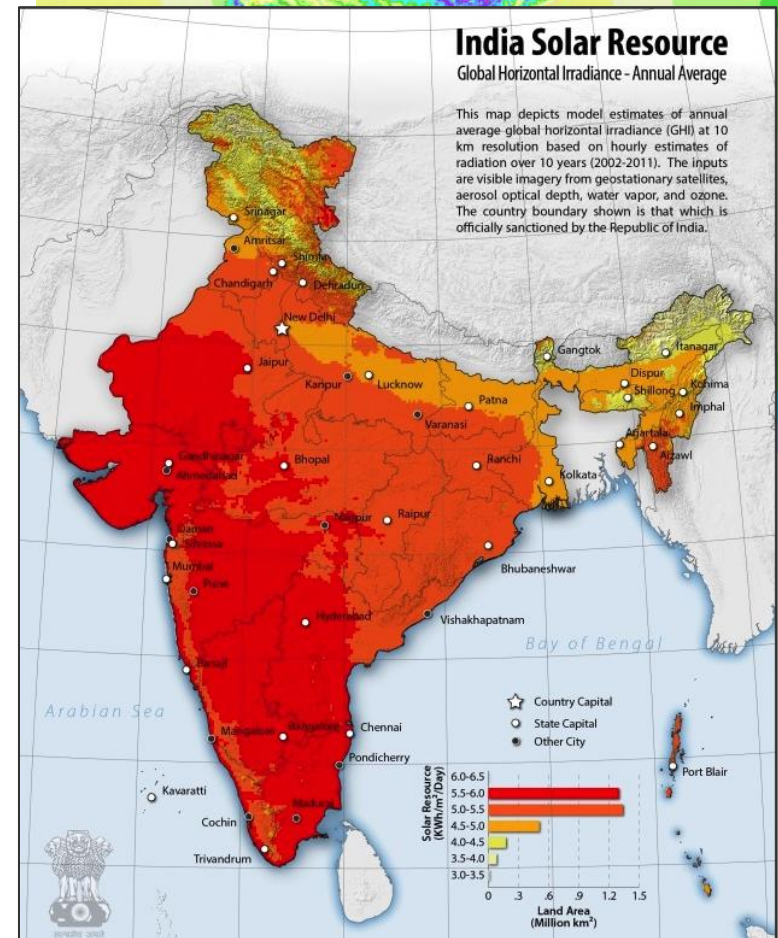
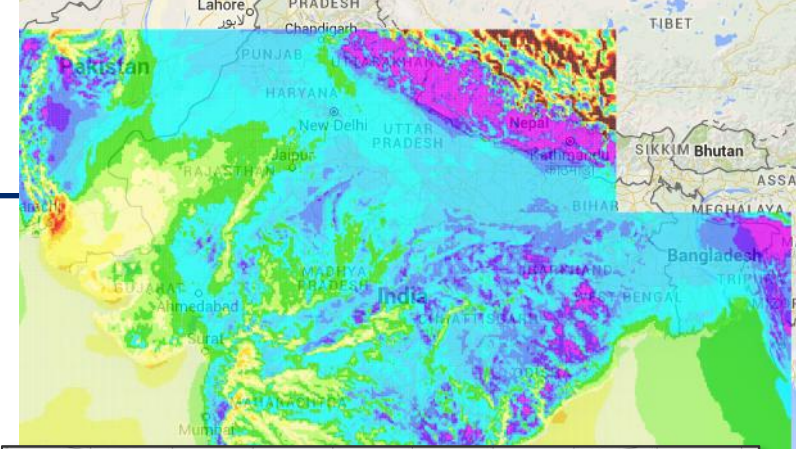
	National (New Delhi)	Southern (Bengaluru)	Western (Mumbai)
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2 <sup>nd</sup> GIRC	19/4/16	21/4/16	22/4/16
3 <sup>rd</sup> GIRC	18/7/16	20/7/16	22/7/16
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More than 2000 person hours



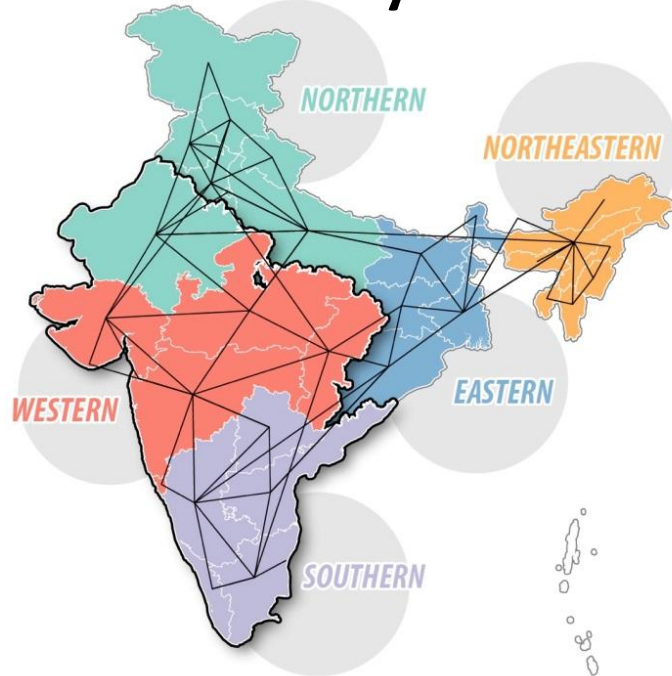
# Modeling features

- High-resolution wind and solar resource data (both forecasts and actuals)
  - Wind: 5-minute weather profiles for each 3 x 3 km<sup>2</sup> area
  - Solar: 1-hour weather profiles for each 10 x 10 km<sup>2</sup> area, including impact of aerosols
- Unique properties for each generator
- CEA/CTU projections of properties and locations of new lines and power plants for 2022
- Enforced state-to-state transmission flows
- Interregional transmission limits that adhere to reliability standards



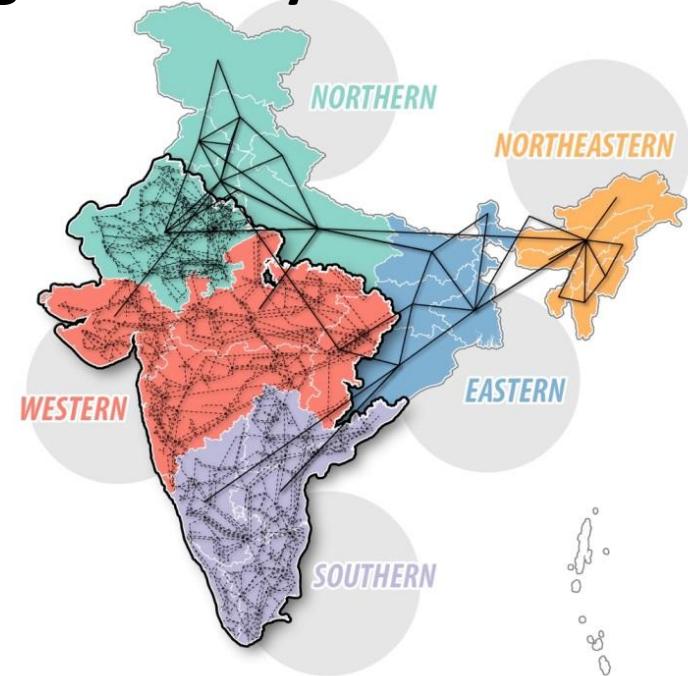
# Transmission representation in the model

## National study



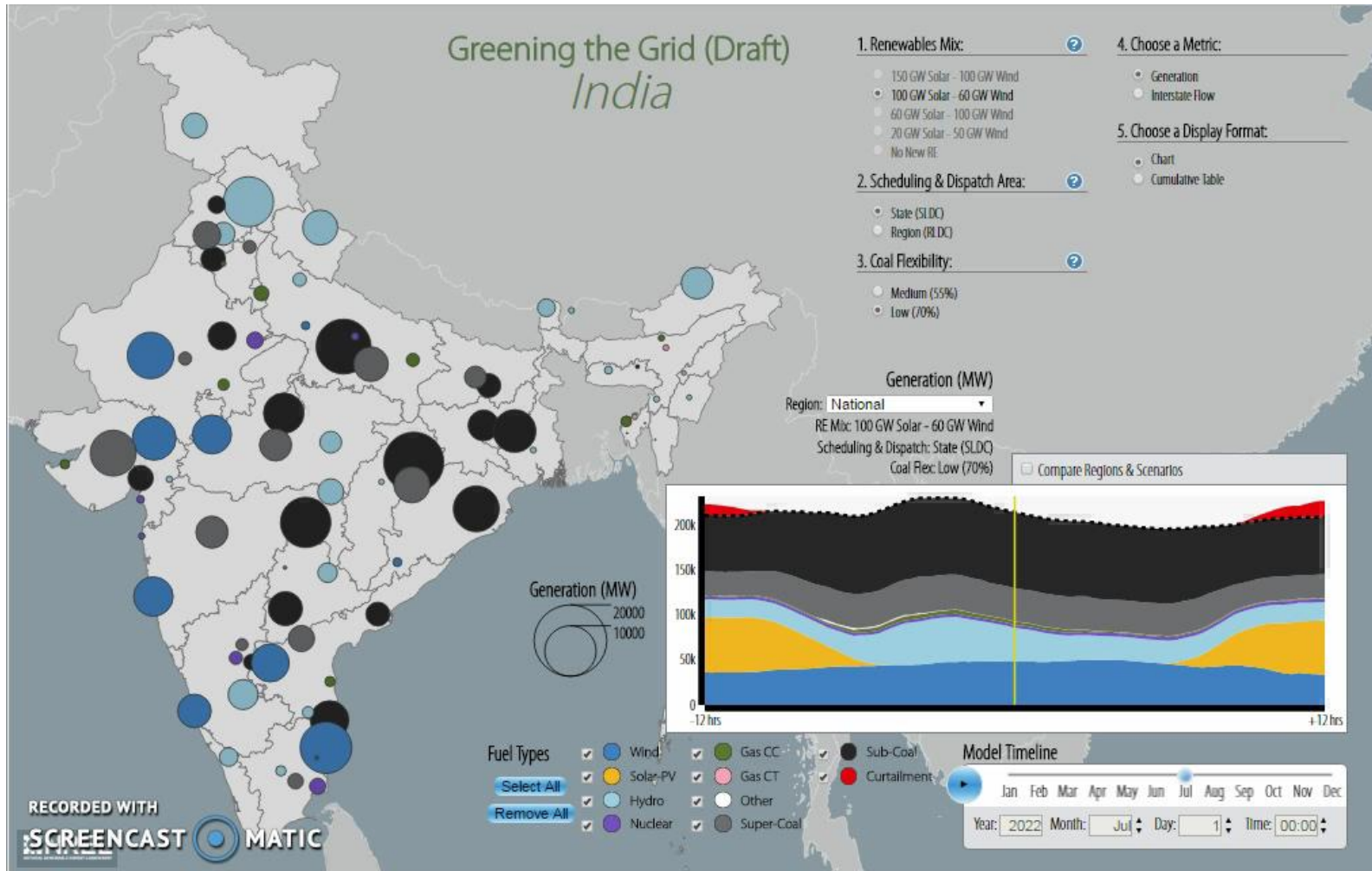
- All generation and transmission located on a single node per state plus union territories (36 nodes total)
- No enforced intrastate transmission constraints

## Regional study

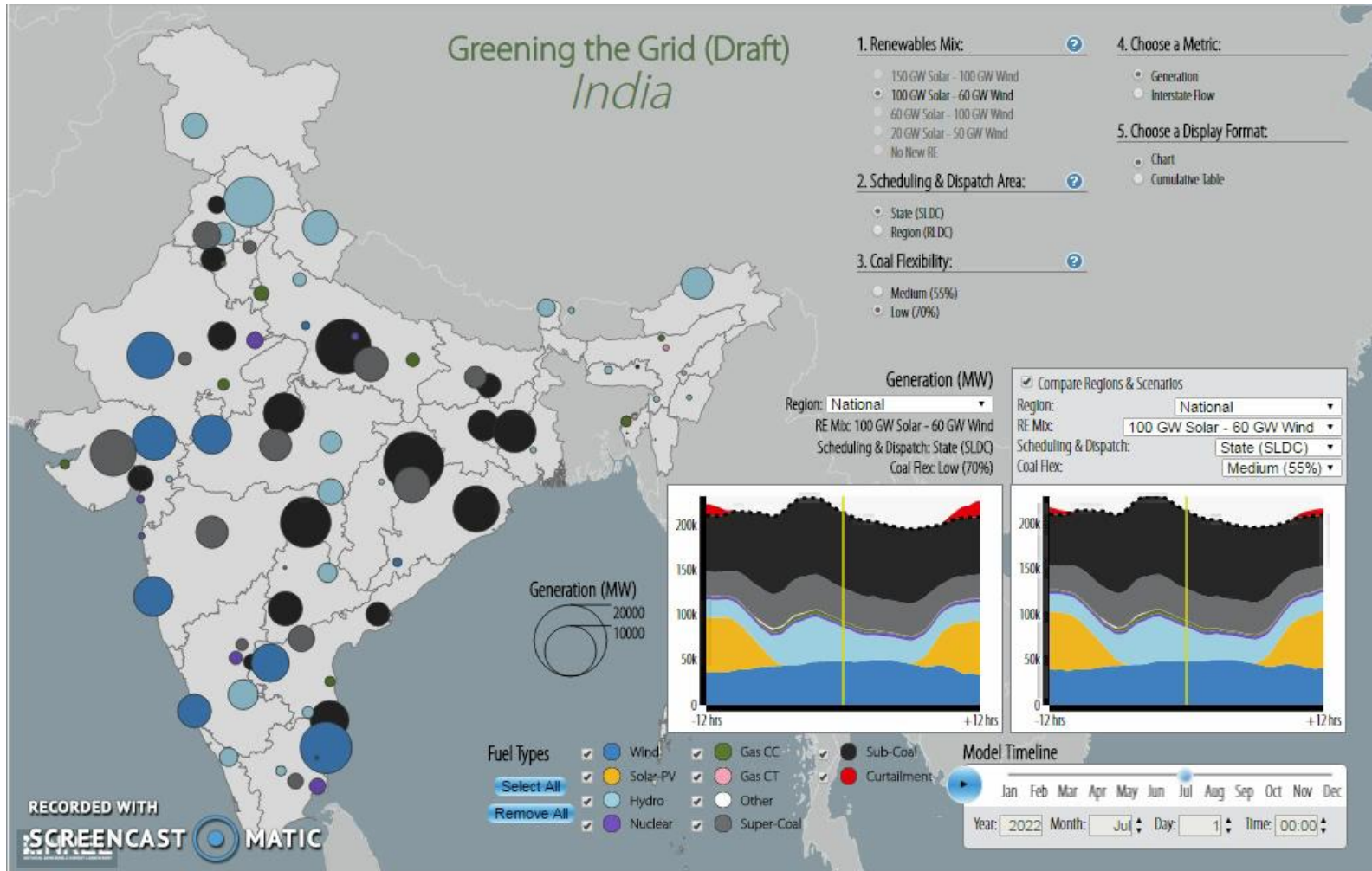


- Full, planned transmission system in Southern and Western Regions plus Rajasthan (3,280 nodes)
- Loading limits enforced on all relevant intrastate lines; congestion limits enforced on all high-volume intrastate lines (>400 kV)

# Curtailment increases during monsoon



# We compare operations under different scenarios of coal flexibility



# Key Finding #1: 160 GW wind & solar can be integrated to the grid with continued efforts to improve access to existing system flexibility

- Based on GOI's projected power system plans and regulations, and with optimal siting of RE with regards to intrastate transmission...
  - The 2022 power system with 100 GW solar and 60 GW wind can balance every 15 minutes of the year with minimal RE curtailment
  - The system can handle forecast errors, net load changes, and exchanges of energy between regions
  - Physically, the system has the flexibility to manage; the challenge going forward is accessing this flexibility through appropriate regulations, operational rules, etc.

**160 GW**

**60 GW**

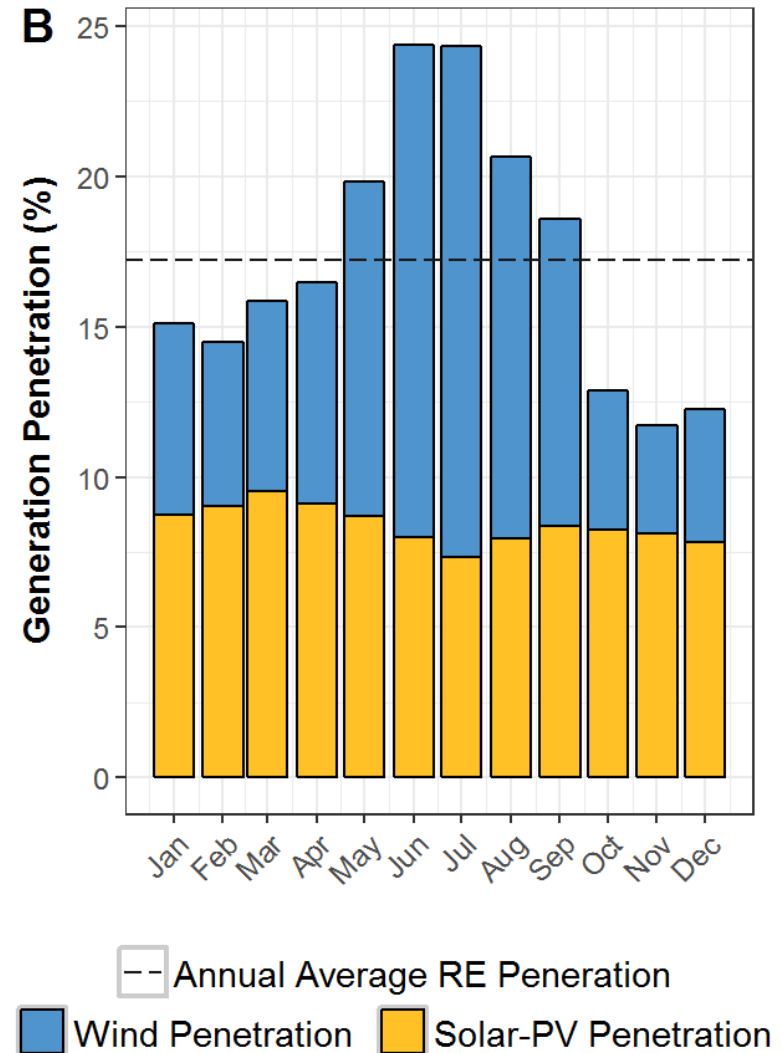


**100 GW**

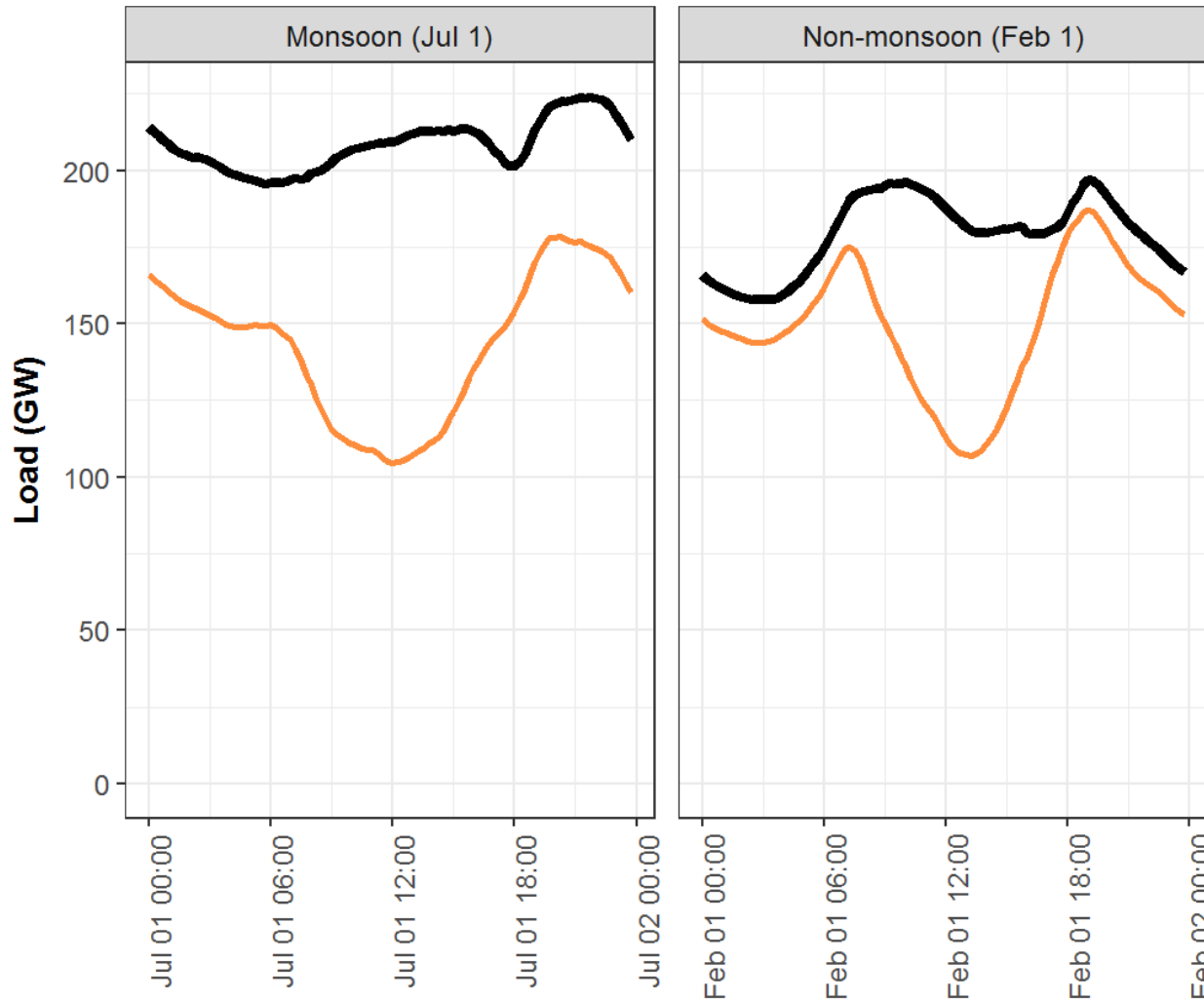


## Key Finding #2: With effective state-level planning, curtailment may not be a barrier to RE investment

- Curtailment risk is a large concern to RE developers and investors
- Study finds curtailment averages only 1% nationally, based on no intrastate congestion
- Curtailment is highest in the southern region but still less than 3%



# Key Finding #3: Peak system-wide ramp increases 28% compared to a system with no new RE, to almost 32 GW per hour (530 MW/min)

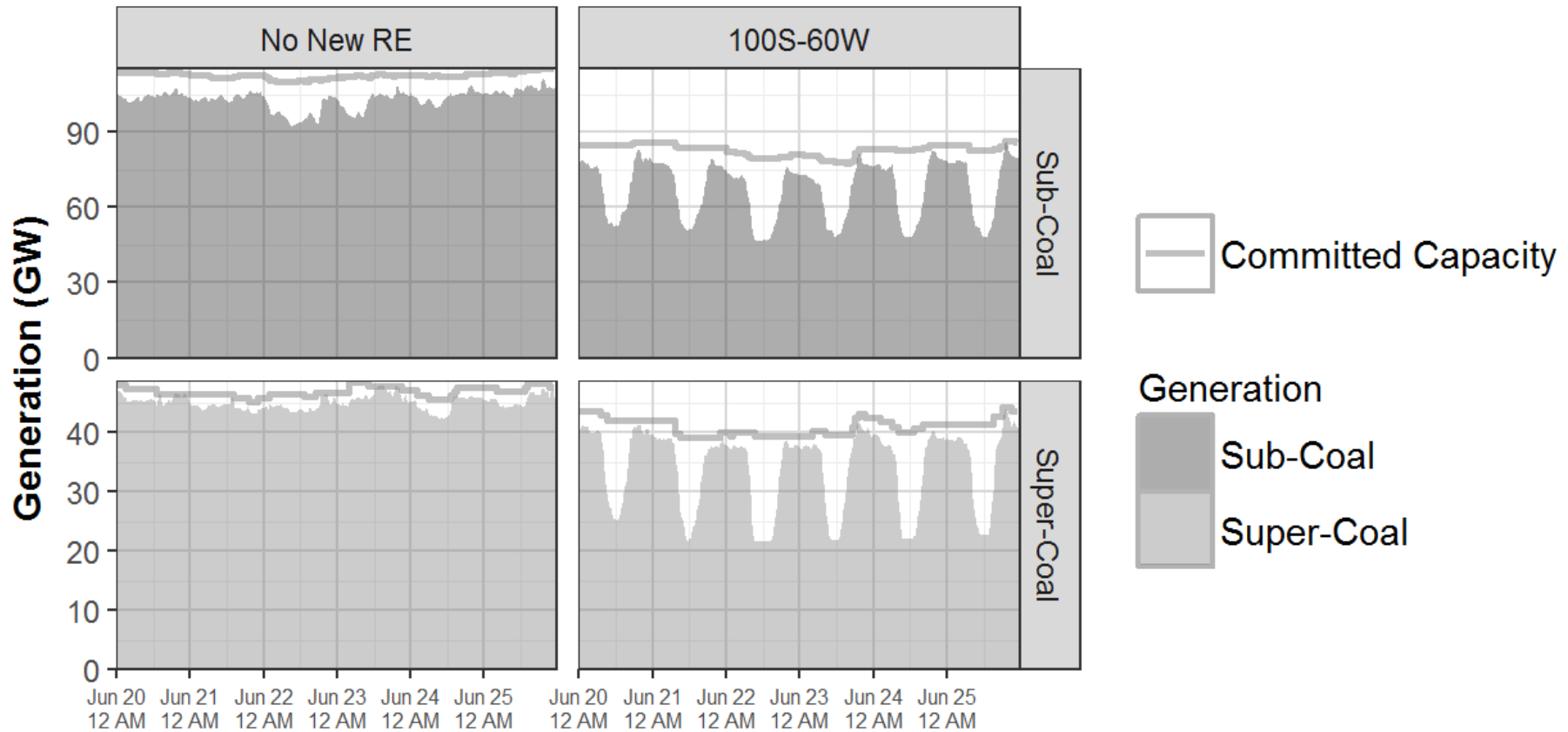


This ramp rate can be met if all generating stations exploit their inherent ramping capability.

**Net Load**  
— 100S-60W  
**Load**  
—

Net load on a monsoon and non-monsoon day

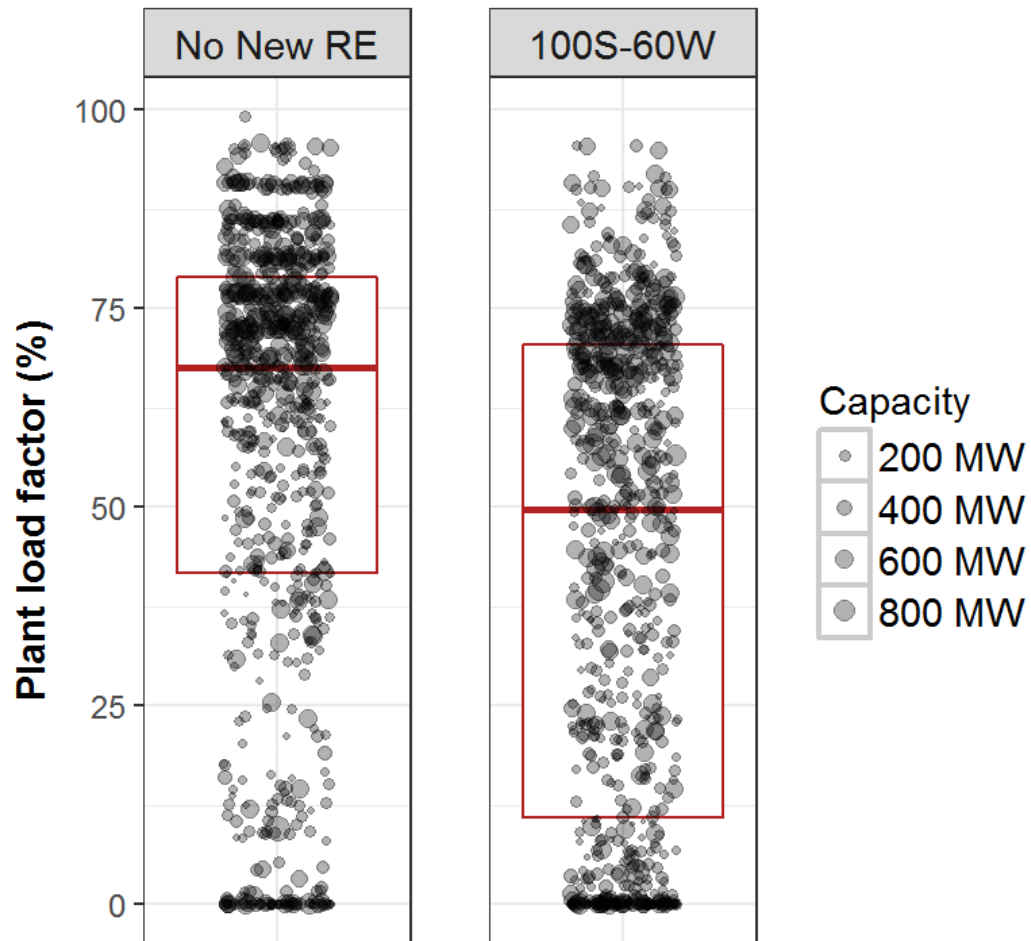
# Key Finding #4: Coal units are typically backed down midday



Coal commitment and dispatch for one week in June



# Key Finding #5: Average coal plant load factors fall 63% to 49%, with over 19 GW of capacity that never starts\*



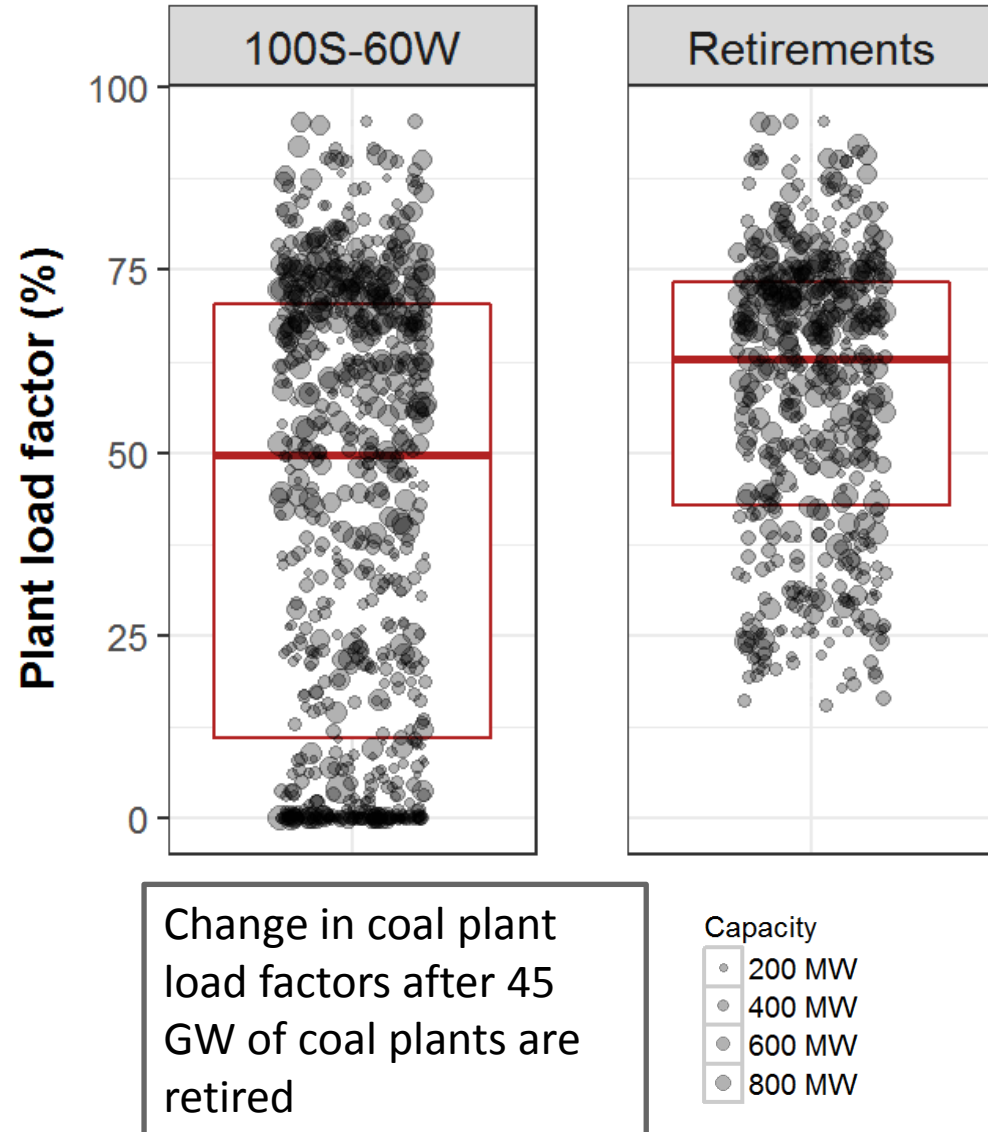
Coal capacity below 25%, and above 75% PLF

PLF	No New RE	100S-60W
<25% PLF	30 GW	60 GW
>75% PLF	92 GW	36 GW

\* Compared to No New RE; Plant load factor (PLF) is calculated using weighted averages

# Key Finding #6: Retiring 45 GW of coal does not adversely affect system flexibility

- 45 GW coal (198 plants) operate on average less than 15% capacity and contribute just 1% to annual coal generation
- System still operates effectively without these plants, based on adequate intrastate transmission
- Plant load factors of remaining plants increase from 49% to 61%



# Key Finding #7: Changes to operations can reduce the cost of RE integration and reduce curtailment



**Improved merit order dispatch and resource sharing across state and regional boundaries lower costs**

- 3% annual savings from regional optimization
- Fewer coal plants need to run at part load
- More efficient use of coal plants means long-run investment costs likely lower with fewer coal plants needed



**Lower turn-down plant levels biggest driver to reduce RE curtailment**

- 70% = 3.4% RE curtailment
- 55% = 1.1%
- 40% = 0.5%




Other aspects of coal plant flexibility (e.g., ramp rates) and increased interregional transmission capacity are critical but changing these had small impact on system operations and RE integration

# Key Finding #8: Batteries do not add value to RE integration from scheduling/dispatch perspective

- 2.5 GW batteries reduce RE curtailment and peak coal consumption
- But batteries charge during the day, in part on coal, and have efficiency losses
- Electricity savings from reduced RE curtailment (1.1 TWh) is offset by battery efficiency losses (1.7 TWh)
- Total coal generation is not affected
- CO<sub>2</sub> emissions do not decline

**Batteries could have value for other reasons outside scope of study:**


- Local transmission congestion, ancillary services...

 <b>BATTERY STORAGE</b>	
 <b>100 GW SOLAR, 60 GW WIND</b>	
NORMAL OPERATIONS (NO BATTERY STORAGE)	2.5 GW BATTERY STORAGE
<b>220,000</b> INR Crore Annual Production Cost	<b>0.20%</b> Increased cost annually 
<b>1.1%</b> Renewable Energy Curtailment	<b>0.82%</b> Renewable Energy Curtailment

# Priority policy takeaways

- 1** Evaluate policy/regulatory options to improve merit order dispatch
- 2** Set comprehensive standards for coal flexibility (CERC and SERCs)
- 3** Support states to identify necessary intrastate transmission
- 4** Develop least-cost generation and transmission plans that consider fixed and variable costs as well as operational impacts
- 5** Evaluate options to manage financial impacts from lower PLFs of thermal fleet

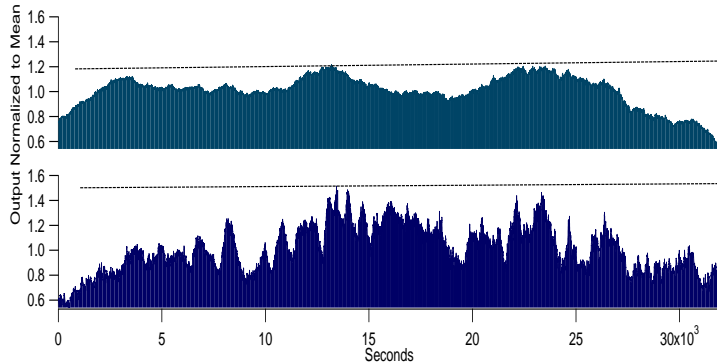




# Other Greening the Grid Components

# Example: An Integrated GTG Pilot

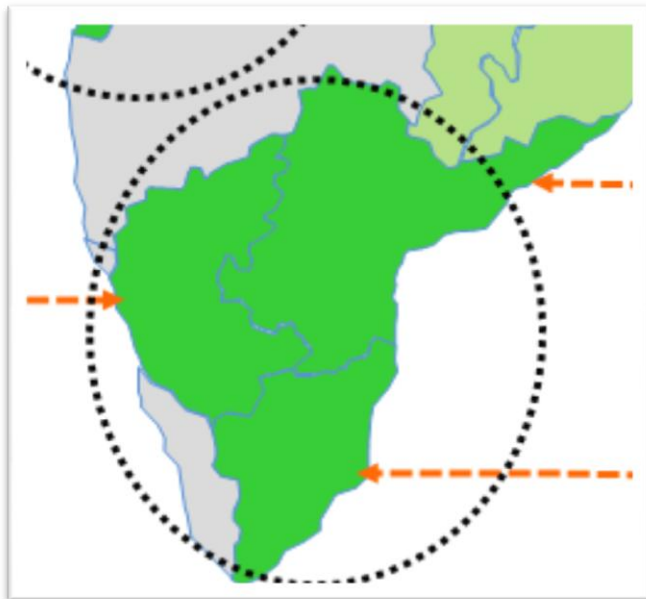
**GOAL: Improved Ability to Meet RE Targets**



**System Planning at High RE Scenarios**

**Capacity Building & Lessons for Operators & Regulators**

**Improved Cooperation between States for Balancing**



**BUSINESS CASE**

Demonstrate cost savings and smoothing of variability from balancing area coordination

**PEER EXCHANGE**

Analysis of market-based approaches for F/S/B  
Bootcamps for A/S

**PILOT**

Test Energy Imbalance Market across multiple states for shared balancing resources



Thank you!

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# **Techno-Economic Assessment of Integrating 175GW of Renewable Energy into the Indian Grid by 2022**

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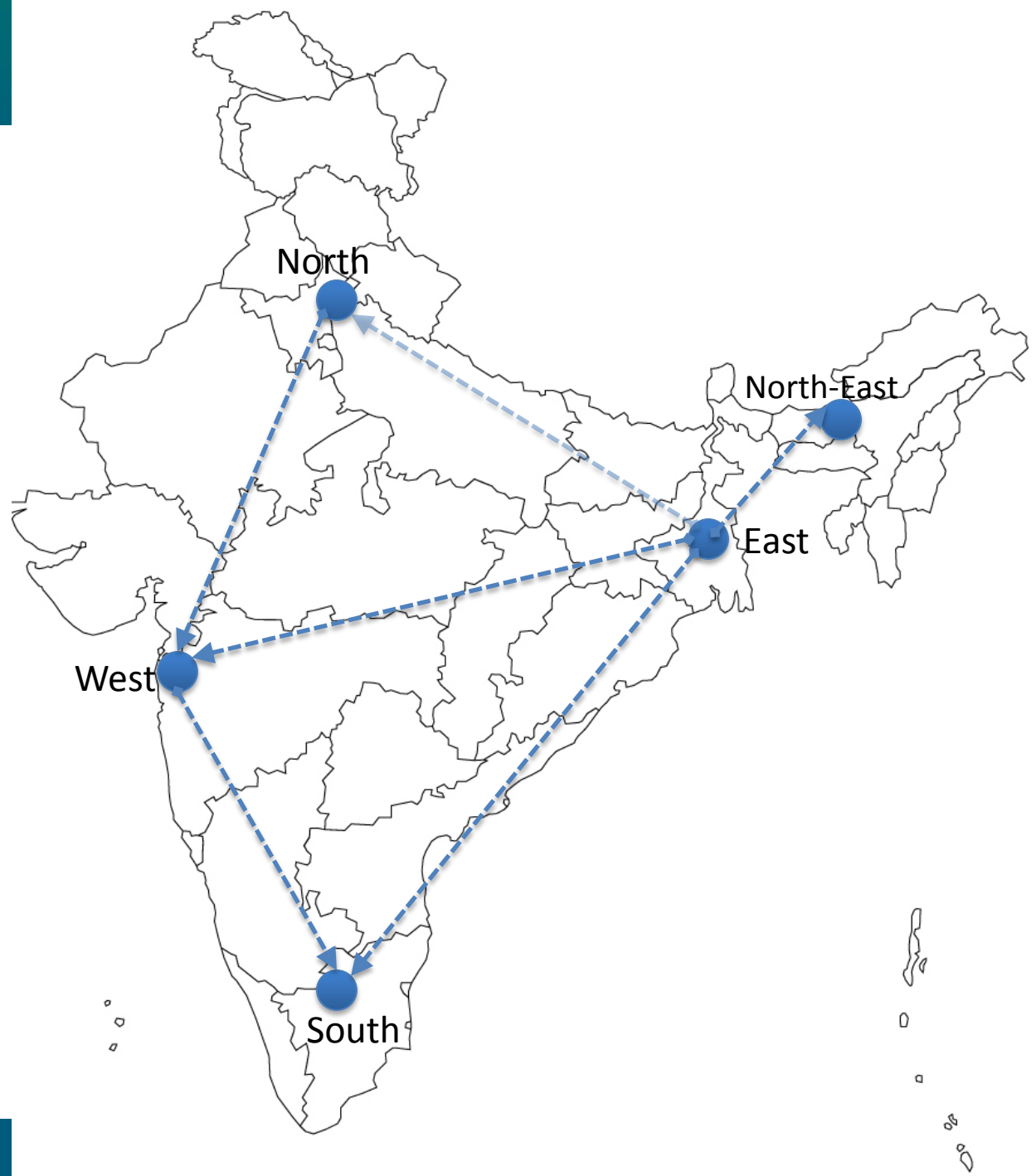
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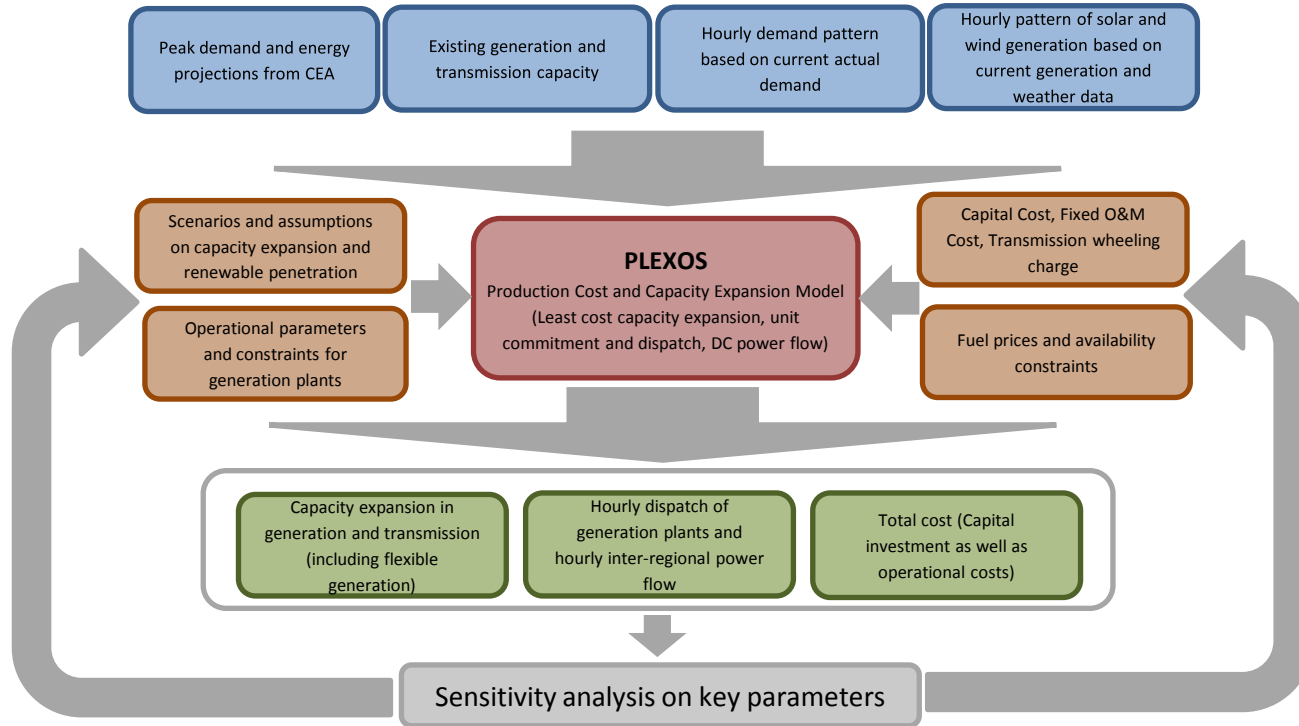
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- Given the 175 GW RE target, designing appropriate policy, regulatory, and commercial strategies for RE grid integration is crucial
  - Although large scale RE grid integration has been analyzed widely in the US and European context, there is limited literature in India
- The objective of this study is to assess the impact on power sector investments, operations, and electricity supply costs of the 175GW of RE target by 2022:
  - What is the impact of integrating RE on the capacity addition and capacity factors of conventional generators?
  - Are there any additional ramp requirements and if so how can they be met in a least cost fashion?
  - How do inter-regional transmission flows and investment requirement change?
  - What is the impact on the wholesale electricity supply cost (at region boundary)?



# Summary of the Method – Modeling Framework

- We conduct our analysis using PLEXOS, an industry-standard production cost model
- For various levels of RE penetration targets, PLEXOS identifies the least cost investment and economic dispatch subject to a range of operational constraints



- We model the Indian electricity grid using 5 nodes – one node for every region which allows us to broadly assess the transfer capacities across regions assuming each region as a balancing area

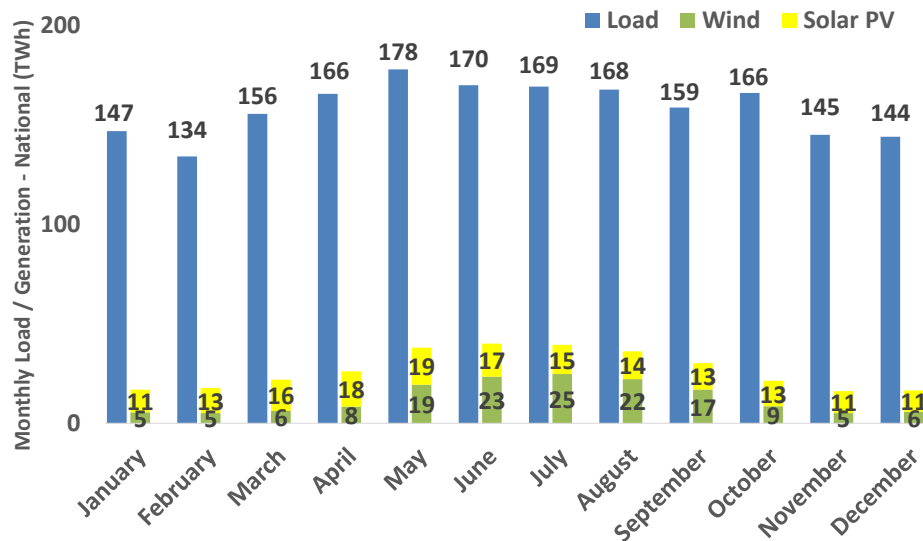
# Summary of the Method – Scenarios for FY 2022

- **13th Plan** (41GW Wind, 22GW Solar, 15GW Other RE)
  - This scenario serves as the baseline and uses the generation capacity addition for all technologies as projected in the Government of India's 12th Five-Year Plan document that includes projections up to the 13<sup>th</sup> Plan period (2022)
- **RE Missions** (60GW Wind, 100GW Solar, 15GW Other RE)
  - This scenario models the Government of India's announcement in 2015 to increase the total installed capacity of solar energy to 100GW and wind energy to 60 GW by FY 2022
  - Coal and gas capacity expansion is "optimized" by the model; Hydro, Nuclear, and Other RE capacity assumed same as the 13<sup>th</sup> Plan
- **National Action Plan on Climate Change (NAPCC)** (108GW Wind, 58GW Solar, 15GW Other RE)
  - This scenario models the RE target described in India's NAPCC (2009) - 15% electricity (by energy) by 2020 and ~20% by 2022 (extrapolated)
  - Keeping the other RE capacity same as the 13th Plan, we split the rest of the NAPCC target into wind and solar PV capacity using a 75:25 ratio\*
  - Coal and gas capacity expansion is "optimized" by the model; Hydro, Nuclear, and Other RE capacity assumed same as the 13<sup>th</sup> Plan

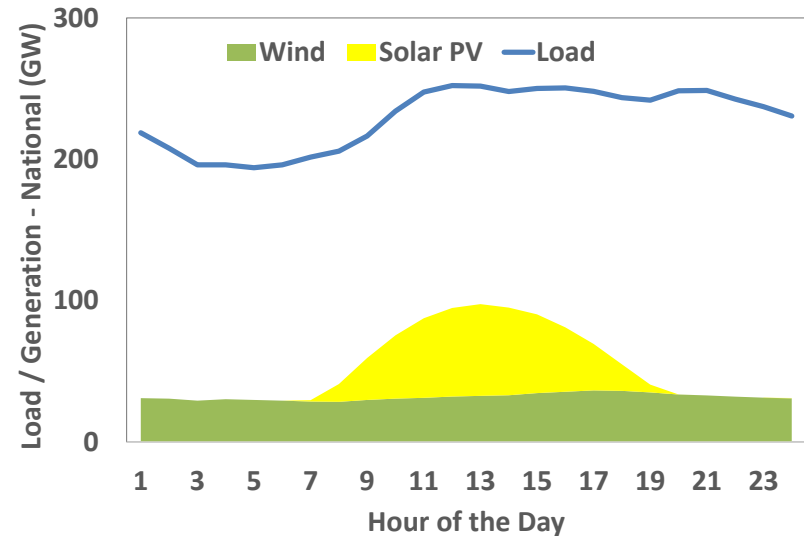


# Key Results

# Solar and Wind Energy Have Complementary Profiles: Seasonally and Diurnally



Monthly Load and RE Generation - National  
(RE Missions Scenario – 100GW Solar, 60GW Wind)

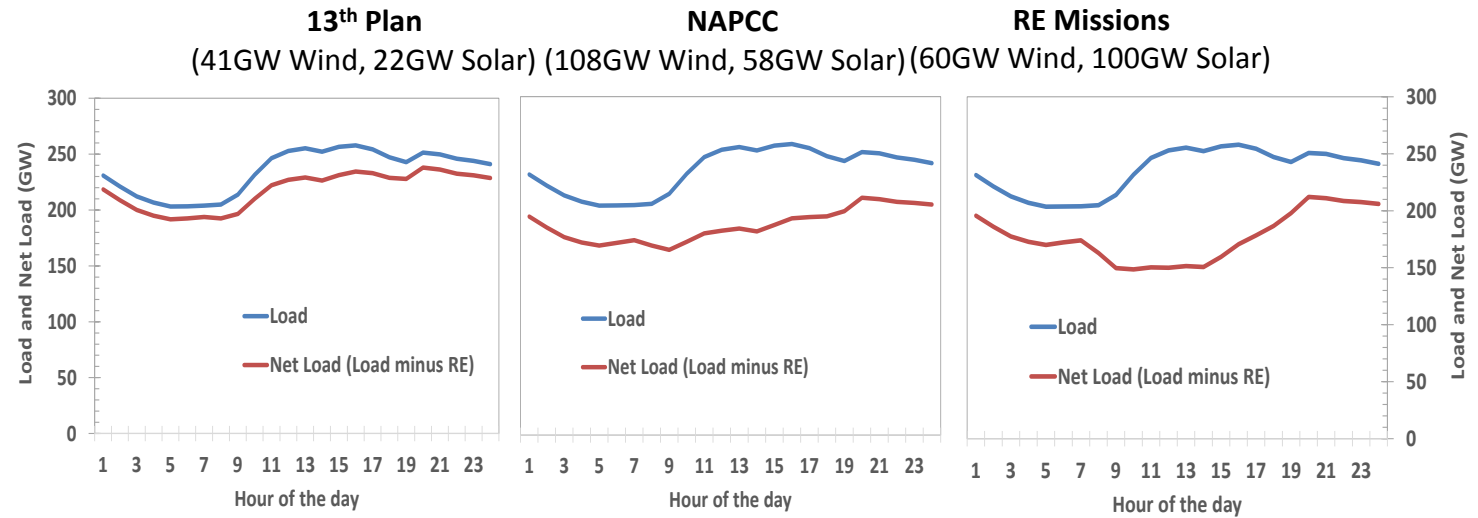


National Average Hourly Load and RE Generation (June-Sep)  
(RE Missions Scenario – 100GW Solar, 60GW Wind)

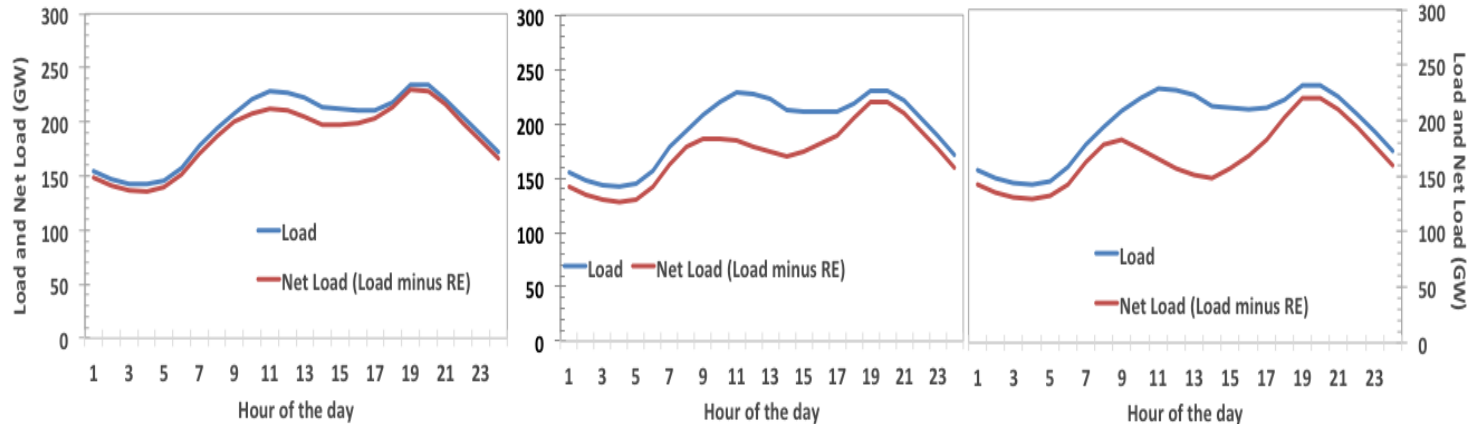
- Wind generation peaks in Monsoon (June-Sep) while solar generation peaks in the Summer (April-May)
- In winter, wind generation drops significantly while the drop in solar generation is modest
- Diurnally, solar generation peaks between 12 and 1 PM; wind generation peaks between 5 and 7 PM (when solar PV generation starts dropping rapidly)
- Regional diversity in wind generation creates a favorable national aggregate hourly profile

# Overall, RE generation has good correlation with load; winter evening peak may drive the need for low fixed cost capacity

**Monsoon**  
(June - September)



**Winter**  
(December - February)



In Summer and Monsoon, RE generation has good correlation with the peak load (afternoon) and can avoid significant conventional generation. However, in Winter (especially evening peak load hours), RE generation drops significantly.

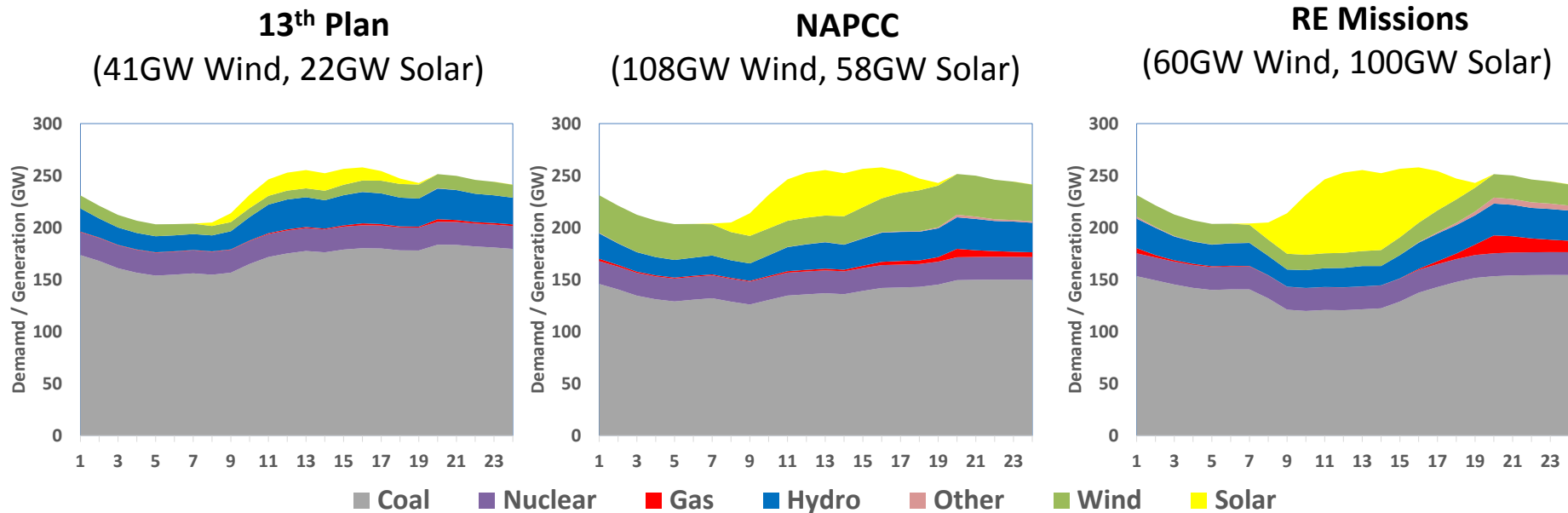


# Significant coal capacity can be avoided; moderate additions to the gas capacity required

	13 <sup>th</sup> Plan		RE Missions		NAPCC	
	Installed Capacity (GW)	Annual Capacity Factor (%)	Installed Capacity (GW)	Annual Capacity Factor (%)	Installed Capacity (GW)	Annual Capacity Factor (%)
<b>Coal</b>	243	64%	182	71%	182	73%
<b>Gas (CCGT / CT)</b>	23	7%	33	7%	25	9%
<b>Diesel</b>	1	0%	1	0%	1	0%
<b>Nuclear</b>	25	89%	25	89%	25	89%
<b>Hydro (Incl. small hydro)</b>	66	37%	66	37%	66	36%
<b>Biomass + Cogen.</b>	8	1%	8	2%	8	2%
<b>Wind</b>	41	25%	60	29%	108	29%
<b>Solar</b>	22	19%	100	19%	58	19%
<b>Total</b>	<b>425 GW</b>		<b>476 GW</b>		<b>472 GW</b>	

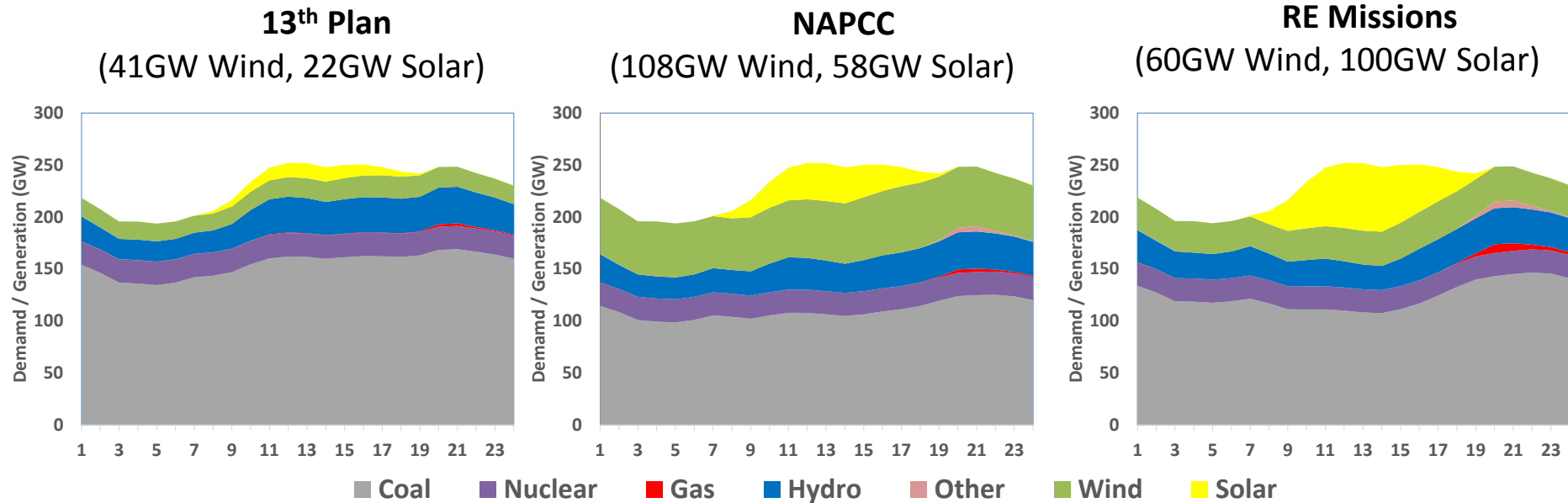
- In both the RE heavy scenarios, significant new coal capacity could be avoided relative to the 13th Plan scenario (the baseline)
- Moderate additions to gas based capacity are needed in both RE heavy scenarios
  - ~10GW in case of RE Missions and ~2GW in case of NAPCC
  - These additions need not be technology specific; if other sources provide such services (e.g. hydro or demand response etc.), the need for gas based capacity addition would reduce
- Gas plants operate with a capacity factor of 7-9% implying that they are primarily used as a peaking resource or for providing additional flexibility to the system

# Average Hourly National Dispatch (FY 2022) – Summer (April- May)



- In all scenarios, most coal units are dispatched as base load units
- In summer, solar output is the highest; however, the generation is limited to afternoon peak load hours
- Gas based capacity (or other flexible capacity) is crucial for the evening ramp-up and energy support, especially in the RE Missions scenario
  - Hydro has limited applicability since ~50% of the installed capacity is run of the river (ROR) and the rest has significant dispatch restrictions
- No RE curtailment is found to be necessary

# Average Hourly National Dispatch (FY 2022) – Monsoon (June-Sep)



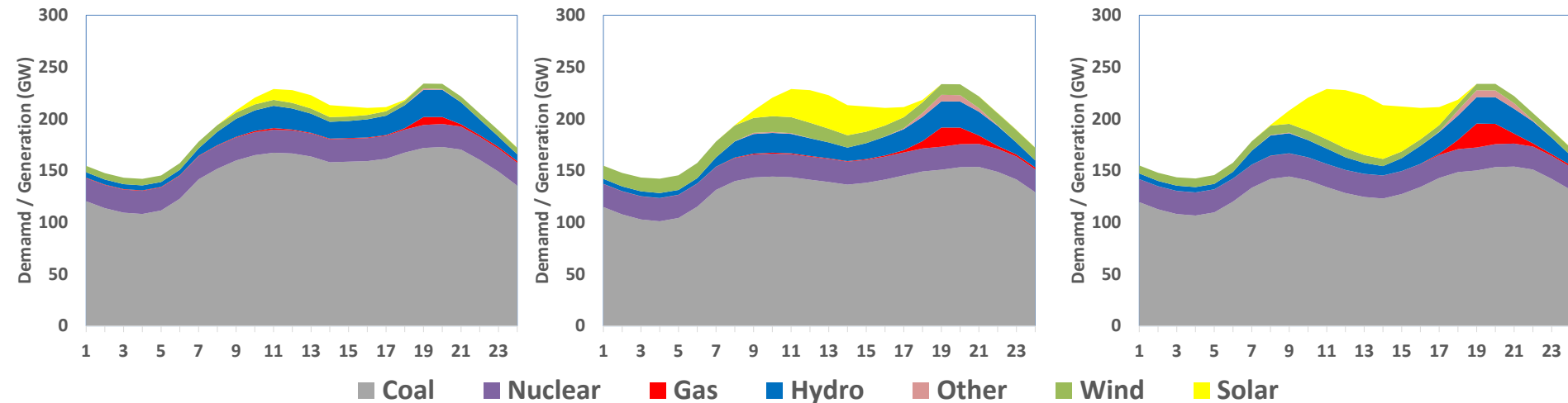
- In monsoon, wind generations peaks and also has good correlation with the evening peak load
- Increased wind generation also helps with managing the evening ramp-up
  - The need for gas based capacity (or other flexible capacity) is lower
- Despite significant increase in the RE generation (due to wind), no RE curtailment is found to be necessary

# Average Hourly National Dispatch (FY 2022) – Winter (Dec-Feb)

**13<sup>th</sup> Plan**  
(41GW Wind, 22GW Solar)

**NAPCC**  
(108GW Wind, 58GW Solar)

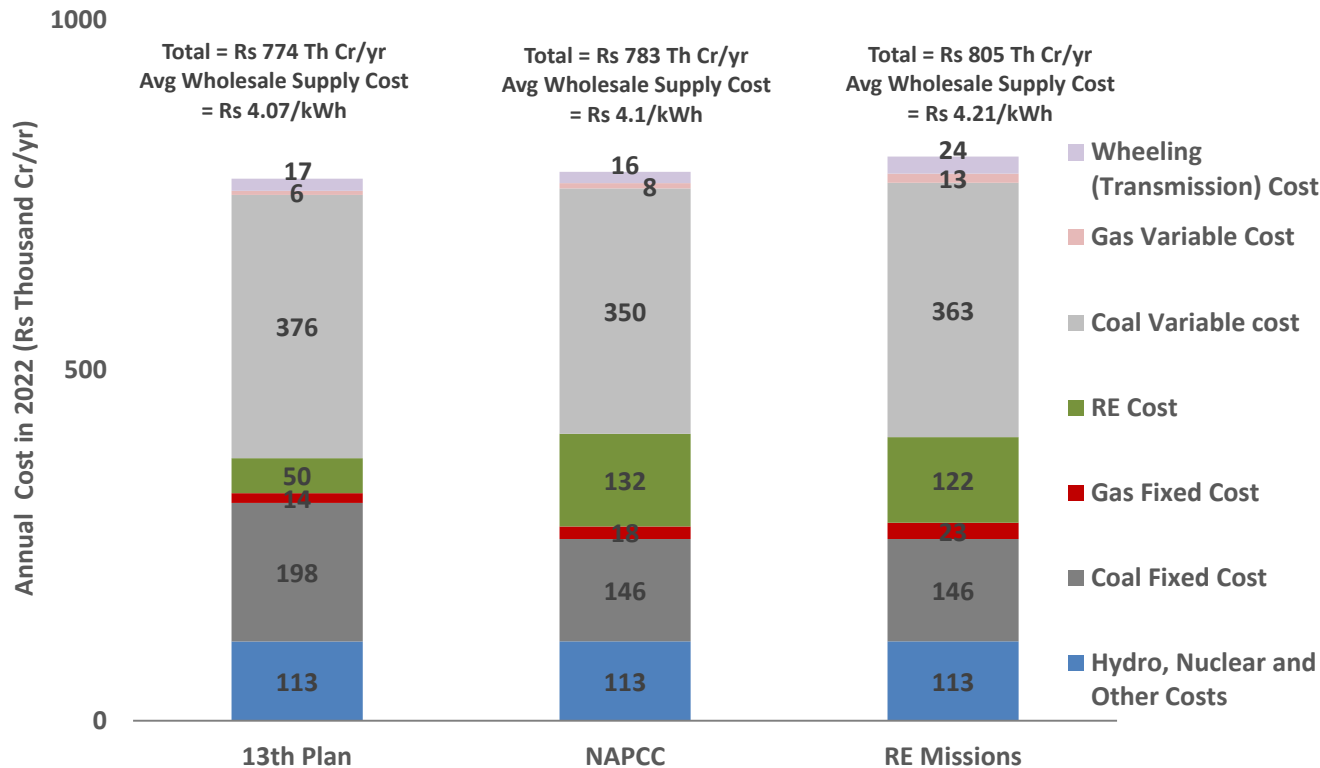
**RE Missions**  
(60GW Wind, 100GW Solar)



- In winter, wind (as well as solar) output drops significantly relative to other seasons
- However, demand is lower relative to other seasons as well
- Hydro capacity (especially run-of-river) is significantly restricted in winter
- Thus, evening peak support from gas power plants (or other flexible capacity) becomes crucial
  - Building local gas storage and avoiding take-or-pay gas contracts is important

# Incremental Cost of the RE Scenarios is up to Rs 32,000 Cr/yr (4-6% of the baseline)

- The incremental wholesale cost of supply in NAPCC and RE Missions scenarios is found to be **Rs 10,000 Cr/yr (1%)** and **Rs 32,000 Cr/yr (4%)** respectively relative to the 13<sup>th</sup> Plan
  - Total cost of the 13th Plan scenario at region boundary is Rs 774,000 Cr/yr by 2022
  - Incremental Increase in the average wholesale supply cost: 3p/kWh (NAPCC) and 14p/kWh (RE Missions)
  - If thermal capacity not optimized, cost of RE Missions = Rs 4.37/kWh (~Rs 70,000 Cr/yr)



These costs include majority of the RE integration cost such as additional investments in flexible capacity (such as gas etc.) or operation of expensive gas or diesel plants, and inter-regional transmission cost etc.

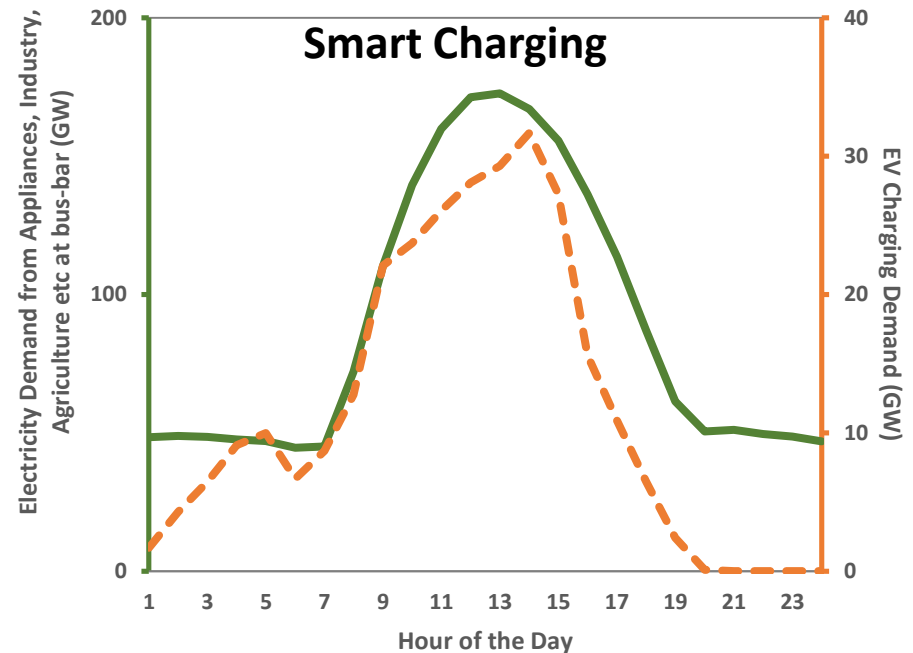
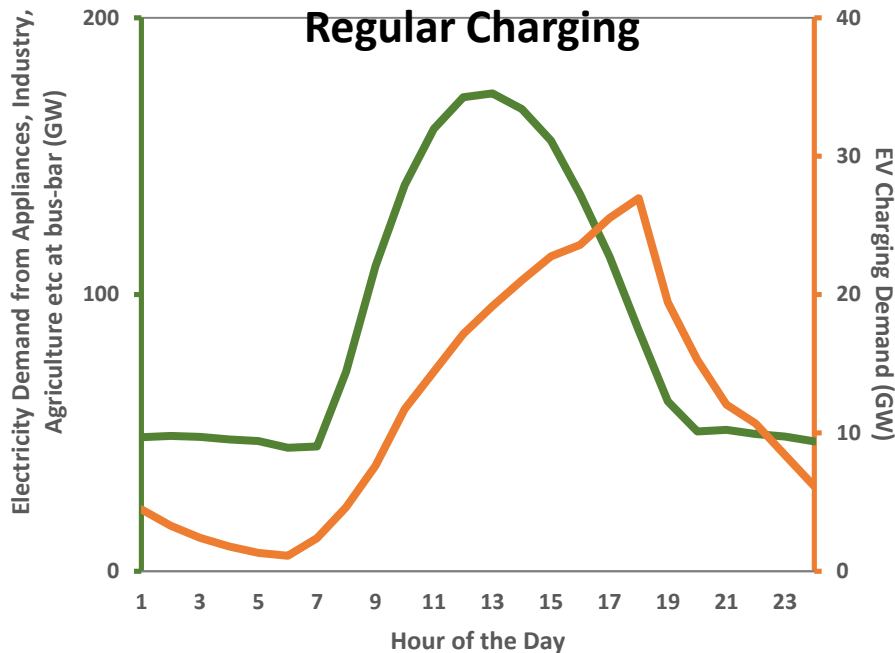
Does not include procurement of additional ancillary services. Several other studies have found these costs to be minor.

Does not consider new norms for Particulate Matter, SO<sub>x</sub>, and NO<sub>x</sub> emissions (2015), which may increase coal fixed costs by over ~10% and reduce the cost-differential between the 13<sup>th</sup> Plan and RE Dominant scenarios.

# Demand response could be one of the most cost-effective sources of flexibility (e.g. smart EV charging)

Most of the EV charging load could be shifted to the middle of the day **without impacting mobility demand**, to help RE grid integration; however, access to public charging infrastructure is crucial

*Average hourly load (non-BEV and EV Charging) in May 2030*



— Total RE Generation (Wind + Solar) — EV Charging Load

— Total RE Generation (Wind + Solar) - - EV Charging Load - Shifted

EV Charging Load Shifting could reduce the RE integration cost by ~5%

- We find that 175GW of RE can be reliably integrated into the grid by 2022 at an incremental wholesale electricity supply cost (at region boundary) of ~Rs 32,000 Cr/yr (increase in average wholesale supply cost of 14-22p/kWh or 4-6% over the baseline)
  - However, we have not considered the environmental and energy security benefits of RE generation
- Only moderate levels of additional grid balancing resources are required
  - Complementarity between wind and solar generation and the regional diversity in load and RE generation helps
  - 2 to 10 GW of additional gas or other flexible capacity by 2022; need to provide cross-seasonal support
- Due to increased RE penetration, significantly less coal capacity is required than planned to minimize the total cost and avoid lowering of capacity factors of coal power plants
  - About 75% coal imports could be avoided as a result of increased RE penetration
- The following strategies will likely limit the cost increase to the levels found in this study
  - Transmission corridors, especially those from/to the Southern region are strengthened
  - Cost of wind energy is reduced by developing highest quality wind resource through competitive bidding
  - Power system dispatch is coordinated at the regional level through markets or other mechanisms
  - Several market, policy, and regulatory mechanisms are in place e.g. RE forecasting, flexible markets etc.
- This analysis uses several simplifying assumptions especially regarding the transmission system; significant refinement is necessary for actual power system planning purposes

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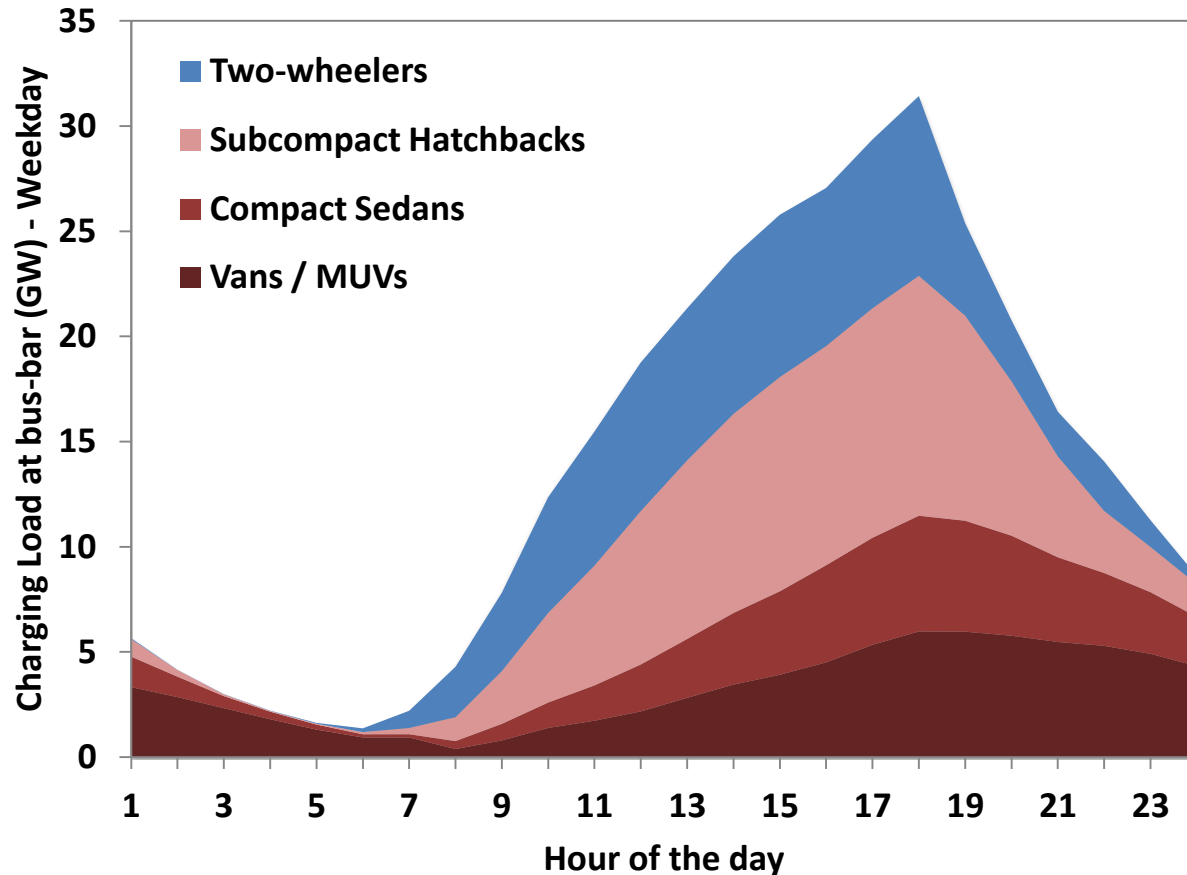
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# BEV charging demand: no smart charging scenario

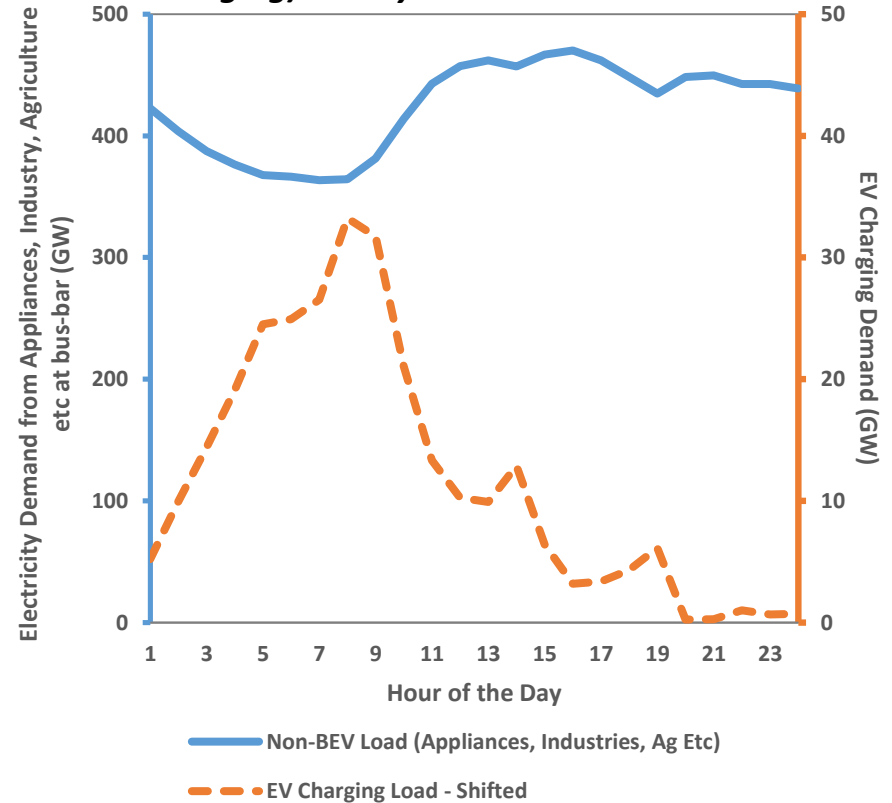
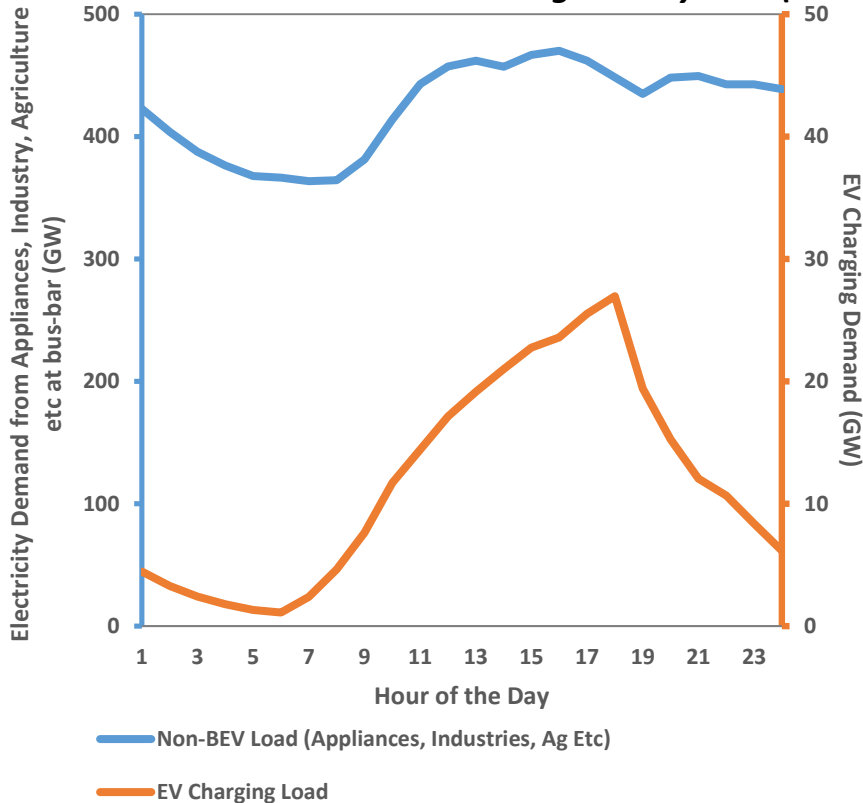


- Moderate correlation with the summer peak demand (space cooling); but can introduce significant ramps on the system in the evening, especially with high solar penetration.
- If smart charging of BEVs occur:
  - ➔ Can help in managing the evening ramping requirements and system peak demand in general
  - ➔ Lower the cost of RE grid integration

# Benefits of Smart Charging – Baseline Scenario

Most of the EV charging load could be shifted to early morning when the coal heavy system is the least constrained, **without impacting mobility demand**

*Average hourly load (non-BEV and EV Charging) in May 2030*

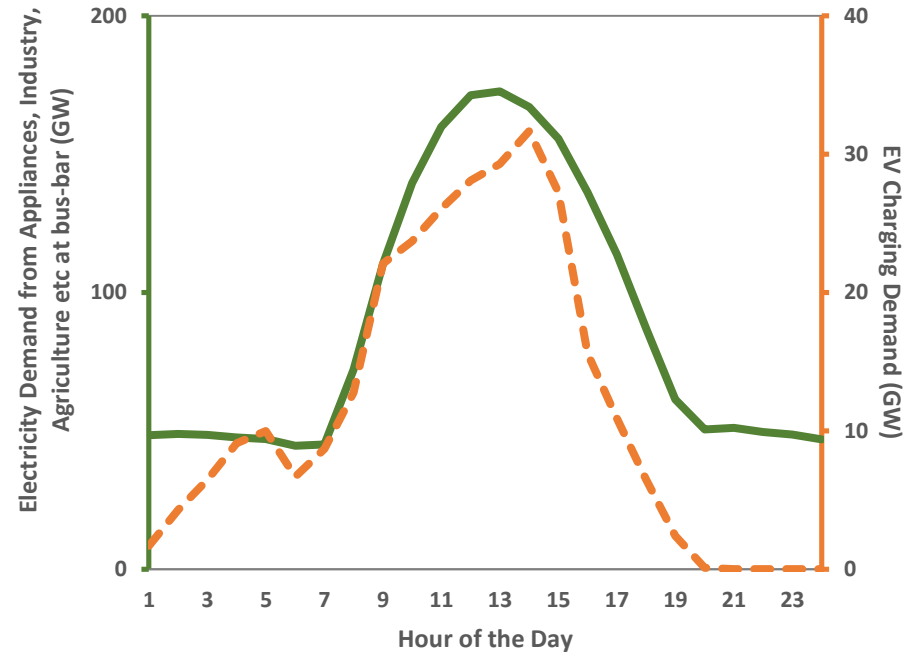
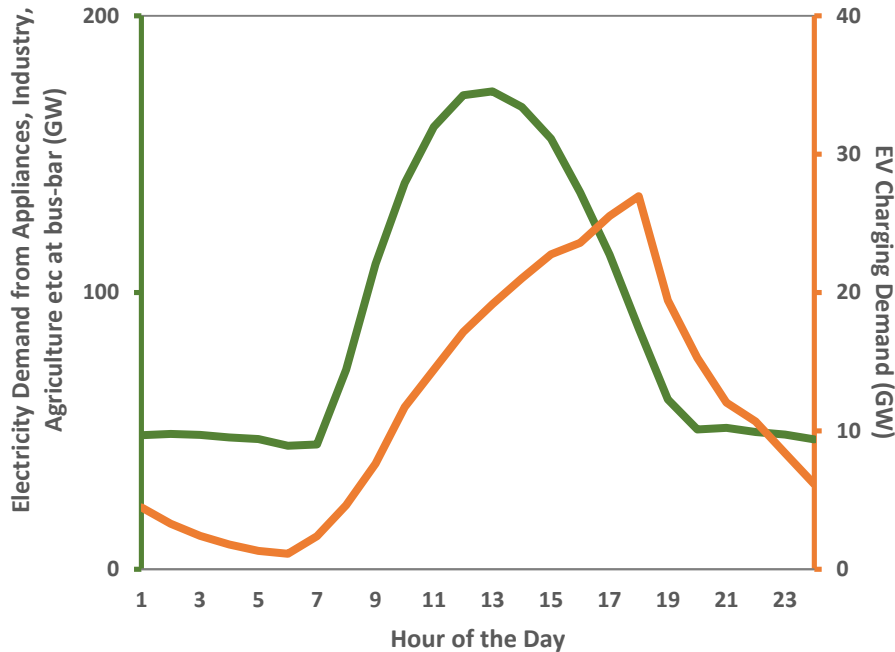


EV Charging Load shifting could reduce the average cost of generation of power by ~1% (due to better utilization factor of the generation and transmission assets)

# Benefits of Smart Charging – NDC Compliant Scenario

Most of the EV charging load could be shifted to the middle of the day **without impacting mobility demand**, to help RE grid integration; however, access to public charging infrastructure is crucial

*Average hourly load (non-BEV and EV Charging) in May 2030*



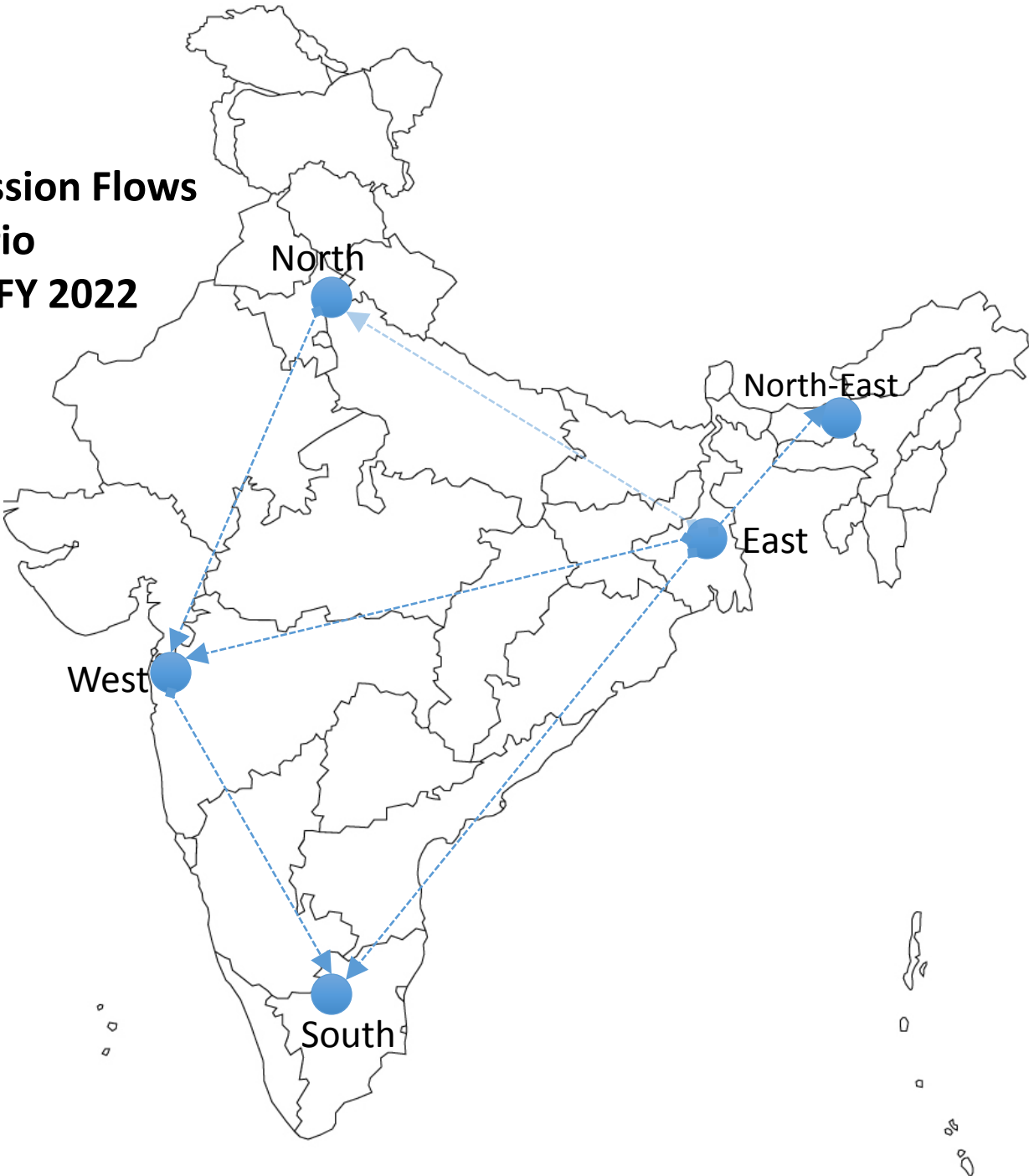
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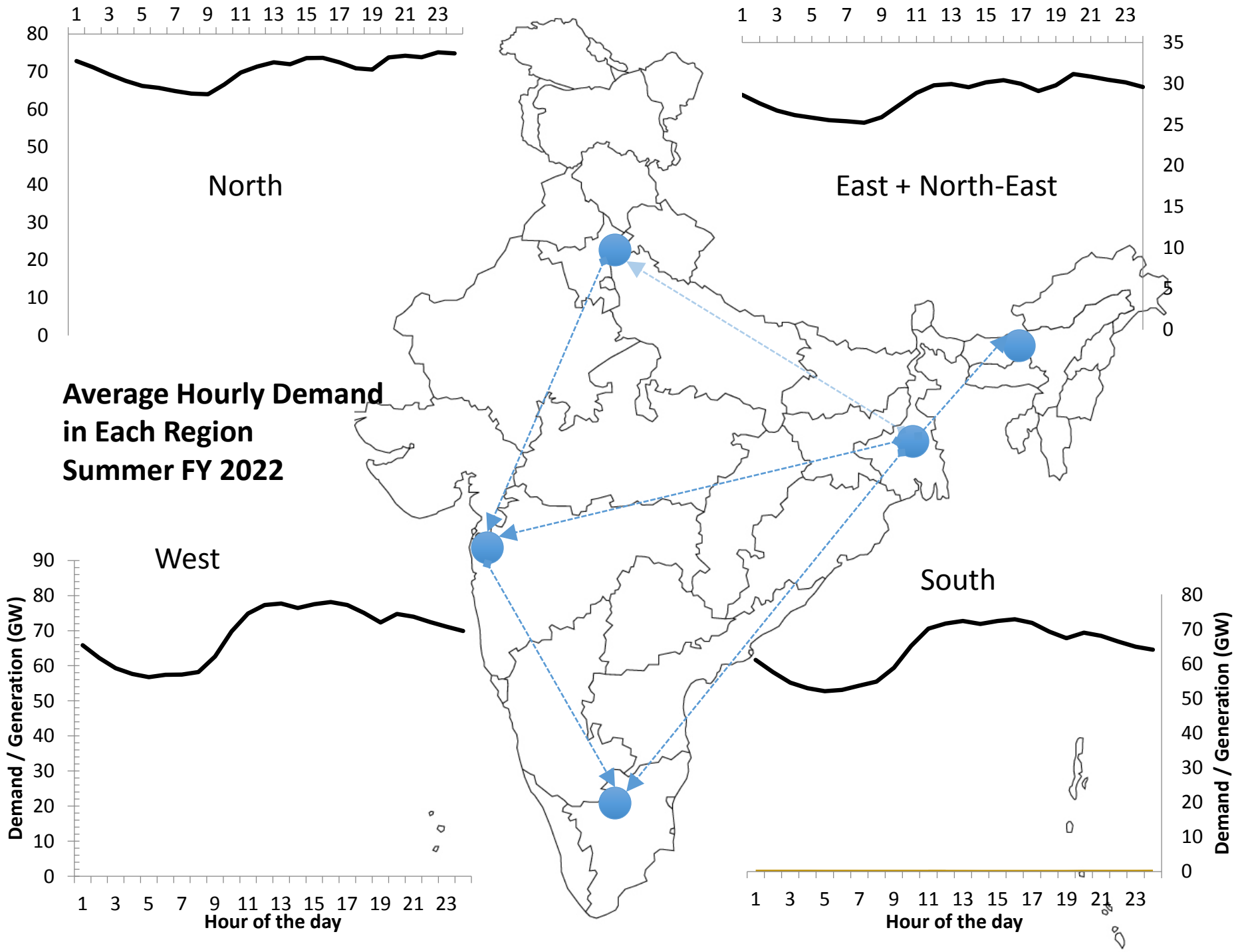
— Total RE Generation (Wind + Solar) - - EV Charging Load - Shifted

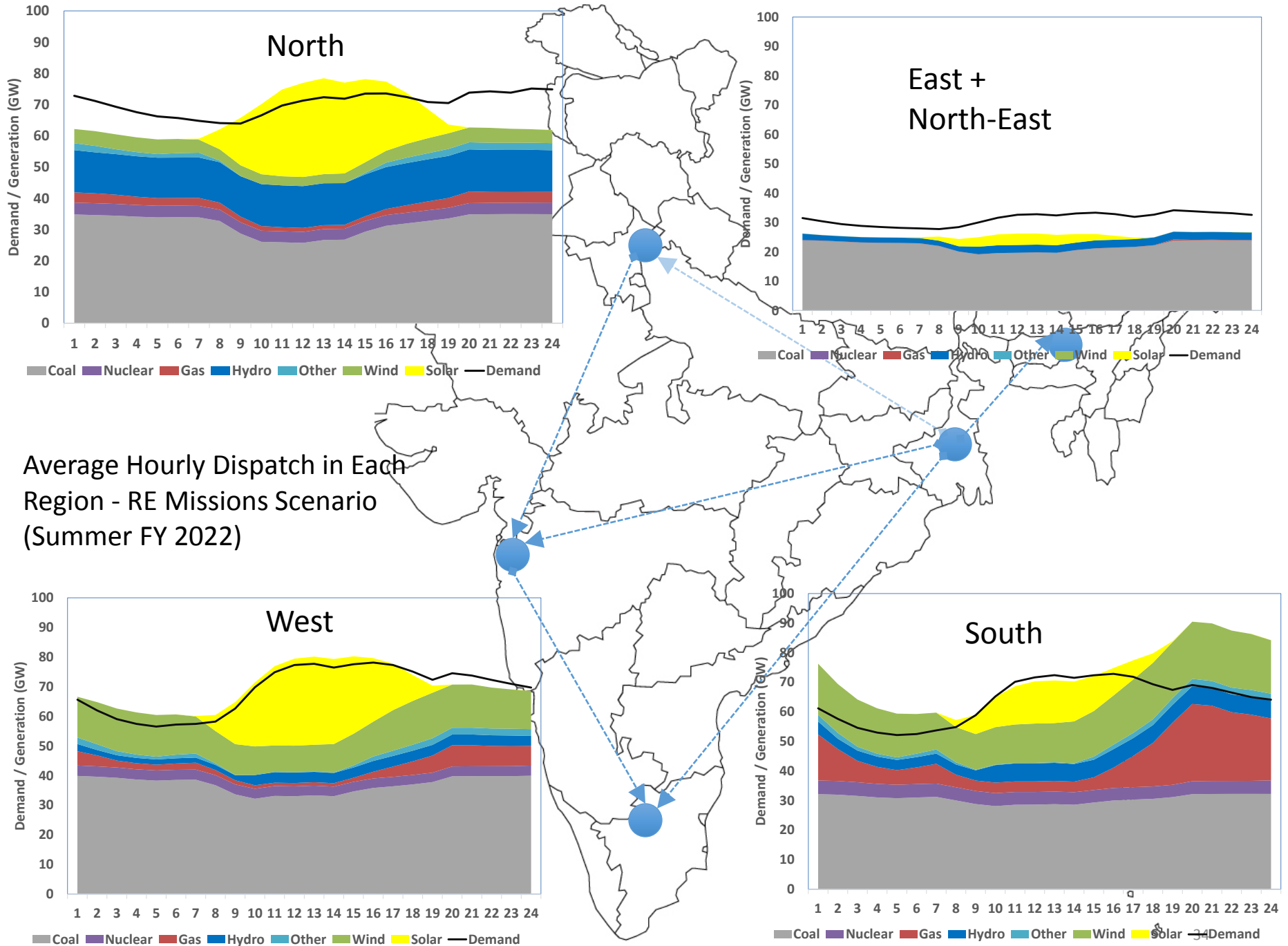
EV Charging Load Shifting could reduce the RE integration cost by ~5%

# Appendix: Inter-regional Flows – Example

**Average Hourly  
Regional Dispatch and  
Inter-regional Transmission Flows  
For RE Missions Scenario  
Summer (April – May) FY 2022**



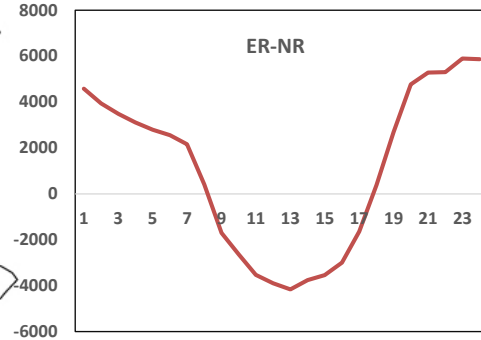
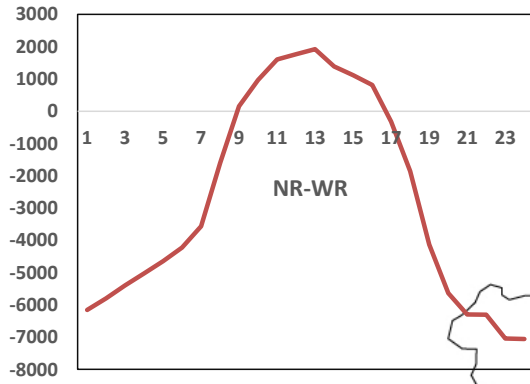




Average Hourly Dispatch in Each Region - RE Missions Scenario (Summer FY 2022)



Transmission Flows (MW) for average summer day (RE Missions 2022)



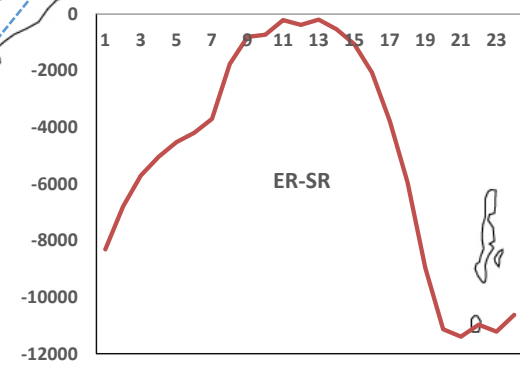
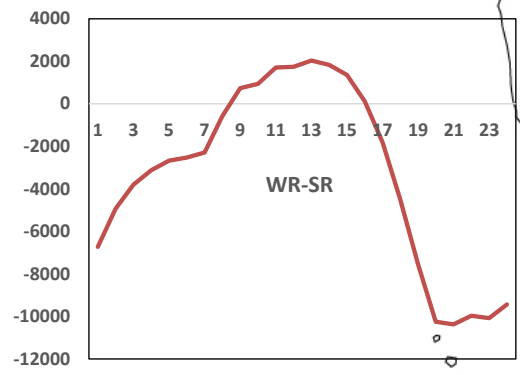
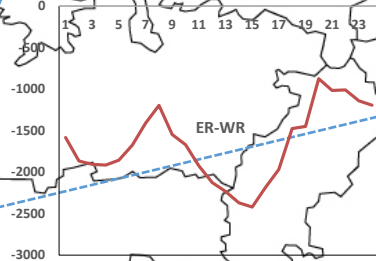
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North-East

East

West

South



# STATE LOAD DESPATCH CENTRE MPPTCL, JABALPUR



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# RE INTEGRATION IN MP SYSTEM

RE Source	Commissioned Capacity		
	31.03.2015	31.03.2016	20.02.2017
WIND	844	2007	2240
SOLAR	422	715	801
BIOMASS/ BIOGAS	32	63	63
MSW	0	0	12
SMALL HYDRO	81	81	81
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1379</b>	<b>2866</b>	<b>3197</b>

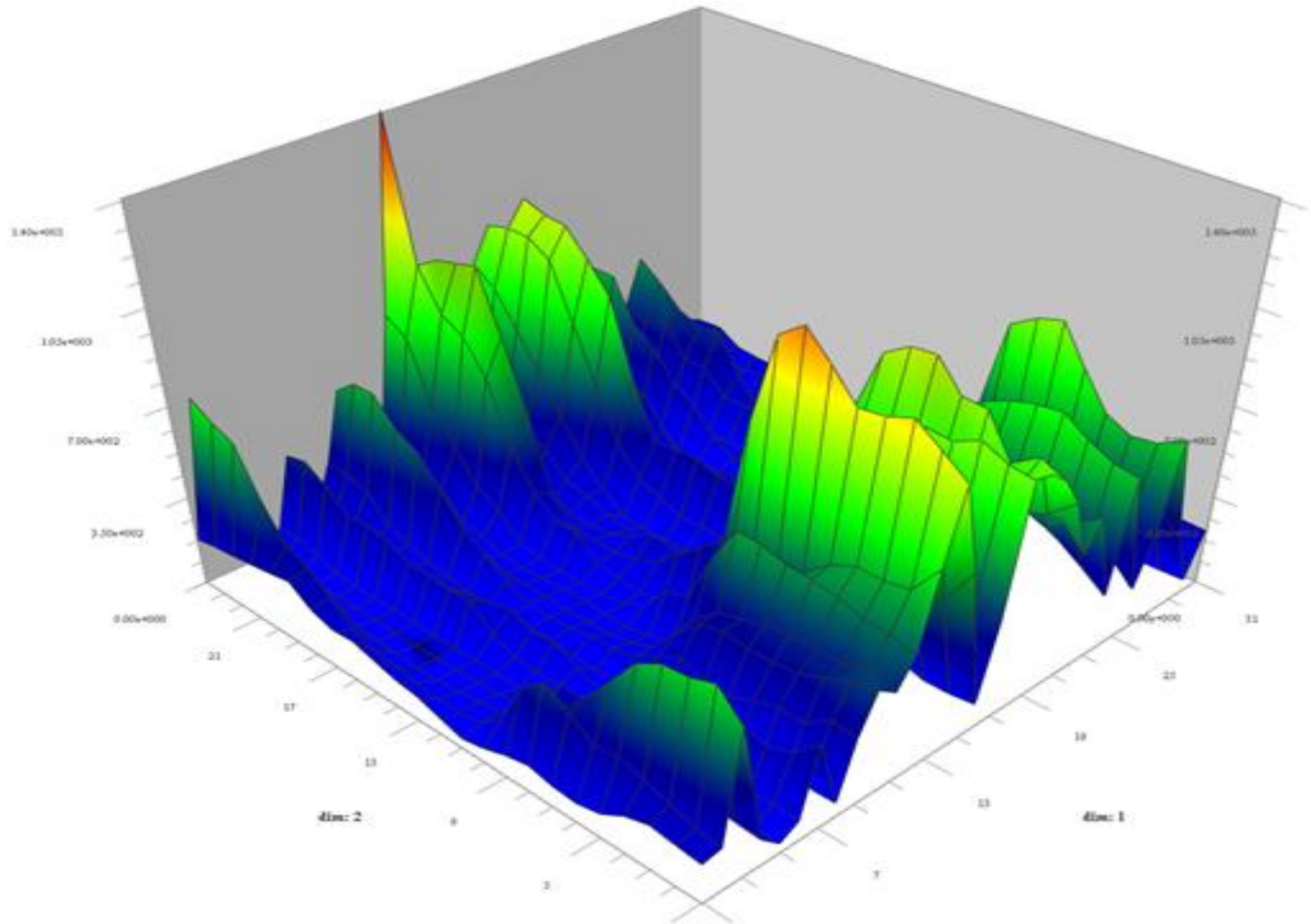
# PROBLEMS IN DEALING WITH VALIABLE & INTERMITTENT GENERATION FROM RE

- MP is surplus power state. The irrigation demand is almost 30 % of annual peak.
- MP need to surrender its long term power even during rabi season as irrigation load peaking is during day time.
- Monsoon period base demand goes as low as 5000 MW.
- Power surrender up to Jan 2017 was 24600 MU against energy supply of 53221 MUs .i.e. **32% of total power available.**
- Problem of not attending telemetry affects grid operation.
- Injection permission is given only when AMR, Telemetry and other requirements are fulfilled by the Generator.
- Intermittency and variability of Wind generation is handled by power surrender and regulation of Hydro potential (915+1520+826+45=3306 MW).
- So far MP has not started curtailment of generation from Wind and Solar. As per regulatory provisions curtailment of power from Biomass generators started from Jan 2017,

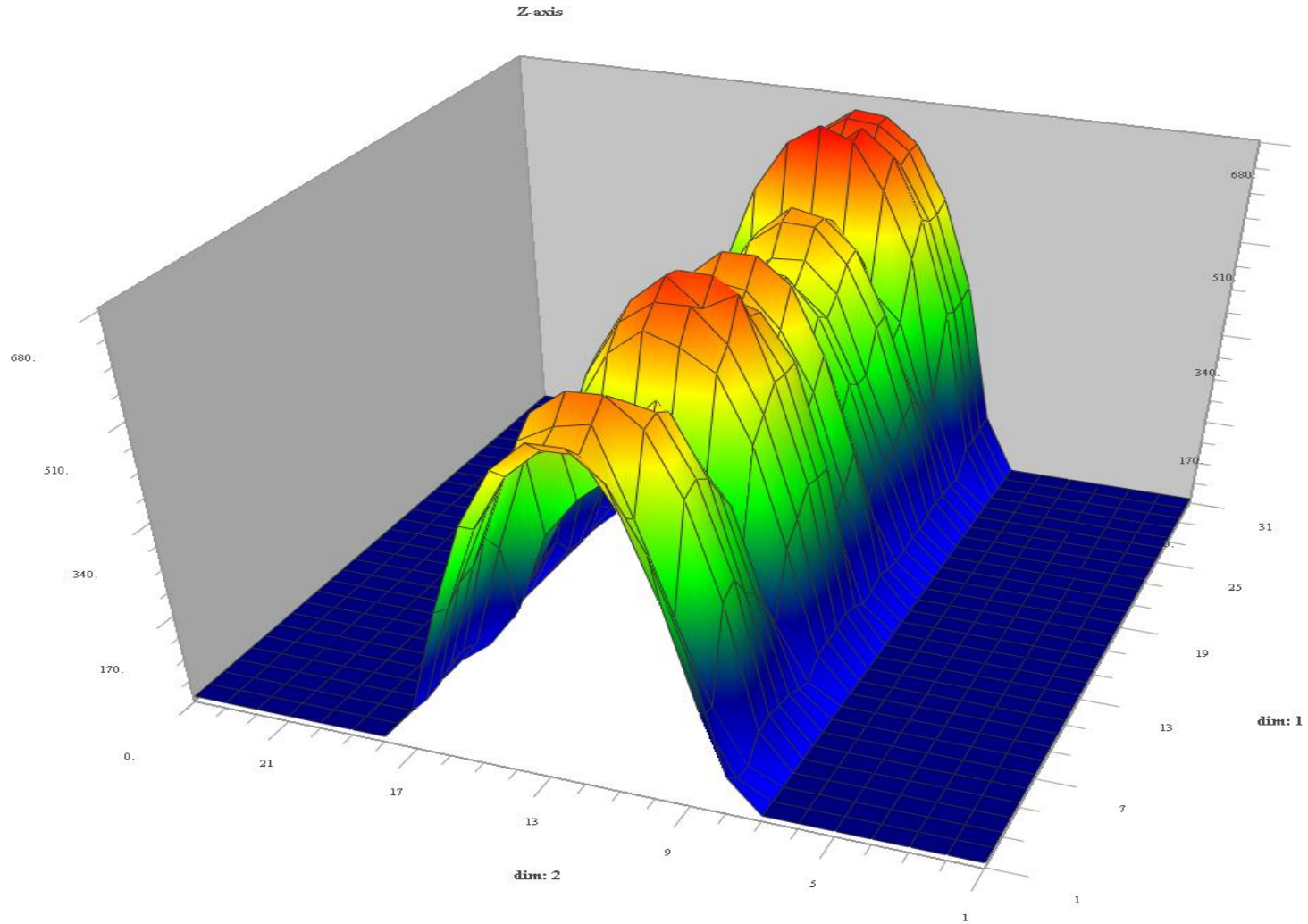
## **Surrender Power (MU) : 2016-17**

<b>Month</b>	<b>SSGS</b>	<b>ISGS</b>	<b>Sasan</b>	<b>IPP</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>APR</b>	873.93	296.39	0.00	375.60	1545.91
<b>MAY</b>	1490.85	736.36	25.62	480.73	2733.56
<b>JUN</b>	1860.48	452.13	0.00	525.82	2838.43
<b>JUL</b>	1809.26	846.88	27.23	874.00	3557.37
<b>AUG</b>	1422.75	1130.38	73.26	884.78	3511.16
<b>SEP</b>	1189.88	573.74	5.42	716.84	2485.88
<b>OCT</b>	1390.89	664.29	45.11	732.20	2832.49
<b>NOV</b>	992.87	384.41	0.00	520.81	1898.10
<b>DEC</b>	654.49	286.56	0.22	414.29	1355.56
<b>JAN</b>	948.13	519.97	1.09	364.46	1833.65
<b>Total</b>	<b>12633.53</b>	<b>5891.11</b>	<b>177.94</b>	<b>5889.53</b>	<b>24592.11</b>

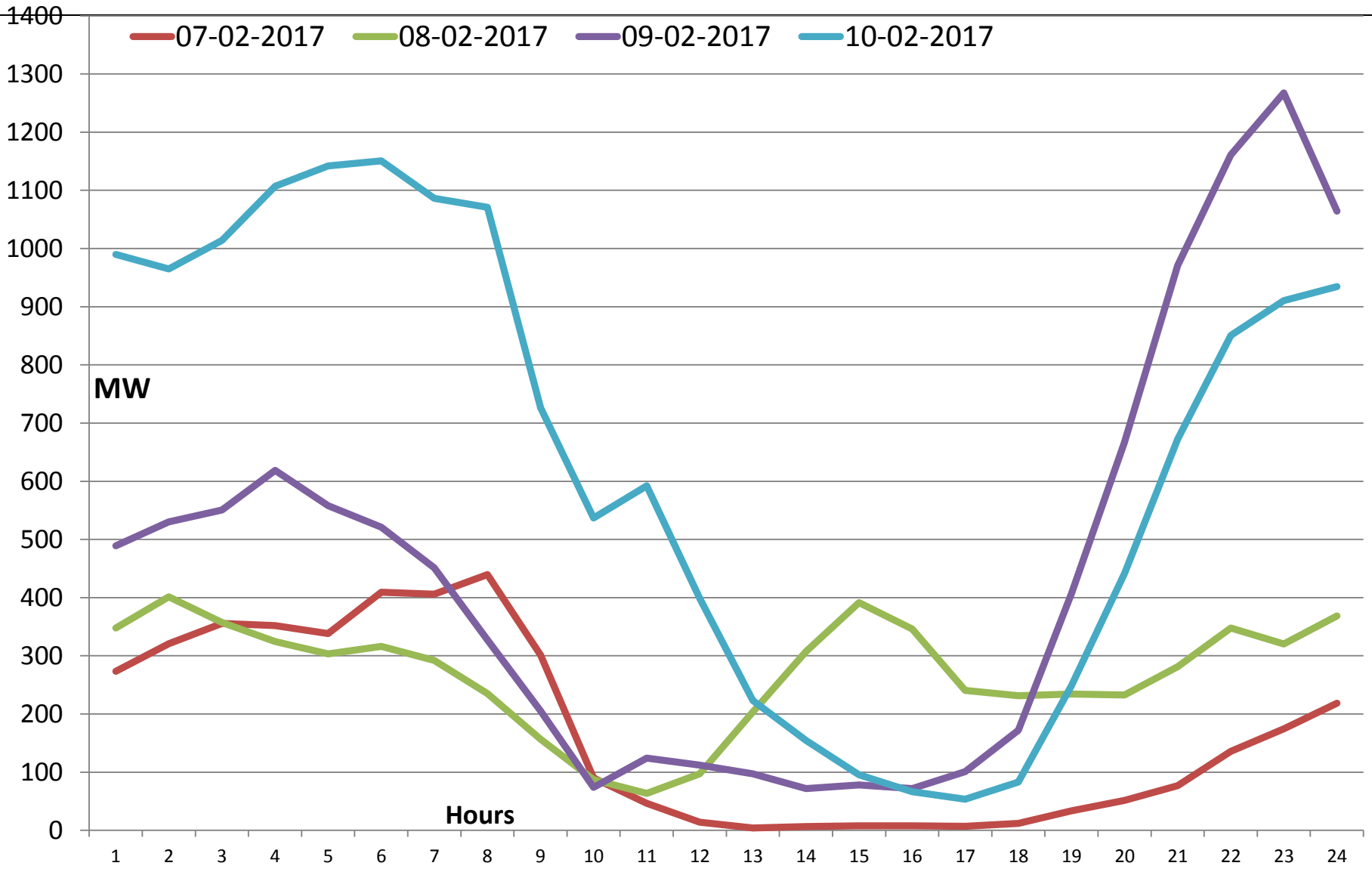
# Wind Generation during January 2017



# Solar Generation January 2017

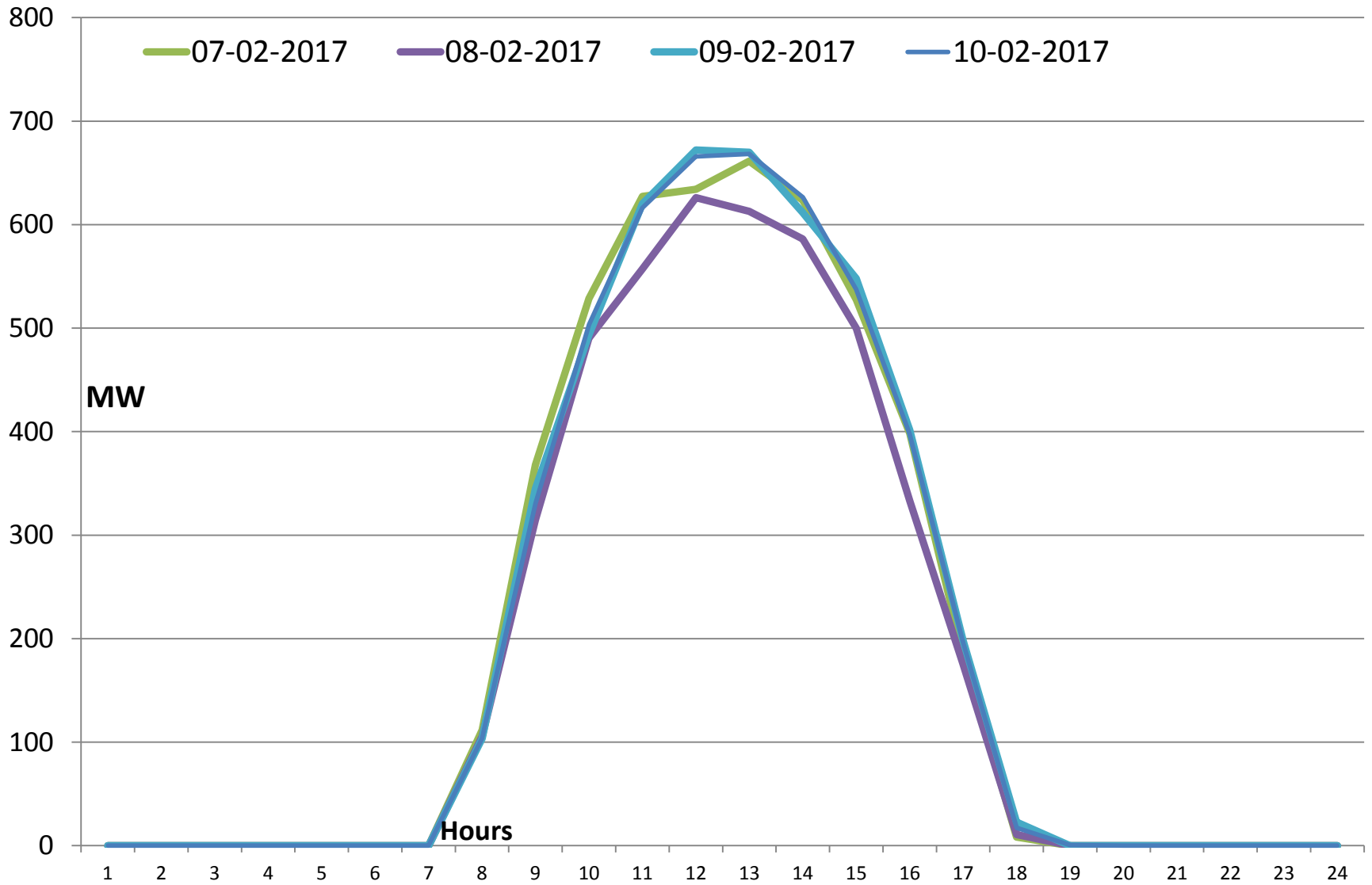


# Hourly Wind Variation



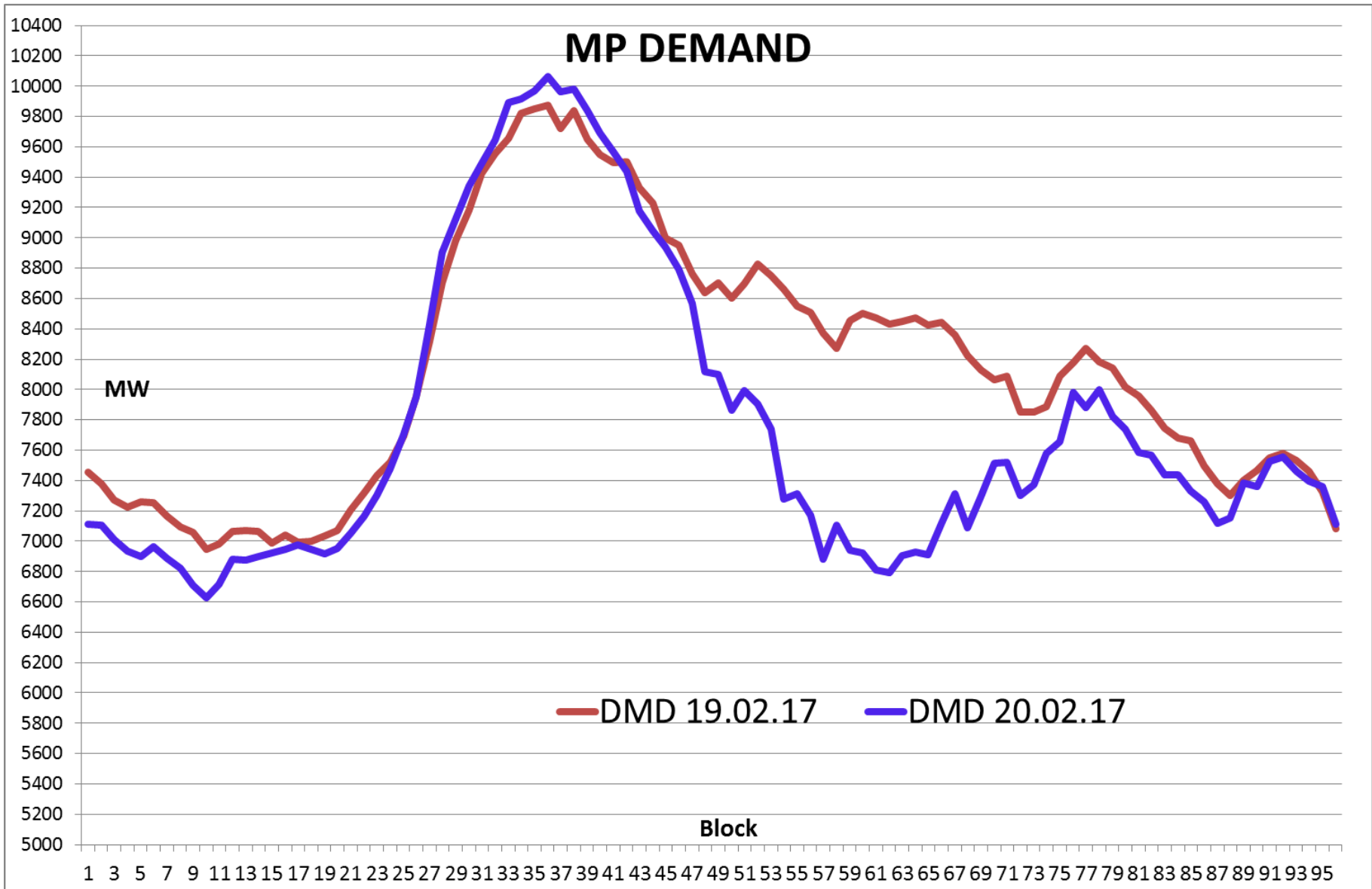


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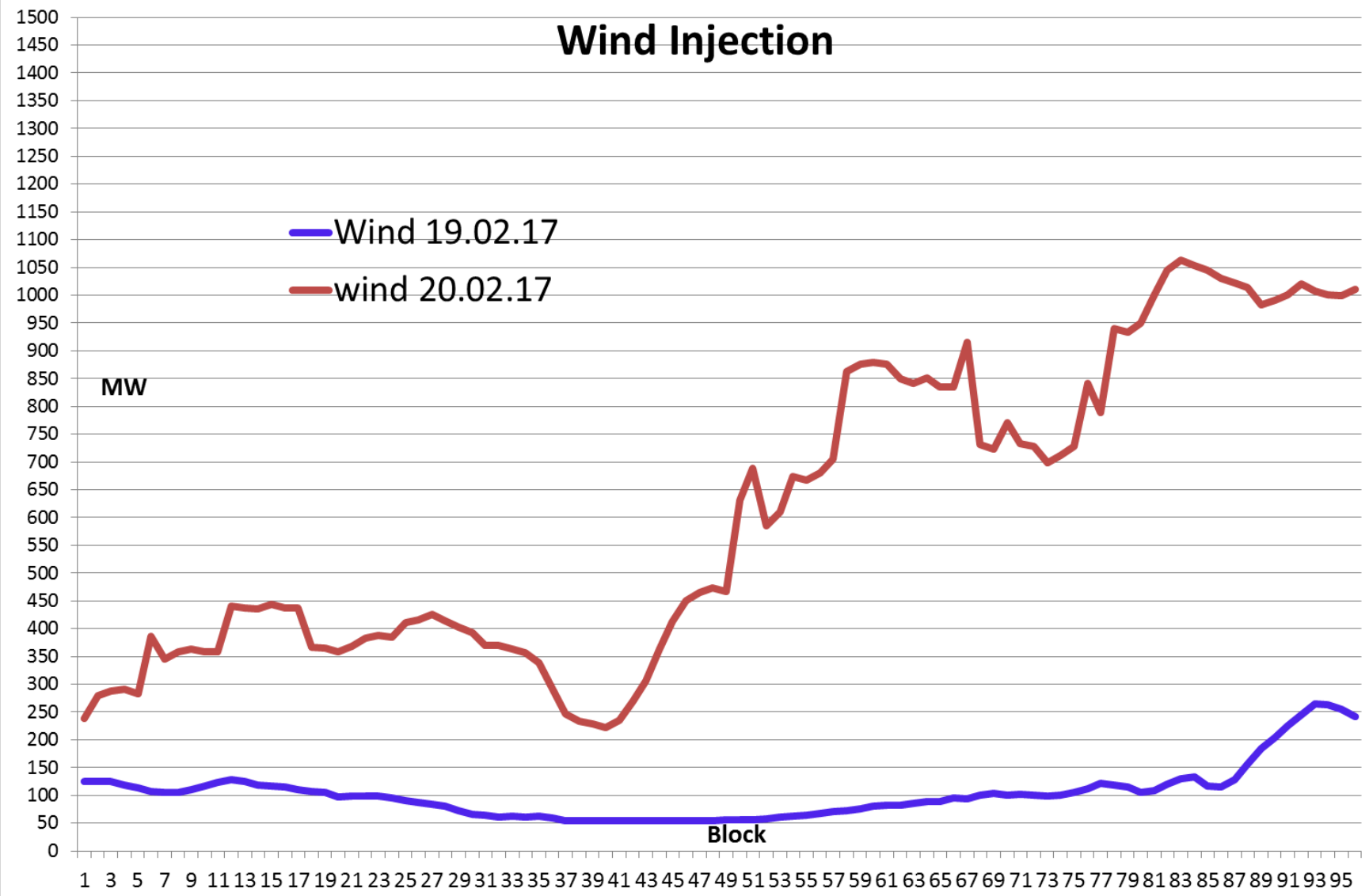


# Wind Forecasting Vs Actual For 10-02-2017

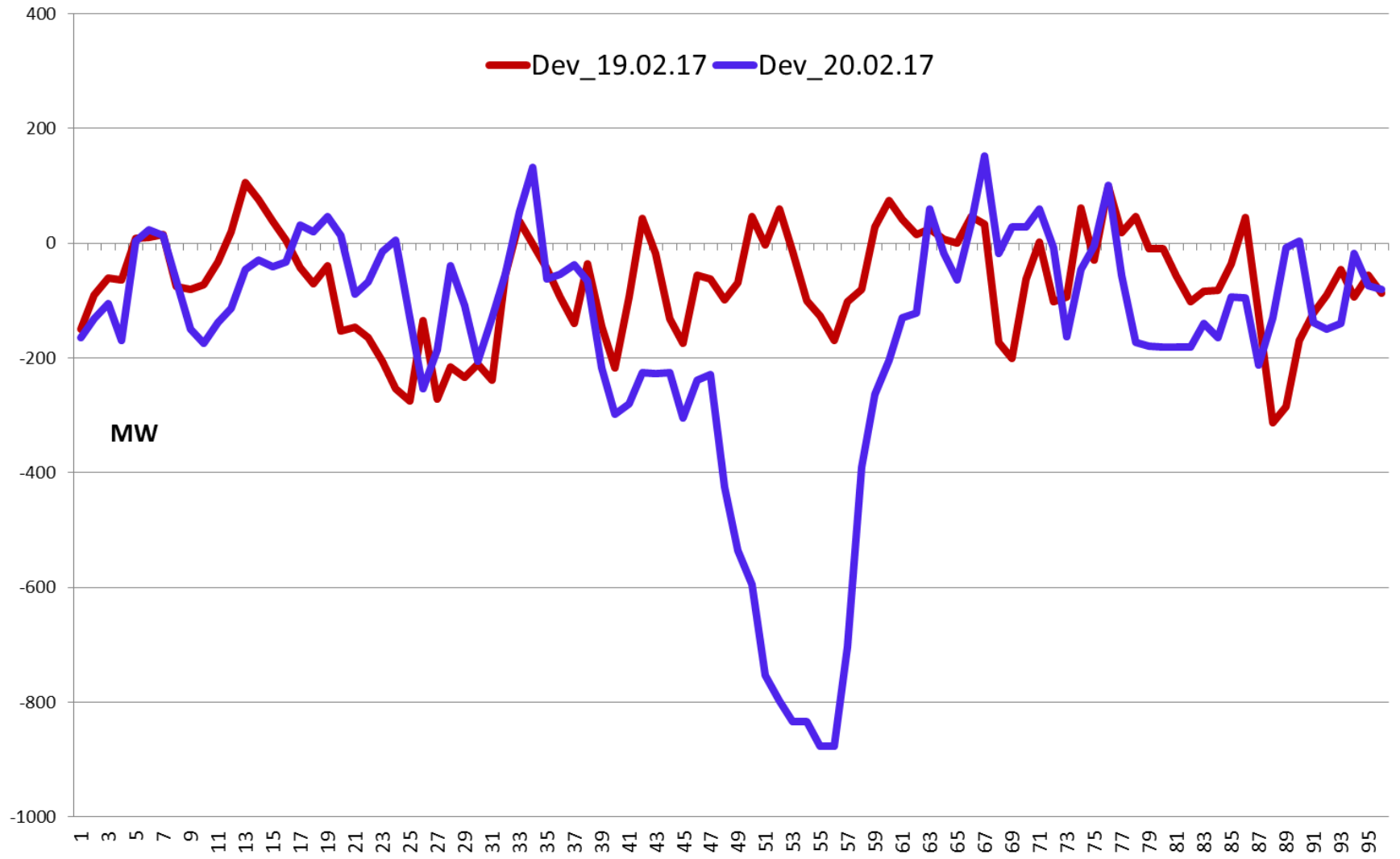




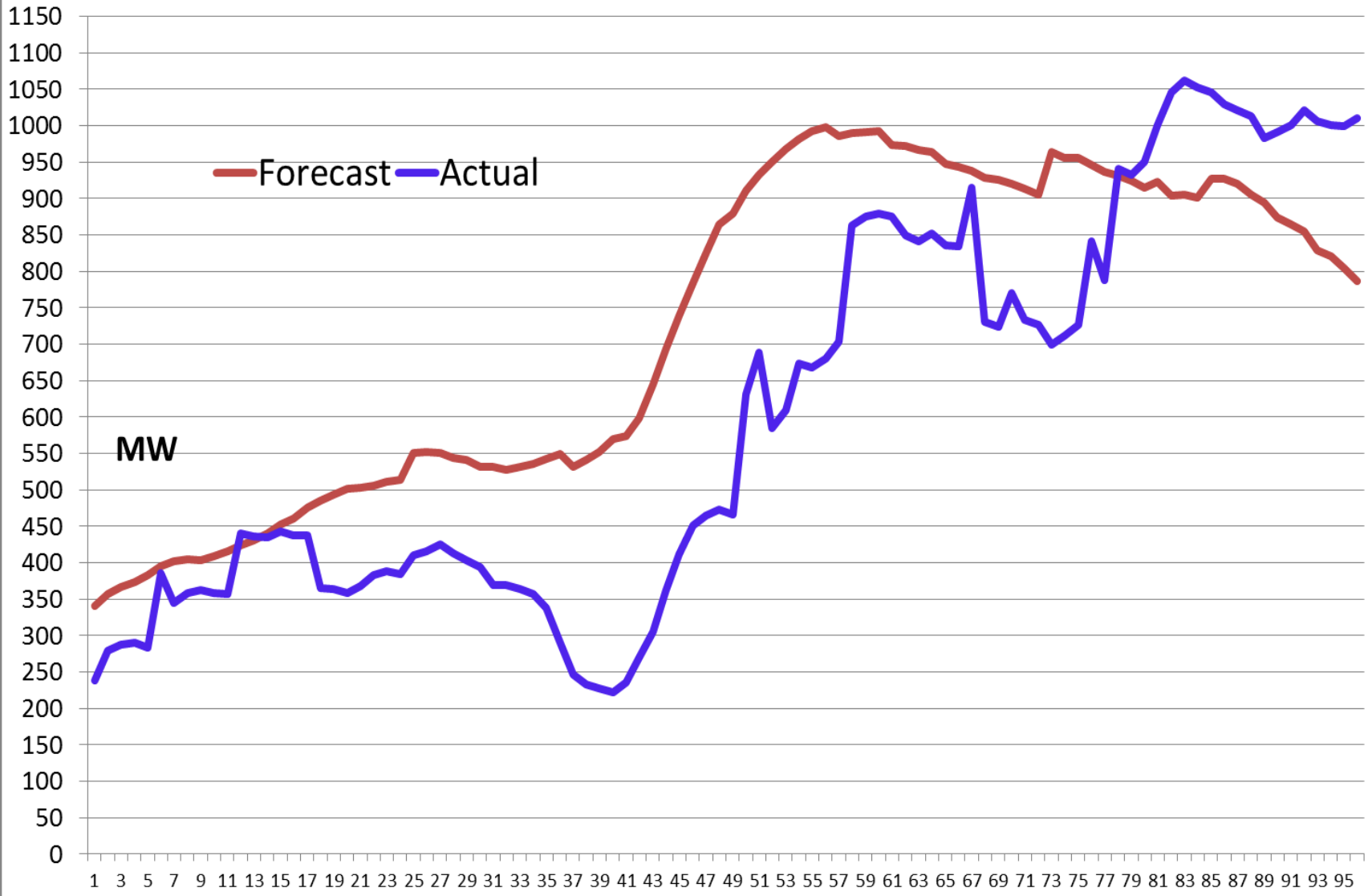
# Wind Injection



# Deviation



# Wind Forecast Vs Actual : 20.02.17





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# Grid Integration of Renewable Energy Sources – Challenges and Approach

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# Issues and Challenges in Grid Integration of Renewable Energy Sources

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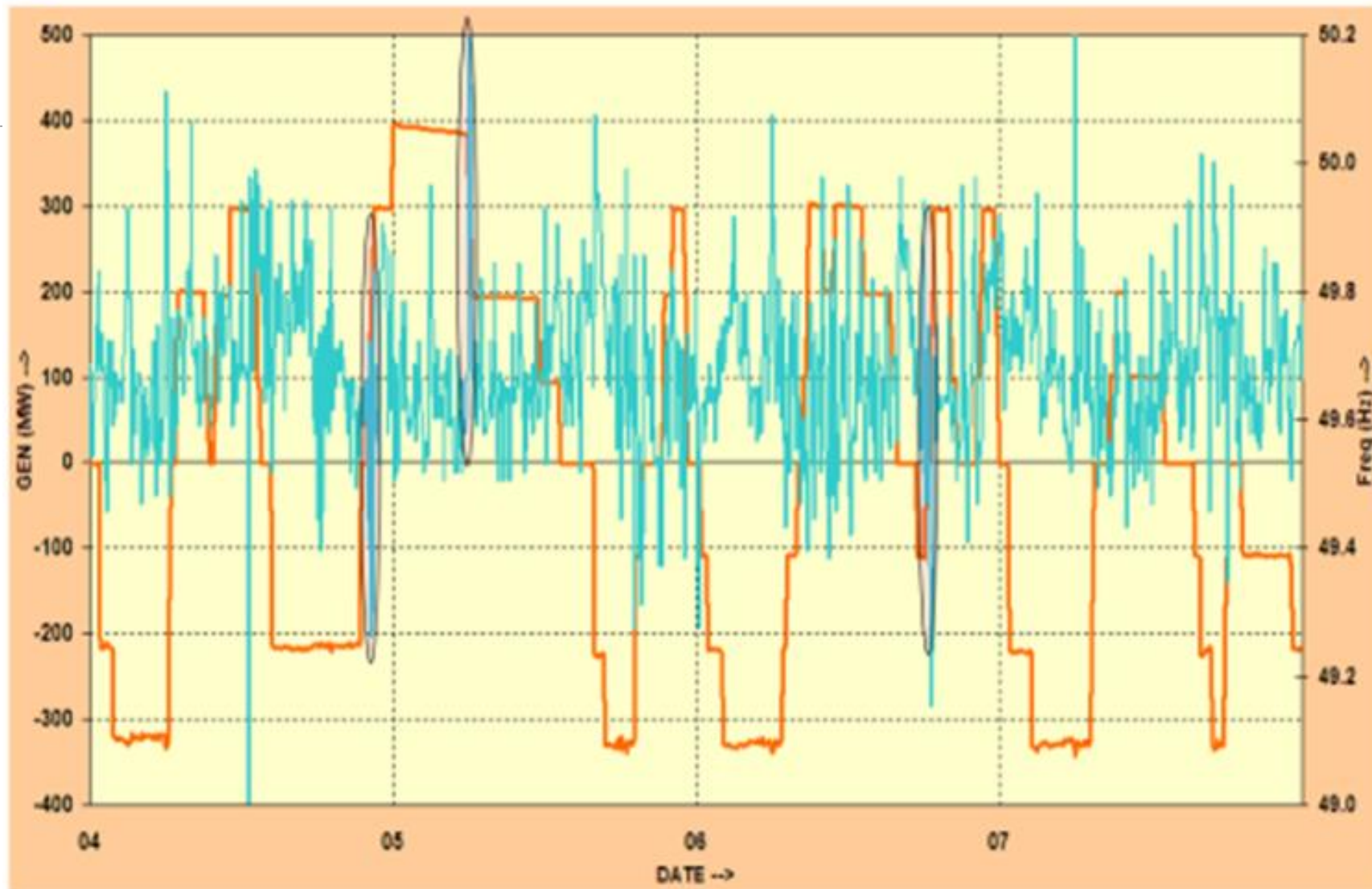
- ❖ Frequency Stability
- ❖ Voltage Stability
- ❖ Transmission congestion
- ❖ Angular Stability

# Frequency Stability measures

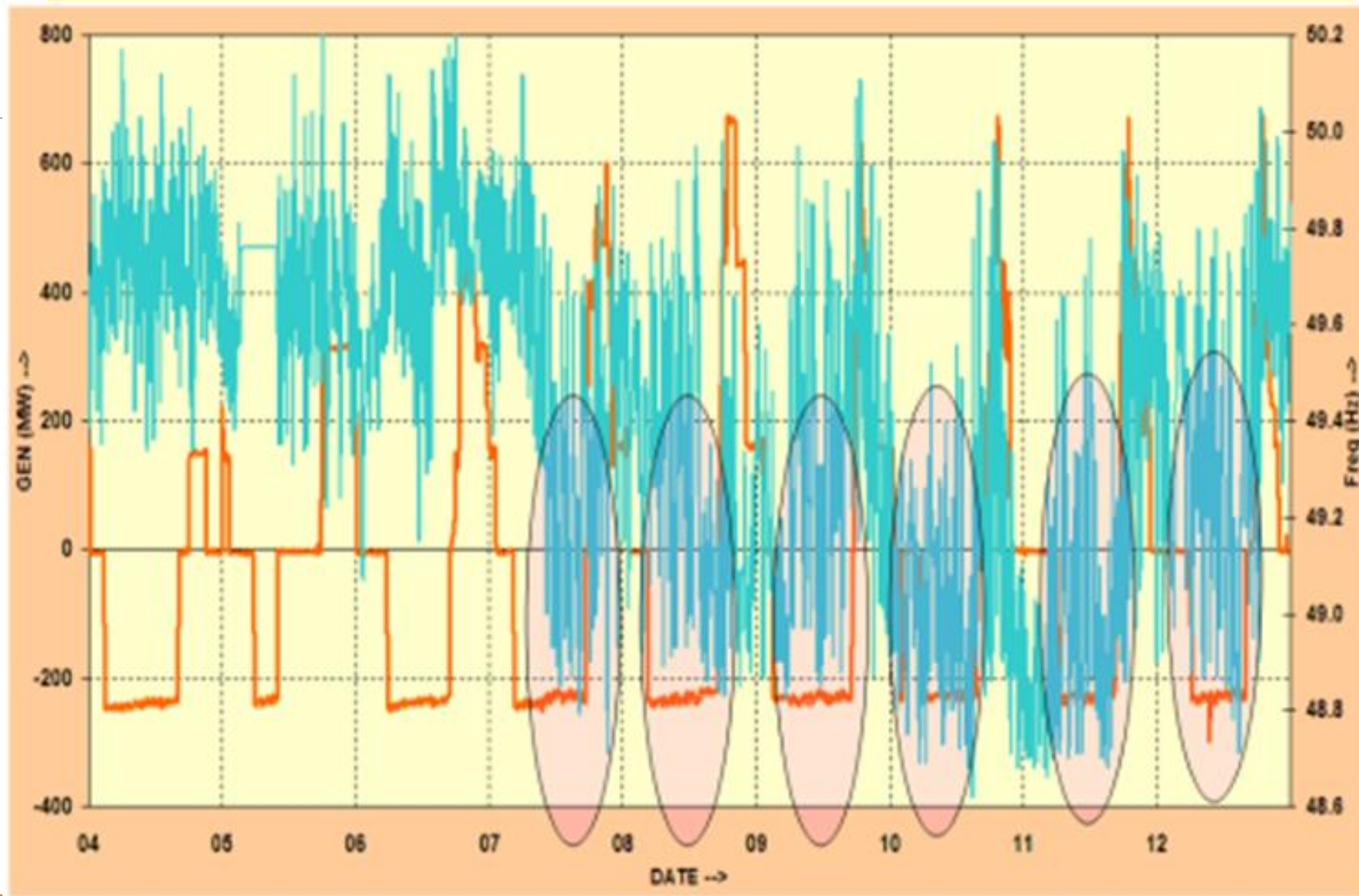
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- ❖ Intermittency of power to be balanced by **quick acting generation** like **hydro** (storage, pondage or pumped-storage) and **gas based generating stations**.
- ❖ Other balancing sources, like MW scale batteries, Compressed Air Energy Storage (CAES), flywheel, thermal storage, etc. can also be considered for deployment.
- ❖ Pumped storage plants, batteries, CAES, flywheel are all plants that have a double benefit of absorbing excess power and releasing the same when needed.
- ❖ **Preferable to have the balancing sources close to the wind and solar generation** for optimum utilisation of the intermittent generation and the transmission system.

# OPERATION OF PUMP STORAGE PLANT wrt FREQUENCY AT KADAMPARAI



# OPERATION OF PUMP STORAGE PLANT wrto FREQUENCY AT PURULIA PS



# Voltage Stability

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Fluctuating wind and solar generation causes variation in reactive power exchange of the wind and solar generators with the grid, and, therefore, the fluctuations of voltage in the grid.

Mitigation measures of the effects of the multiple start-ups include provision of **dynamic reactive power compensation i.e. SVC (Static VAR compensators)/ STATCOM (Static Synchronous Compensator)**.

**Most of the advanced energy storage systems can also provide reactive power support without need for consuming active energy.**

**Locational requirement for reactive power could help in determining appropriate location for deploying energy storage systems that can provide multiple value propositions to the grid.**

# Transmission congestion

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**Flexible AC Transmission System (FACTS) devices like phase shifting transformers should be installed to shift power from heavily loaded lines to lightly loaded lines in parallel paths.**

**Strategically placed energy storage devices can also help in relieving transmission congestion by time shifting the flow of energy across constrained paths**

Alternately, In order to harness the huge potential of RES in specific States, **high capacity Inter-State and Inter-Regional corridors transmission corridors could be constructed linking high concentration renewable generation areas to balancing generation already located elsewhere in the grid. Market Integration** would have to be provisioned.

# Angular Stability

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**Various type of FACTS devices, which would need to change dynamically, to change the power system parameters in accordance with changing topology of intermittent generation from renewable energy sources, may need to be installed.**

**System Operator should be aided in this by Phasor Measurement Units (PMUs) installed at critical points in the grid, for visibility in the grid w.r.t. real-time angular difference.**

# Economics of Energy Storage

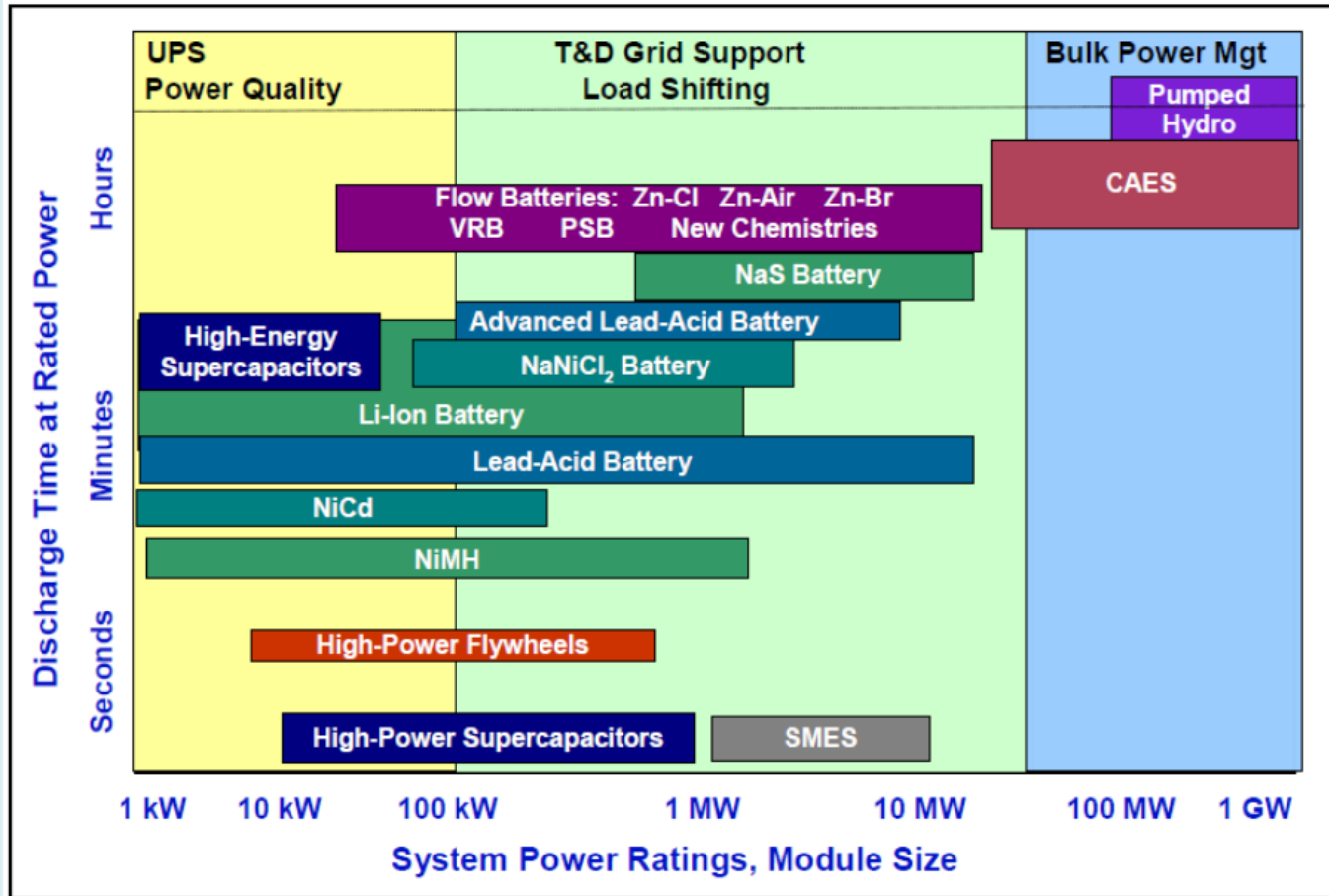
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While deciding economics of energy storage for renewable integration, a number of key factors need to be considered. These include

- ❖ Size of storage (Power vs energy)
- ❖ Cycle life
- ❖ Depth of Discharge during each cycle (has impact on number of cycles for most electro chemical batteries)
- ❖ Charge / Discharge rate (C rate)
- ❖ Space and geographical requirements (specially required for pumped hydro and CAES projects)



# Available energy storage technologies (Power vs Discharge Duration) (Source: EPRI / DOE Energy Storage Handbook)



# Demand Response

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- ❖ One of the biggest sources of balancing the intermittency, which is being increasingly used in developed countries, is *demand response*.
- ❖ Immediately available
- ❖ Rules and Smart Meters need to be put into place
- ❖ Essential and non-essential loads accompanied with 24x7 and Interruptible tariff

# Renewable Power and Smart Grid

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- ❖ With the increase in the capacity of Renewable Power ,tariff restructuring in the grid is required for demand response along with optimization of generation of different generators.
- ❖ This underlines the need for Smart Grid which provides following benefits as per EPRI cost benefit analysis:
  - ❖ Optimized Generator Operation.
  - ❖ Reduced generation and transmission and distribution capacity.

# Renewable Power and Smart Grid

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- ❖ Reduced Ancillary Cost.
- ❖ Reduced Congestion Cost.
- ❖ Reduced equipment failure.
- ❖ Reduced meter reading cost.
- ❖ Reduced electricity theft.
- ❖ Reduced losses.

# Renewable Power and Smart Grid

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- ❖ Reduced outages.
- ❖ Reduced fossil fuel usage.
- ❖ Reduced CO<sub>2</sub>, SO<sub>x</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> emissions.
- ❖ Reduced Sags and Swells.

# Thank You





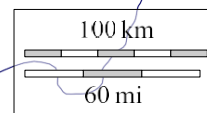
# CEA-Technical Committee for Study of Balancing requirement to facilitate large scale RE integration and associated issues

Presentation by  
MAHARASHTRA STATE LOAD DESPATCH CENTRE  
23<sup>rd</sup> February 2017

**Area- 307,713 km<sup>2</sup>**  
**Population- 112,372,972**  
**Distribution Licensees-4**

**Installed Capacity**  
**Thermal - 26144 MW**  
**Hydro - 3386 MW**  
**Gas - 3143 MW**  
**Nuclear - 755 MW**  
**Non-Conventional Energy- 6960 MW**  
**Total- 40388 MW**

**Discom-wise Electricity Consumer**  
**MSEDCL - 23035775**  
**R-Infra D -2950000**  
**TPC-D - 550000**  
**BEST- 500000**  
**Total - 2,70,35,775**





## Installed Capacity of Maharashtra State

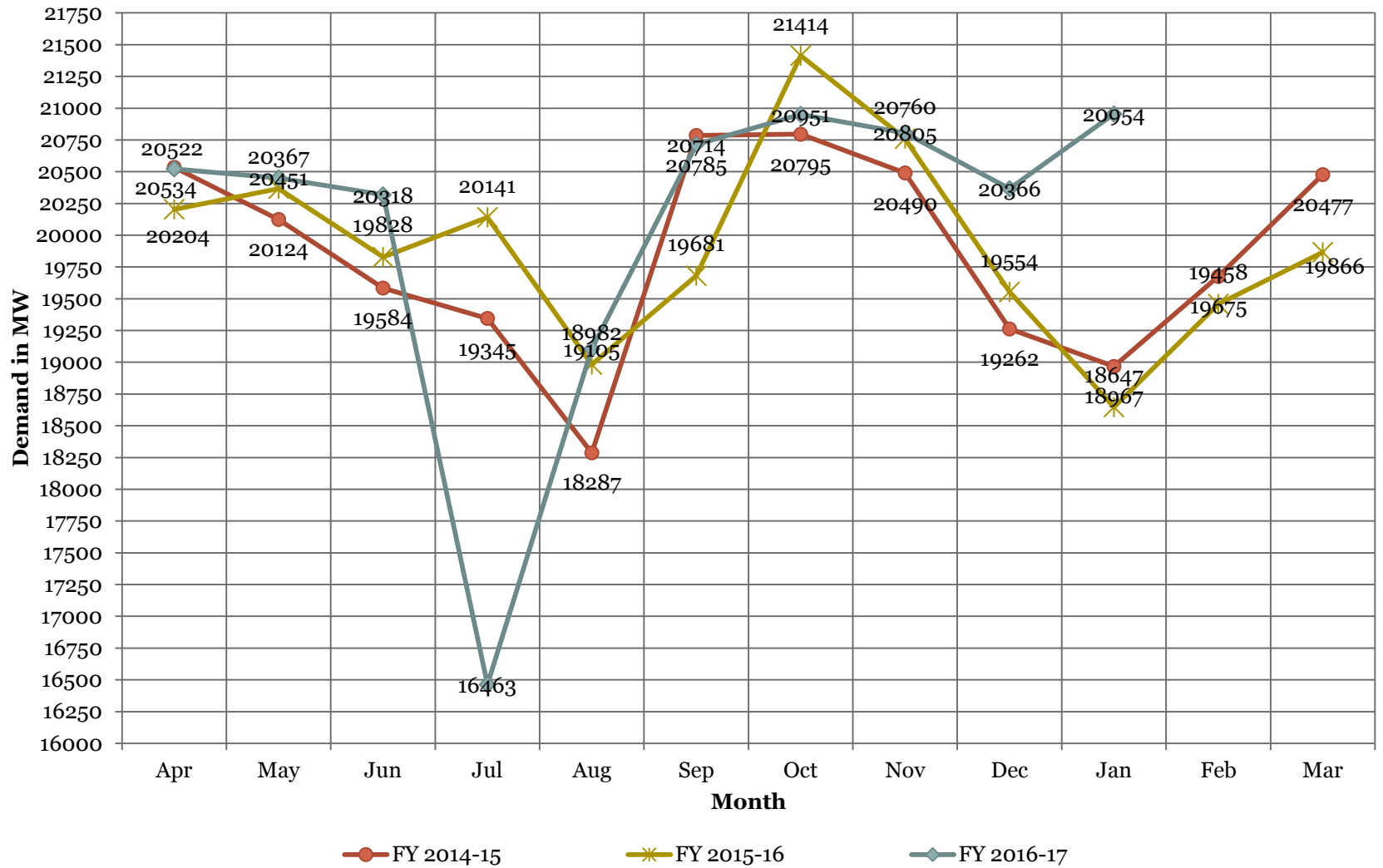
(as on 31-12-2016)

Maharashtra System Peak Installed Derated Capacity along with its CS Share						
Particulars	Hydro	Thermal	Gas	Nuclear	NCE	Total
MSPGCL	2450	10580	672	0	0	<b>13702</b>
TPCL	447	1250	180	0	0	<b>1877</b>
REL	0	500	0	0	0	<b>500</b>
IPP / CPP	44	9125	388	0	6960	<b>16517</b>
CS(MS)	445	4689	1903	755	0	<b>7792</b>
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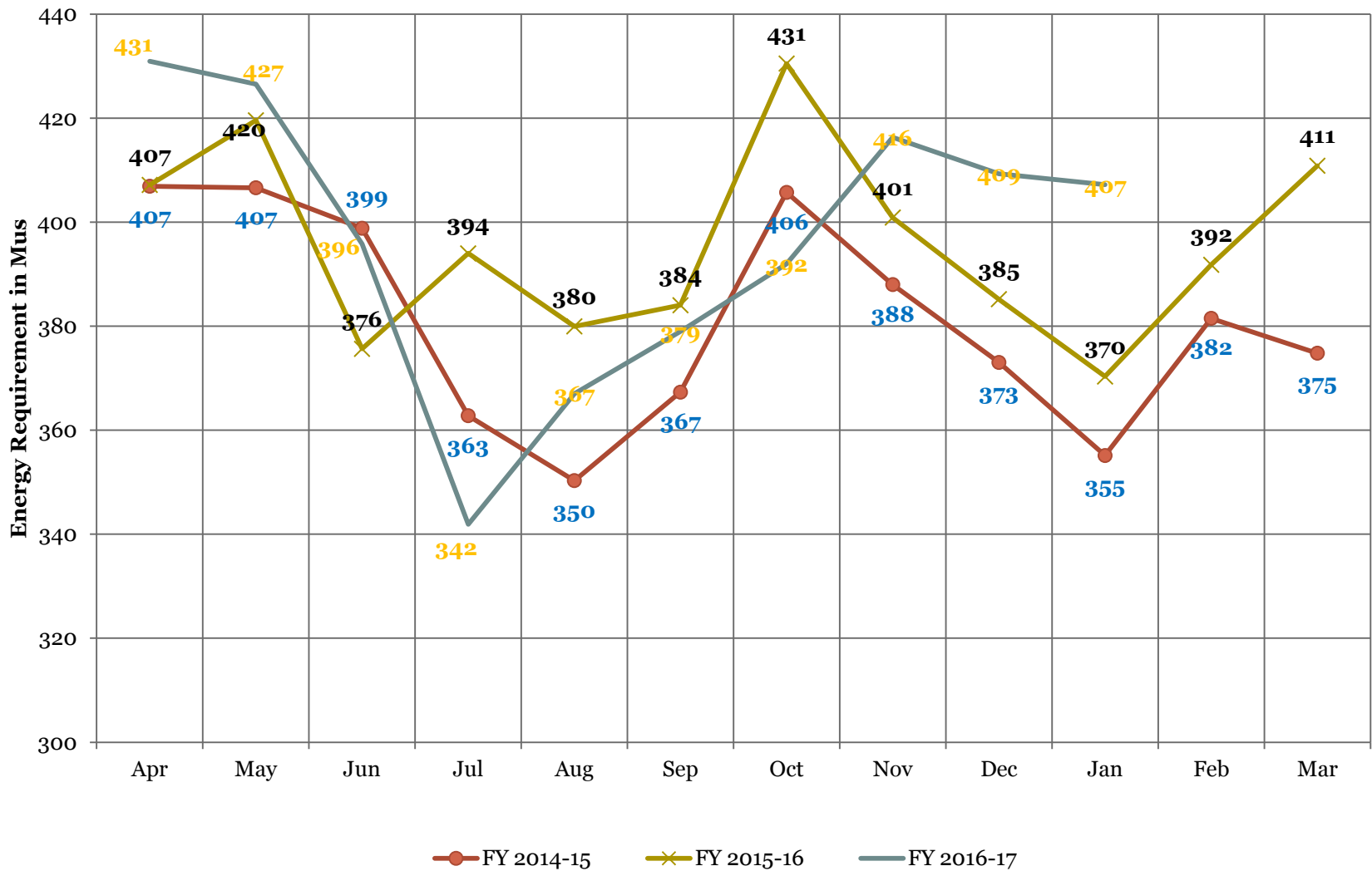
NON CONVENTIONAL ENERGY (NCE) SOURCES		
<b>Source:- MEDA NOTE AS ON 31.03.2016</b>	Wind	4662
	Small Hydro	284
	Bio-Mass	200
	Bagasse Co-Gen	1415
	Urban Waste	3
	Solar Power	362
	Industrial Waste	34
<b>Total NCE</b>		<b>6960</b>

- State has catered 21818MW with out any constraints on 20.02.2017 at 12:00Hrs.
- Wind Power maximum injection was 2578 MW on 02.08.2016 at 06:00 Hrs without any curtailment.

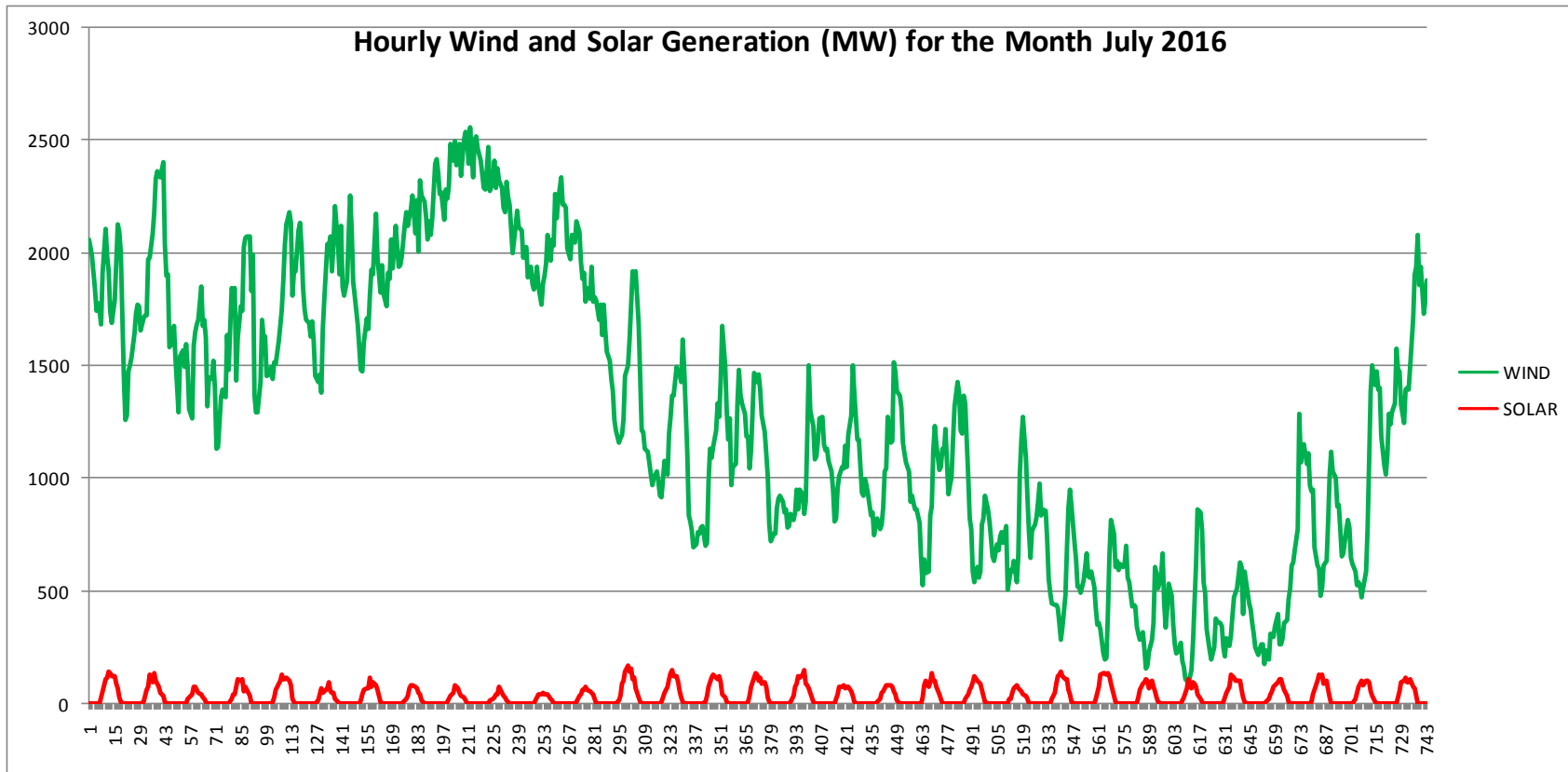
# Maharashtra State Monthly Max Demand For the Period Apr-2014 to Jan-2017



# Maharashtra State Monthly Average Energy Req. For the Period Apr-14 to Jan-17

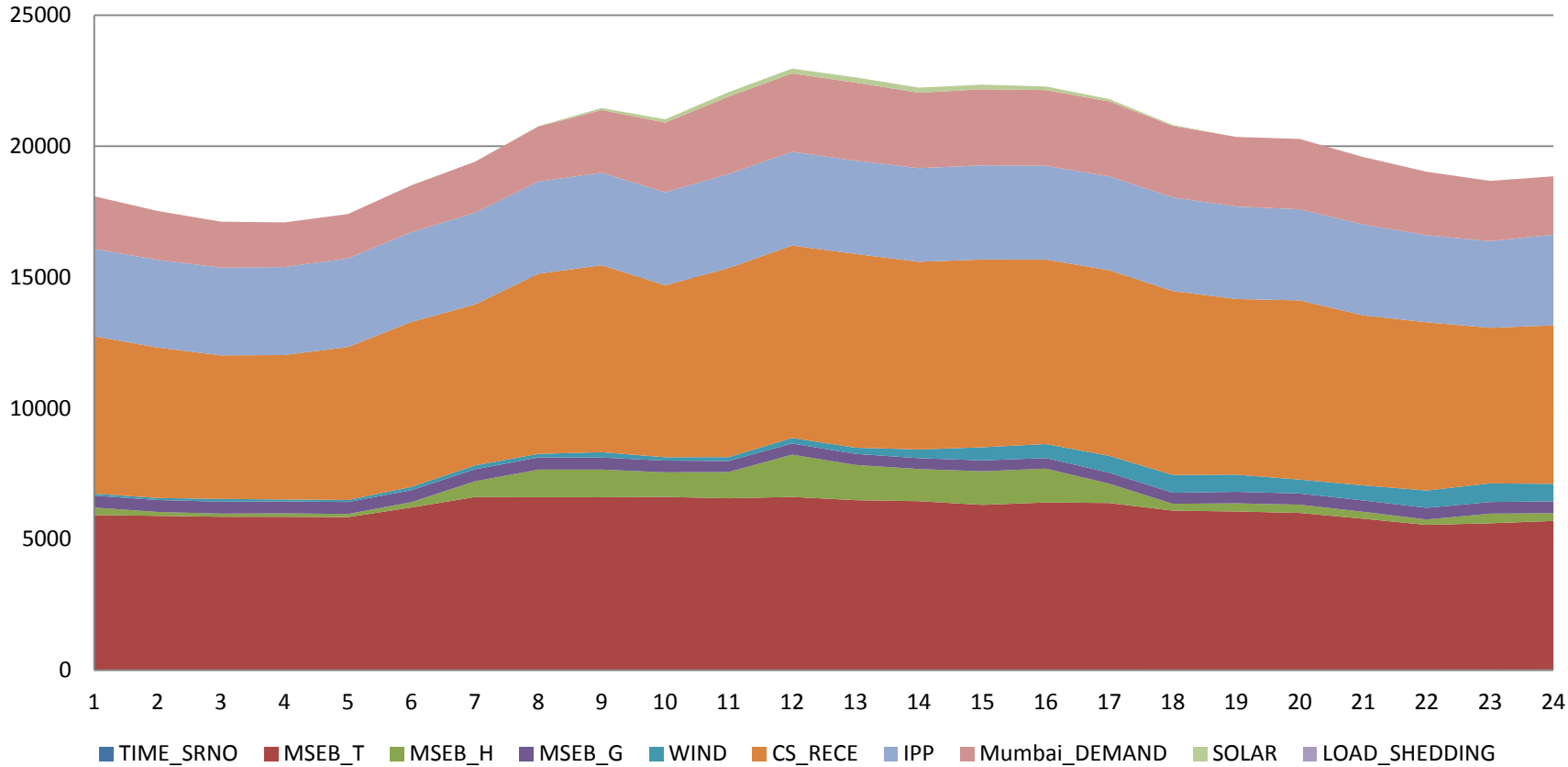


# Maharashtra State Hourly Wind and Solar injection for the month of July 2016



# Maharashtra State Load Curve for 20.02.2017 with peak demand of 21818 MW

## Load Curve for 20.02.2017 with state peak demand of 21818 MW



# Large Scale RE integration

## **1. Studies made under USAID project by MoP and MNRE**

- a) Impact on Grid operation- Backing down of thermal generation and balancing requirement
- b) Variation analysis at National and regional level
- c) Challenges of balancing requirement and strategic development

## **2. Studies made by Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory-US**

Techno economic assessment of integrating 100S+60W RE

- a) 13<sup>th</sup> Plan scenario
- b) RE mission considering 100S+60W+15others
- c) National action plan on climate change (NAPCC)

## **3. Studies made by NITI Ayog on State RE integration- Strategic development**

State RE plan and strategic development studies at state level

## **4. Forecasting and Scheduling of RE Power**

Technology and IT support with weather forecast to build-up forecasting capability for better grid management with reference to RE power.

Regulatory framework required for addressing deviations of RE.

## Large Scale RE integration: State specific issues

### **Studies made by NITI Ayog on State RE integration- Strategic development**

#### **State RE plan and strategic development studies at state level**

- **USAID and LBNL studies are limited to National and Regional level which shown different characteristic and balancing requirement or curtailment projections in a different way.**
- **There is need to include State model in the studies as every state system has different RE mix, characteristic behavior and different balancing needs. Further 70 % of the RE energy is expected to integrate at State level.**
- **Robust transmission and flexibility in generation are key factors**
- **Existing PSP and future needs for ramping up/ down capacity is also different at state level than at Regional or National level**
- **SLDC development at state level need to be focused as essential requirement, including REMC establishment and real time visibility.**
- **Regulatory framework requirement at state level**

- THANK YOU



**TS TRANSCO**  
**TS SLDC**

# RENEWABLE ENERGY INSTALLED CAPACITY AS ON 21-02-2017

Sl.No	District	Solar(MW)	Wind(MW)	Total(MW)
1	Mahabubnagar	492	0	492
2	Medak	320	0	320
3	Nalgonda	69	0	69
4	Ranga Reddy	155	99	254
5	Nizamabad	31	0	31
6	Karimnagar	40	0	40
7	Warangal	10	0	10
8	Adilabad	58	0	58
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1174</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>1273</b>

# INSTALLED CAPACITY IN MAHABOONNAGAR DISTRICT

Sl.No	Voltage level	Solar(MW)	Wind(MW)	Total(MW)
1	220 KV	100	0	100
2	132 KV	155	0	155
3	33 KV	235	0	235
4	11 KV	2	0	2
Total		492	0	492

# INSTALLED CAPACITY IN MEDAK DISTRICT

Sl.No	Voltage level	Solar(MW)	Wind(MW)	Total(MW)
1	220 KV	0	0	0
2	132 KV	119	0	119
3	33 KV	201	0	201
4	11 KV	1	0	1
Total		<b>320</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>320</b>

# INSTALLED CAPACITY IN NALGONDA DISTRICT

Sl.No	Voltage level	Solar(MW)	Wind(MW)	Total(MW)
1	220 KV	0	0	0
2	132 KV	0	0	0
3	33 KV	68	0	68
4	11 KV	1	0	1
Total		69	0	69

# INSTALLED CAPACITY IN RANGA REDDY DISTRICT

Sl.No	Voltage level	Solar(MW)	Wind(MW)	Total(MW)
1	220 KV	0	0	0
2	132 KV	80	99	179
3	33 KV	74	0	74
4	11 KV	1	0	1
Total		<b>155</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>254</b>

# INSTALLED CAPACITY IN NIZAMABAD DISTRICT

Sl.No	Voltage level	Solar(MW)	Wind(MW)	Total(MW)
1	220 KV	0	0	0
2	132 KV	20	0	20
3	33 KV	11	0	11
4	11 KV	0	0	0
Total		<b>31</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>31</b>

# INSTALLED CAPACITY IN KARIMNAGAR DISTRICT

Sl.No	Voltage level	Solar(MW)	Wind(MW)	Total(MW)
1	220 KV	0	0	0
2	132 KV	25	0	25
3	33 KV	15	0	15
4	11 KV	0	0	0
Total		<b>40</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>40</b>



# INSTALLED CAPACITY IN WARANGAL DISTRICT

Sl.No	Voltage level	Solar(MW)	Wind(MW)	Total(MW)
1	220 KV	0	0	0
2	132 KV	0	0	0
3	33 KV	10	0	10
4	11 KV	0	0	0
Total		<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>

# INSTALLED CAPACITY IN ADILABAD DISTRICT

Sl.No	Voltage level	Solar(MW)	Wind(MW)	Total(MW)
1	220 KV	0	0	0
2	132 KV	48	0	48
3	33 KV	10	0	10
4	11 KV	0	0	0
Total		<b>58</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>58</b>

# RENEWABLE ENERGY CAPACITY UNDER PROGRESS AS ON 21-02-2017

Sl.No	District	Solar(MW)	Wind(MW)	Total(MW)
1	Mahabubnagar	409	0	409
2	Medak	415	0	415
3	Nalgonda	266	0	266
4	Ranga Reddy	24	100	124
5	Nizamabad	377	0	377
6	Karimnagar	165	0	165
7	Warangal	104	0	104
8	Adilabad	130	0	130
9	Khammam	5	0	5
	Total	1895	100	1995

RENEWABLE ENERGY CAPACITY  
UNDER PROGRESS AS ON 21-02-2017  
IN MAHABOORNAGAR DISTRICT

Sl.No	Voltage level	Solar(MW)	Wind(MW)	Total(MW)
1	220 KV	200	0	200
2	132 KV	100	0	100
3	33 KV	109	0	109
Total		<b>409</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>409</b>

RENEWABLE ENERGY CAPACITY  
UNDER PROGRESS AS ON 21-02-2017  
IN MEDAK DISTRICT

Sl.No	Voltage level	Solar(MW)	Wind(MW)	Total(MW)
1	220 KV	45	0	45
2	132 KV	305	0	305
3	33 KV	65	0	65
Total		<b>415</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>415</b>

RENEWABLE ENERGY CAPACITY  
UNDER PROGRESS AS ON 21-02-2017  
IN NALGONDA DISTRICT

Sl.No	Voltage level	Solar(MW)	Wind(MW)	Total(MW)
1	220 KV	100	0	100
2	132 KV	98	0	98
3	33 KV	68	0	68
Total		<b>266</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>266</b>

RENEWABLE ENERGY CAPACITY  
UNDER PROGRESS AS ON 21-02-2017  
IN RANGA REDDY DISTRICT

Sl.No	Voltage level	Solar(MW)	Wind(MW)	Total(MW)
1	220 KV	0	0	0
2	132 KV	0	100	100
3	33 KV	24	0	24
Total		<b>24</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>124</b>

RENEWABLE ENERGY CAPACITY  
UNDER PROGRESS AS ON 21-02-2017  
IN NIZAMABAD DISTRICT

Sl.No	Voltage level	Solar(MW)	Wind(MW)	Total(MW)
1	220 KV	50	0	50
2	132 KV	227	0	227
3	33 KV	100	0	100
Total		<b>377</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>377</b>



RENEWABLE ENERGY CAPACITY  
UNDER PROGRESS AS ON 21-02-2017  
IN KARIMNAGAR DISTRICT

Sl.No	Voltage level	Solar(MW)	Wind(MW)	Total(MW)
1	220 KV	0	0	0
2	132 KV	90	0	90
3	33 KV	75	0	75
Total		<b>165</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>165</b>

RENEWABLE ENERGY CAPACITY  
UNDER PROGRESS AS ON 21-02-2017  
IN WARANGAL DISTRICT

Sl.No	Voltage level	Solar(MW)	Wind(MW)	Total(MW)
1	220 KV	0	0	0
2	132 KV	87	0	87
3	33 KV	17	0	17
Total		<b>104</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>104</b>

RENEWABLE ENERGY CAPACITY  
UNDER PROGRESS AS ON 21-02-2017  
IN ADILABAD DISTRICT

Sl.No	Voltage level	Solar(MW)	Wind(MW)	Total(MW)
1	220 KV	0	0	0
2	132 KV	100	0	100
3	33 KV	30	0	30
Total		<b>130</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>130</b>

RENEWABLE ENERGY CAPACITY  
UNDER PROGRESS AS ON 21-02-2017  
IN KHAMMAM DISTRICT

Sl.No	Voltage level	Solar(MW)	Wind(MW)	Total(MW)
1	220 KV	0	0	0
2	132 KV	0	0	0
3	33 KV	5	0	5
Total		<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>

## PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED IN DEALING WITH VARIABLE AND INTERMITTENT GENERATION FROM RENEWABLES

- Forecasting.
  - Weather data.
- Agricultural demand increased 25% in a year and depends on the monsoons.
- Demand side management. Adjusting Agl loads.
- Transmission connectivity.
- Storage.
- Effect of other states in regional grid.

## Steps taken to handle the problem

- TS has only 98 MW wind generation.
- Better forecasting.
- Grid integrated solar ~1100 MW and coming ~2000 MW. Planned agriculture supply in the day time.
- Two pumped storage works are in progress.
- Initiate storage capacity addition in solar rich districts.
- To meet future demand building up transmission network.
- By increasing/decreasing Thermal and Hydel Generation as per requirement.

# AVAILABLE PUMPED HYDRO PROJECTS

S.NO.	NAME OF THE STATION	UNIT WISE CAPACITY	CAPACITY IN MW
1	Srisailam Left Bank Power House(SSLM LBPH)	6x176MW	1056MW
2	Nargarjuna Sagar Power House	7x122MW	854MW

# LIMITATIONS

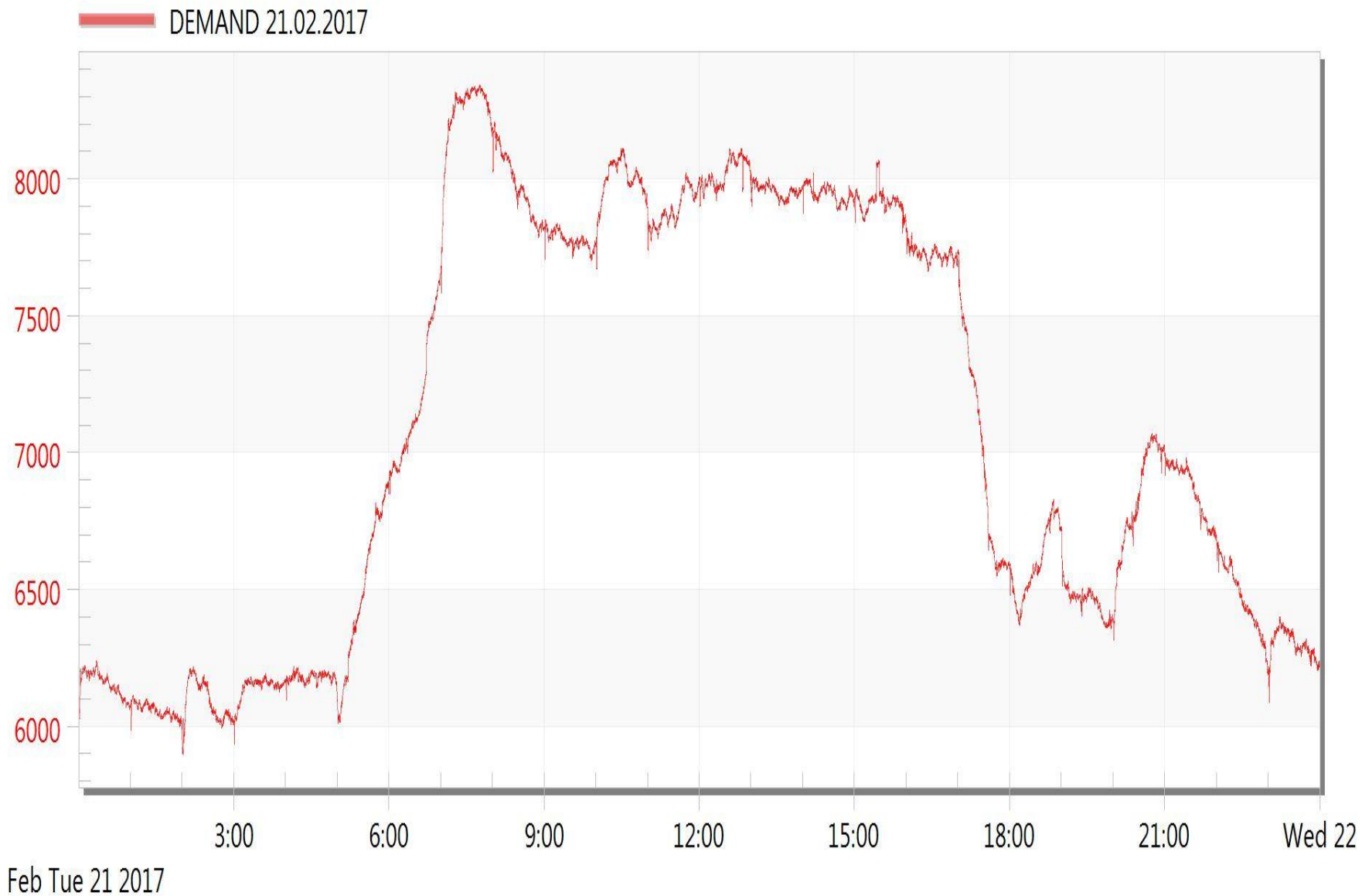
- Srisailem Left Bank Power House (SSLM LBPH) will be available only when Nagarjuna Sagar reservoir level is above 540 ft (Net head should be more than 100 ft). If the Nagarjuna Sagar level is below this 540 ft, a Wear Dam is required which is under renovation.
- Nagarjuna Sagar Power House Pumps will be available only after completion of Tailpond works which are in progress.



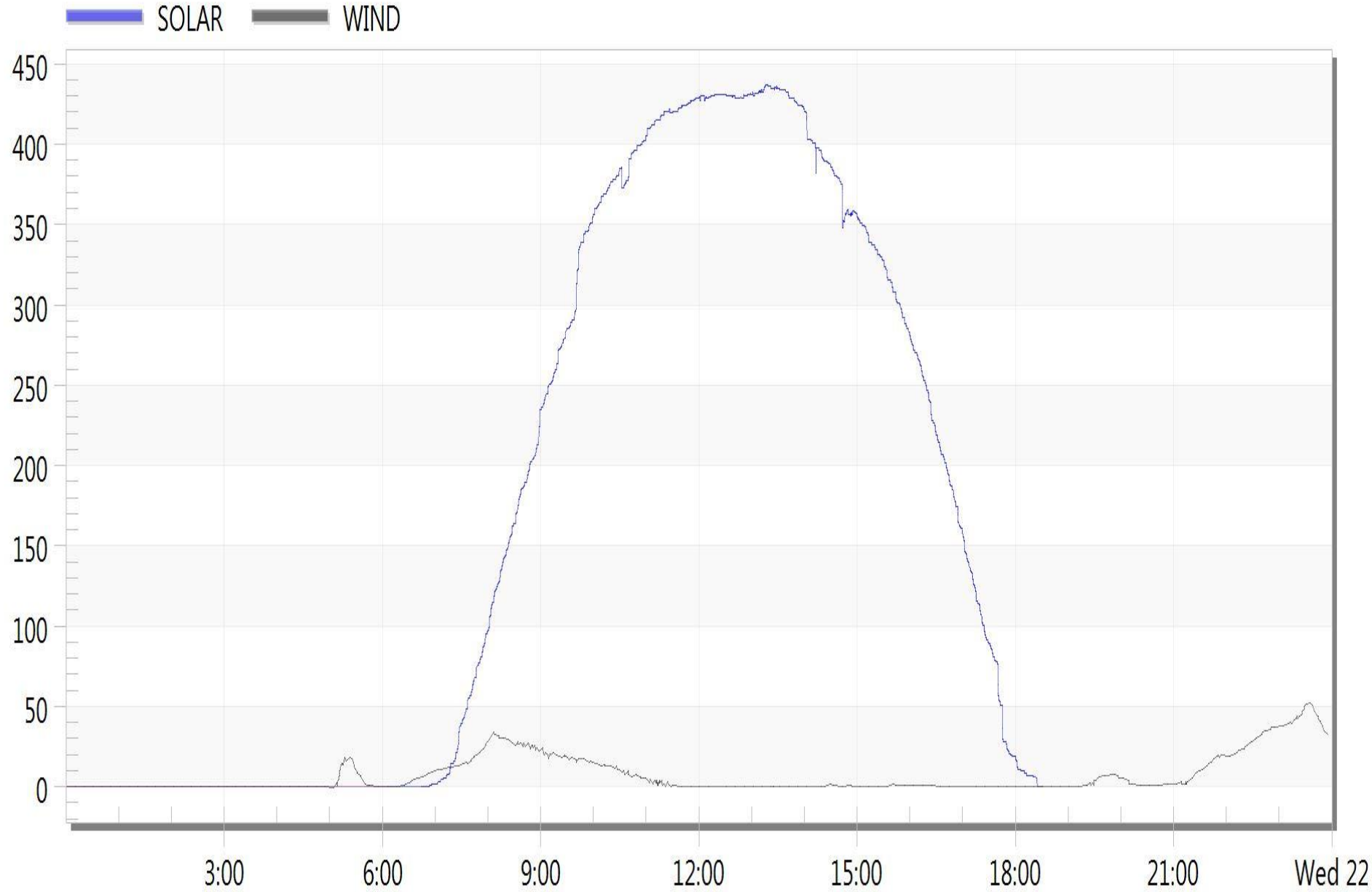
Intra-state transmission/distribution system facing congestion  
due to RE generation

- Solar generation in TS is distributed.
- Wind only 100 MW.
- To meet additional solar, strengthening the transmission/distribution system.

# TS DEMAND



# SOLAR AND WIND 21-02-2017



**THANK YOU**