



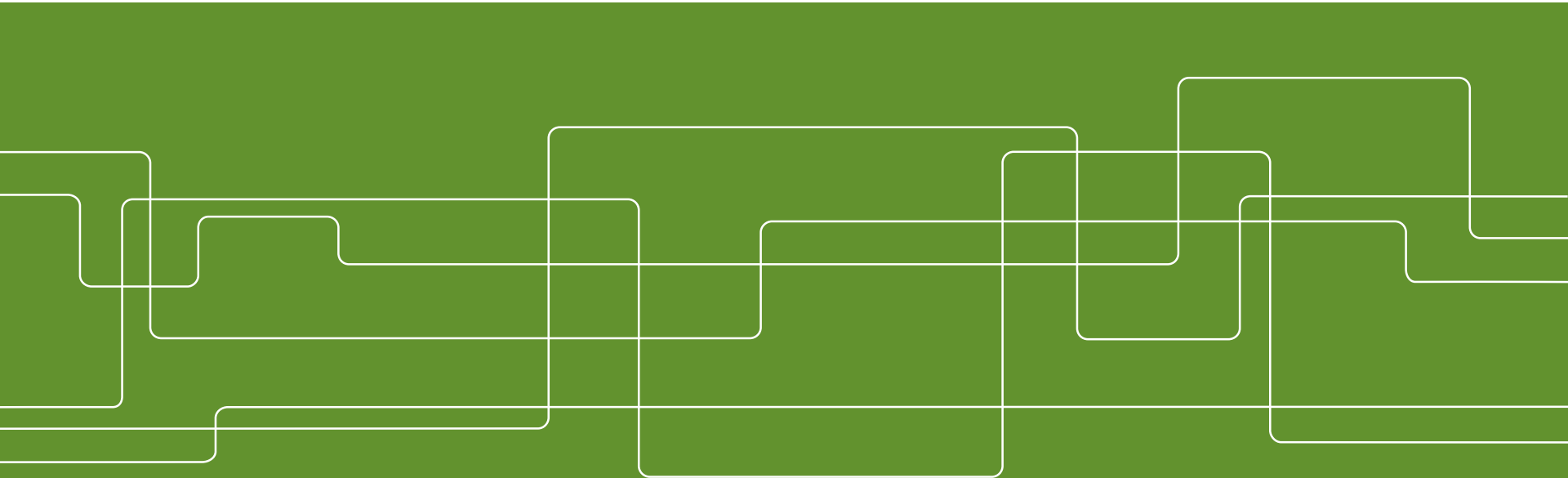
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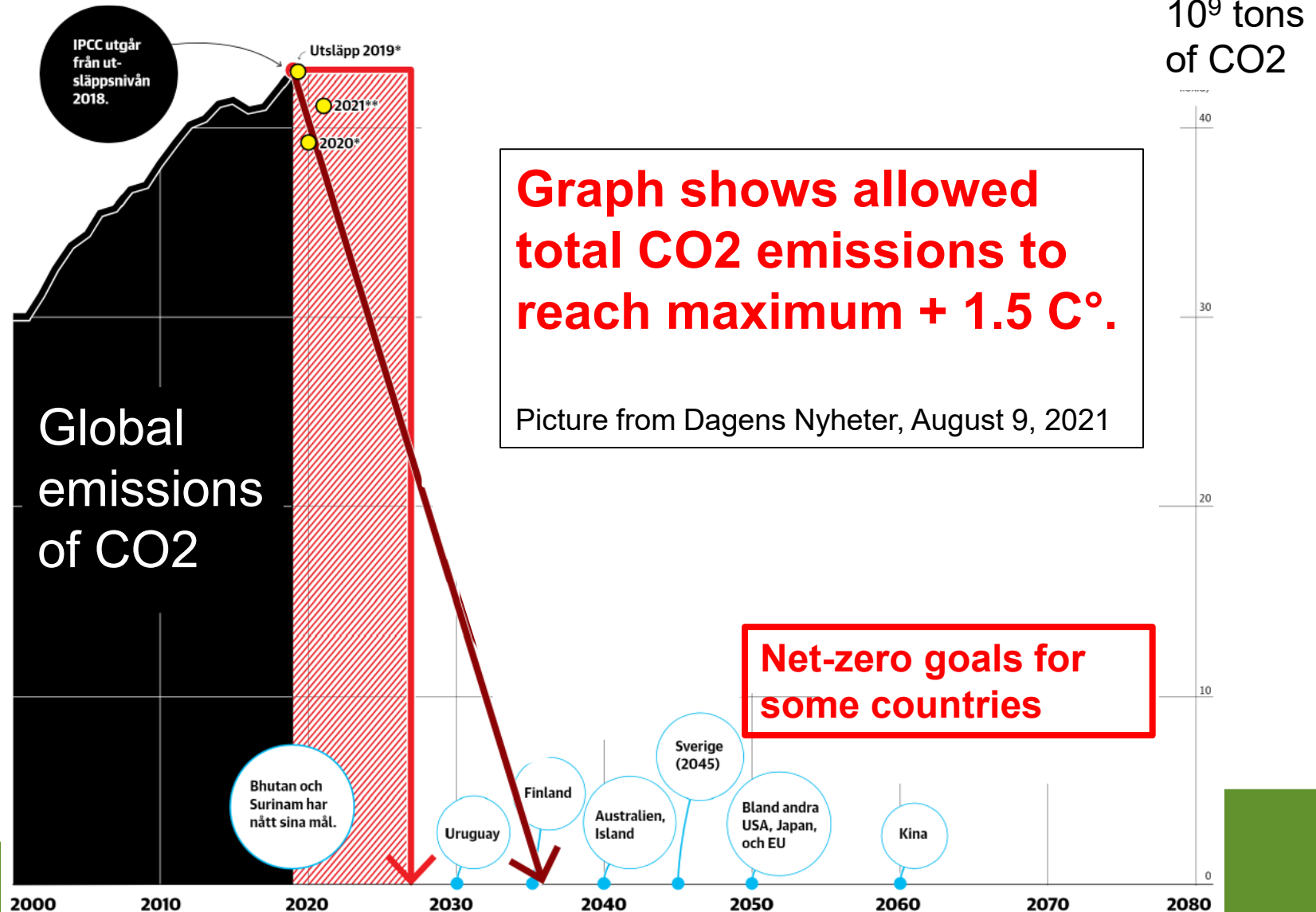
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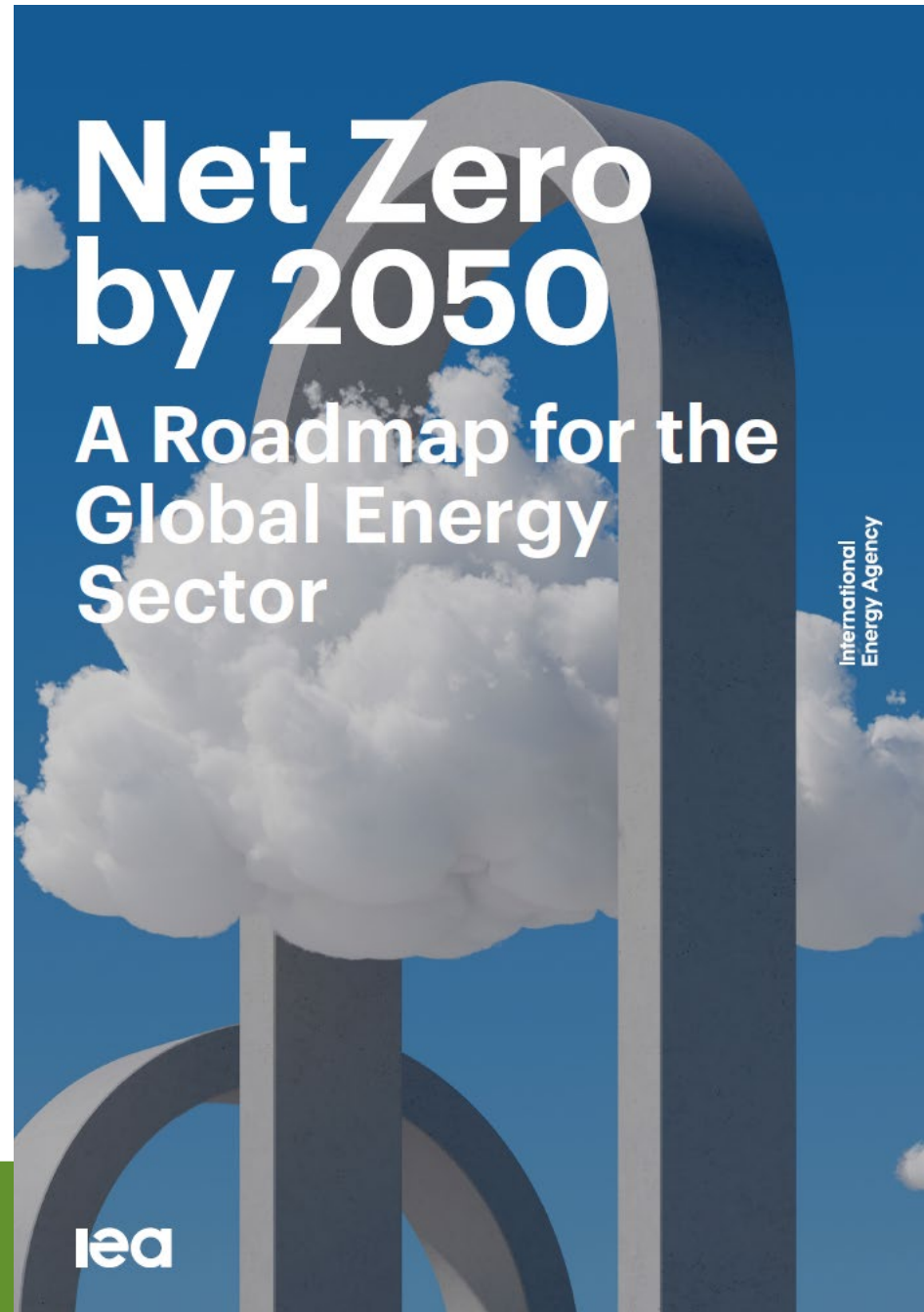
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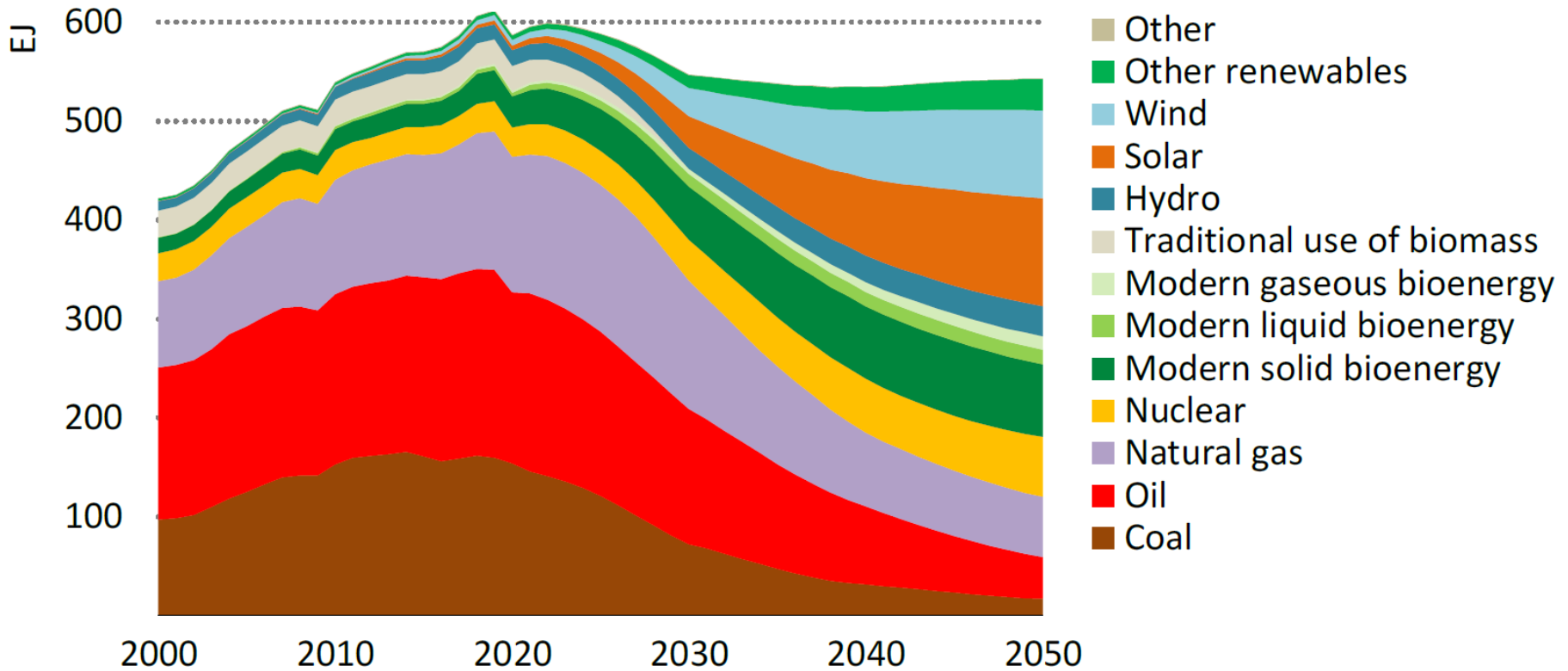
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**Table B.1** ▶ Electricity generation technology costs by selected region in the NZE

	Financing rate (%)	Capital costs (\$/kW)			Capacity factor (%)			Fuel, CO <sub>2</sub> and O&M (\$/MWh)			LCOE (\$/MWh)		
		All	2020	2030	2050	2020	2030	2050	2020	2030	2050	2020	2030
<b>European Union</b>													
Nuclear	8.0	6 600	5 100	4 500	75	75	70	35	35	35	150	120	115
Coal	8.0	2 000	2 000	2 000	20	<i>n.a.</i>	<i>n.a.</i>	120	205	275	250	<i>n.a.</i>	<i>n.a.</i>
Gas CCGT	8.0	1 000	1 000	1 000	40	20	<i>n.a.</i>	65	95	120	100	150	<i>n.a.</i>
Solar PV	3.2	790	460	340	13	14	14	10	10	10	55	35	25
Wind onshore	3.2	1 540	1 420	1 300	29	30	31	15	15	15	55	45	40
Wind offshore	4.0	3 600	2 020	1 420	51	56	59	15	10	5	75	40	25
<b>China</b>													
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Coal	7.0	800	800	800	60	<i>n.a.</i>	<i>n.a.</i>	75	135	195	90	<i>n.a.</i>	<i>n.a.</i>
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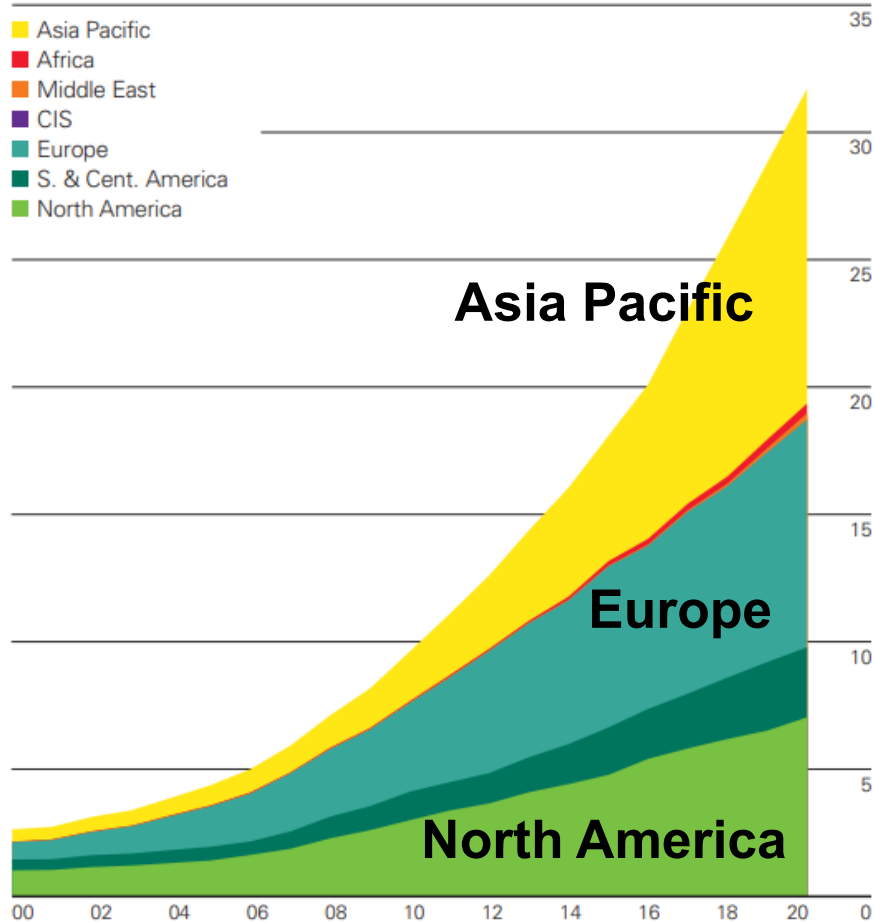
**Figure 2.5** ▶ Total energy supply in the NZE



# Statistics from BP concerning world use of renewable sources: 2000 - 2020

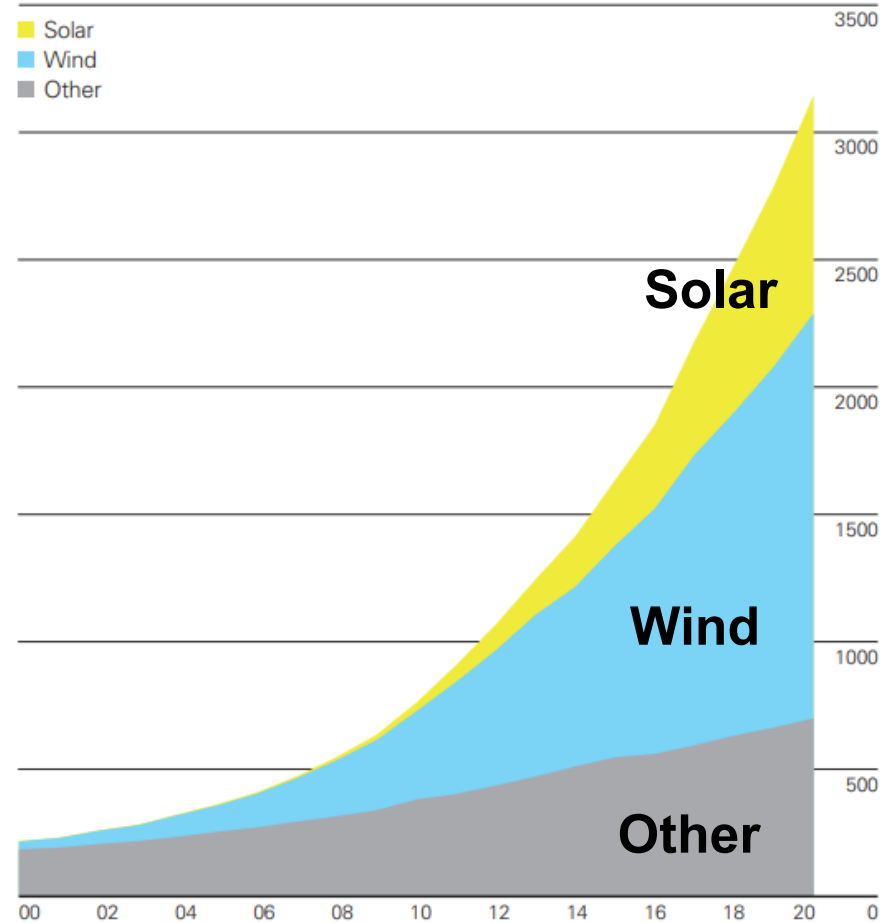
## Renewables consumption by region

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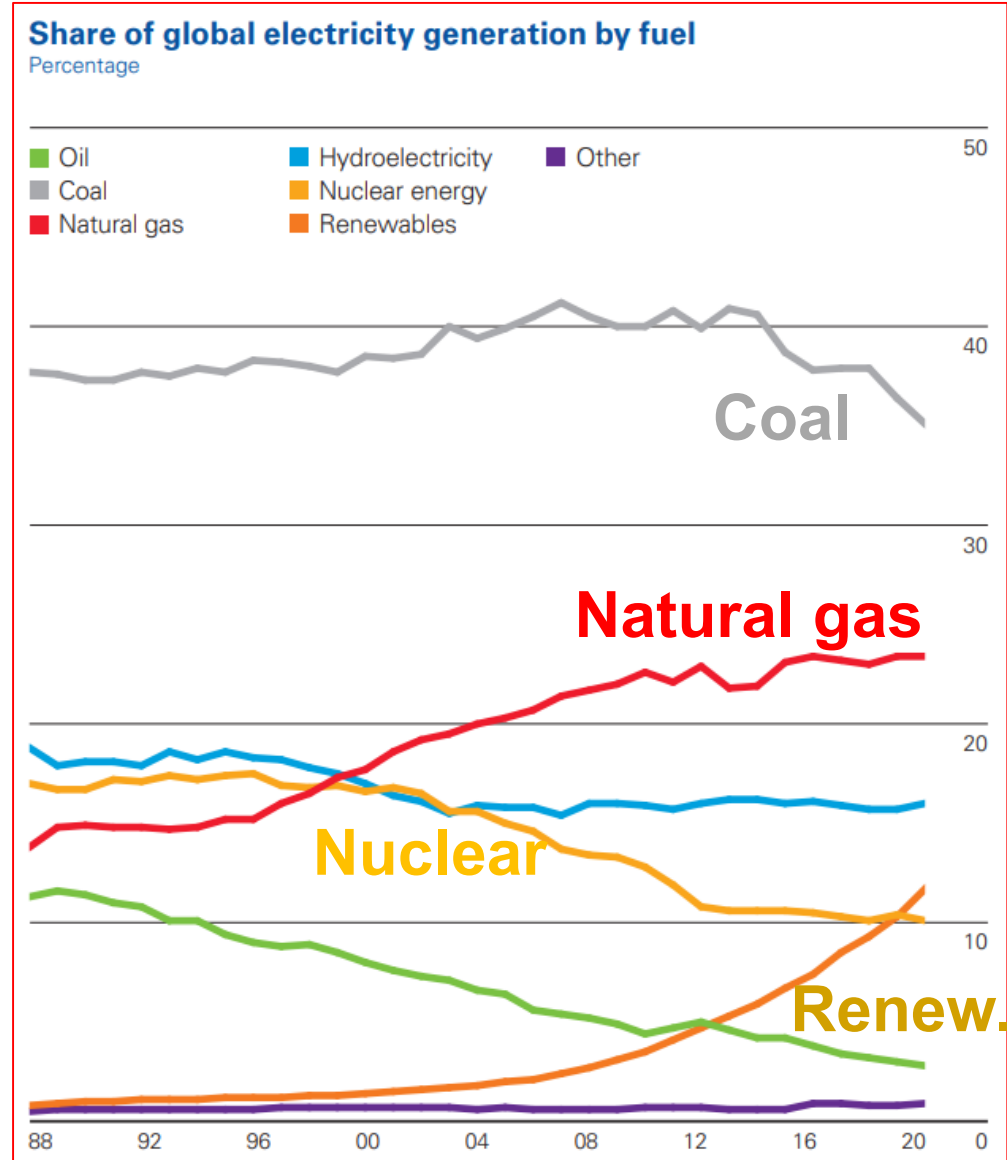


## Renewables generation by source

Terawatt-hours

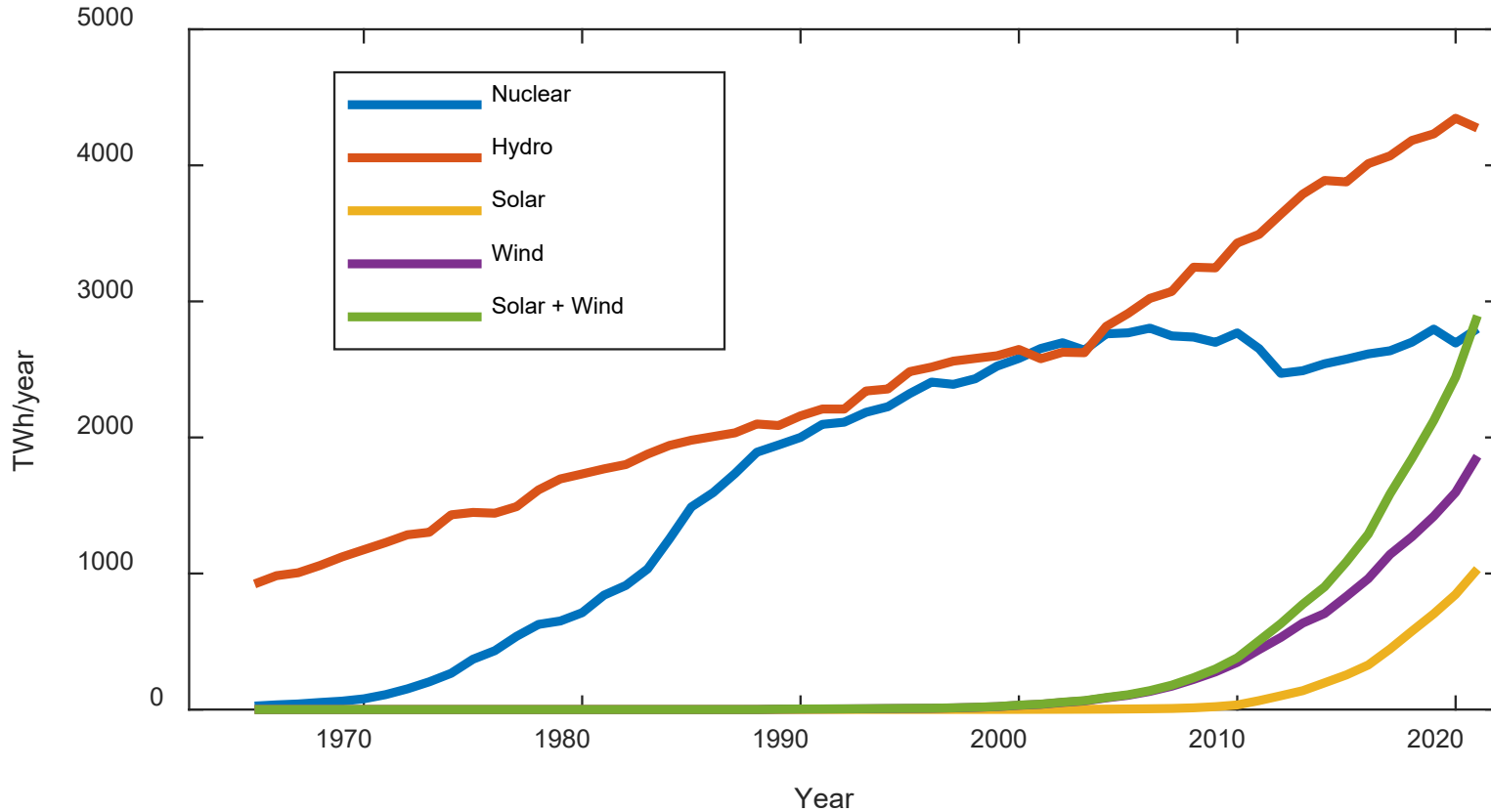


# BP: global share of different electric generations sources, 1988-2020





# Global statistics of nuclear and renewable electric energy: 1965 – 2021 [Source: BP]







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"**Problem**" = The increased need for "**Energy storage and flexibility**" which very much depends on significantly larger amounts of solar and wind power.





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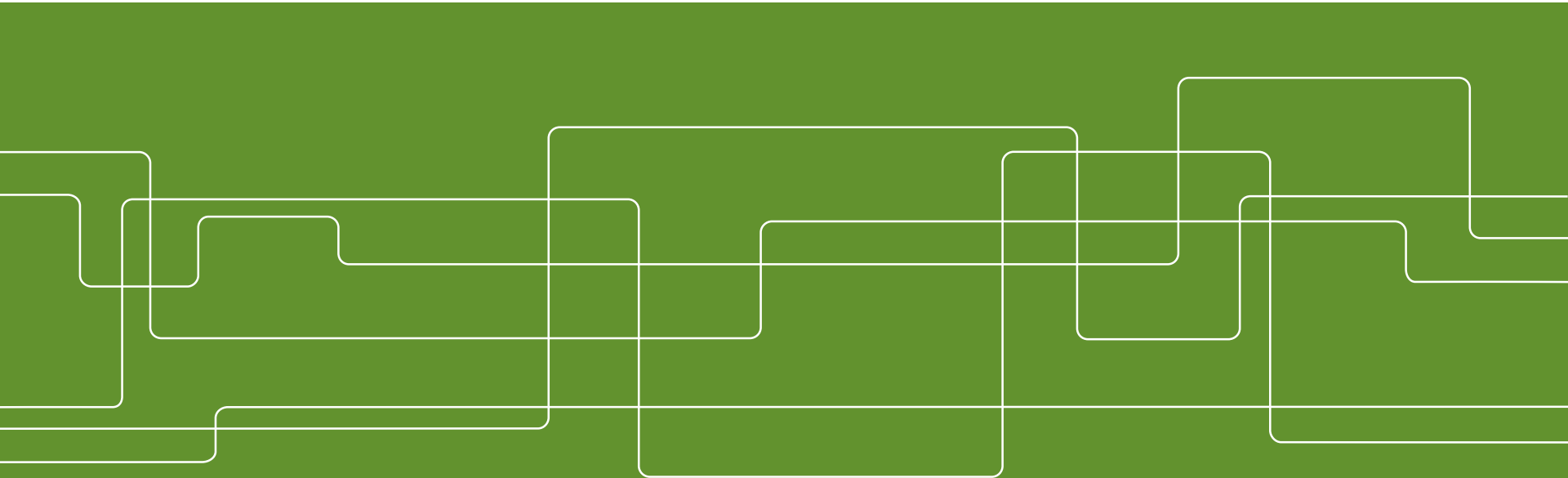
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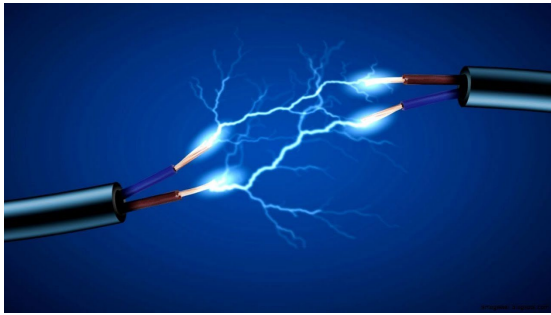
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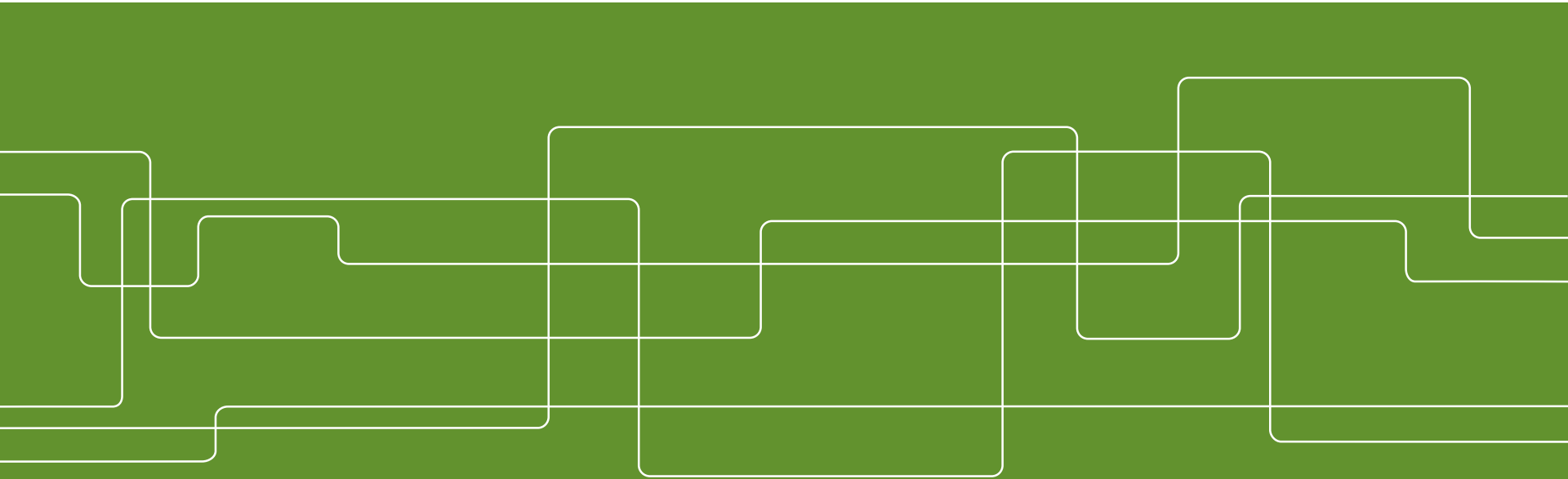


# Electricity

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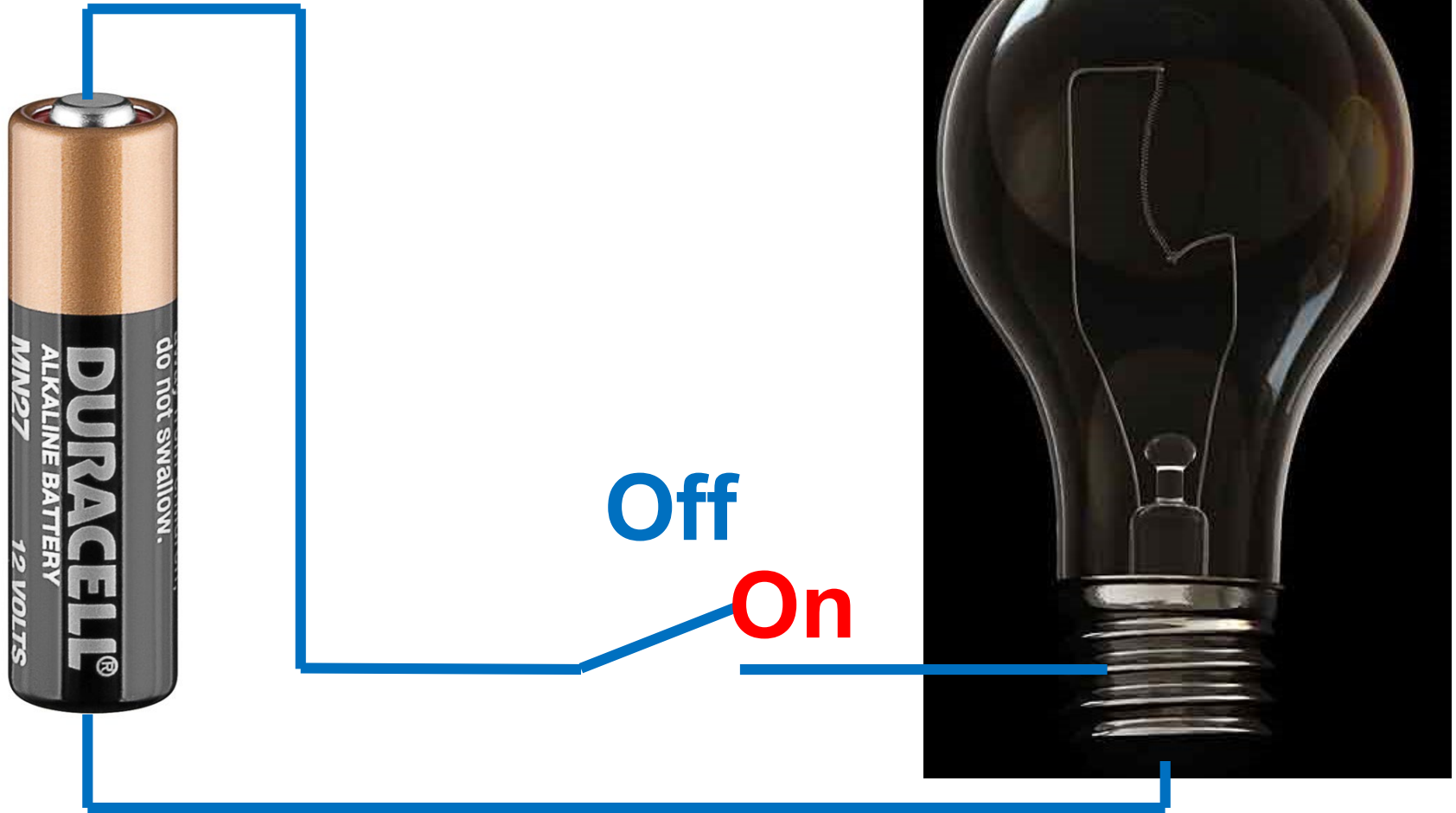


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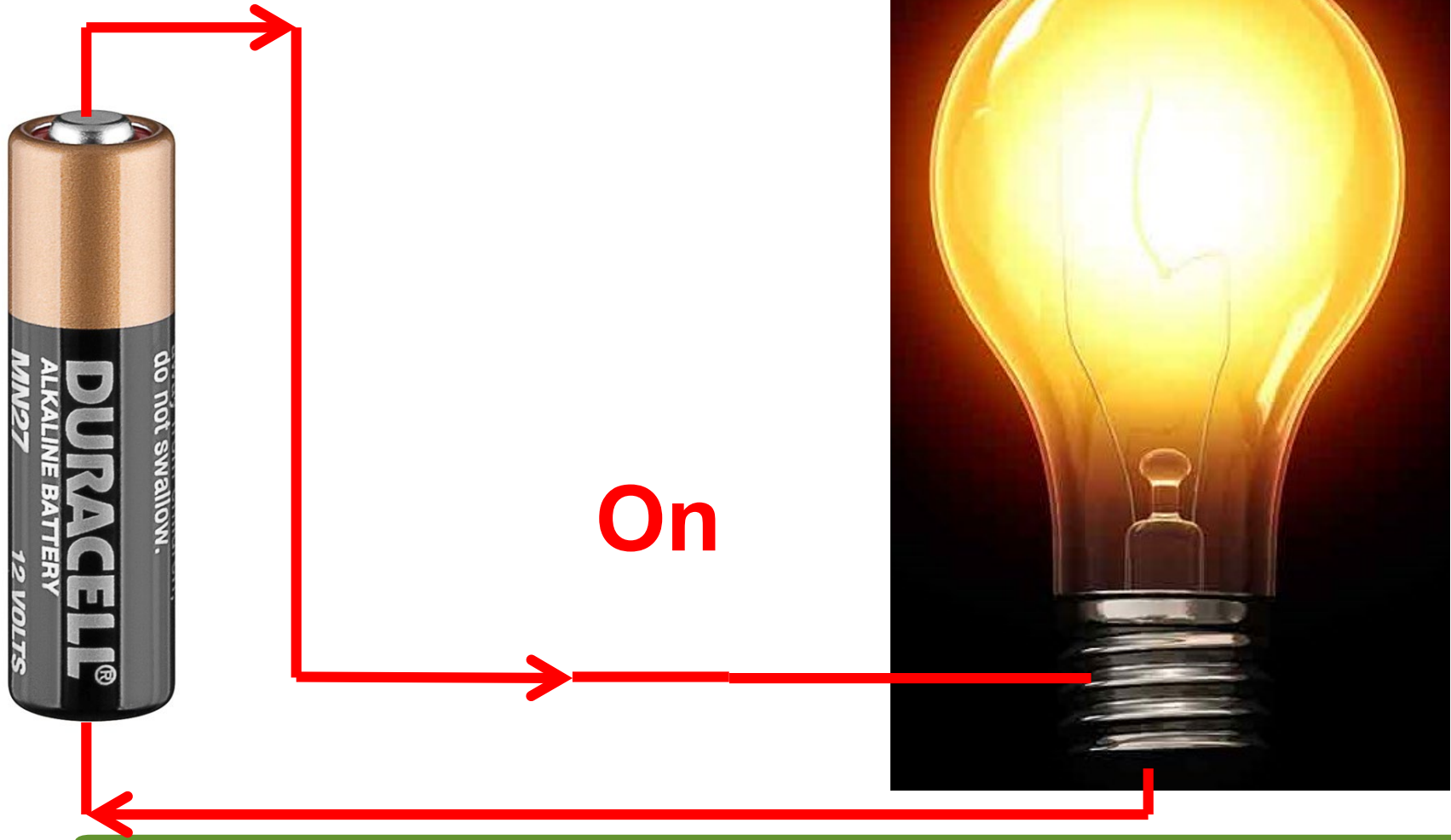


# Electricity comes with the speed of light





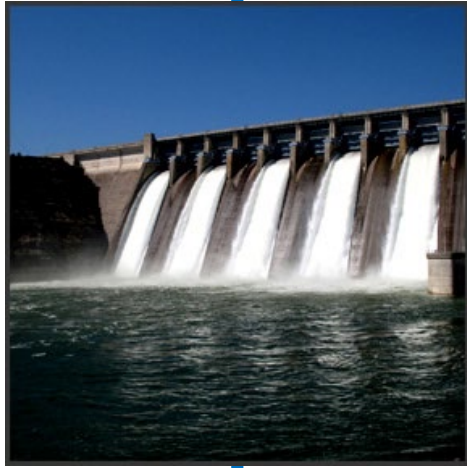
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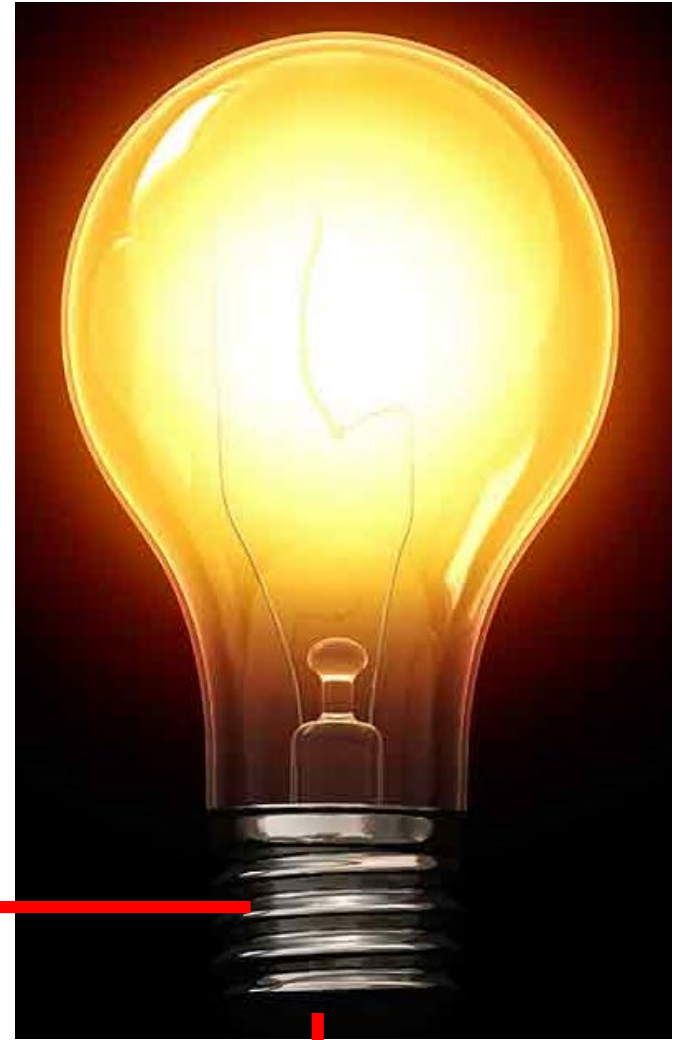


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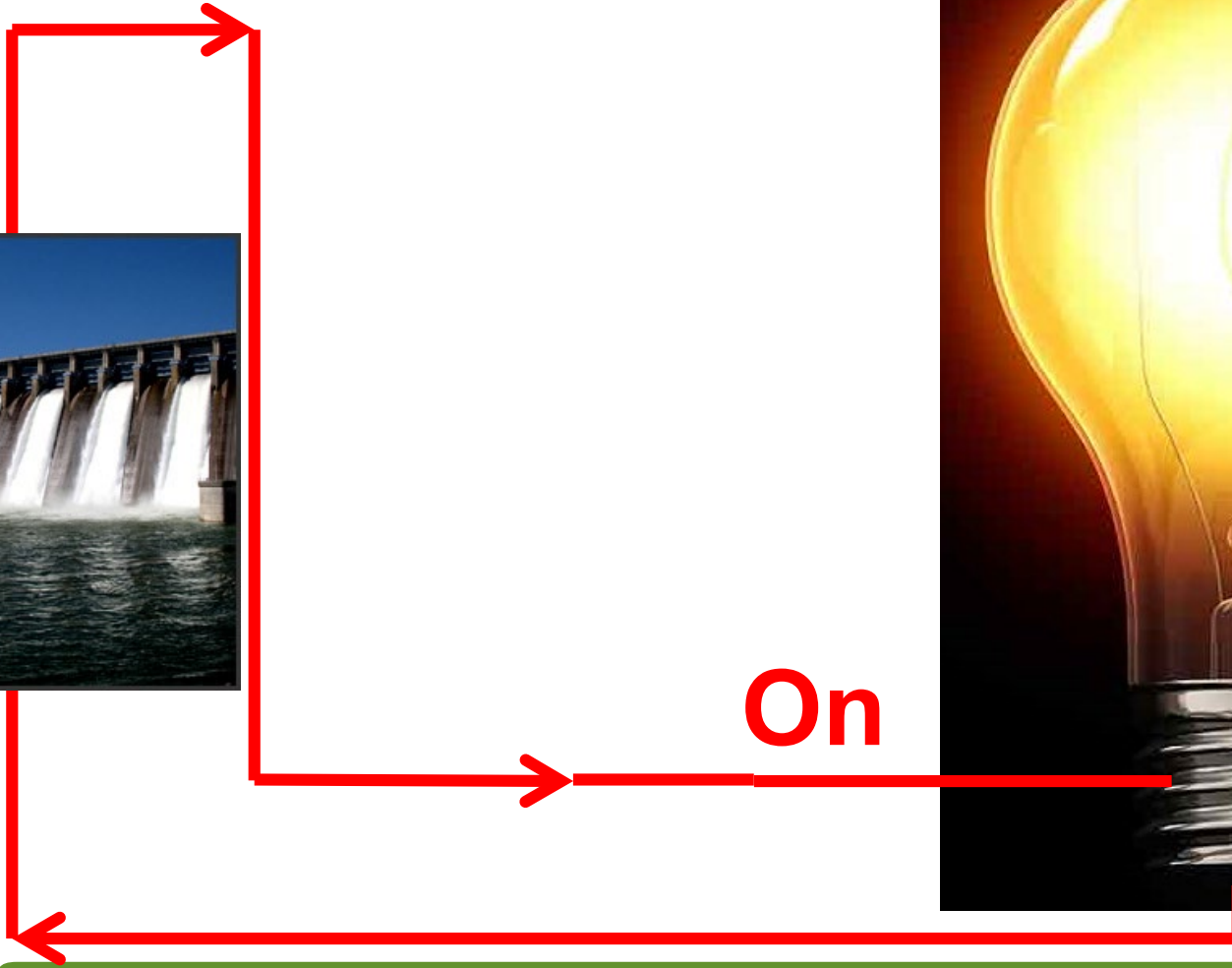




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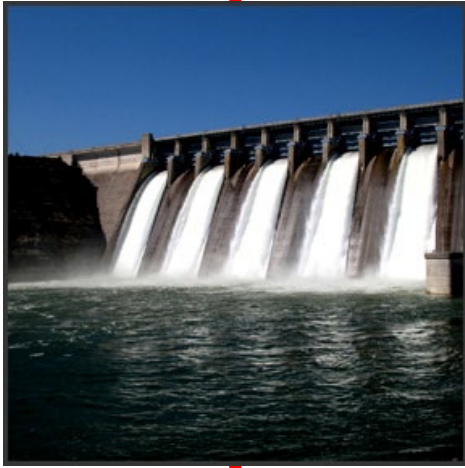
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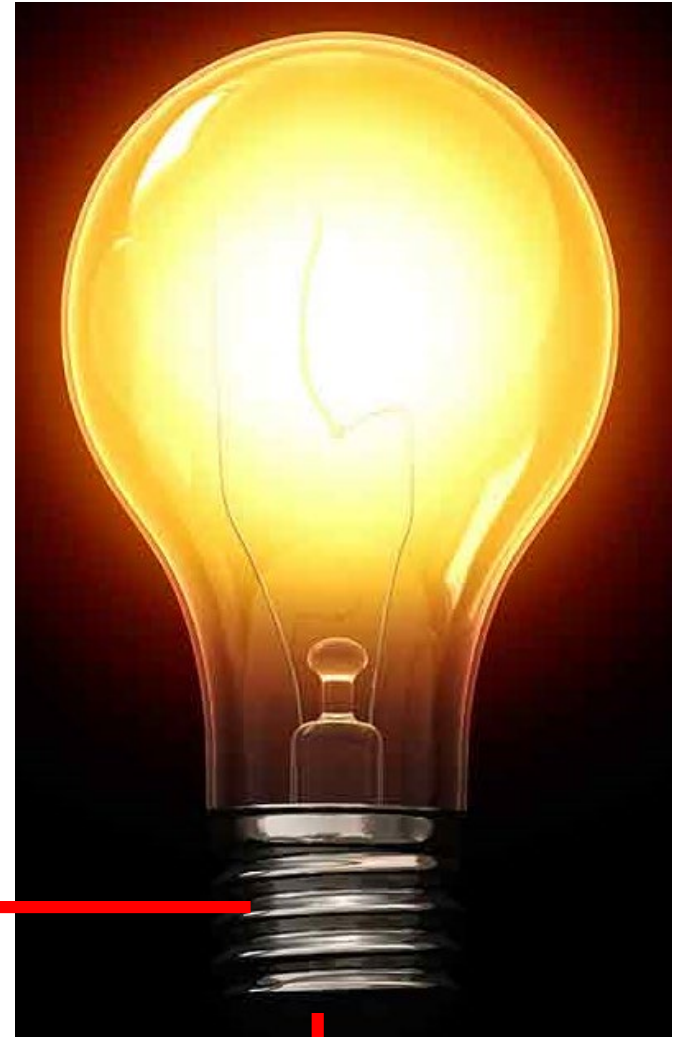
# Electricity comes with the speed of light

During 1/100 second

- **Light** travels 3000 km = Stockholm – Madrid (**Beijing-Shanghai: 1070 km**)
- **Sound** travels 3 m.



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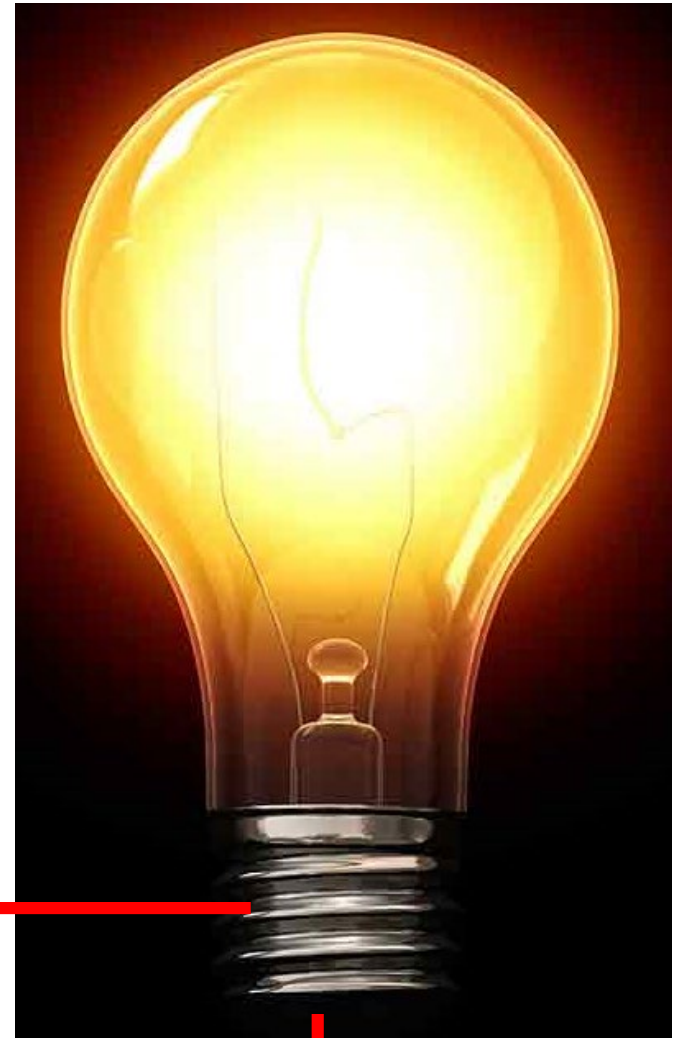


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## From North Sweden



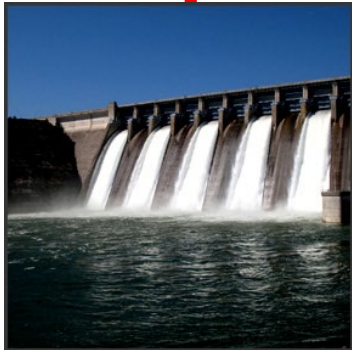
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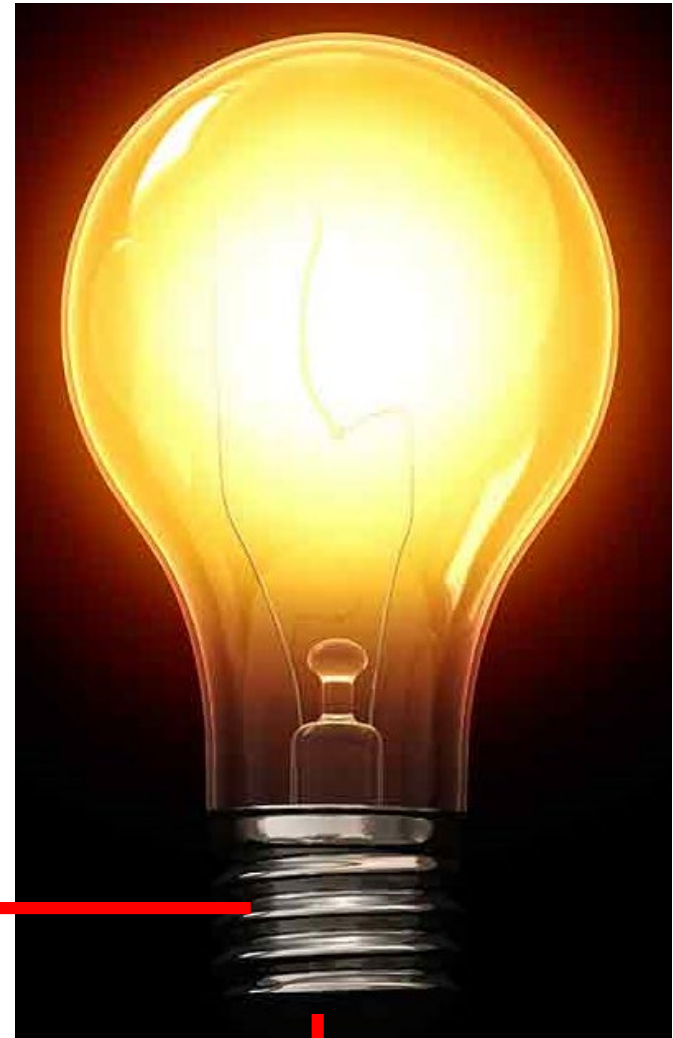


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Or from Norway?



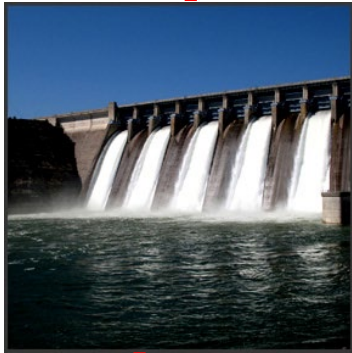
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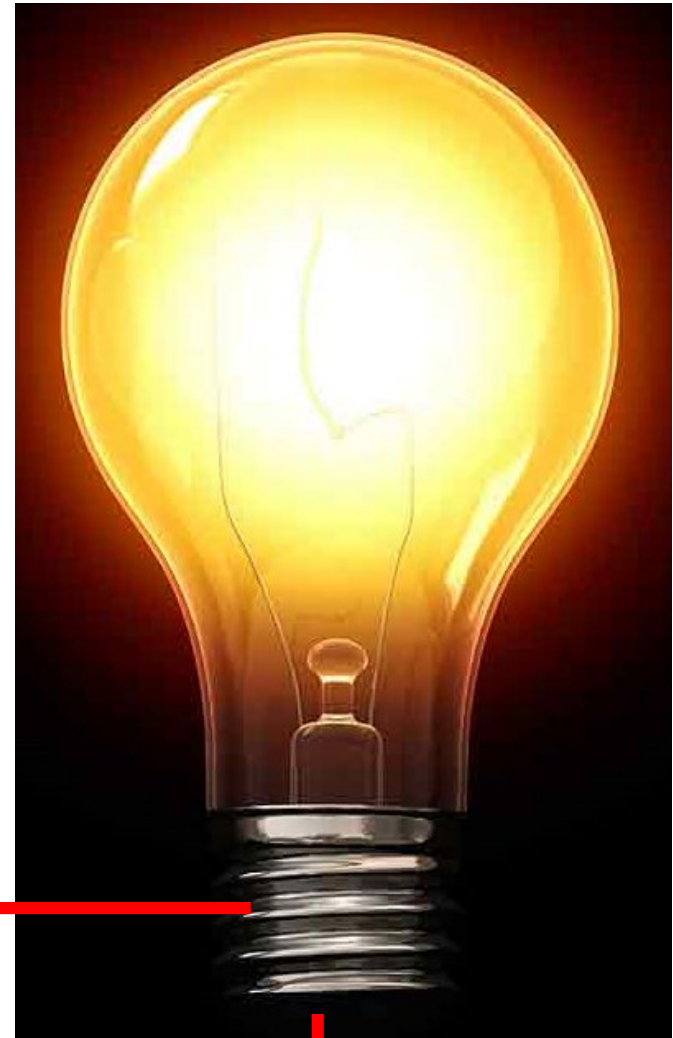


# Electricity comes with the speed of light

Or Sweden + Norway?



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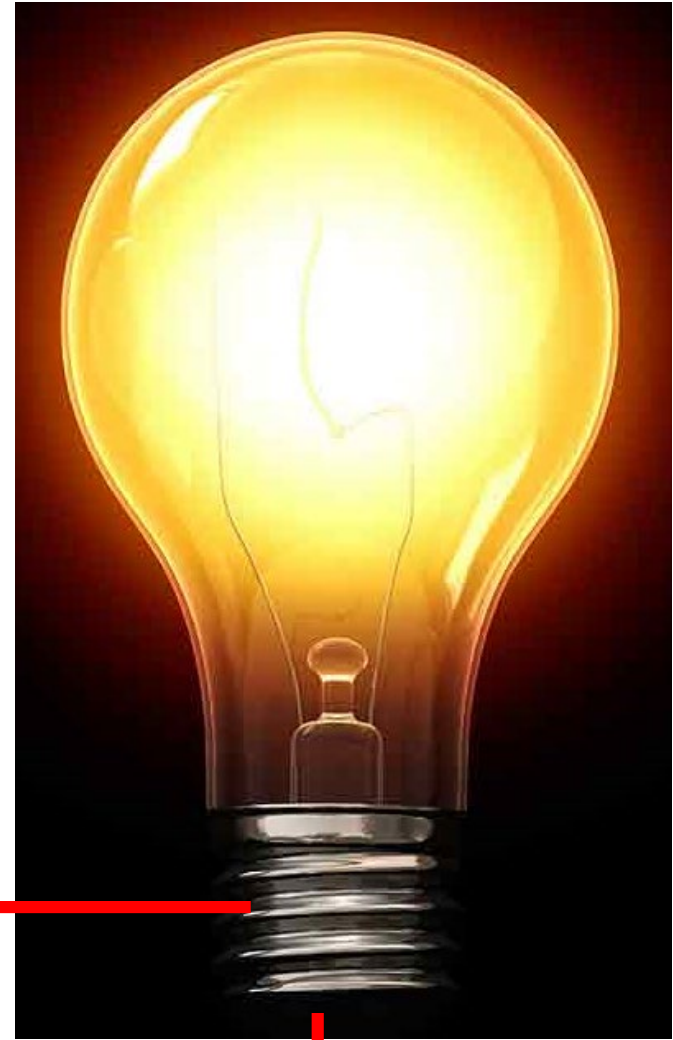
Or with wind power?



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# Electricity comes with the speed of light

Or when not windy?

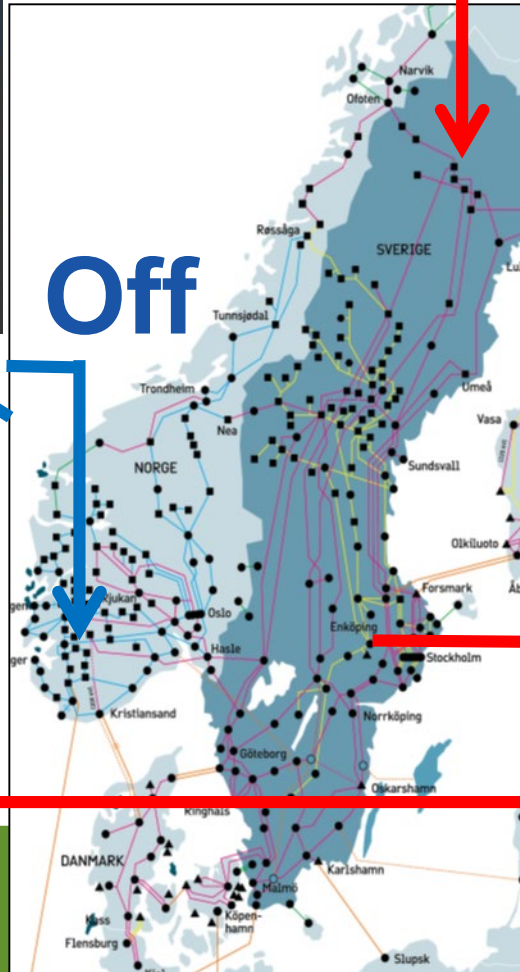
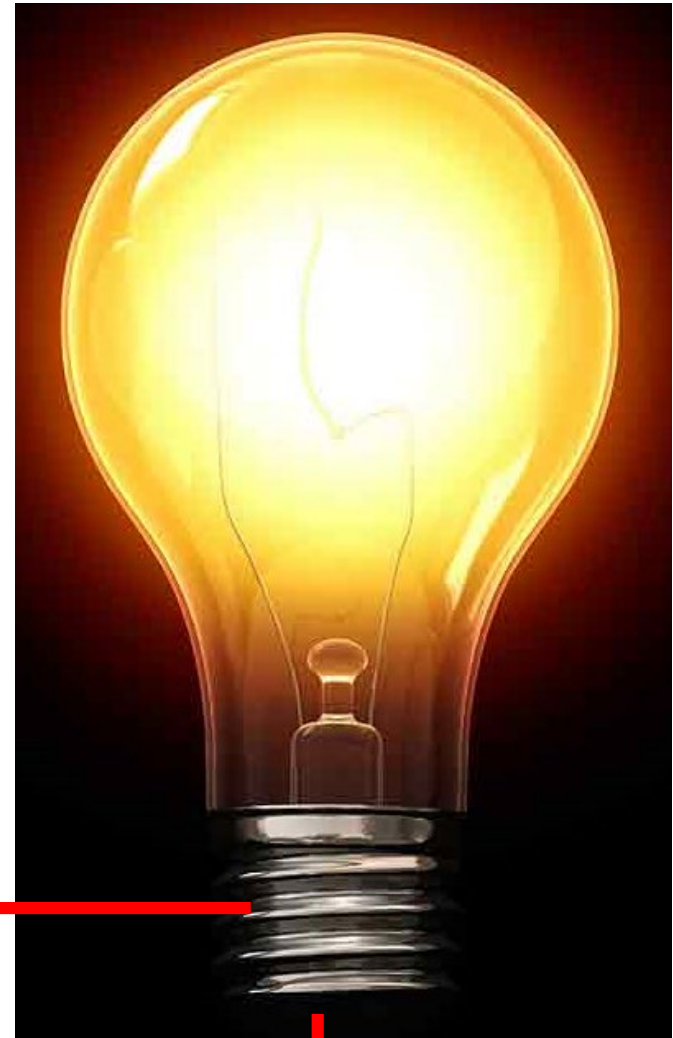


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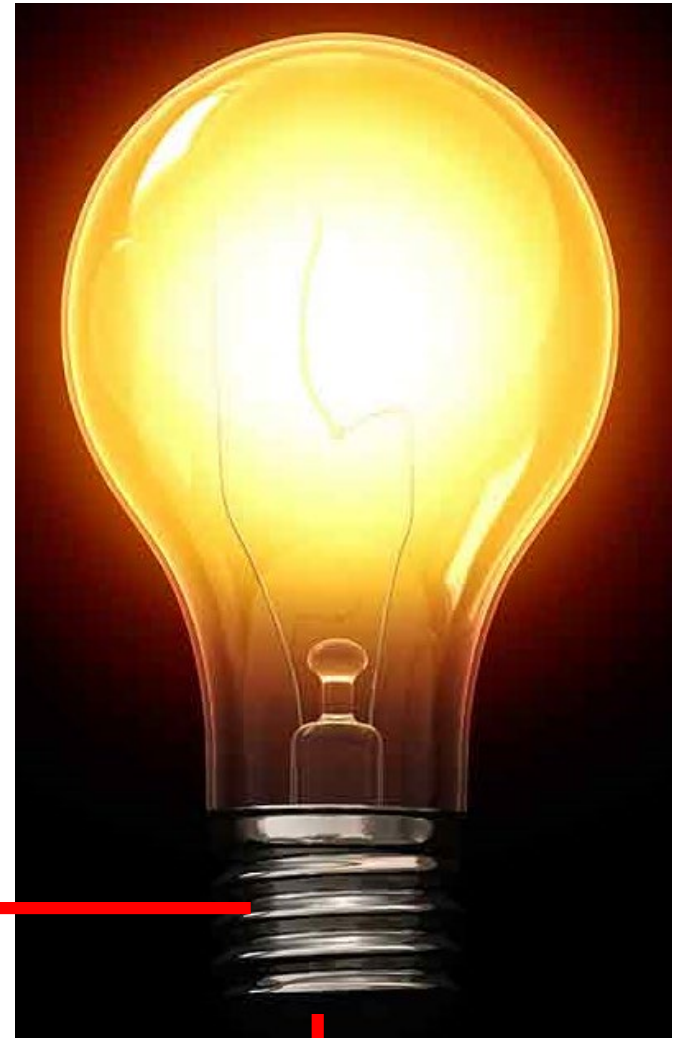
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**Assume import from UK  
North Sea Link 1400 MW**

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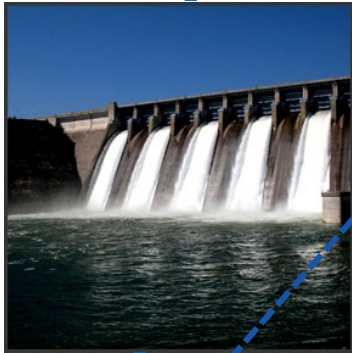
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# Electricity comes with the speed of light

Assume **sudden outage**  
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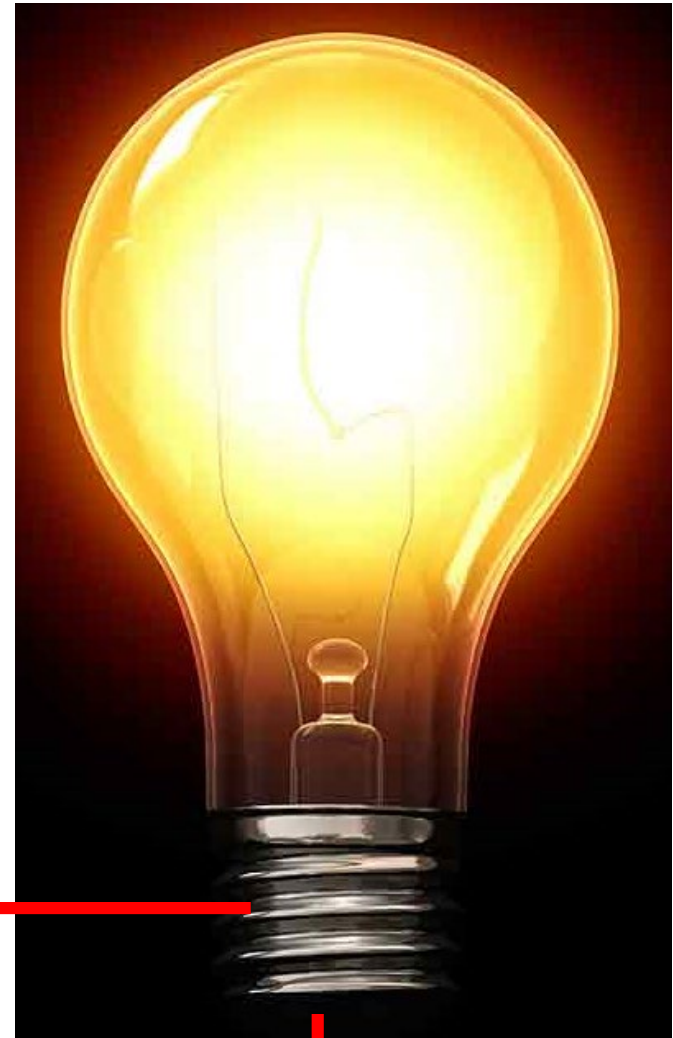


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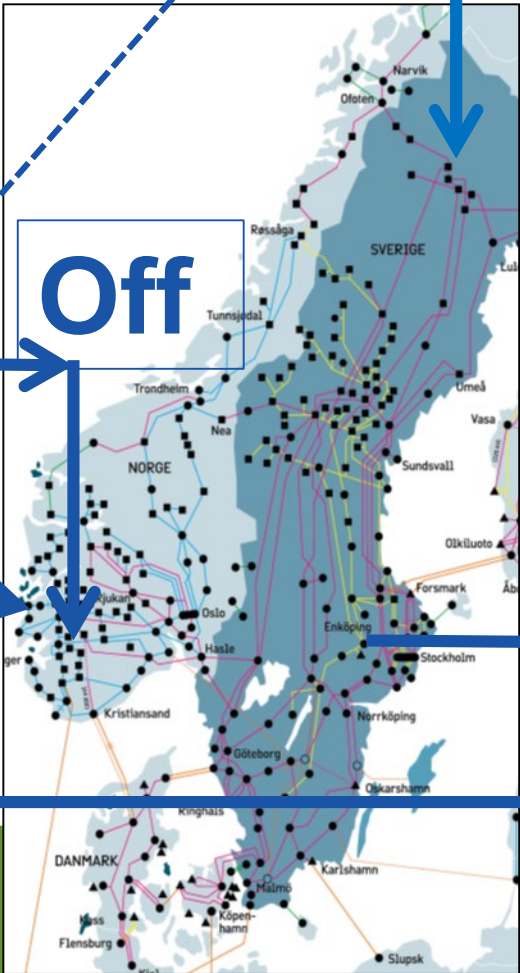
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**We do not want this to happen**

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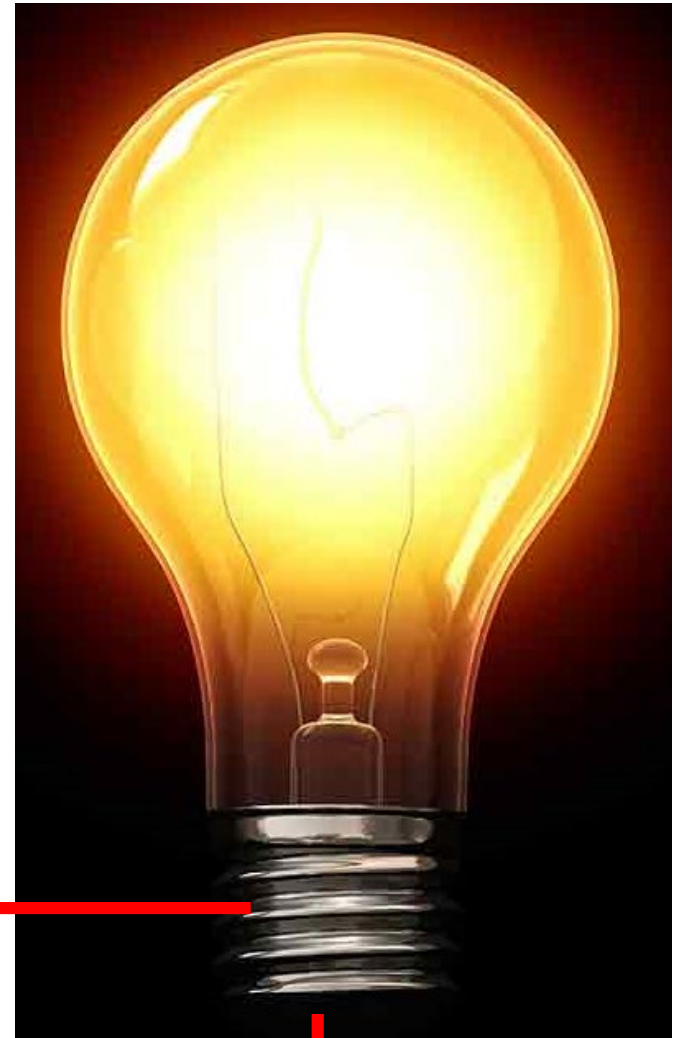
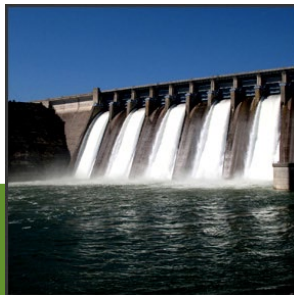
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# Electricity comes with the speed of light

## Summary:

- "Electricity" is an instant transport system (with some losses)
- "Electricity" is NOT an "energy source"
- "Power consumption" must thereby, for each second, be met by med "Power production"
- Power grids makes it possible to use distant sources



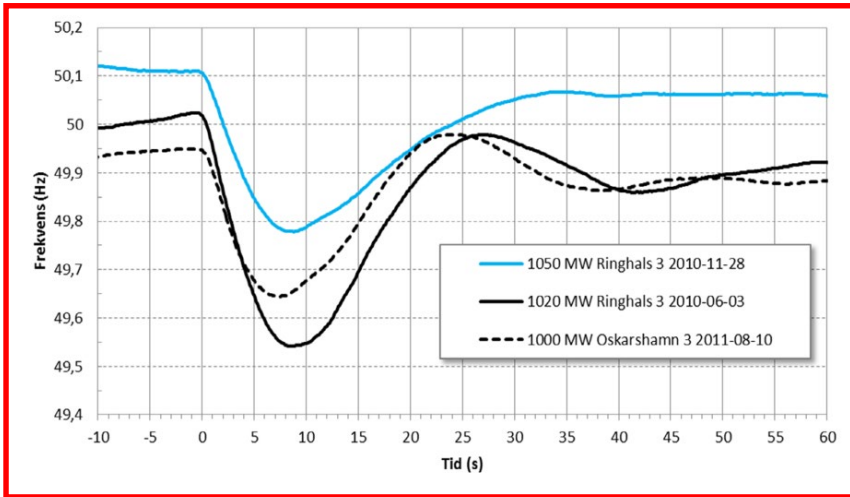


# Summary of system challenges at **large (> 30-40% of yearly energy)** amounts of wind and solar power

1. **Continuous balance** is needed in all systems since power moves with speed of light and no storage.
2. Keep **enough** system **capacity** at low wind/solar
3. Keep **enough reserves** at high wind/solar
4. **Economically** correct **transmission capacity**
5. **Wind/solar spillage** at single digit percents is probably relevant

# Content:

- Aim of power system
- China – Europe parallel
- Power System balancing
- Wind power impact





# Aim of a power system

1. The consumers should get the requested power (e.g. a 60 W bulb), when they push the on-button. This should work no matter outages in power stations, it is windy etc = keep a **balance between total production and total consumption**.
2. The consumers should get an **acceptable voltage**, e.g. 230 V, in the outlet.
3. Point 1-2 should be kept with a **realistic reliability**. This is **never** 100,000... percent,
4. Point 1-3 should be kept in an **economic and sustainable** way.



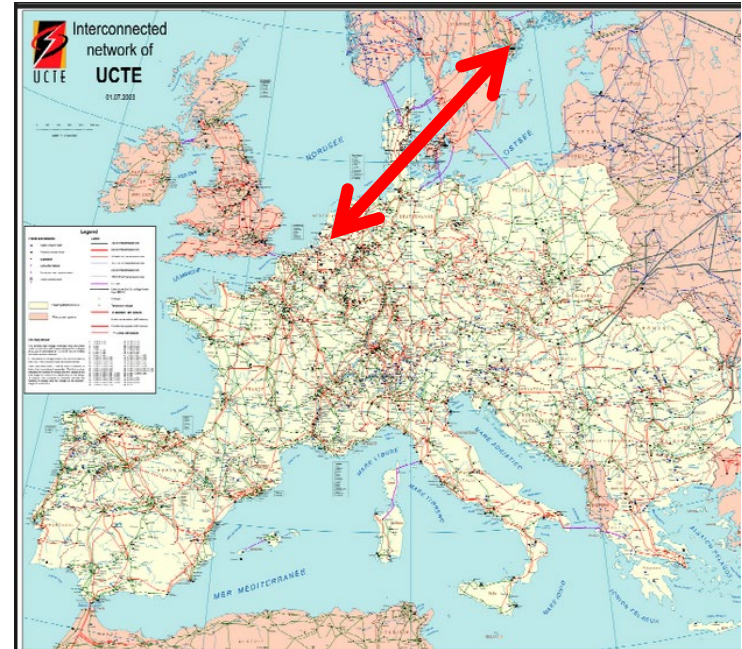
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AC system: same frequency

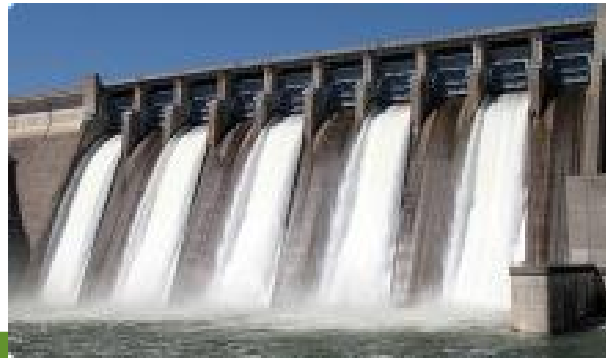


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# Renewable energy systems

- Energy is "produced" where the resource is
- The energy has to be transported to consumption center
- The energy inflow varies, which requires storage and/or flexible system solutions
- This is valid for hydro power, **wind power**, **solar power**





# Example

Nordic hydro power (inflow) can vary 86 TWh between different years ( $\Delta 2001$  to 1996)

Transport from NV to SE + continent

Energy balancing with thermal power in i Dk + F + Ge + Pl + NL + Ee + Lt + UK

→ Sweden and our neighbors have had a need for cooperation since decades

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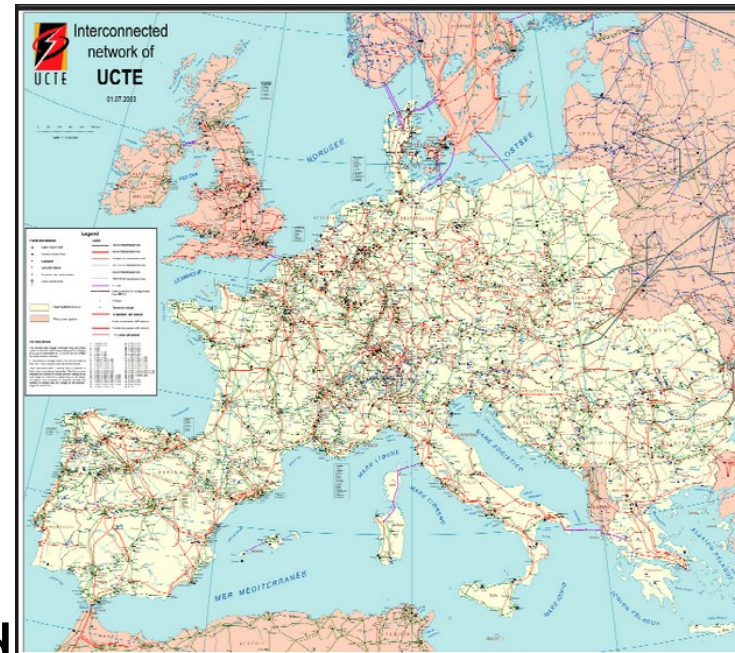
Stockholm-Kiruna: 950 km



# Power system challenges

## Keep the balance:

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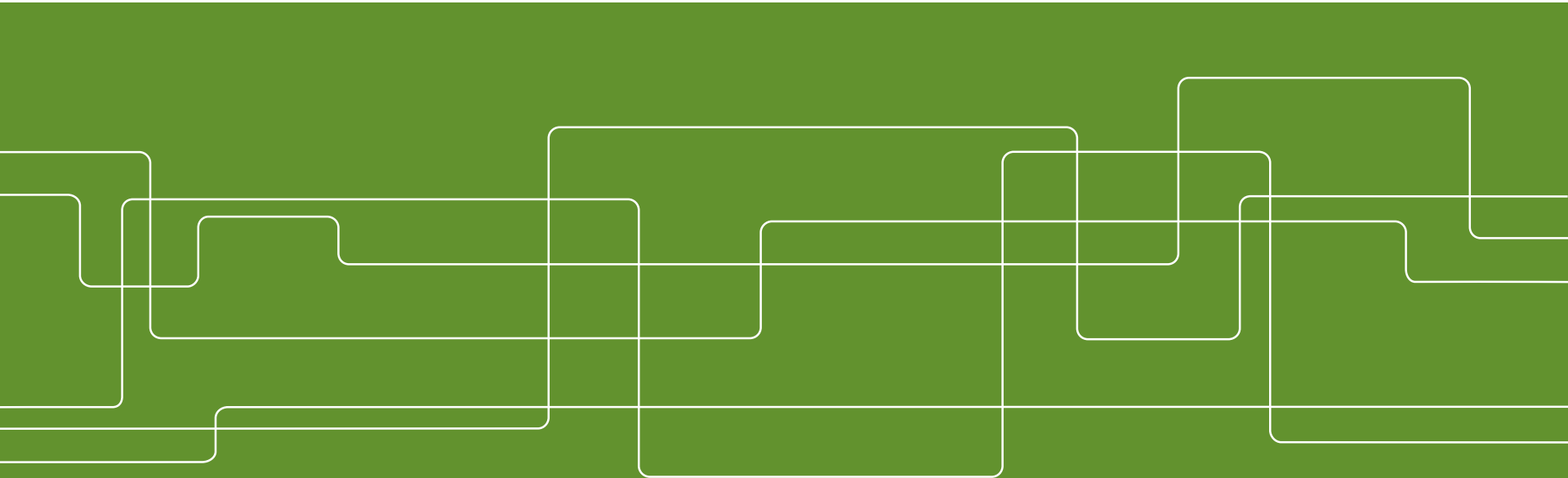
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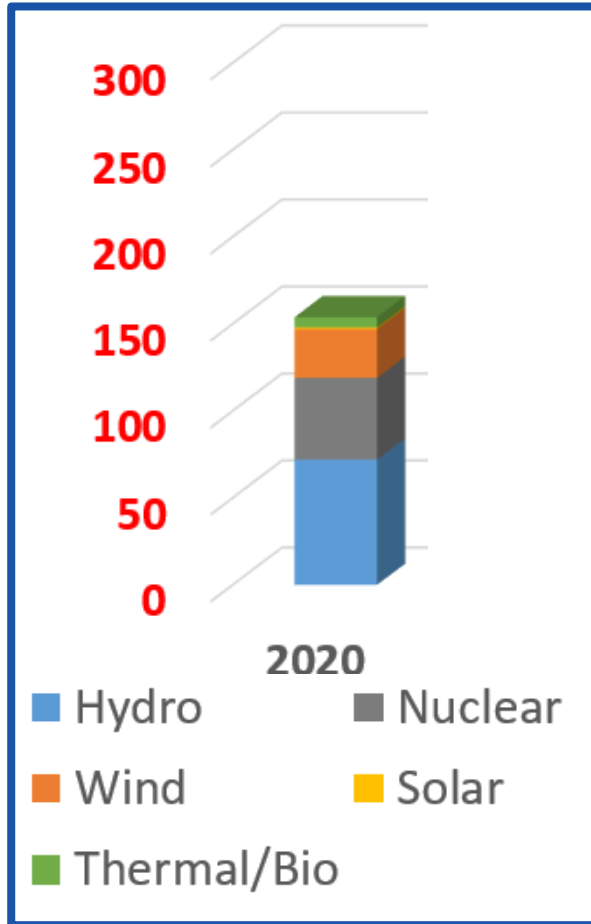
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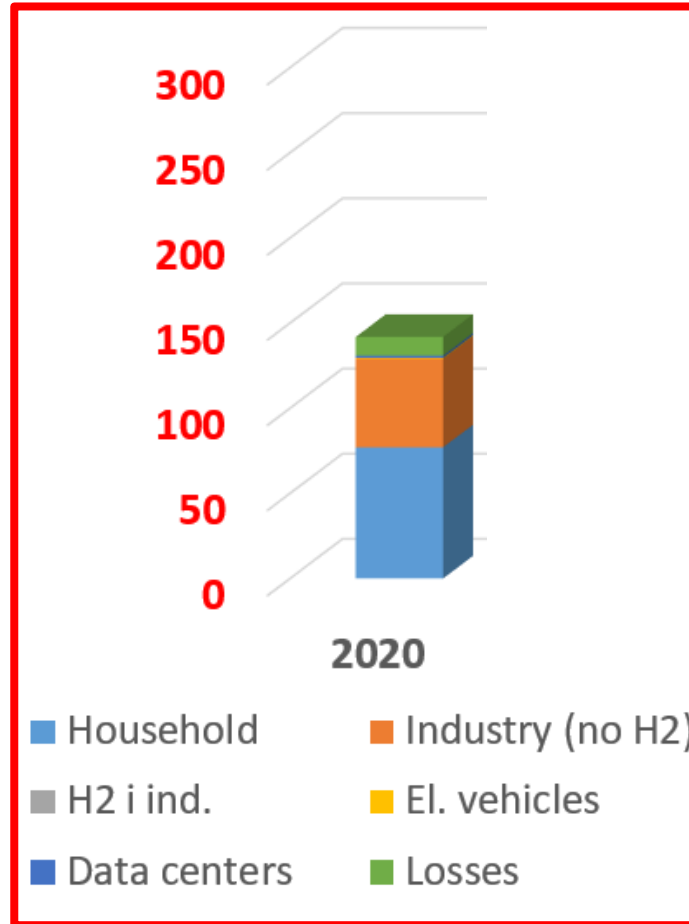


# Swedish power production and consumption 2020

## Production



## Consumption





# Four studied scenarios for the future

4 scenarios studied for 2025-2050:

- Small scale renewable
- Roadmap mixed
- Electrification planable
- Electrification renewables

**Aim:** investigate expansion needs, the transmission capacity in the scenarios may be underdeveloped, especially in 2045. The scenarios must show what needs may exist, not what the power system and market look like after the needs are met.

”Long Term market analysis”,  
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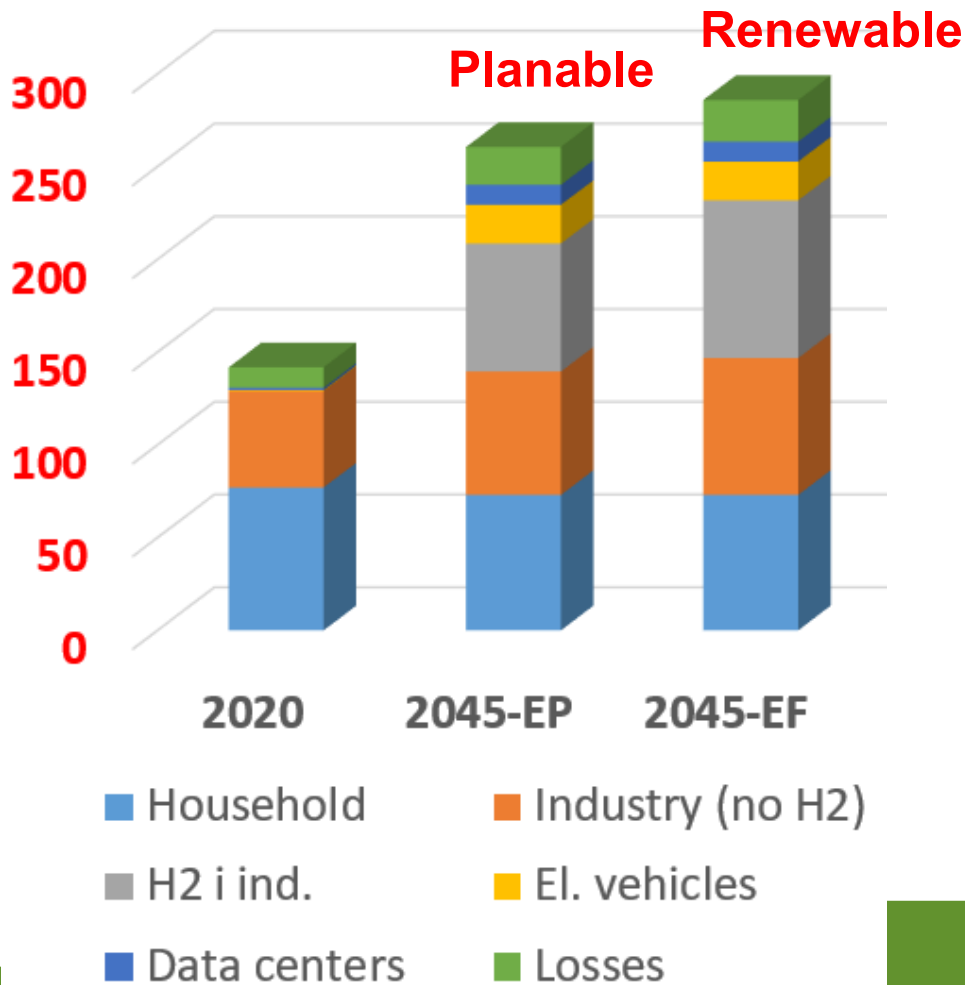
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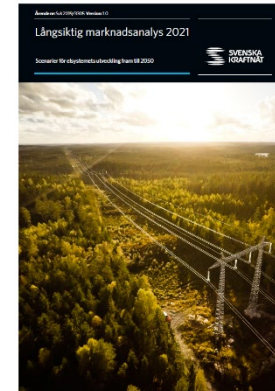
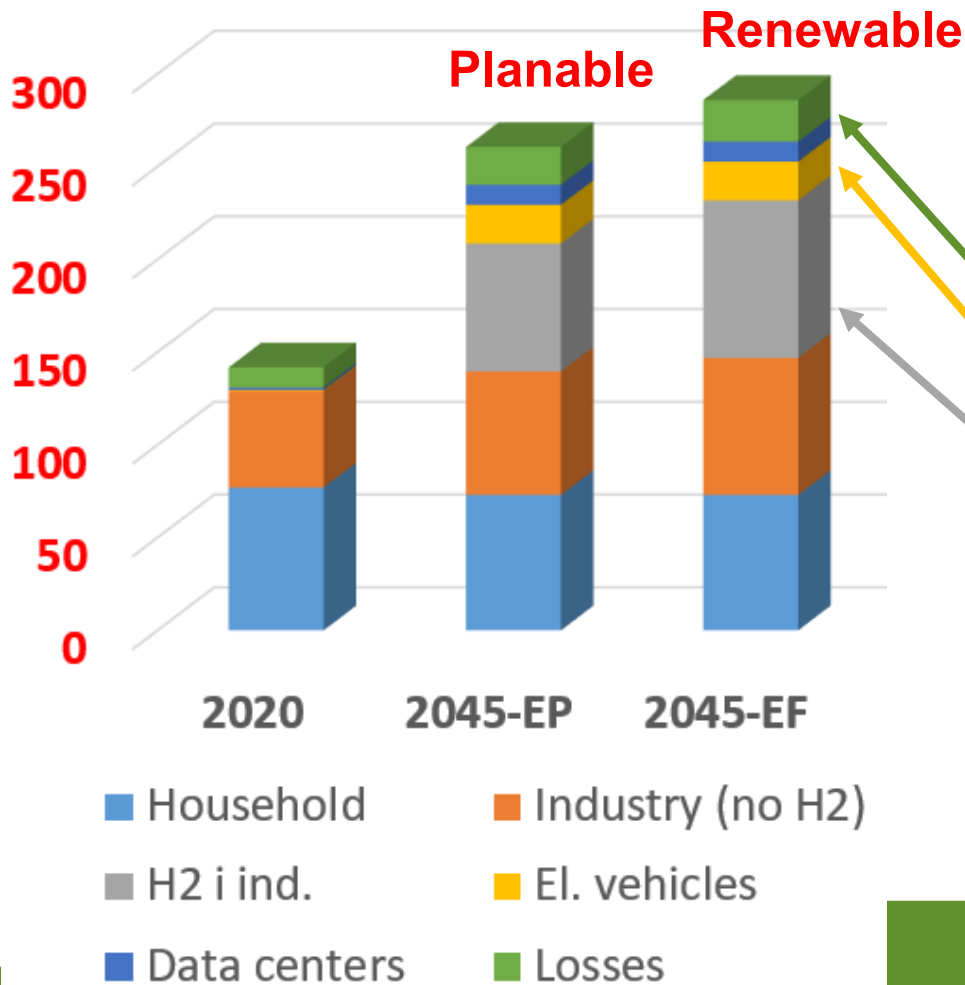
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Increased consumption 2020-2045-EF: 144 TWh

- Part of losses
- 21 TWh: vehicles
- 85 TWh: hydrogen

→ **79% of increase**  
is hydrogen or  
vehicles, → **flexible**  
**consumption**

# Presentation from Vattenfall at a hydrogen online seminar: December 11, 2020 (translated)

## Making steel without coal

**HYBRIT**  
▶▶▶ FOSSIL-FREE STEEL

### HYBRIT – Power system integration and flexibility

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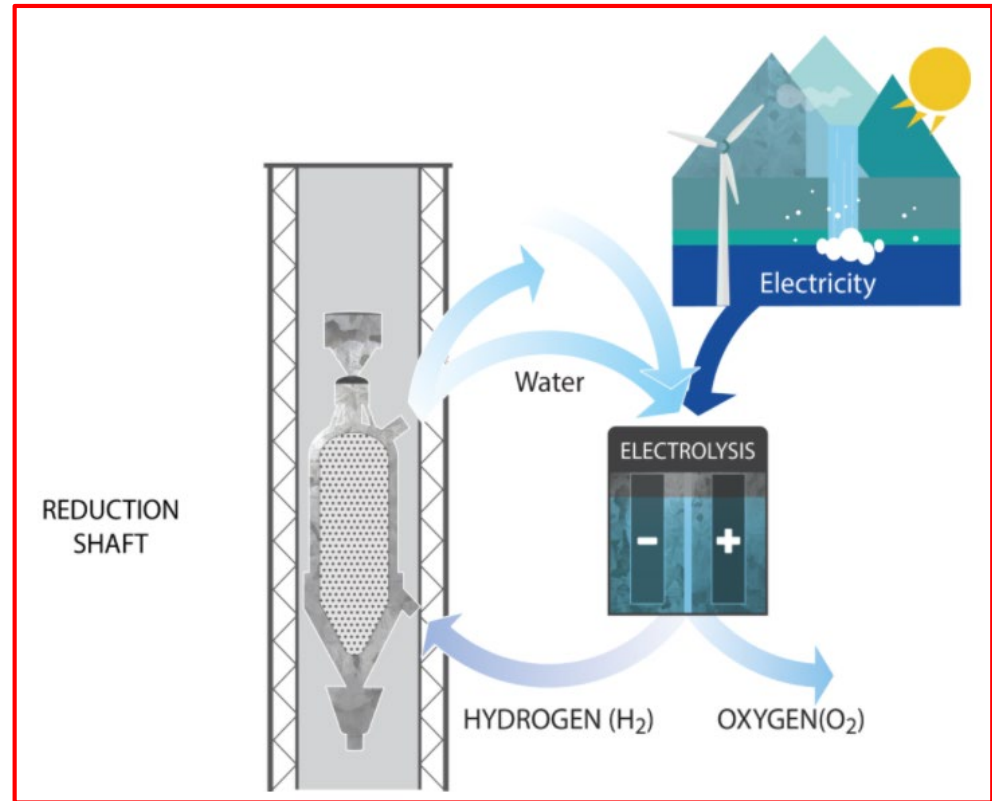


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HYBRIT is conducting trials on the **direct reduction of iron ore pellets** using hydrogen in our pilot plant in Luleå, Sweden.

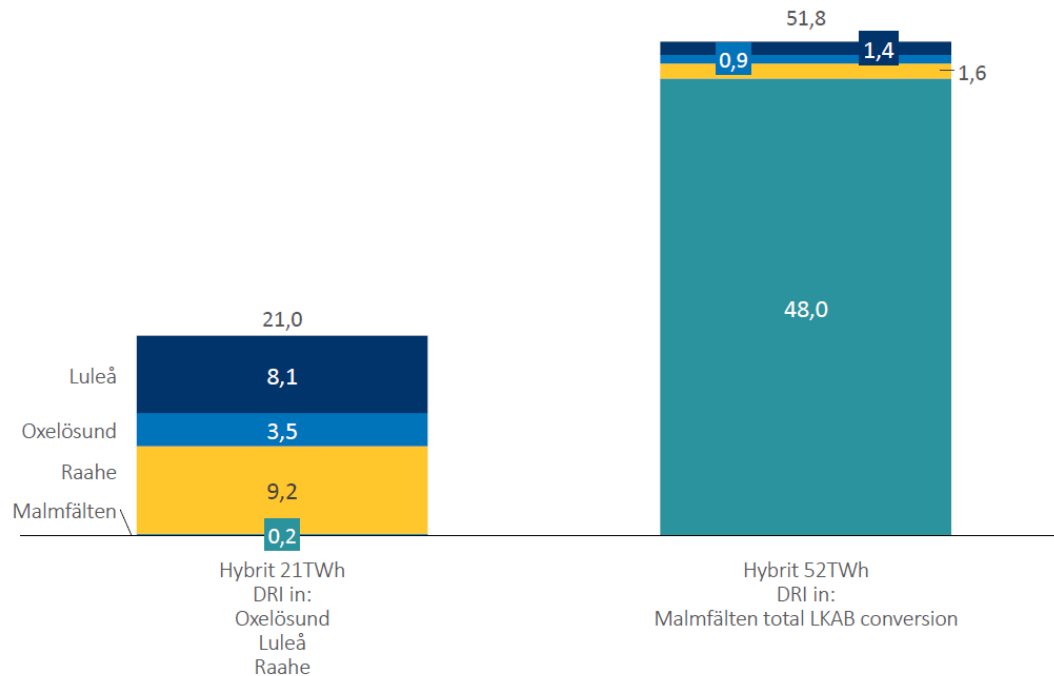
The trials will run during 2020-2024, starting with fossil-free hydrogen in spring 2021.

The plant has a direct reduction shaft, where the reduction takes place, and a number of electrolyzers for the production of hydrogen using fossil-free electricity.



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## Scenario analysis and market interaction



### Flexibilitetsantaganden

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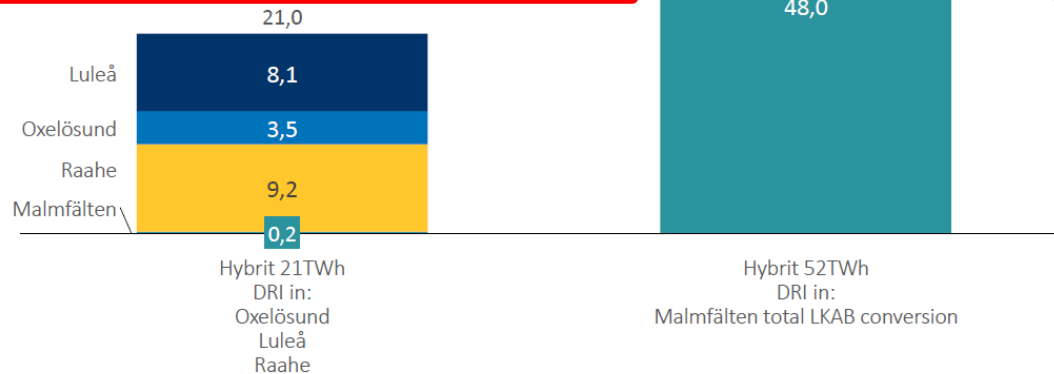


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## Hybrit-large:

- 52 TWh/year
- Assume 80% for hydrogen
- → Mean: 4700 MW
- 180% → Peak: 8500 MW
- 14 days storage

## Market interaction



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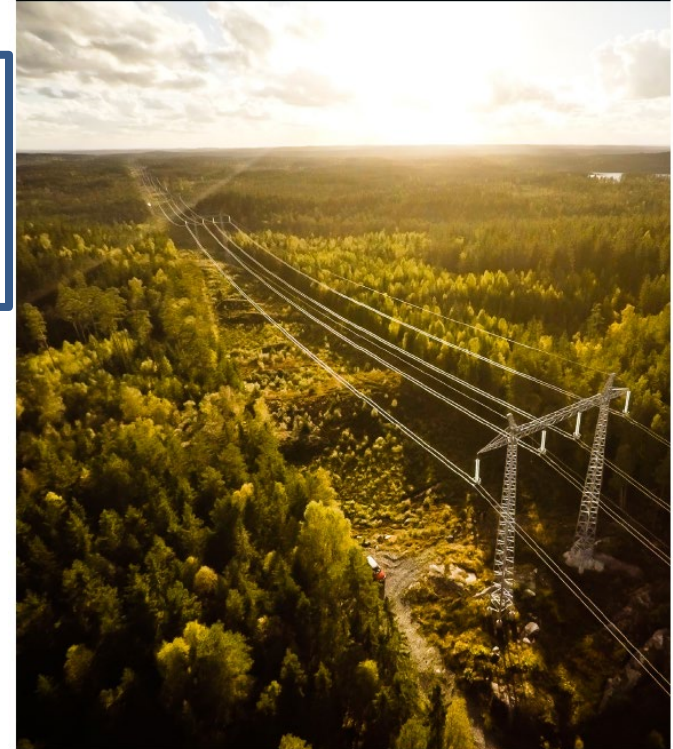
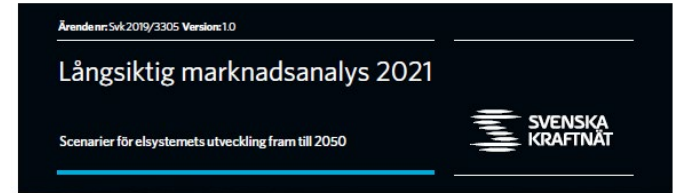
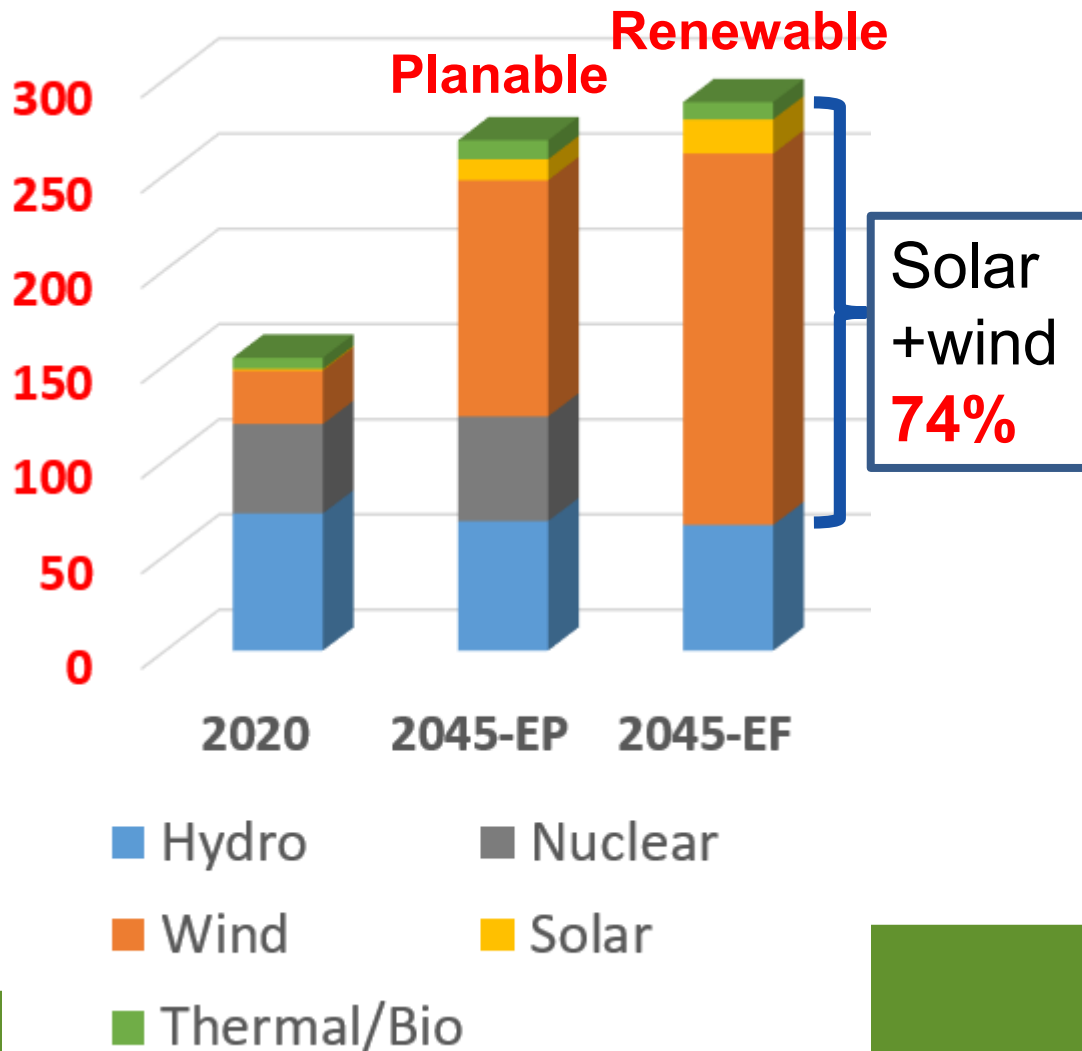


# Two studied scenarios for the future

## Electrification

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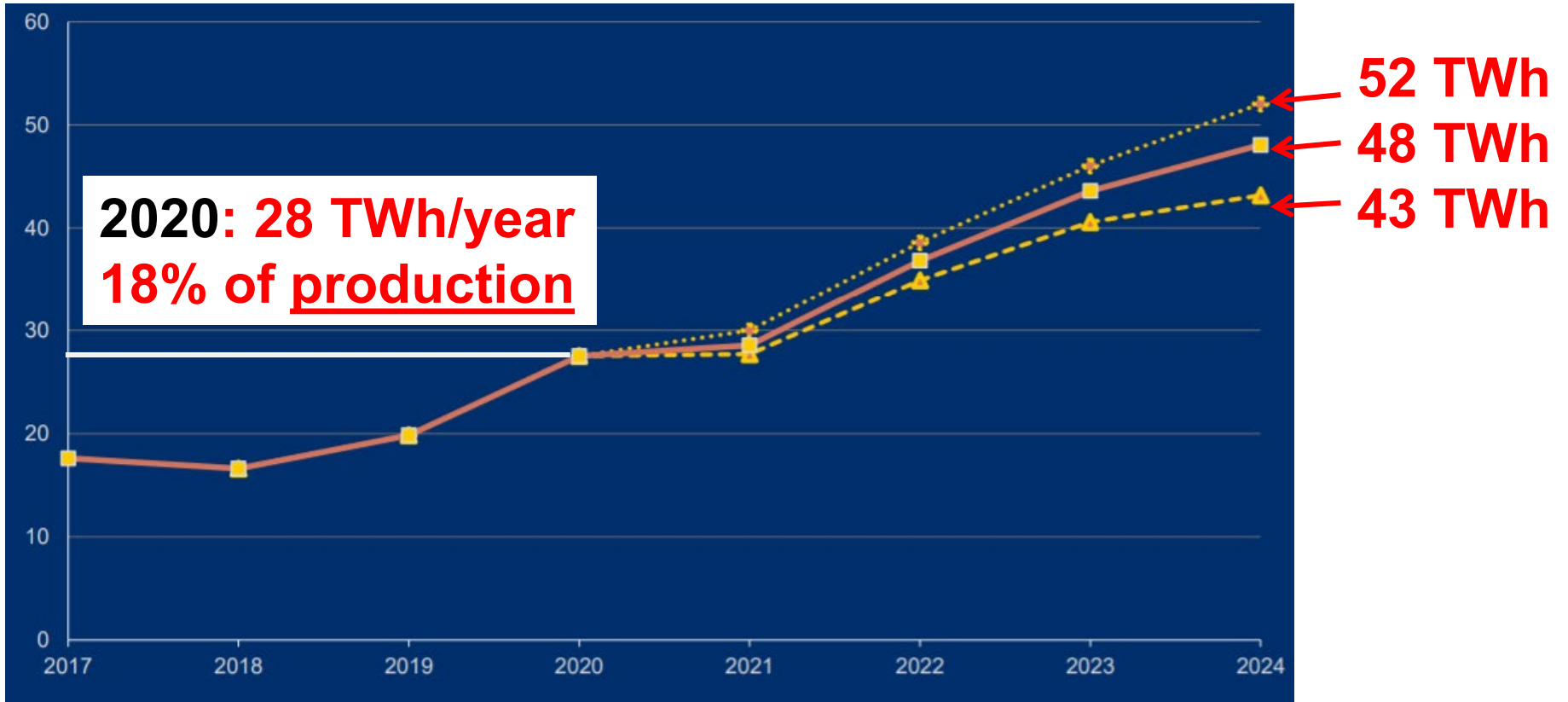
### Production results/assumption





# Swedish wind power **forecast to 2024**

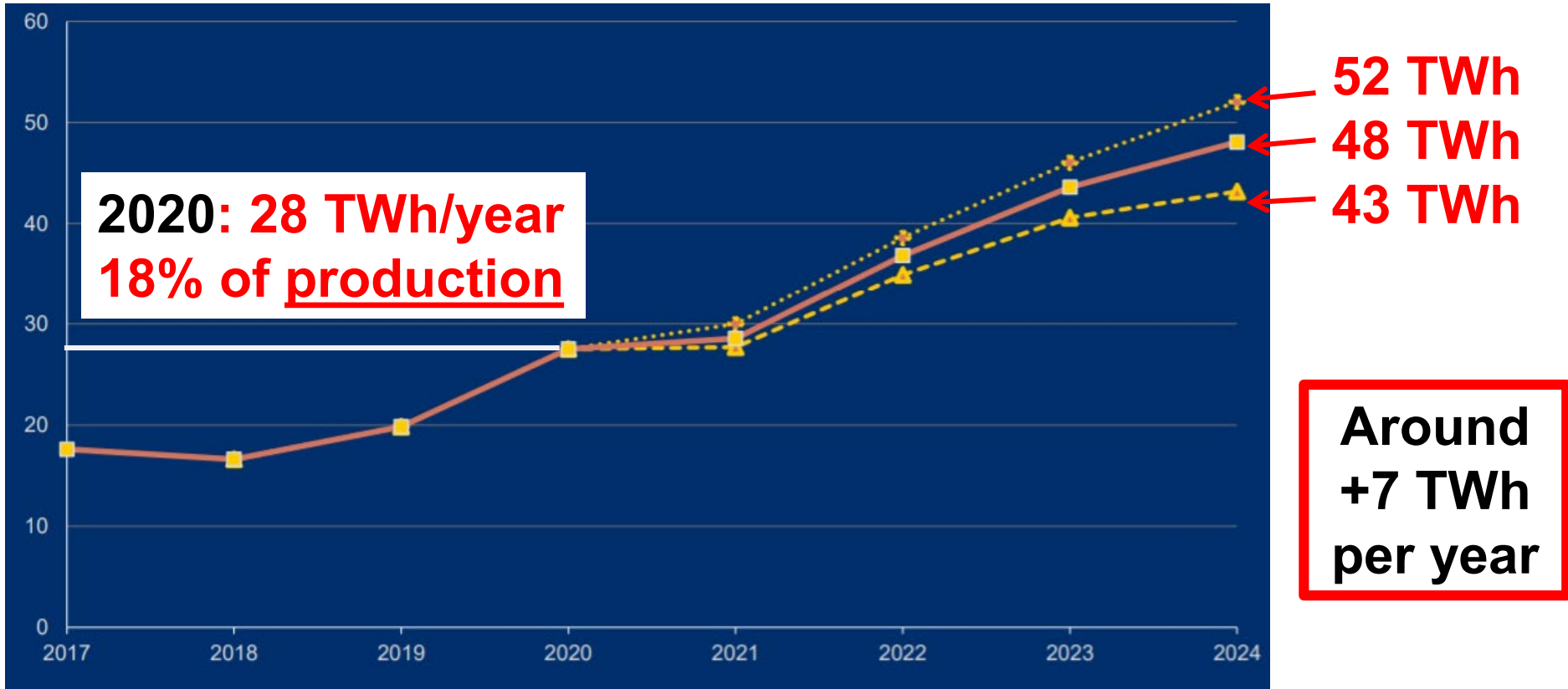
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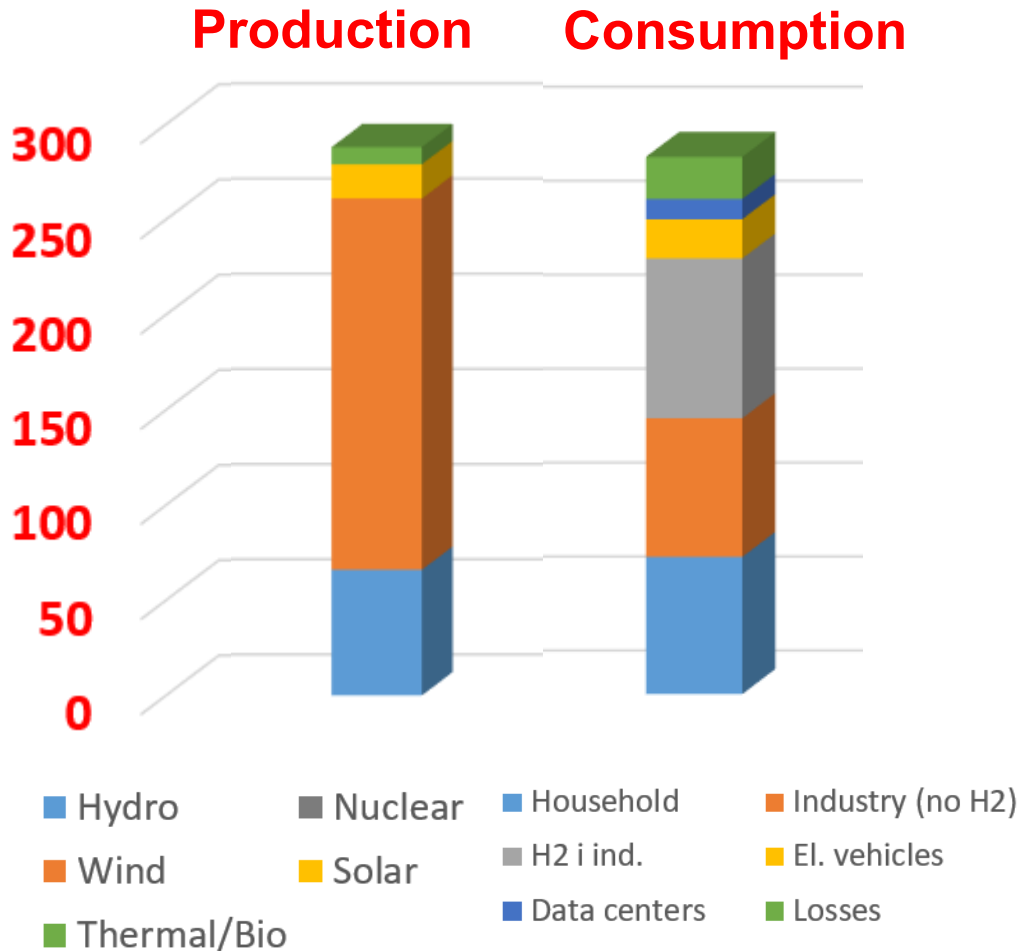




# Details of scenario

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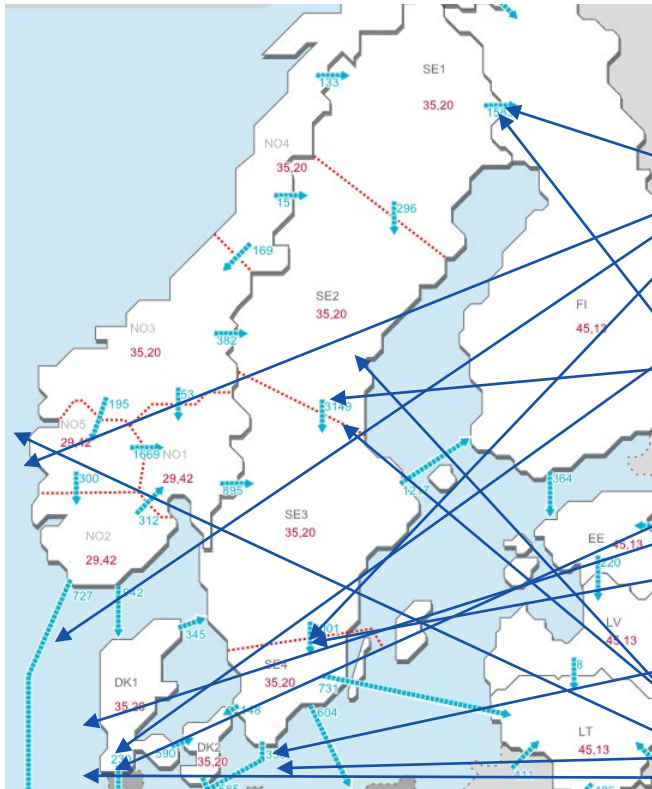
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# Considered Nordic System Extensions

In total 2020-2040: **+ 15 GW** (same for all cases)



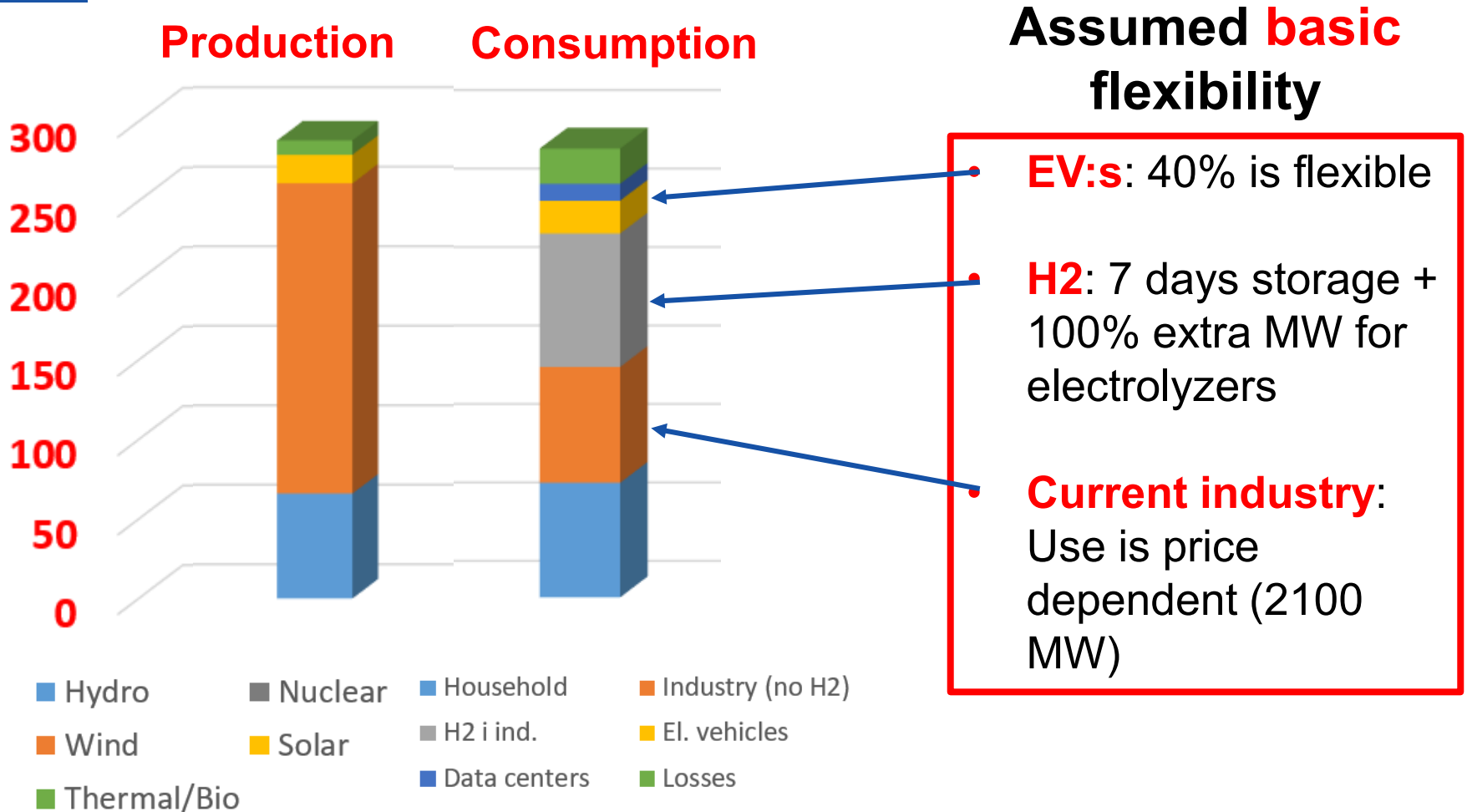
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	SE4→SE3	+800	2 800	
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	NO2↔UK	+1400	1 400	North Sea Link
	DK1→DE	+720	2 500	Steg 1 Jylland-Tyskland
	DE→DK1	+1000	2 500	
2022	SE1→FI	-300	1 200	I och med idrifttagning Olkiluoto 3
2024	SE2↔SE3	+800	8 100	Förstärkning Snitt 2
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	DK1↔UK	+1400	1 400	Viking Link
	2026	SE3→SE4	+600	6 800
	SE4→SE3	+400	3 200	
	SE4↔DE	+700	1 315	Hansa PowerBridge
	SE1→FI	+800	2 000	Messaure - Keminmaa
	FI→SE1	+900	2 000	
2029	DK2↔PL	+1000	1000	Förbindelser via "energiöar".
	DK1↔NL	+1500	2200	OBS! enbart i Elektrifiering förnybart
2035	NO↔UK	+1400	2 800	NorthConnect eller liknande
2040*	SE2↔SE3	+2400	10 500	Förstärkning Snitt 2
>2040	SE2/SE3↔FI	+400 (netto)	3 600	Avveckling Fenno-Skan1 (-400 MW SE3↔FI) Ny HVDC (+800 MW SE2↔FI)

	2020	2040
Sweden ↔ neighbours	<b>10,5 GW</b>	<b>12,4 GW</b>



# Details of scenario

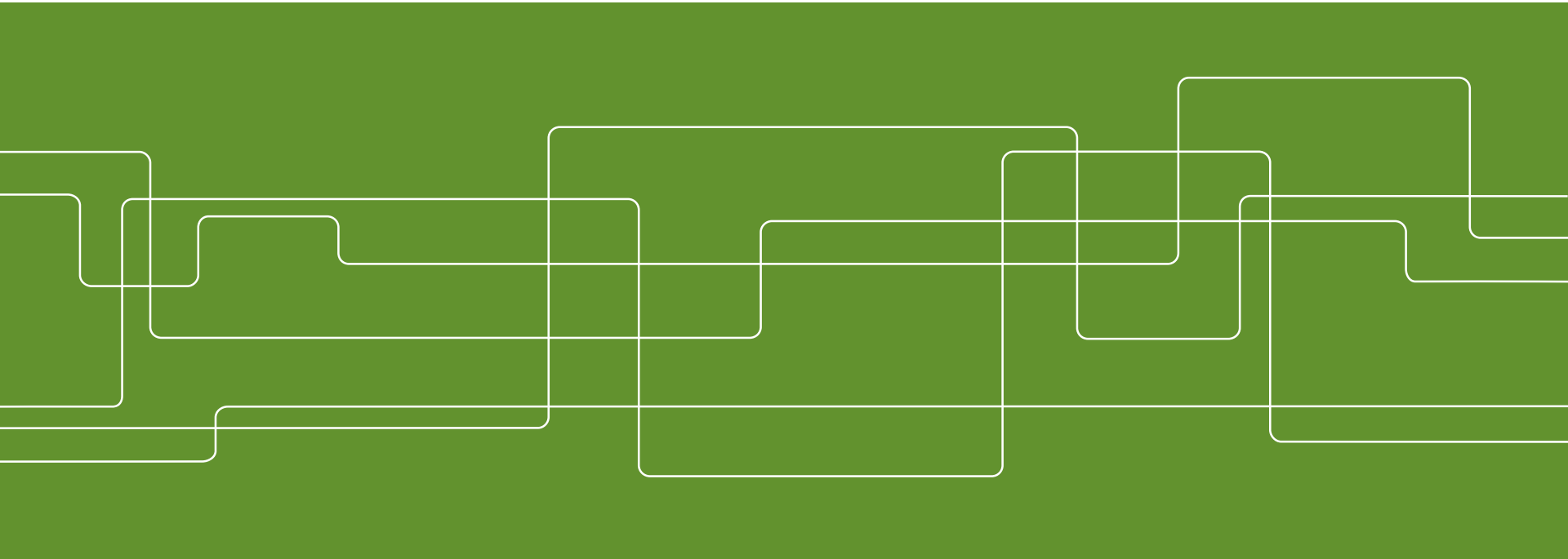
## Electrification - renewable





# How to keep short term balance in a power system?

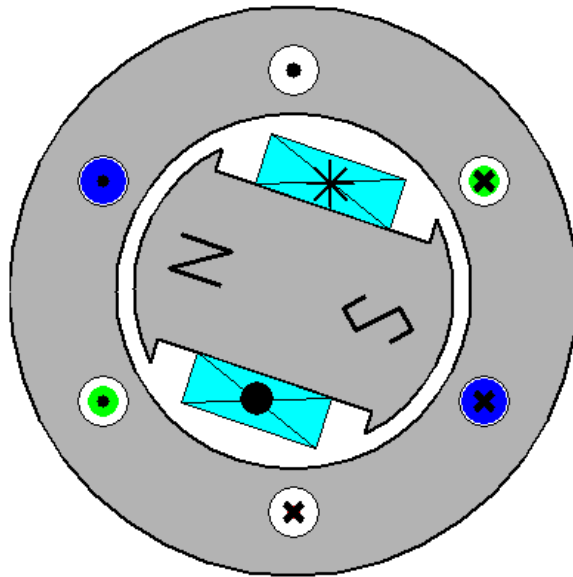
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# Rotating magnetic field in a generator.

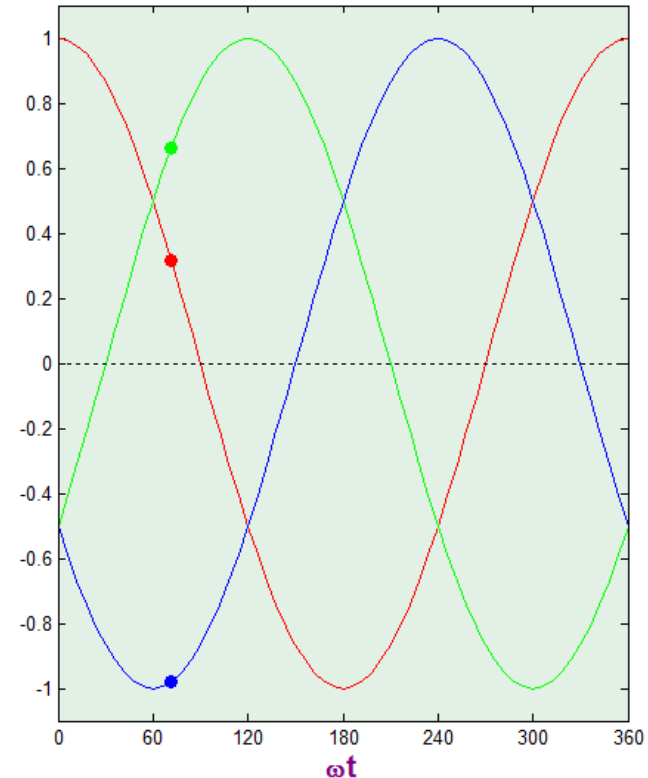
→ Creation of **sinus voltage**



Phase A

Phase B

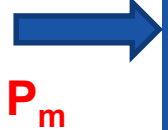
Phase C



Rotating magnetic field induces  
 electromotive forces (E) in stator windings  
 (Faraday's law of induction → generalisation → Maxwell-Faraday's law)

# Frequency control = how to balance a change in production/consumption - 1

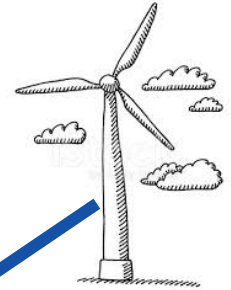
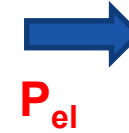
**Turbine**



**Generator**

Stator

Rotor



$P_w$

$P_D$



# Frequency control = how to balance a change in production/consumption - 2

**Turbine**



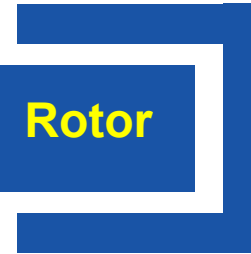
$$P_m = 8$$



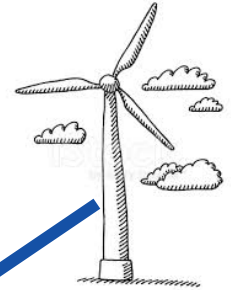
**Generator**

**Stator**

**Rotor**



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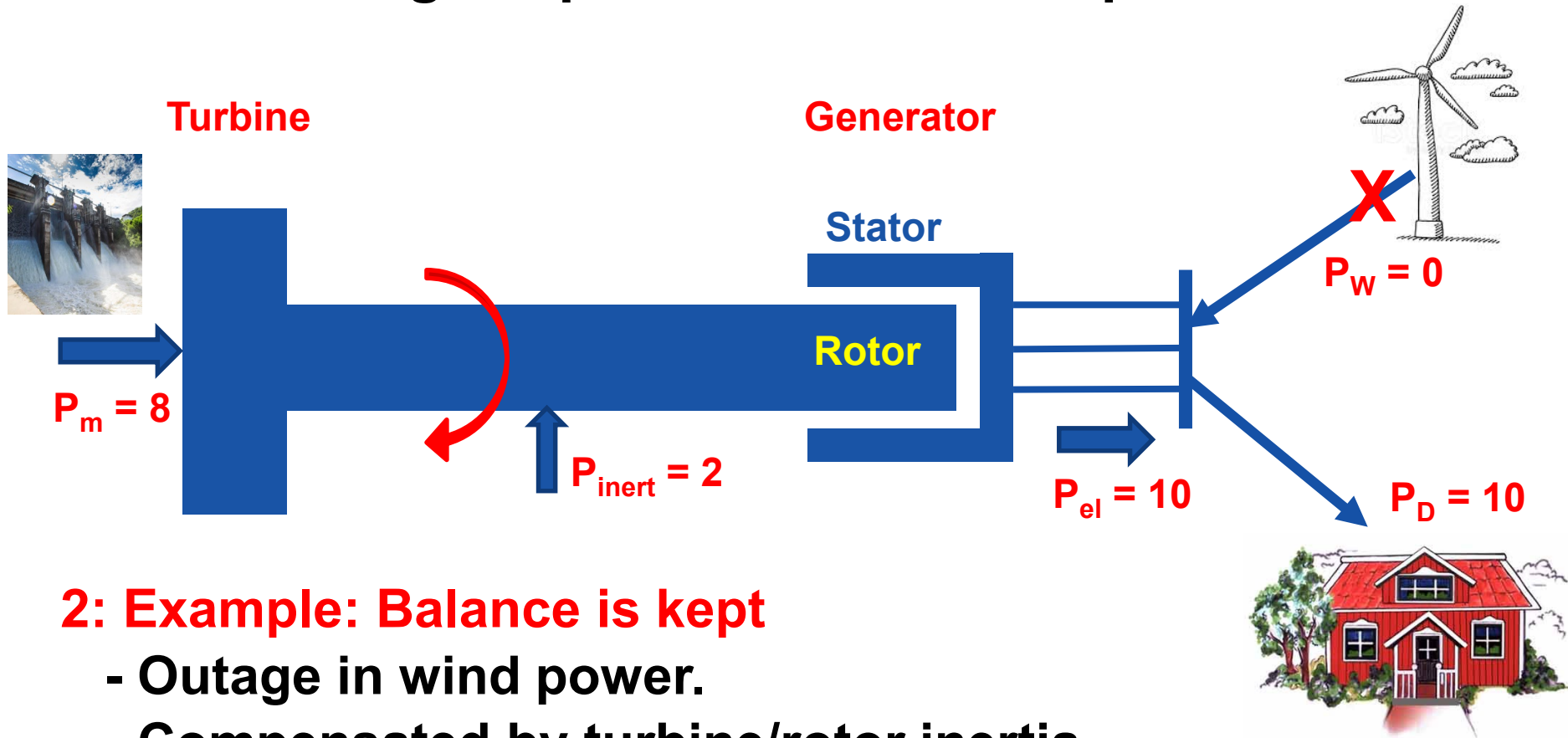
$$P_w = 2$$

$$P_D = 10$$



**1: Example: Balance is kept**

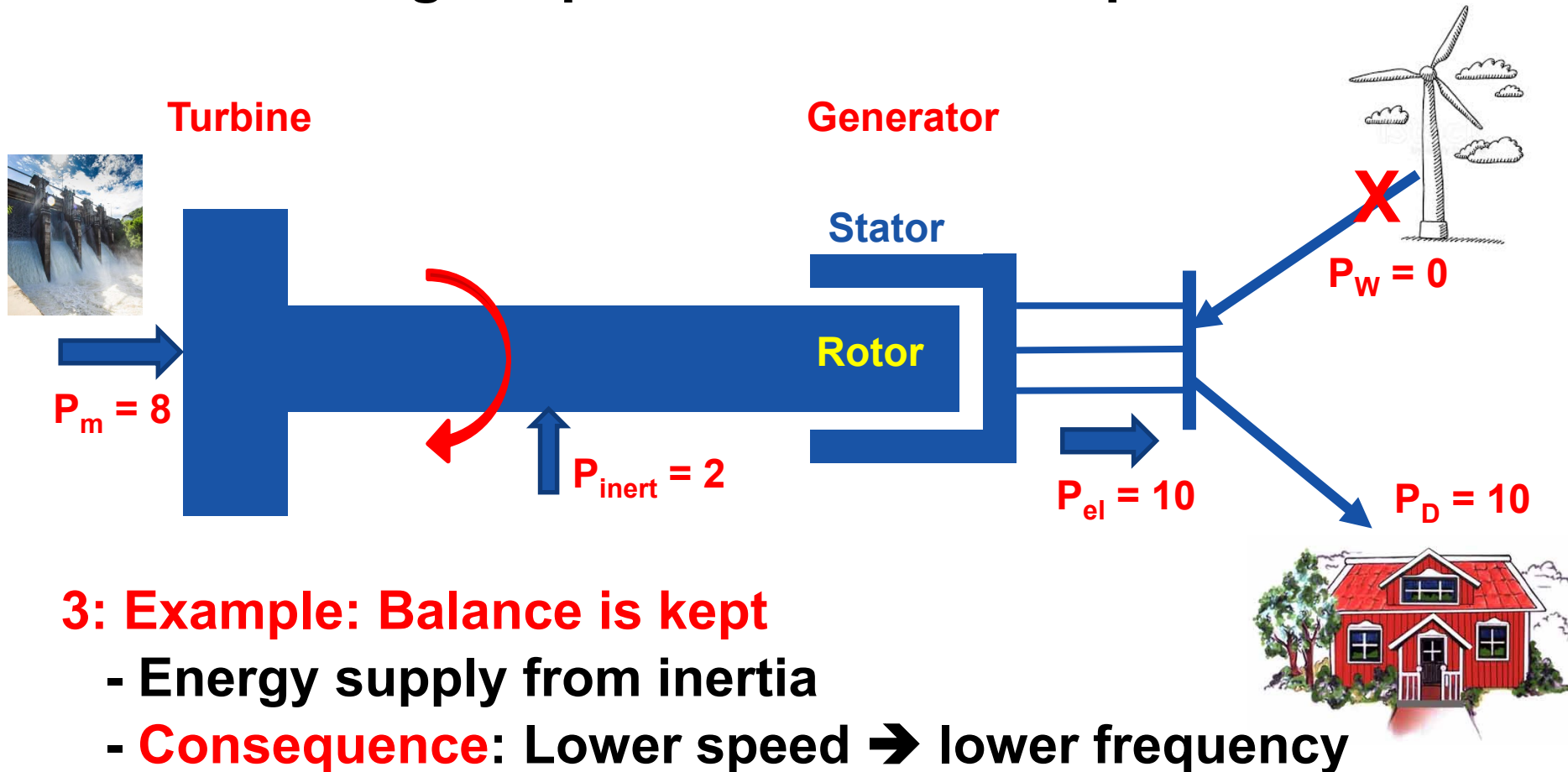
# Frequency control = how to balance a change in production/consumption - 3



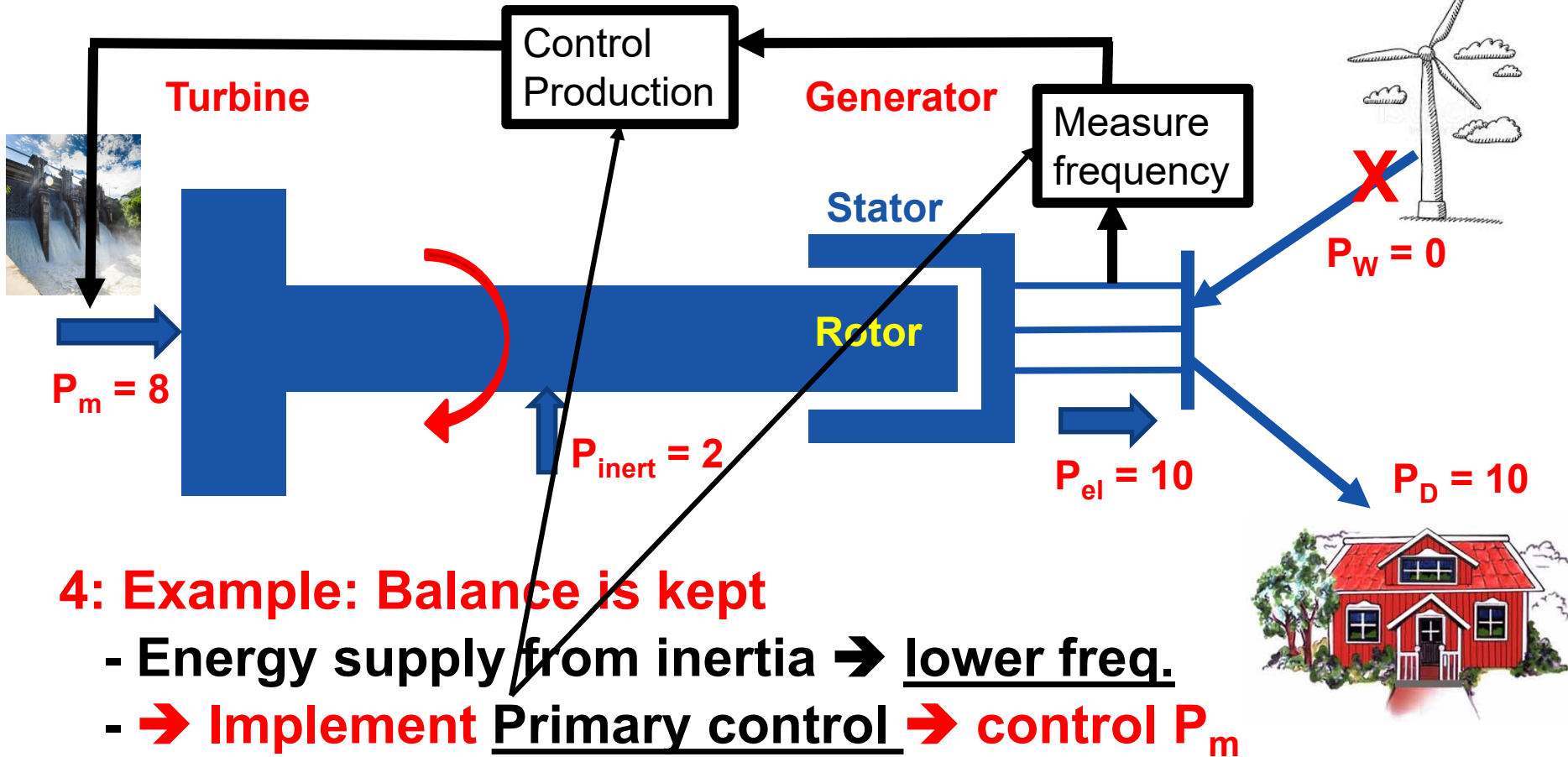
## 2: Example: Balance is kept

- Outage in wind power.
- Compensated by turbine/rotor inertia

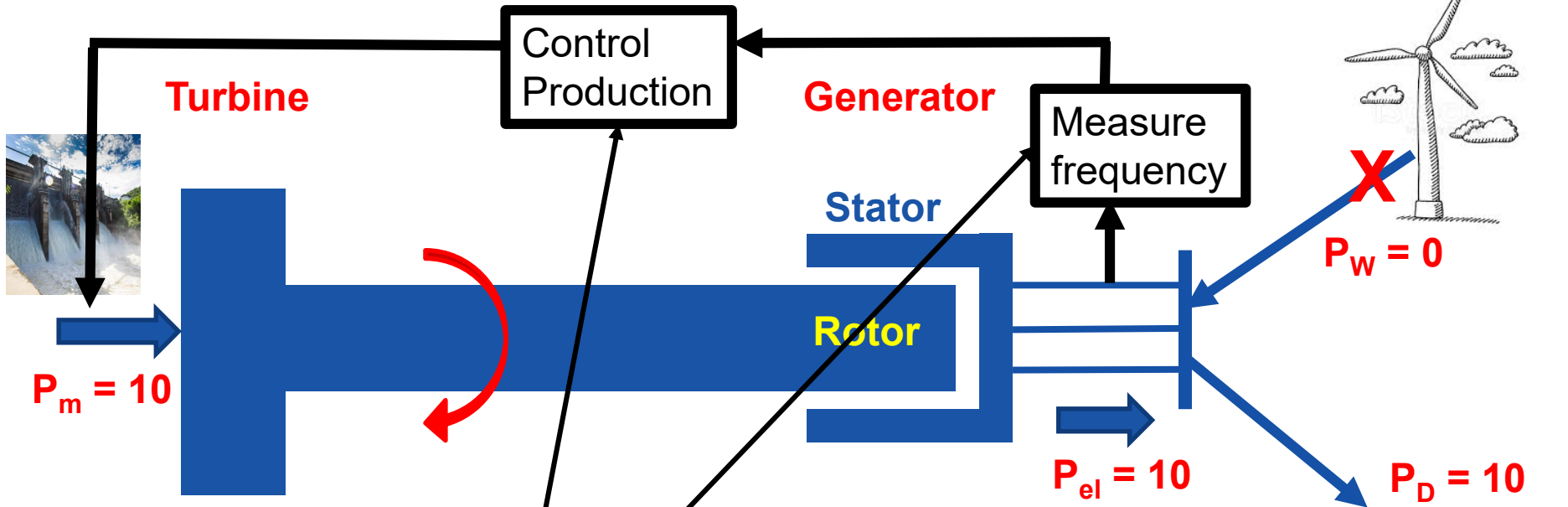
# Frequency control = how to balance a change in production/consumption - 4



# Frequency control = how to balance a change in production/consumption - 5



# Frequency control = how to balance a change in production/consumption - 6



## 5: Example: Balance is kept

- Energy supply from inertia → lower freq.
- → Implement Primary control → control  $P_m$

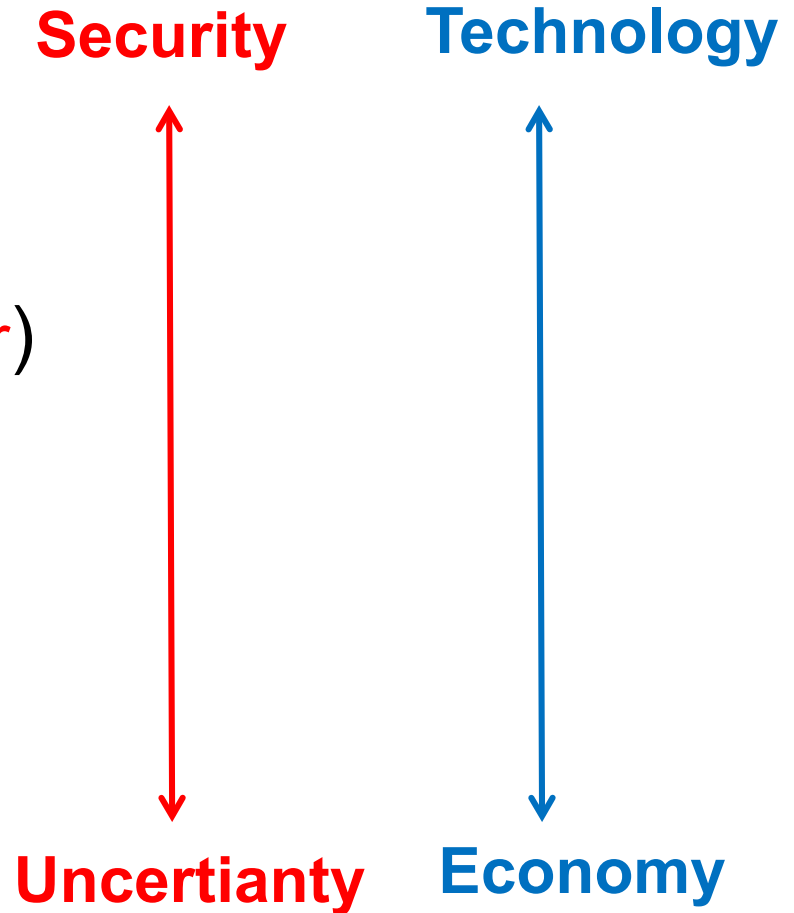




# Keep the balance in the power system

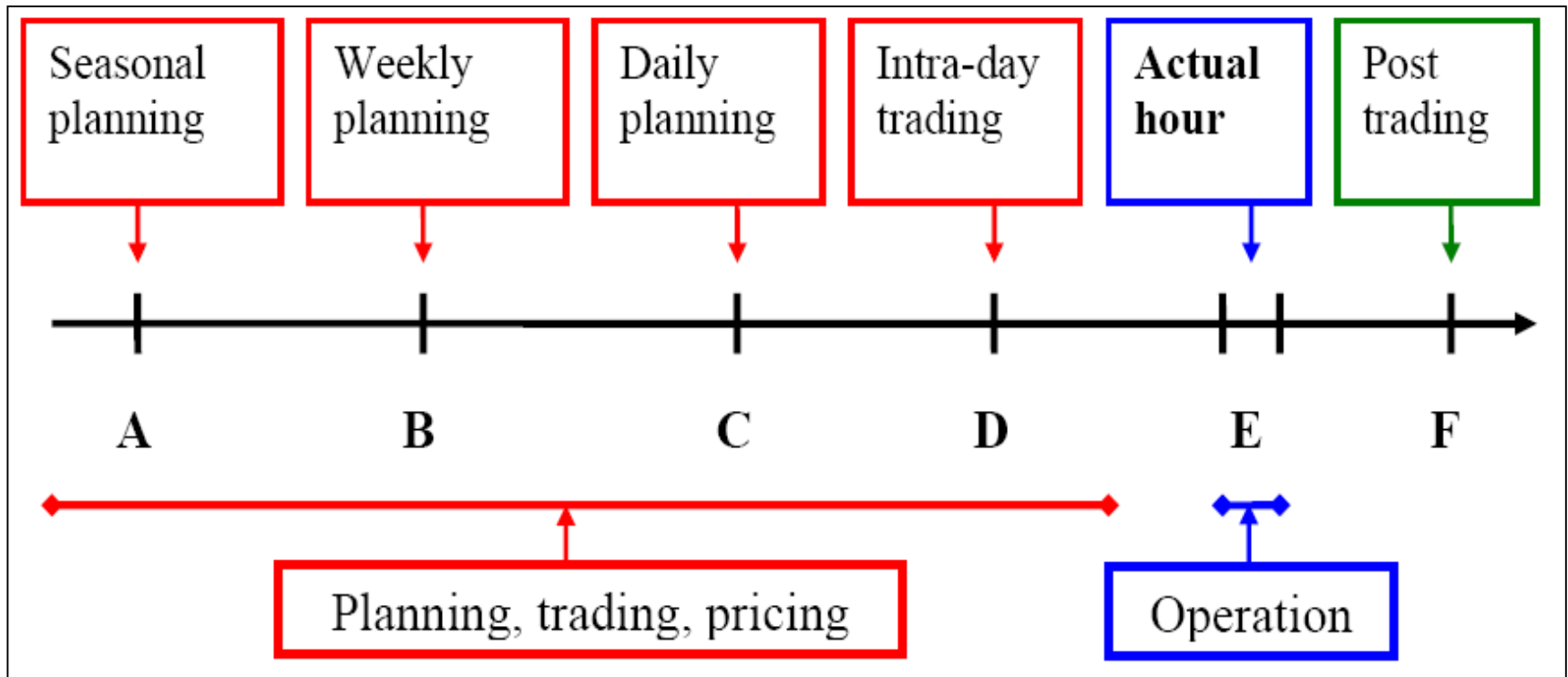
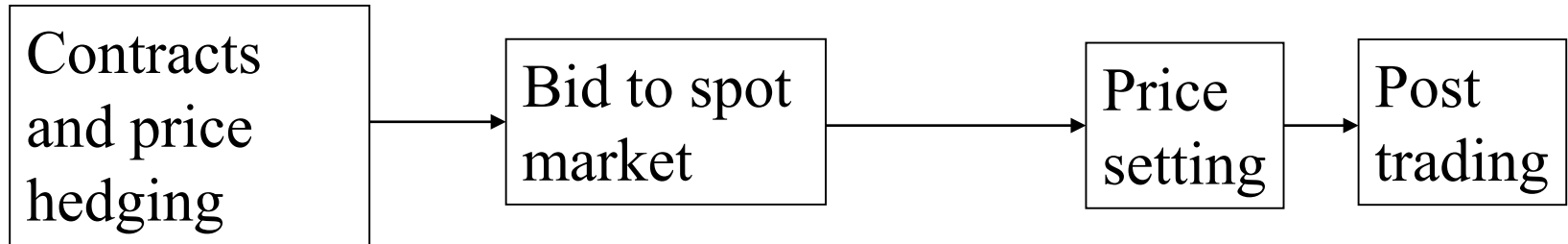
## Different time steps:

1. Inertia (**seconds**)
2. Primary control (**minutes**)
3. Secondary control (**quarter**)
4. Tertiary control (**quarter**)
5. Intra-day-trade (**hours**)
6. Day-ahead-trade (**day**)
7. Weekly planning (**week**)
8. Yearly planning (**year**)





# Power operation planning



# The power system = a long bike



# Keep active power balance

## Bike

- Pedal forces = breaking forces
- Otherwise changed speed
- Break bike => lower speed



## Power System

- Total generation = total load
- Otherwise changed electric frequency
- Increase load => lower frequency



# Speed control

## Bike

- Keep a constant speed
- Measure the speed (same on the whole bike)
- Reduced speed=> increase the force on the pedals.



# Frequency control

## Bike

- Keep constant speed
- Measure speed (same on whole bike)
- Decreased speed => increase pedal force

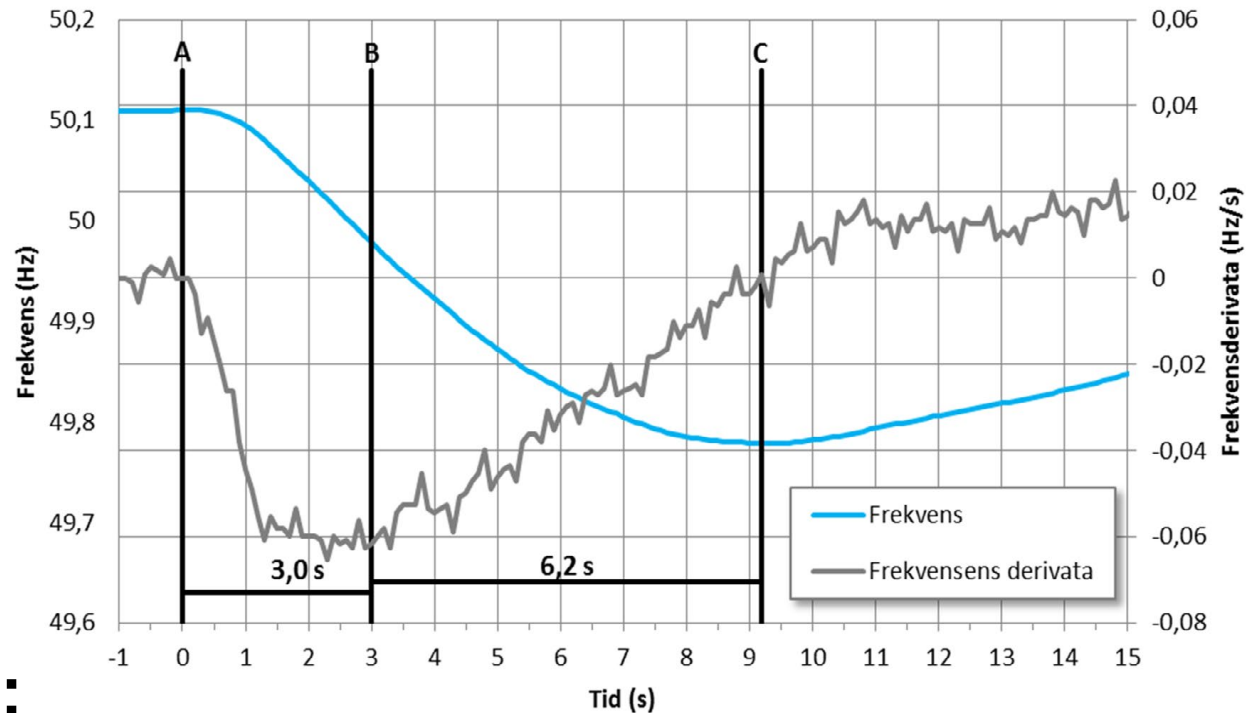


## Power System

- Keep constant frequency
- Measure frequency (same in whole system)
- Decreased frequency => increase generation



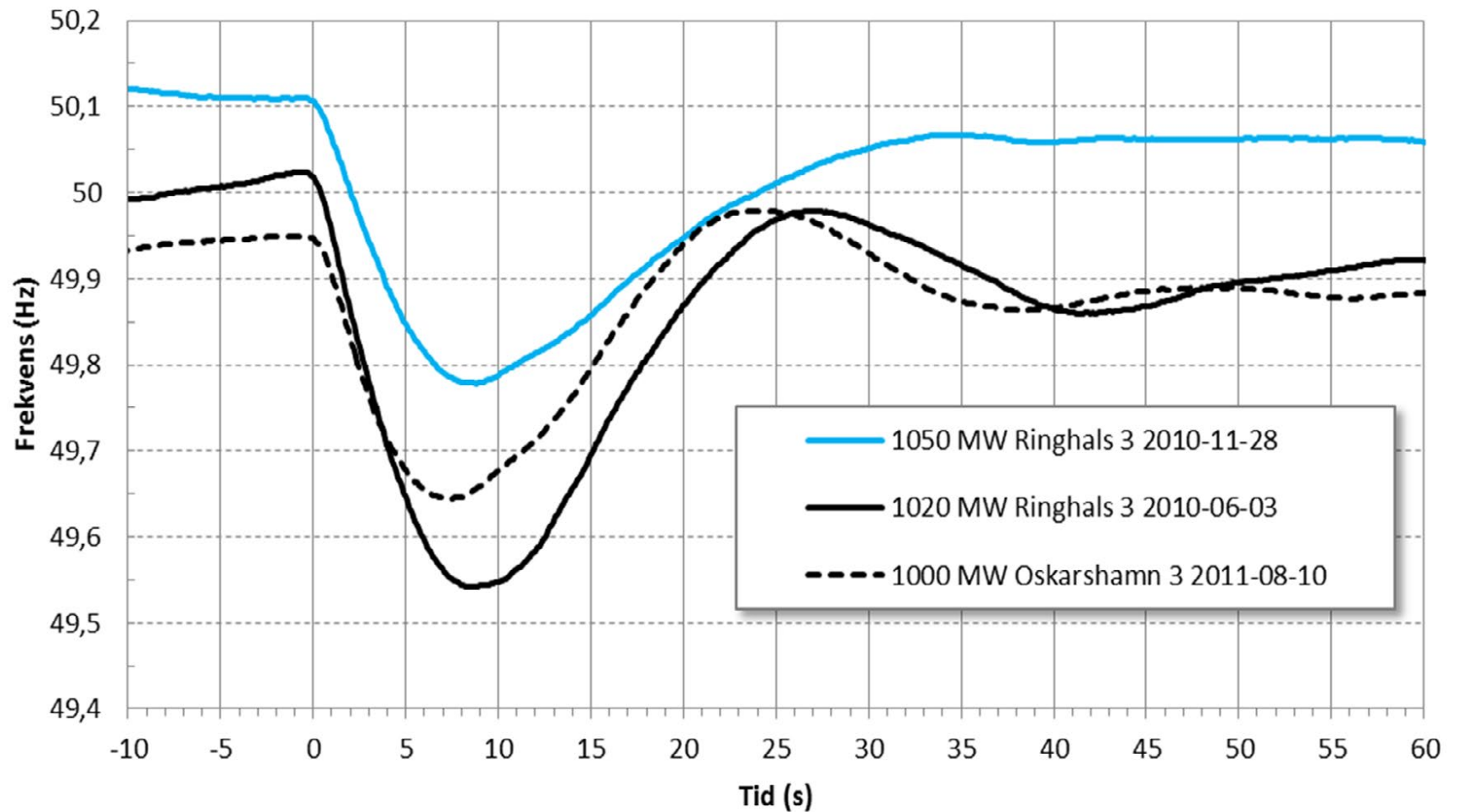
# Real initial phase of a power system outage



## Time steps:

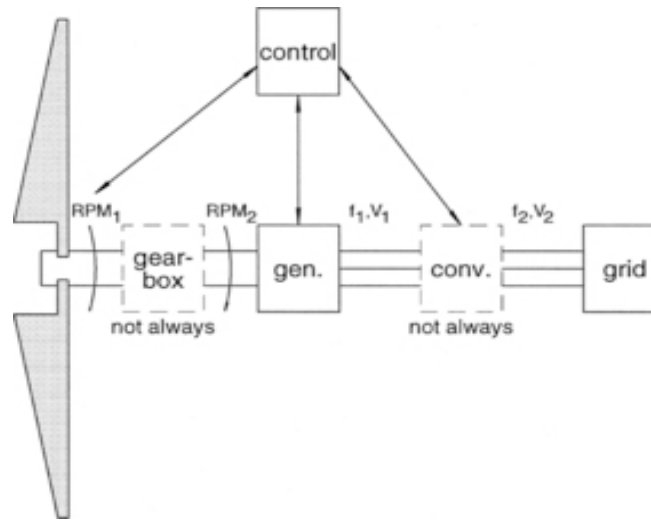
- Disconnection of Swedish 1050 MW nuclear station
- Primary control starts
- Primary control has increased with 1050 MW

# Frequency drop after 3 real outages in Sweden





# Inertia: for wind power



## Contribution:

- Wind power stations use converters between generator and grid. This means that advanced control is needed in order to make them contribute.

## Challenges:

- A challenge in power systems with, e.g. large amounts (80-90% of production) of solar power, wind power or HVDC infeed, which may not contribute with inertia. If not, then there are stability challenges





## 2. Primary control: For wind power



### Contribution:

- Primary control means that one in some units has to change the production fast (within seconds). Both increase and decrease is needed. This means that one has to keep margins. Wind power is a possible contributor, but normally not economically efficient

### Challenges:

- To be able to increase production it is necessary to spill energy → not so efficient.
- At winds that are high enough, it is possible to decrease production. But this means spillage → not so efficient



## Three challenges at large amount of variable renewables (solar/wind)

**C1:** Handling of the continuous balance.

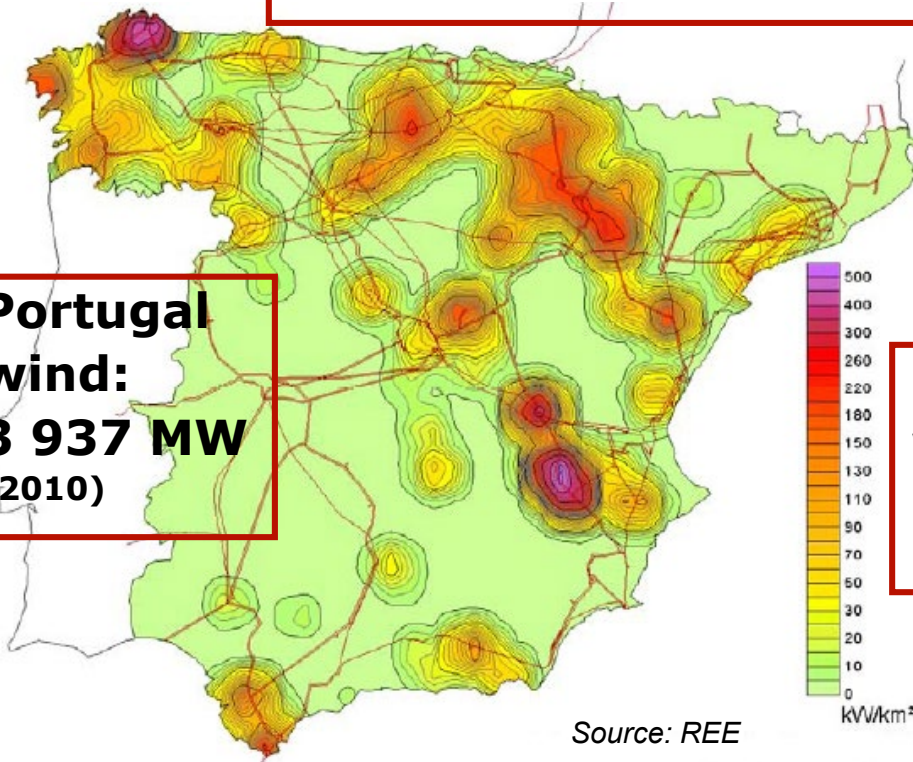
**C2:** Low wind and solar power production and high power consumption. This issue is called "capacity adequacy issue".

**C3:** High wind and solar power production and low power consumption.

# Wind power in some European countries

**Spain wind: 20 733 MW**

**Portugal  
wind:  
3 937 MW  
(2010)**



**Ireland  
wind:  
1539 MW  
(2010)**



	Wind energy 2015
Sp	24 %
Po	25 %
Ir	21 %
Dk	45 %
Sw	10 %

Portugal – Spain: 1200 MW

Spanien – France: 1200 MW

Spanien – Morocko: 650 MW

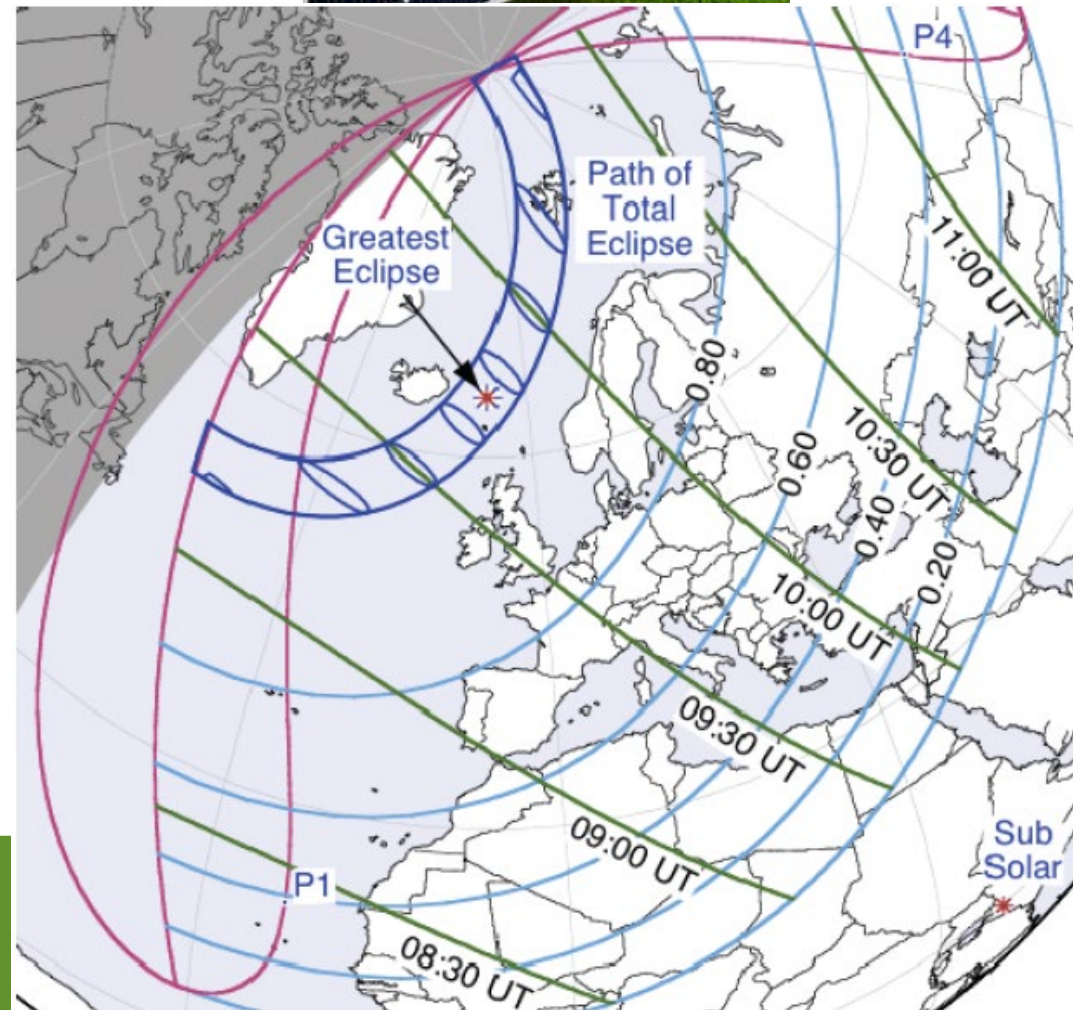
- Ireland - Skottland: 450 MW
- Ireland – UK: 850 MW

# Solar power:

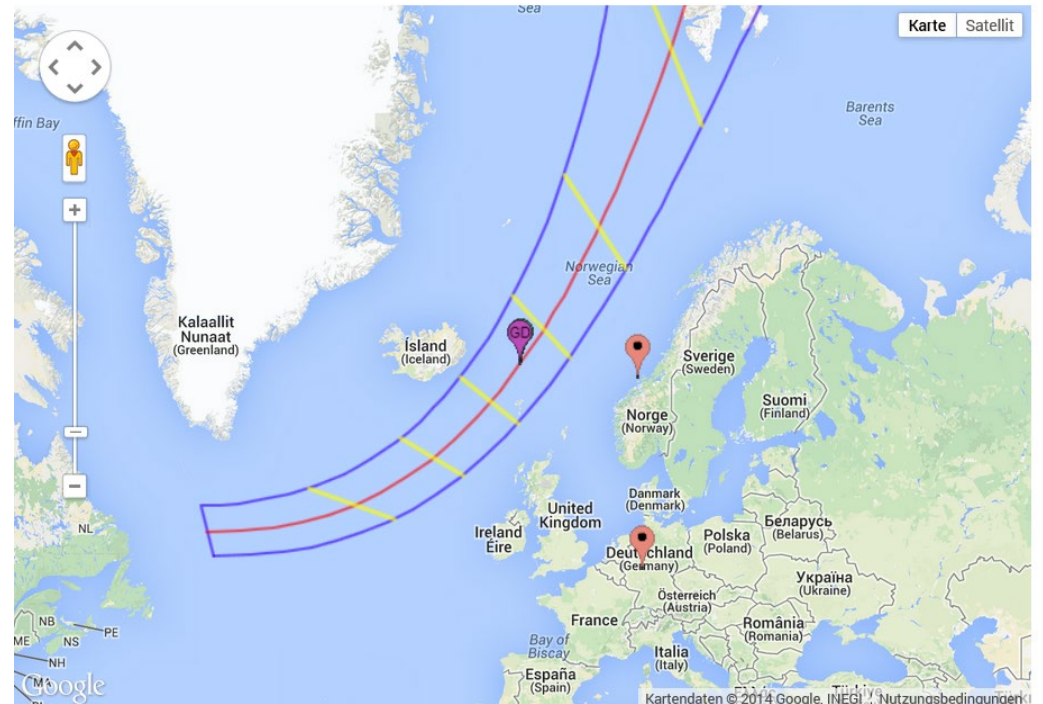
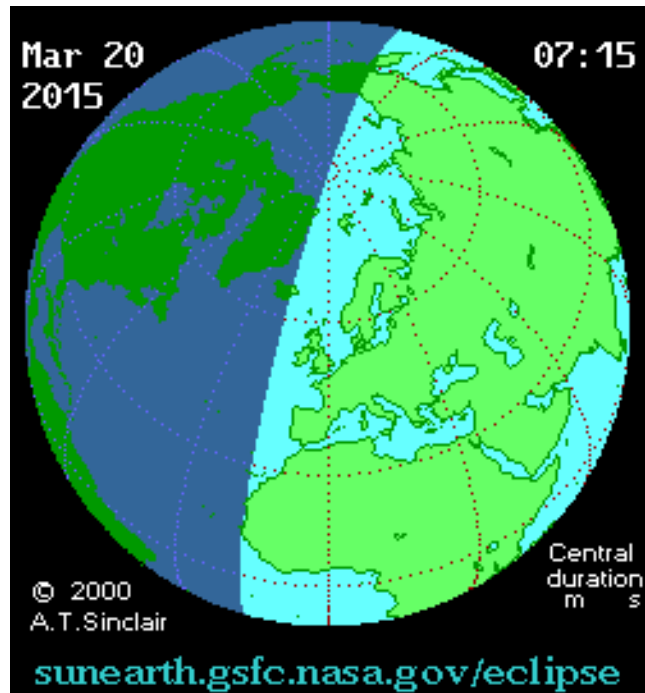


## Specific Challenge:

- In the morning on March 20, 2015, a partial solar eclipse covered large areas on North and Central Europe
- Germany had at that time  $> 35000$  MW of solar power

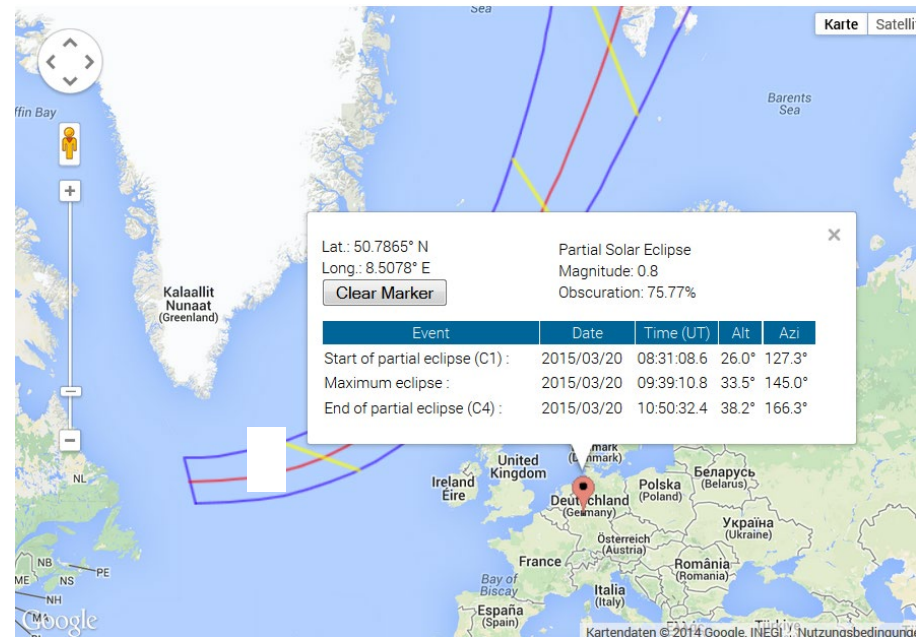
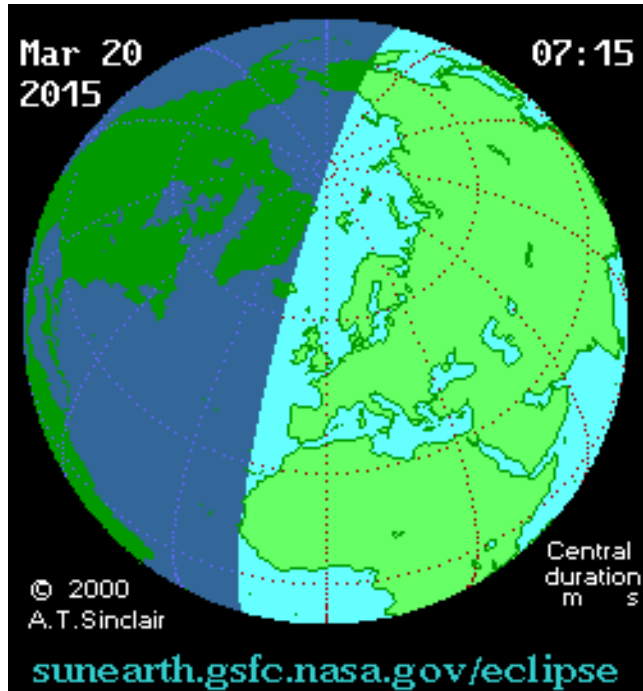


# Solar eclipse over Europe on 20 March 2015



<http://eclipse.gsfc.nasa.gov/SEgoogle/SEgoogle2001/SE2015Mar20Tgoogle.html>

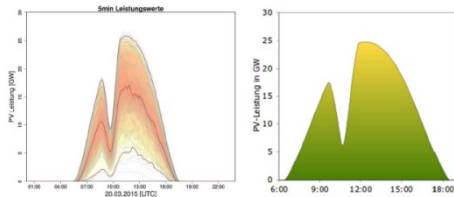
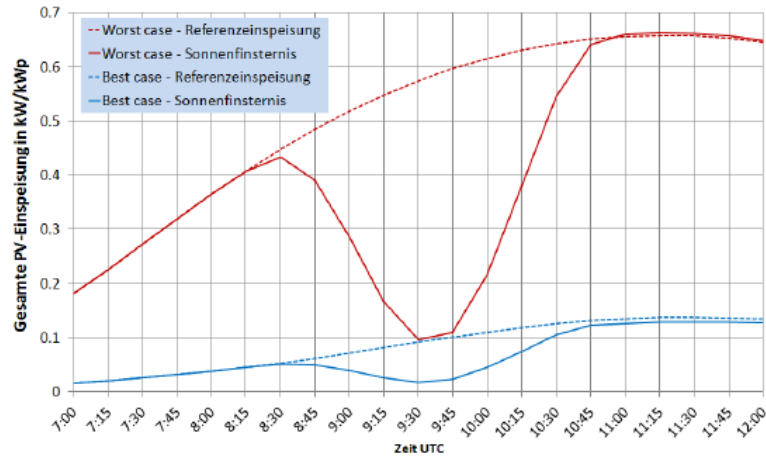
# Solar eclipse over Germany on 20 March 2015



<http://eclipse.gsfc.nasa.gov/SEgoogle/SEgoogle2001/SE2015Mar20Tgoogle.html>

[source: HTW Berlin]

# Some Results



[source: HTW Berlin und Fraunhofer ISE]

## Estimated average maximum values of three studies

### 1. Worst Case:

- Decrease 11 GW, -11 GW/h, 250MW/min
- Increase 19 GW, +15GW/h, 350MW/min

### 2. Best Case

- Decrease 1.3 GW, 1.3 GW/h, 25MW/min
- Increase 4 GW, 3.2GW/h, 65MW/min

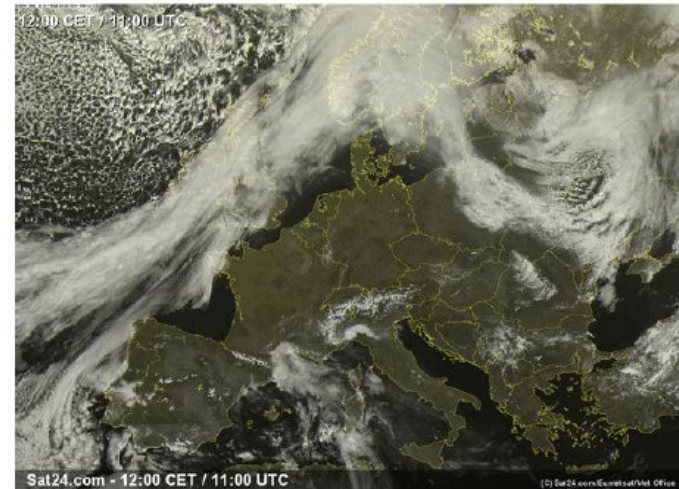


Abbildung 2-1: Satellitenbild vom 20.03.2014 um 11:00 Uhr UTC – der Tag der für das Worst Case Szenario ausgewählt wurde (Quelle: www.Sat24.com).

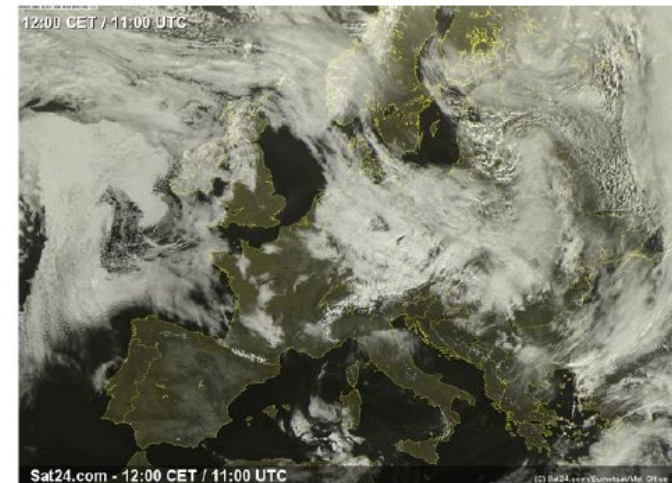
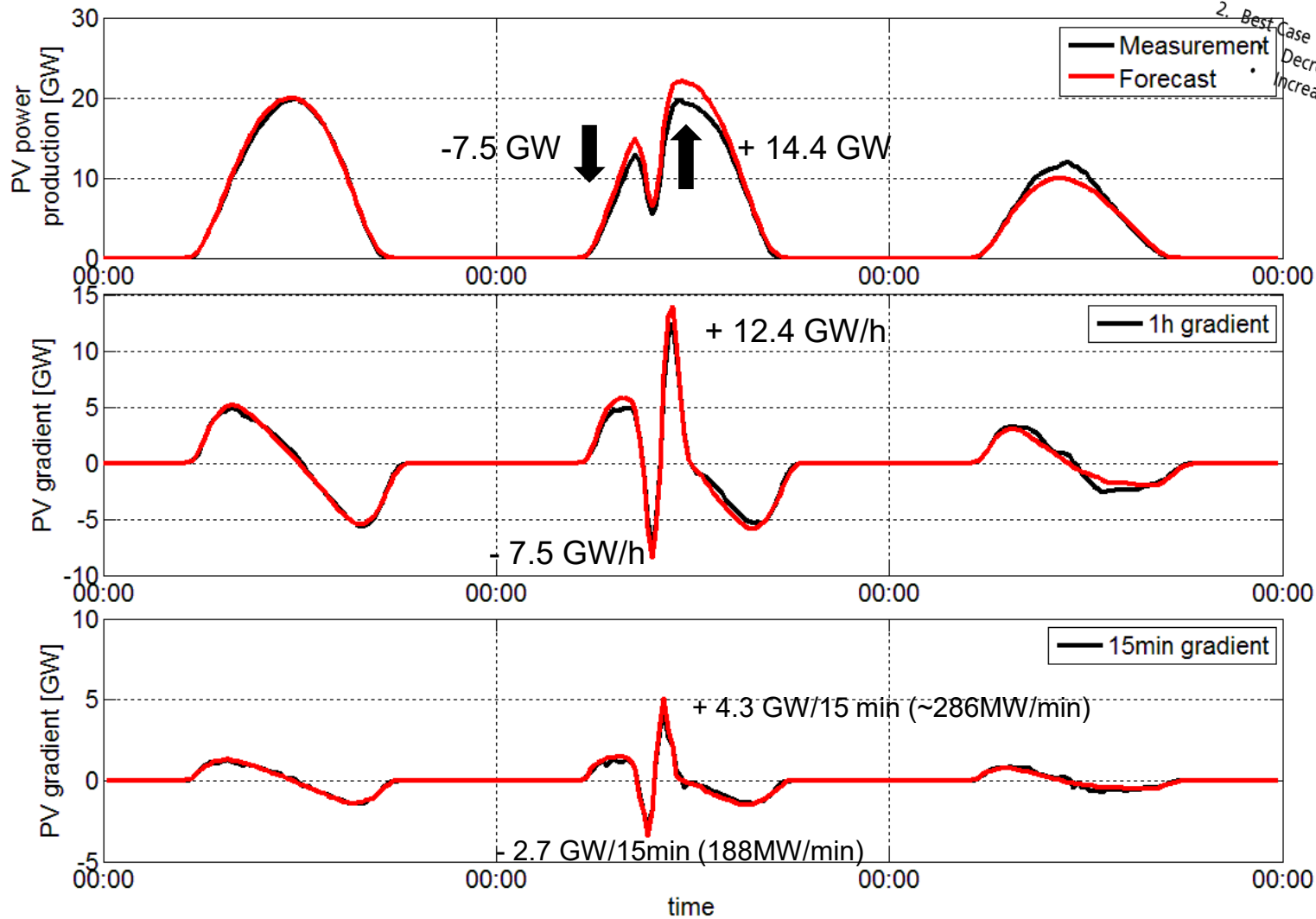


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# PV Measurement & Forecast



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