

EE381 - Power Systems

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Overview

Power Systems

Indian Power Sector - An Overview

Syllabus

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Course Mechanics

Power Systems

Power systems have the following three components.

1. Generation - Source of Energy
2. Transmission - Transmission of Energy over long distance (close to the speed of light)
3. Distribution - Consumption of Energy

- ▶ Electric Energy is seldom used in its form.
- ▶ It is easy to convert from other forms and transmit from sources to loads.
- ▶ Power system is the most complex system on earth.
- ▶ In interconnected systems, the frequency has to be the same. In India, it is 50 Hz. In some countries, it is 60 Hz.

Generation

Electric energy is generated at generating stations by converting other forms of energy.

1. Conventional

- ▶ Thermal
- ▶ Hydro (Renewable)
- ▶ Nuclear

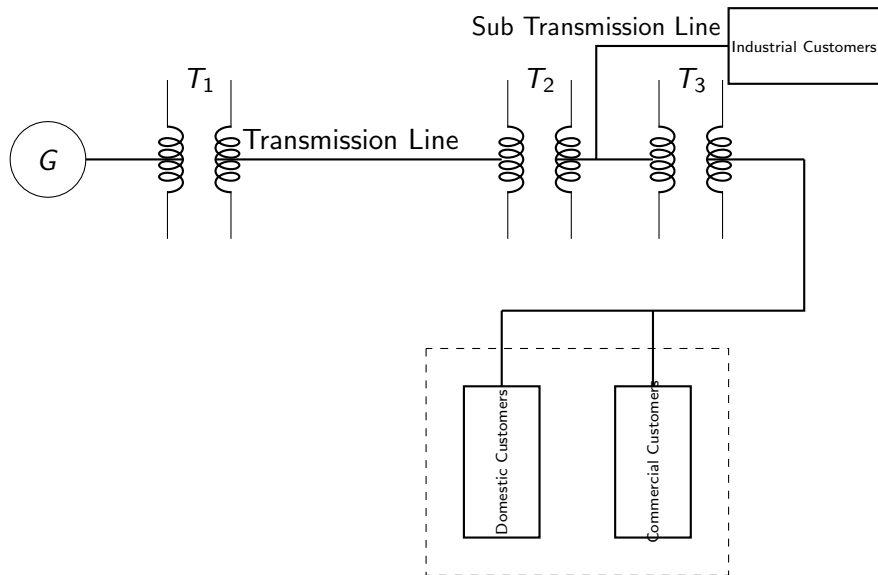
2. Non Conventional (Renewable)

- ▶ Solar
- ▶ Wind
- ▶ Biomass
- ▶ Tidal
- ▶ Geo-Thermal
- ▶ Small Hydro
- ▶ Waste

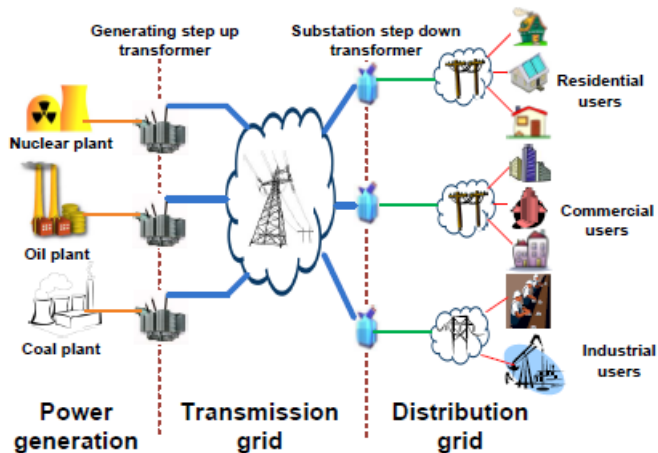
Renewable Energy Sources (RES)

RES have unlimited resources. But they are intermittent.

Structure of a Power System



Practical System

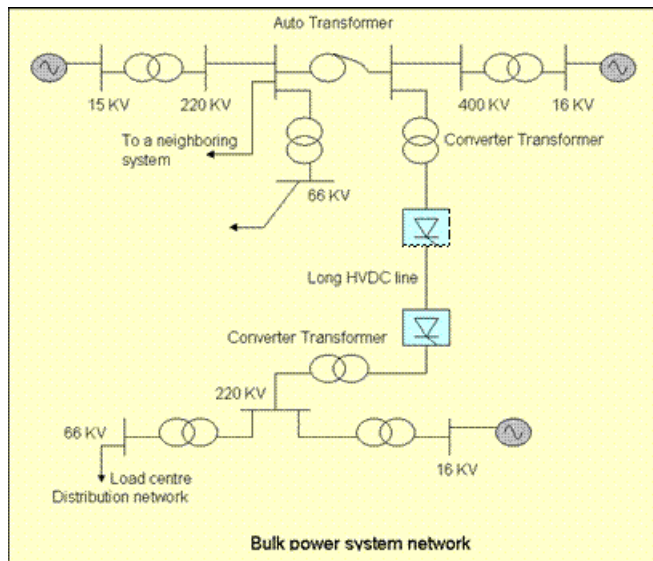


Interconnected Systems

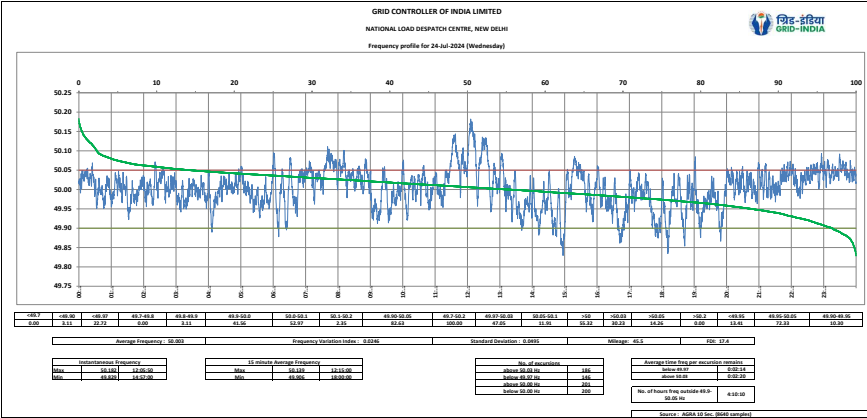
Reasons for interconnections

1. To improve reliability
 2. To improve economy
- ▶ Several power systems are interconnected to form a grid.
 - ▶ Several regional grids are interconnected to form a national grid.
 - ▶ Interconnections are done at Transmission networks.
 - ▶ In interconnected systems, the frequency of generation must be the same.

Power System



Grid Frequency



Indian Power Sector - An Overview

- ▶ India is the third largest producer of electricity (more than 1 TU¹ a year) in the world.
- ▶ India is also the third largest consumer of electricity in the world.
- ▶ T& D losses are 15 %.
- ▶ However , the per capita energy consumption is 1,327 kWh per person per year.
- ▶ It is low compared to many countries. For example, US : 12,154 & China : 5,885
- ▶ It is even lower than the world average (3,204 kWh).

¹1 TU = 1,000,000,000,000 kWh

Installed Capacity

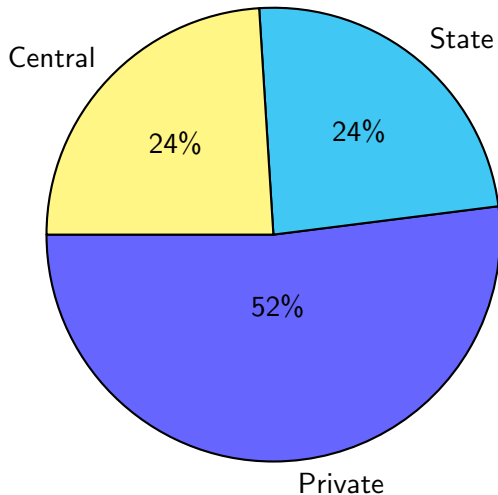
The installed capacity as on 31-05-2024 is **445 GW**.

Type	Capacity (GW)	% of Total
Thermal ² (Coal, Oil & Gas)	243	54 %
Hydro	47	11 %
Nuclear	8	2 %
RES	147	33 %
Total	445	

Source : Central Electricity Authority, Ministry of Power, Gol

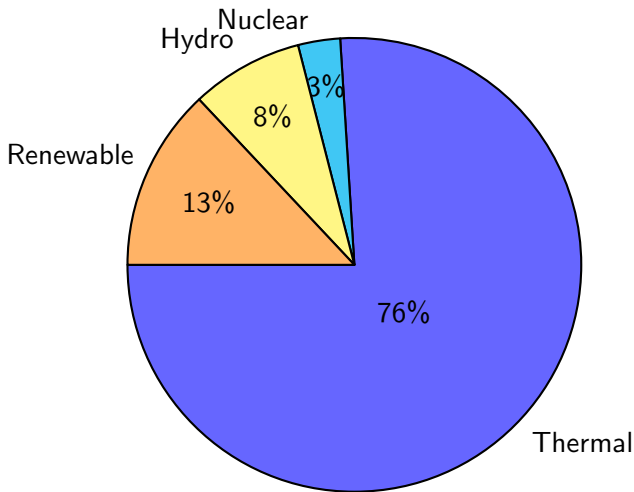
²Coal based power plants account for 90 %

Installed Capacity - Sector Wise



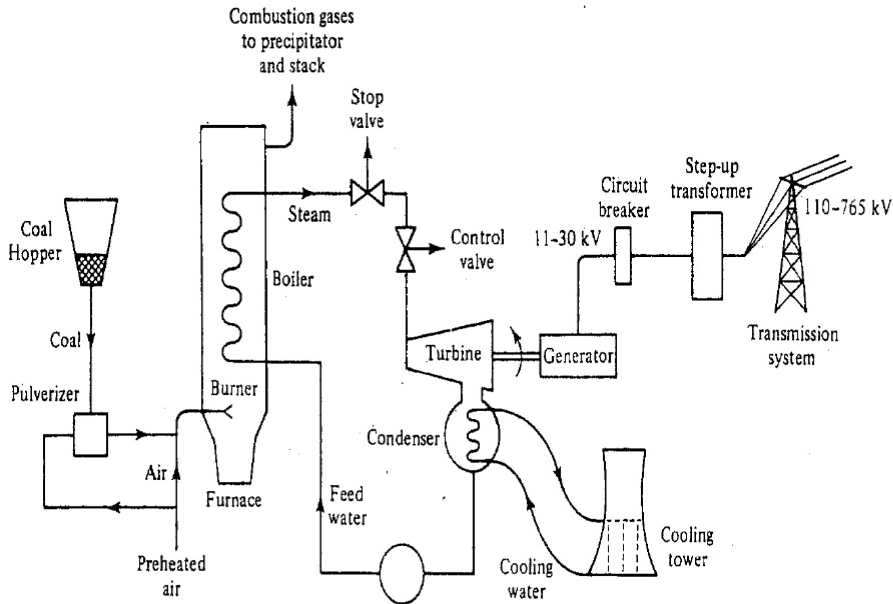
Electricity Generation in May 2024

Total electricity generation in May 2024 was 167.55 BU.

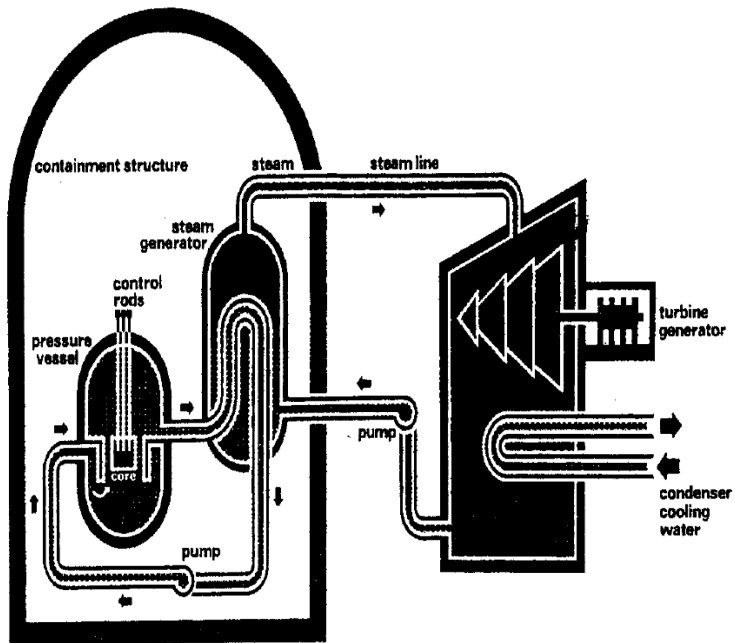


Most of the energy is still from Thermal.

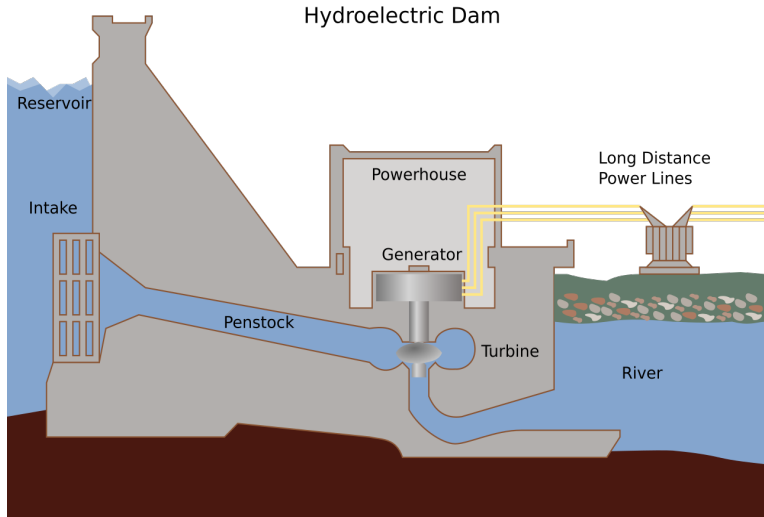
Thermal Power Plant



Nuclear Power Plant



Hydro Power Plant



Source : Wikipedia

What We will study in EE381..

We will analyze power systems under

- ▶ steady state conditions
- ▶ abnormal conditions

In order to analyze, every component of power systems has to be modeled.

- ▶ Generator
- ▶ Transformer
- ▶ Transmission line
- ▶ Load

Since the steady state model of synchronous machines and transformers have already been studied in EE280, we will only model the following in this course.

- ▶ Transmission line

Loads are usually considered as

1. Constant power
2. Constant impedance
3. Constant current

We usually simplify any analysis at the cost of accuracy....

Syllabus

- ▶ Basic Concepts
- ▶ Line Parameter Calculation
- ▶ Performance of Transmission lines
- ▶ Per unit calculation
- ▶ Network Matrices
- ▶ Load Flow
- ▶ Economic Dispatch
- ▶ Fault Analysis
- ▶ Power System Stability

Books

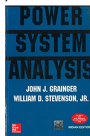
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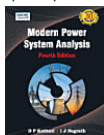


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Course Mechanics

- ▶ Two Quizzes - 20 %
- ▶ Mid Sem - 30 %
- ▶ End Sem - 50 %

Grading

- ▶ It is absolute.
- ▶ Marks scored less than 30 out of 100 shall be given "F" Grade.