

# *Introduction to Electrical Power Engineering*

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# About the Lab



- The PSM Lab (est. 2013) operates under the auspices of the Department of ECE of the University of Cyprus.
- Research/Industrial Funding to date: 2 Million Euros
- Over 100 peer reviewed papers in top quality journal and international conferences
- Representation at the International Standardisation Committee, ISO/TC 67/SC 2/WG 24 for the development of the Technical Standard 21857 "Petroleum, Petrochemical and natural gas industries."

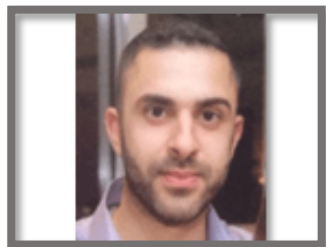


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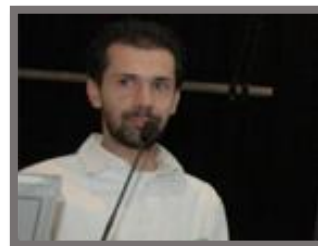
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- Electrical control and analysis of DC/AC interference from power system applications
- Engineering cost & benefit analysis and risk management
- Earthing/ lightning protection – railways, oil & gas pipelines, RES applications and LV systems
- Loss evaluation in distribution (MV/LV) power systems
- Insulation coordination in AC/DC micro-grids
- Power system plant and operation

# Definition of Electrical Power

## Definition:

- The rate at which the work is being done in an electrical circuit is called an electric power.
- The electric power is defined as the rate of the transferred of energy.
- The electric power is produced by the generator and can also be supplied by the electrical batteries.
- It can be carried over long distances
- It is converted into various other forms of energy like motion, heat energy.

$$\text{Electrical Power} = \frac{\text{Work done in an electrical current}}{\text{time}}$$
$$P = \frac{VIt}{t} = VI = IR^2 = \frac{V^2}{R}$$

$$V = 1 \text{ volts and } I = 1 \text{ ampere}$$
$$P = 1 \text{ watt}$$



# Electrical Power vs Electrical Energy

## Watts to kilowatt-hour calculation formula

The energy E in kilowatt-hour (kWh) is equal to the power P in watts (W), times the time period t in hours (hr) divided by 1000:

$$E_{(\text{kWh})} = P_{(\text{W})} \times t_{(\text{hr})} / 1000$$

So

$$\text{kilowatt-hour} = \text{watt} \times \text{hour} / 1000$$

or


$$\text{kWh} = \text{W} \times \text{hr} / 1000$$

### Example

What is the energy consumption in watt-hour when the power consumption is 5000 watts for time duration of 3 hours?

$$E = 5000\text{W} \times 3\text{h} / 1000 = 15 \text{ kWh}$$





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Electricity Authority of Cyprus  
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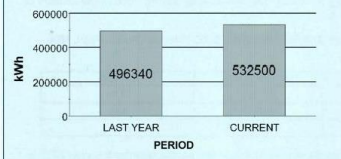
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Meter Number/s XXXXXXXX  
Premise Id XXXXXXXXXX  
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Tariff/s 40-Medium Voltage  
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METER READINGS (kWh)				ANALYSIS FOR THE PERIOD 31/12/2018 - 31/01/2019		Totals (€)
Tariff	Present	Previous	MF	Consumption	Charges of Tariff 40	
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40 OW	3767.20	3457.02		310180	-PW: Peak Weekdays {136.070kWh x €0,0902}	12.273,51
40 PN	285.45	265.22		20230	-OW: Off-Peak Weekdays {310.180kWh x €0,0771}	23.914,88
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					-ON: Off-Peak Weekends&Holidays{66.020kWhx€0,0736}	4.859,07
					Network Usage	10.064,26
					Ancillary Services	3.301,50
					Meter Reading	0,49
					Electricity Supply	2,38
					Total Basic Price	56.172,05
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					Fuel Adjustment {532.500kWh x €0,033613}	17.898,92
					Public Service Obligations {532.500kWh x €0,00083}	441,98
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					RES & ES Fund {532.500kWh x €0,01}	5.325,00
					Total charges for the period before VAT	77.281,95
					VAT {19%}	13.671,82
					Total charges for the period	90.953,77

CONSUMPTION PER PERIOD



Basic fuel price: €300/MT (Metric Tonne)  
Current fuel price: €439,15/MT  
Fuel adjustment charge: €0,033613/kWh


Amount due  
Payable until 20/02/2019  
€90.953,77



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# Classification of Electrical Power

- The electric power is divided into two types:
  - the AC power
  - the DC power
- The classification of the electric power depends on the nature of the current or voltage (AC or DC)

**"AC" Voltage Current is Voltage Current *that changes***

**"DC" Voltage Current is Voltage Current *that is steady***

[Recommended watch:](#)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vN9aR2wKv0U>

# Battle of Currents

- The **war of the currents**, sometimes called **battle of the currents**, was a series of events surrounding the introduction of competing electric power transmission systems in the late 1880s and early 1890s.



Alternate Current



Direct Current

Nikola Tesla and Thomas Edison

# Battle of Currents or The Current War

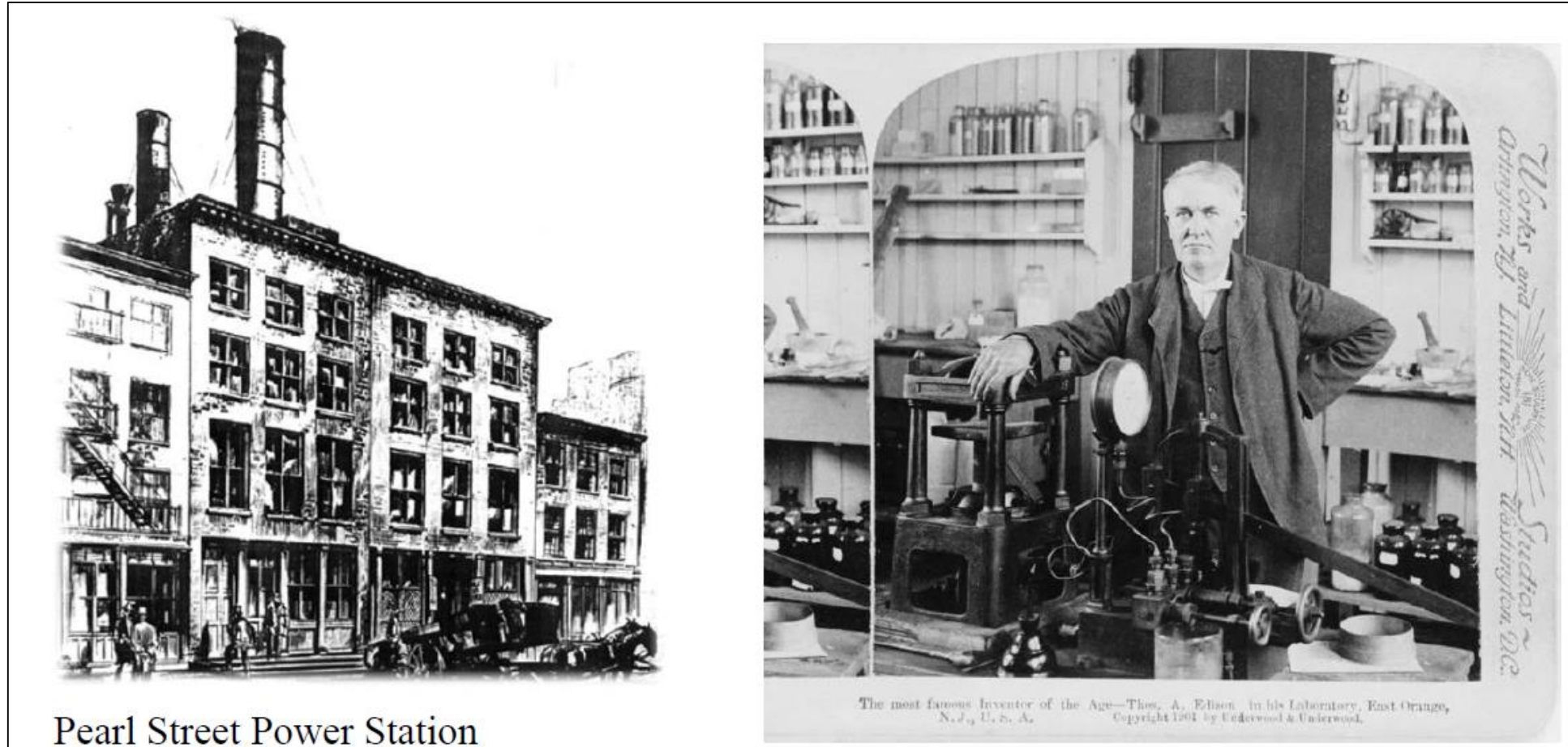


*The Current War* is a 2017 American *historical drama* film inspired by the 19th-century competition between *Thomas Edison* and *George Westinghouse* over which *electric power delivery* system would be used in the United States (often referred to as the "*war of the currents*").



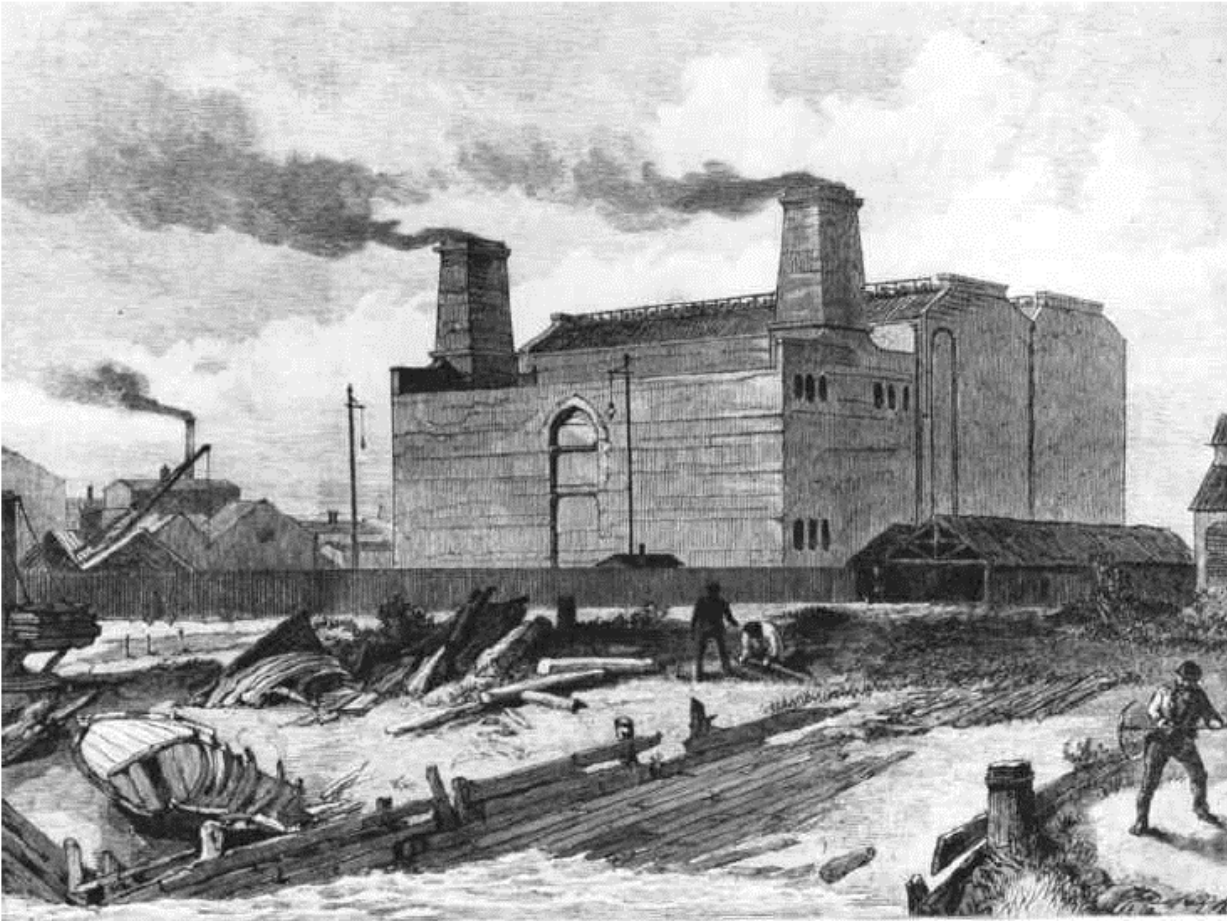
# Brief History of Power Systems

- **1882:** First central (DC) electricity generating station in the USA by Edison.
- Fed a load of 400 lamps, each of them consuming 83 W.



# Brief History of Power Systems

- **1887:** First major alternating current (AC) station in **Deptford** Great Britain by machines of 10000 h.p. and transmitted at 10 kV to consumers in London.



Deptford Power Station built 1887. It was the first major station to use the new-fangled high voltage AC. It was rebuilt a number of times before it was decommissioned in 1983 and demolished in 1992. See more at <https://londonist.com/2012/03/the-history-of-londons-power-stations>

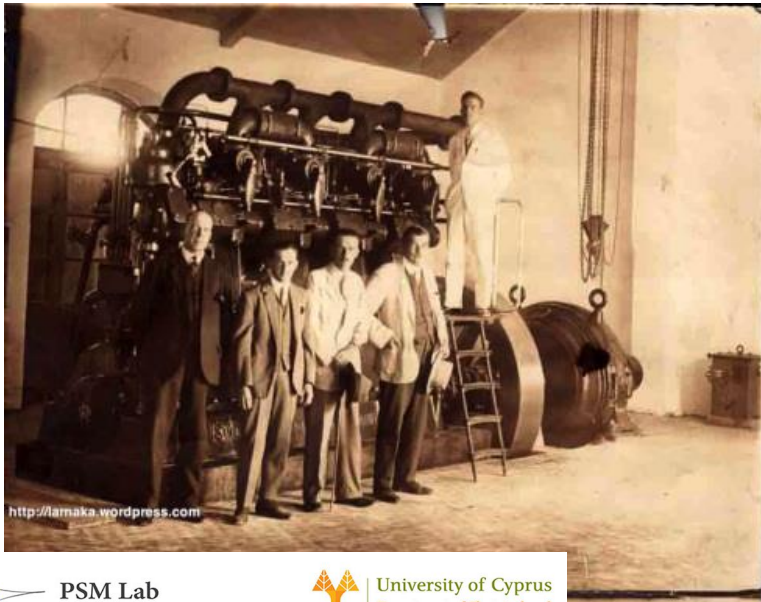


# Brief History of Power Systems: Cyprus

- Electricity was first introduced in 1903 with the installation by the then British colonial government of a power generator to serve the needs of the Commission in the capital, Nicosia. This was followed shortly afterwards by the installation of a second generator at the Lefkosia General Hospital.
- A limited number of Cypriots soon started to use electricity from 1912, when the first electricity company, which operated a power station with generators, was formed in Lemesos under the initiative of the Stamatiou brothers, George Yiannopoulos and other entrepreneurs from Lemesos. The company was called Ηλεκτροφωτιστική Εταιρεία Λεμεσού (The Limassol Electric Light Company).

You can read more on:

<https://www.eac.com.cy/EN/eac/organisation/Pages/History.aspx>



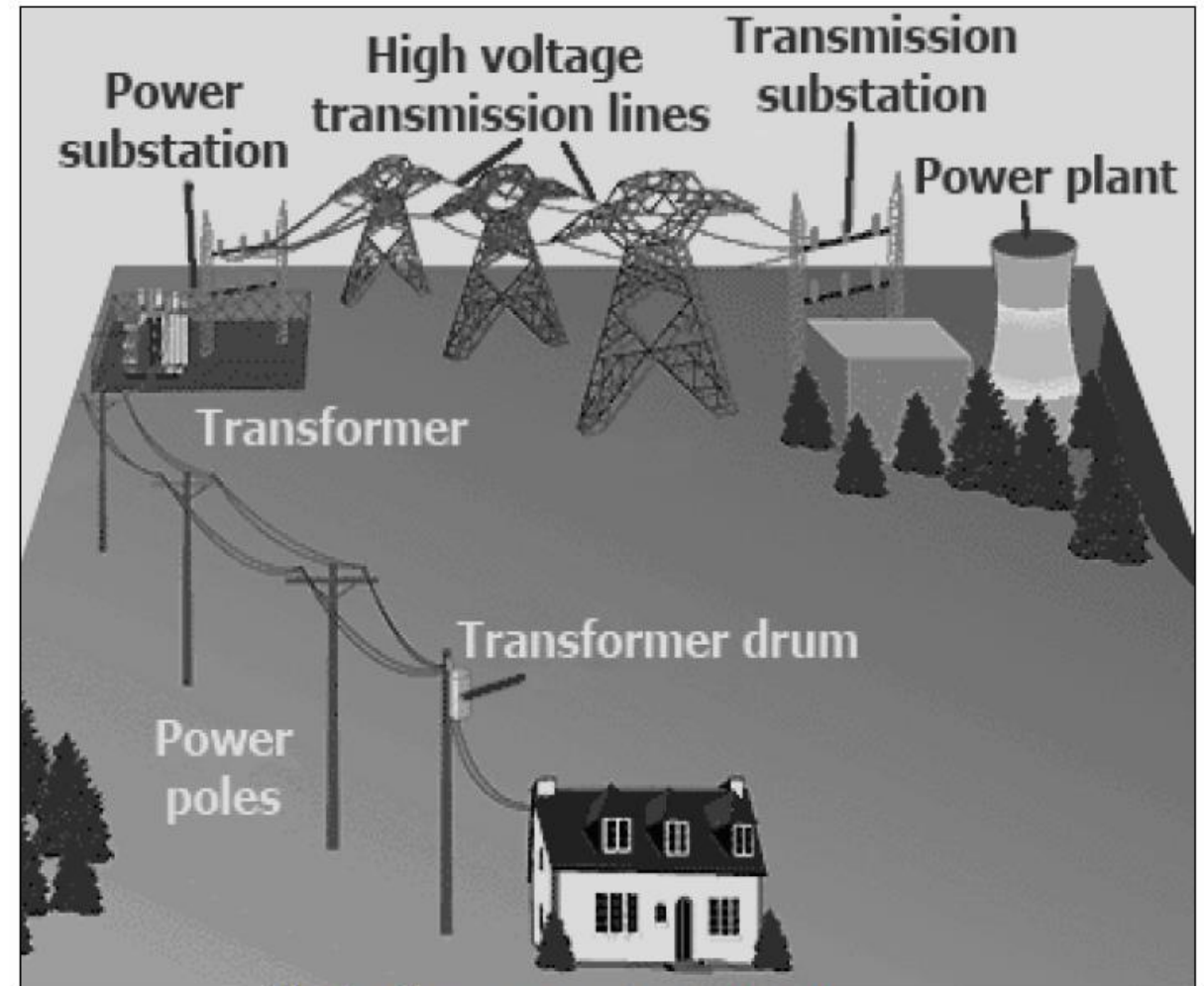
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# Electric Power Systems: What is their purpose?

❑ Transfer electric energy from point A to point B:

- Do it safely (don't kill anyone)
- Do it reliably (continuous supply, no interruptions)
- Do it environmentally friendly
- Do it at a low cost and accessible to all



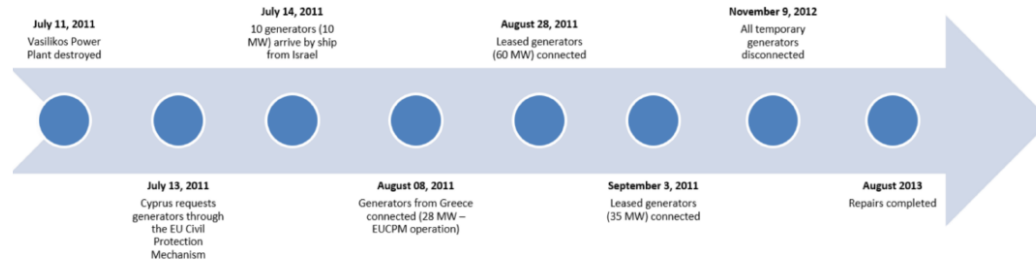
Typical power system structure.







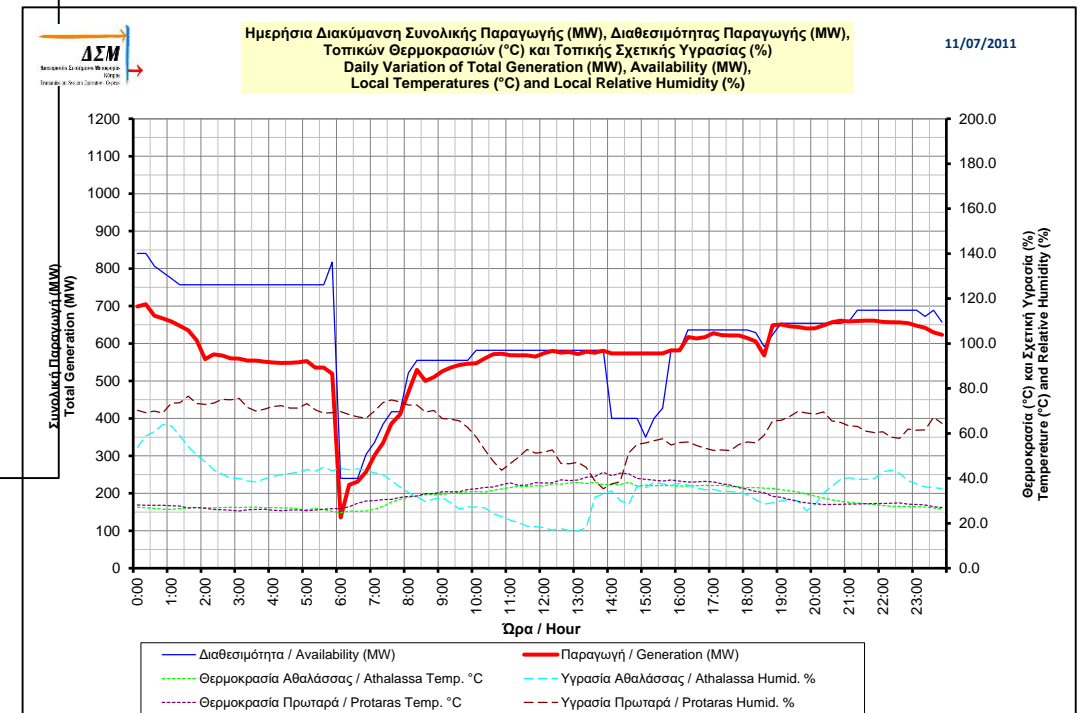
# Electric Power Systems: How bad can an outage be?



Karagiannis, et al. "Power grid recovery after natural hazard impact", tech. rep., 2017

- The Cyprus outage of 2011 affected all of the population on the island, leading to reduced supply and scheduled outages over a prolonged period of time
- Triggered by an explosion at Evangelos Florakis Naval Base that destroyed the Vasilikos Power Plant
- Almost 60% of the island's power generating capacity was destroyed
- Estimated economic losses from power interruption<sup>1</sup> around 840 million euros per year

<sup>1</sup> T. Zachariadis, A. Poullikkas, The costs of power outages: A case study from Cyprus, Energy Policy, 2012



# ΒΛΑΒΕΣ

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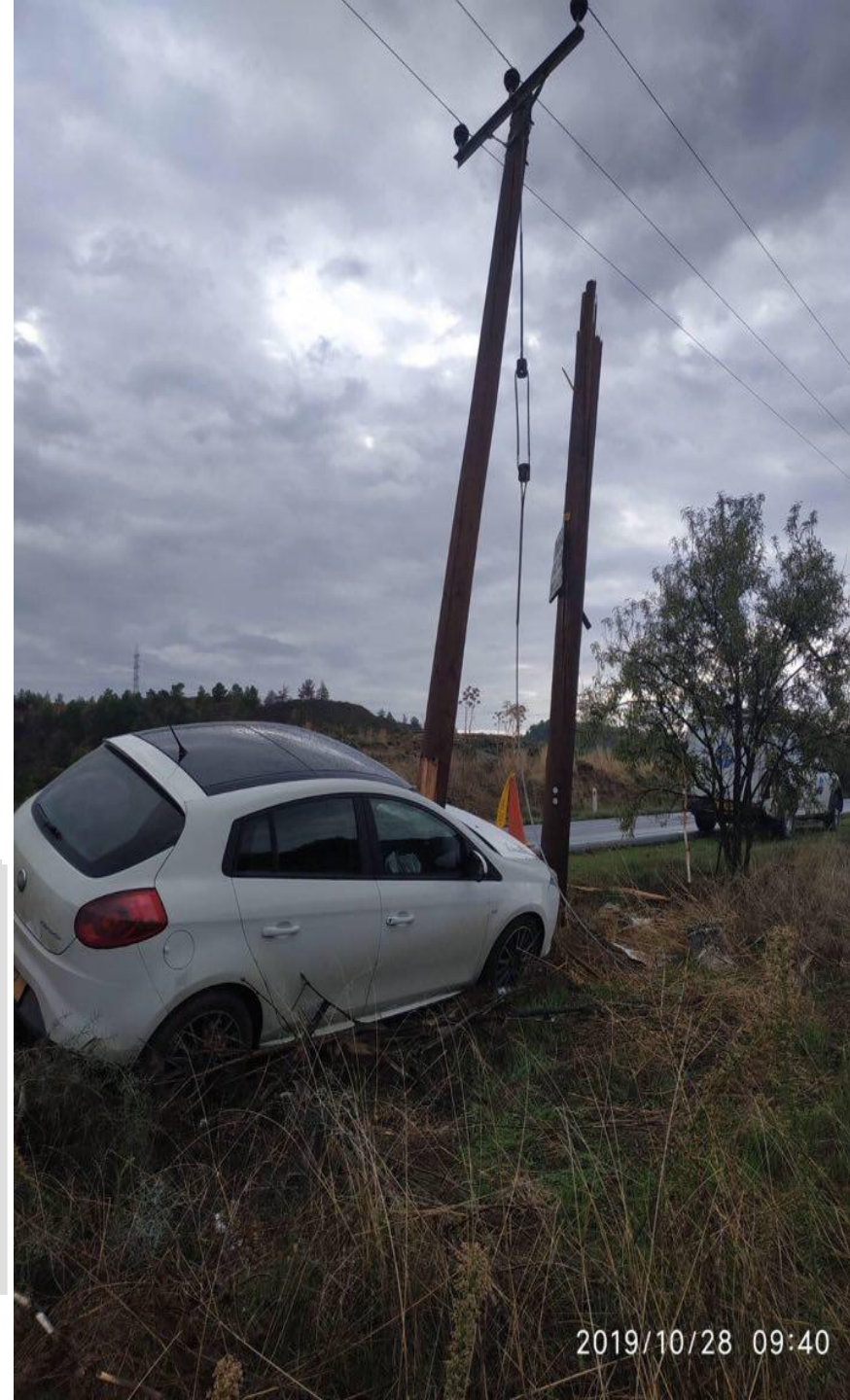
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# Concentrating Critical Assets in Vasilikos area

❑ **Fact (?)** : Cyprus currently ramps up its own energy exploration with plans for **natural gas pipelines** and **storage terminals**, to facilitate the transportation of gas supplies within Cyprus and abroad.

- ❑ The Hydrocarbon service of the Ministry of Energy has disclosed its master plan for the Vassilikos Area – to enable the **development of critical infrastructures** for the transportation and storage of gas and oil.



# HYDROCARBON SERVICE

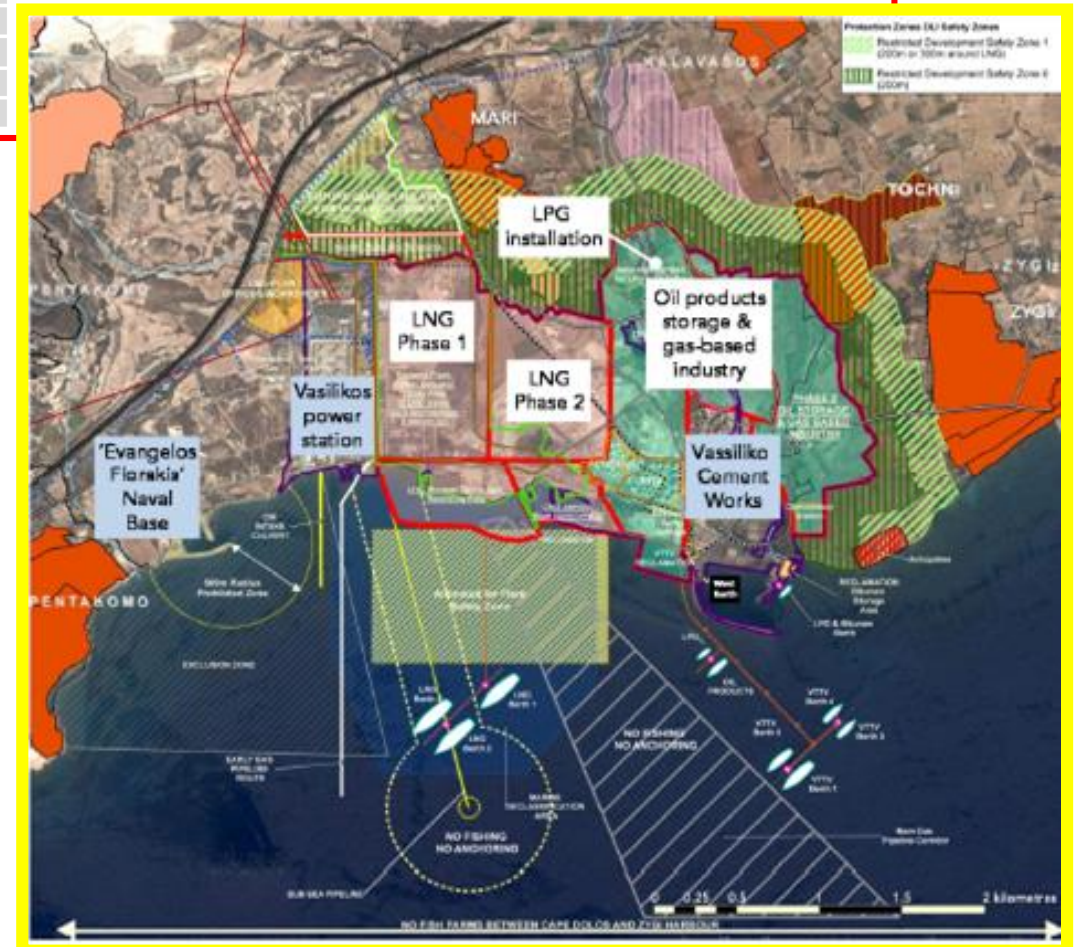
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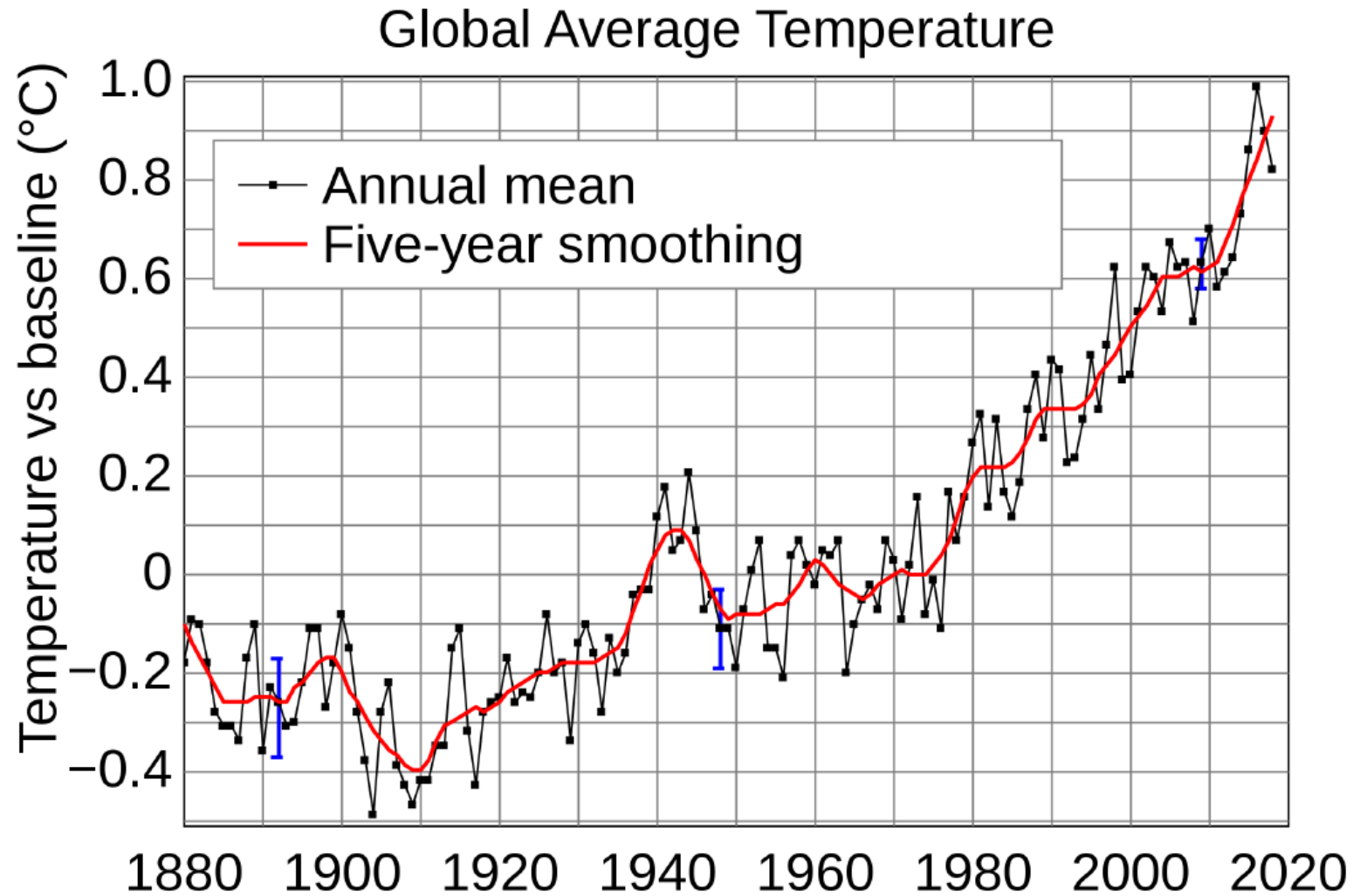
## Master Plan for the Vasilikos Area







# Electric Power Systems: Environmental aspects

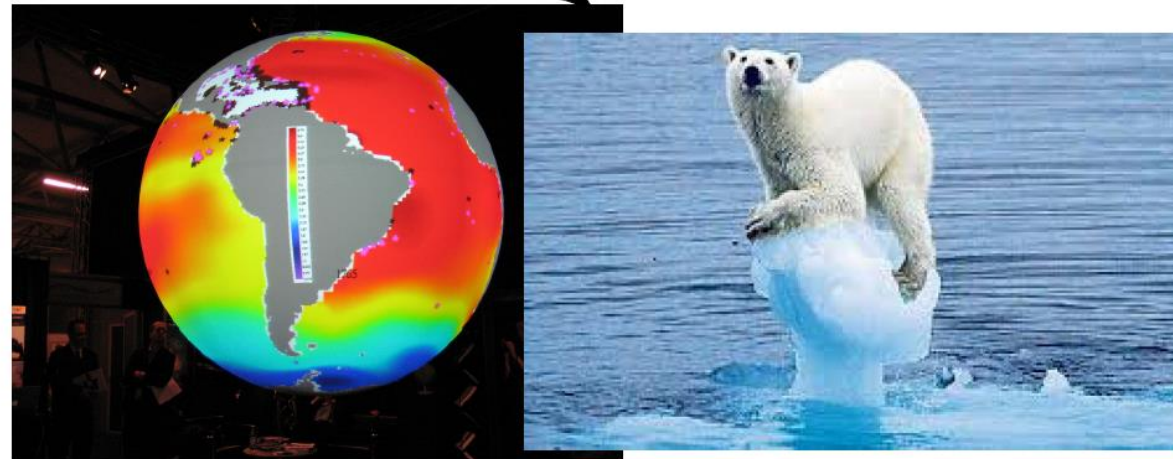


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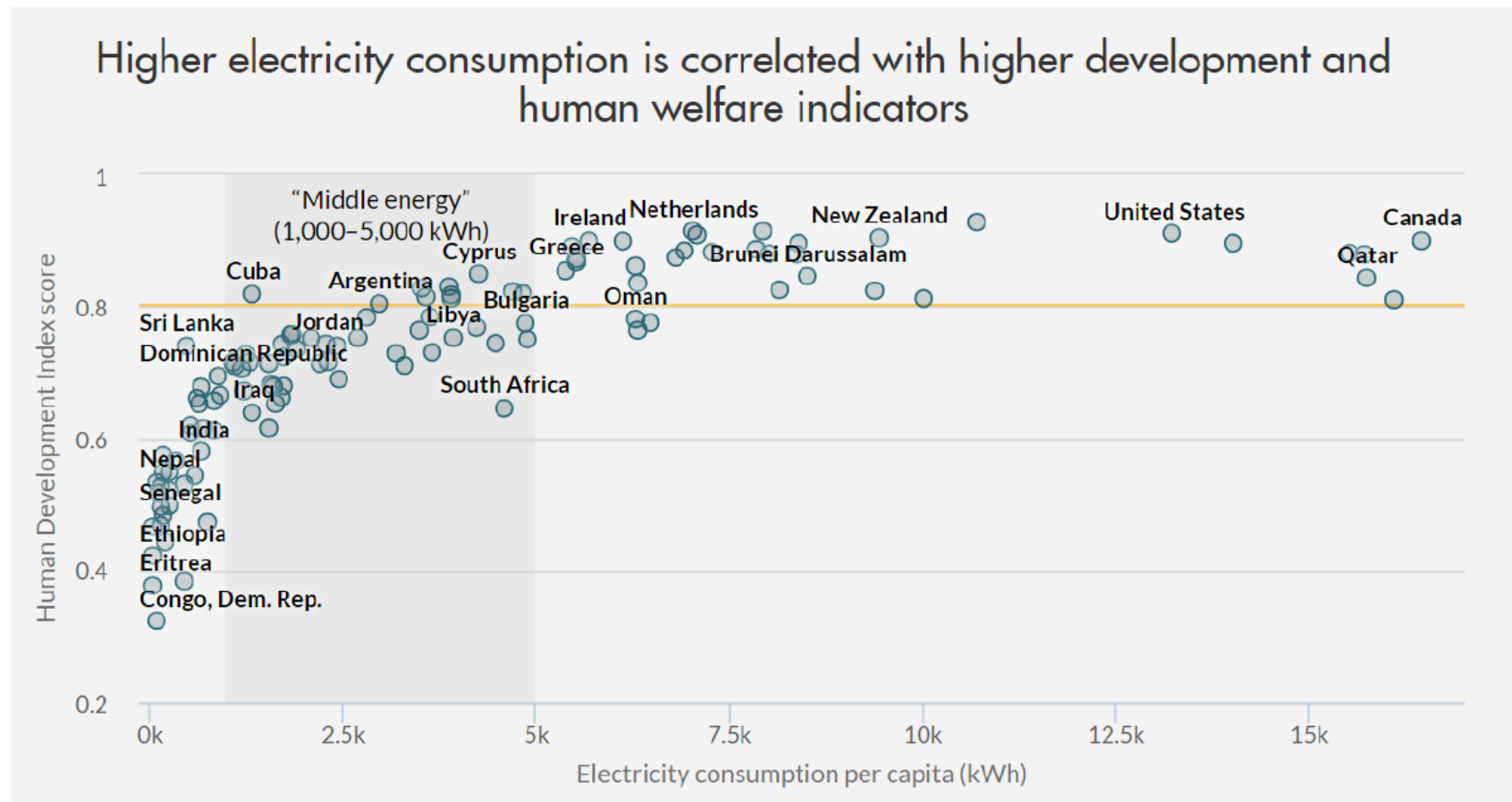
# Problems with the use of Fossil Fuels



- Energy Generation from fossil fuels → contributes to greenhouse gas emissions and climate change
- Fossil fuels are finite

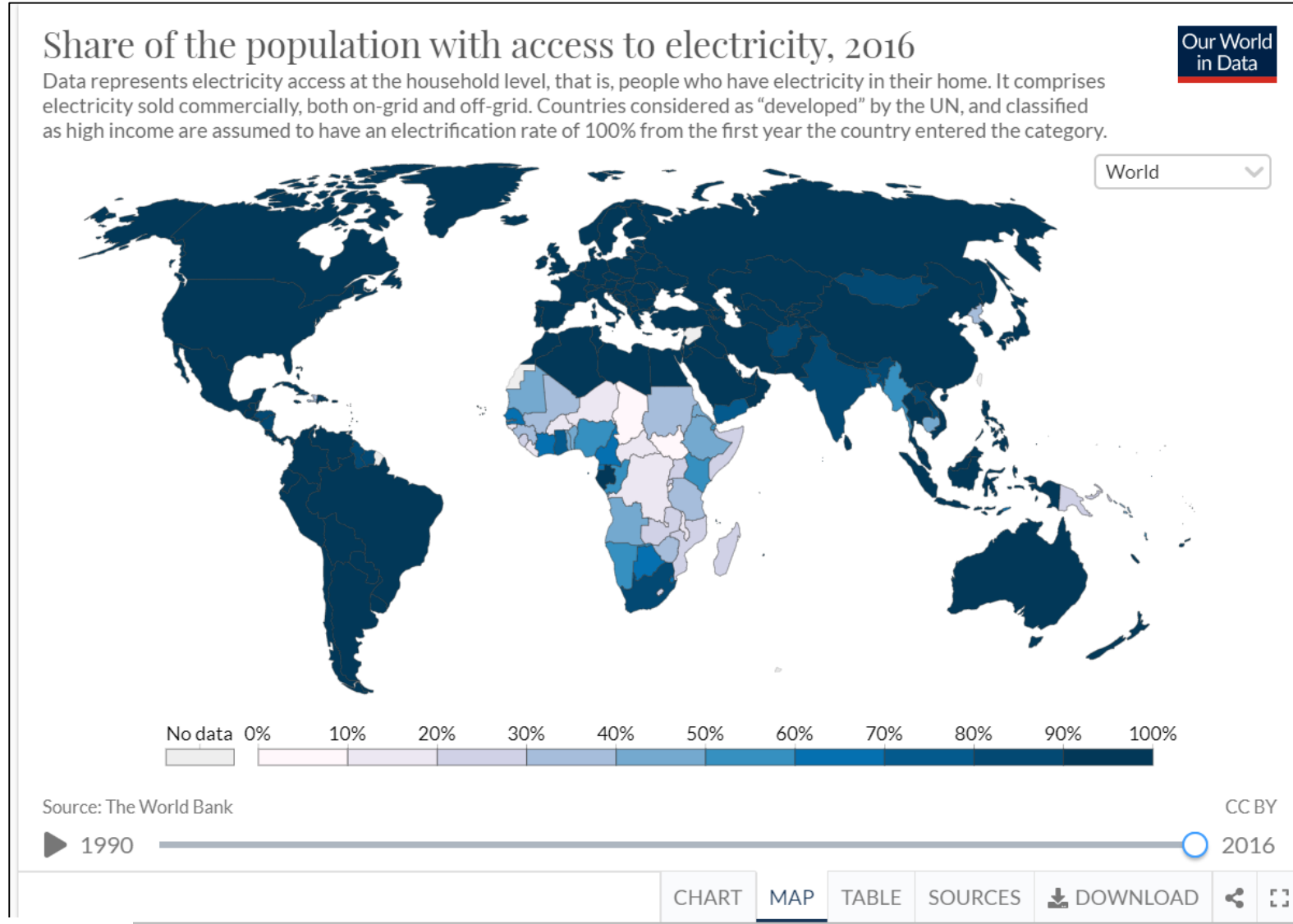


# Cost of Energy and Development



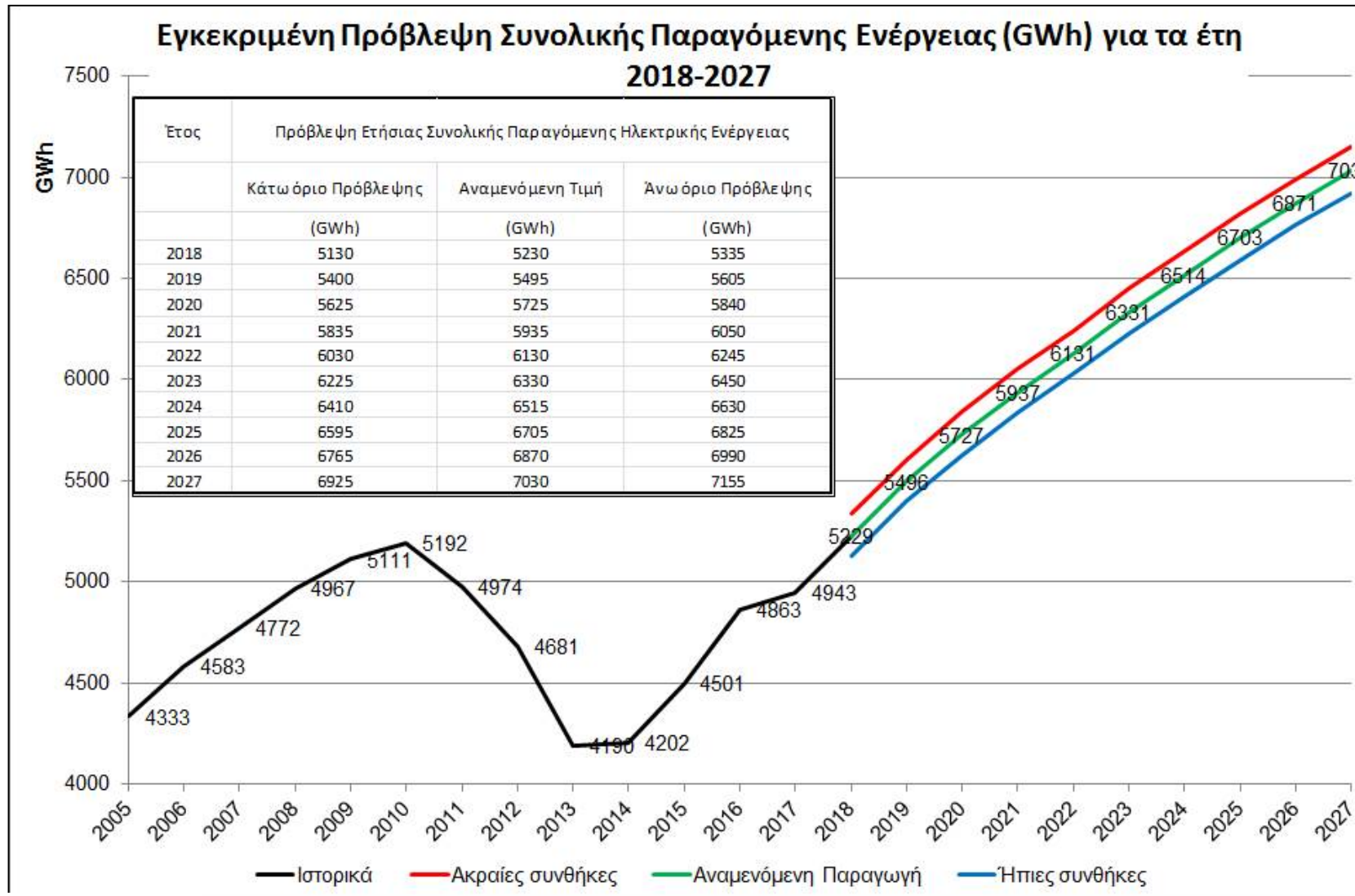
Source: UNDP Human Development Index (2013); World Bank, World Development Index (2013)

# Share of Population with access to Electricity





# Forecast on Electricity Usage: the case of Cyprus



# Why the design of Electric Power Systems is a complex issue?

## ❑ Transfer electric energy from point A to point B:

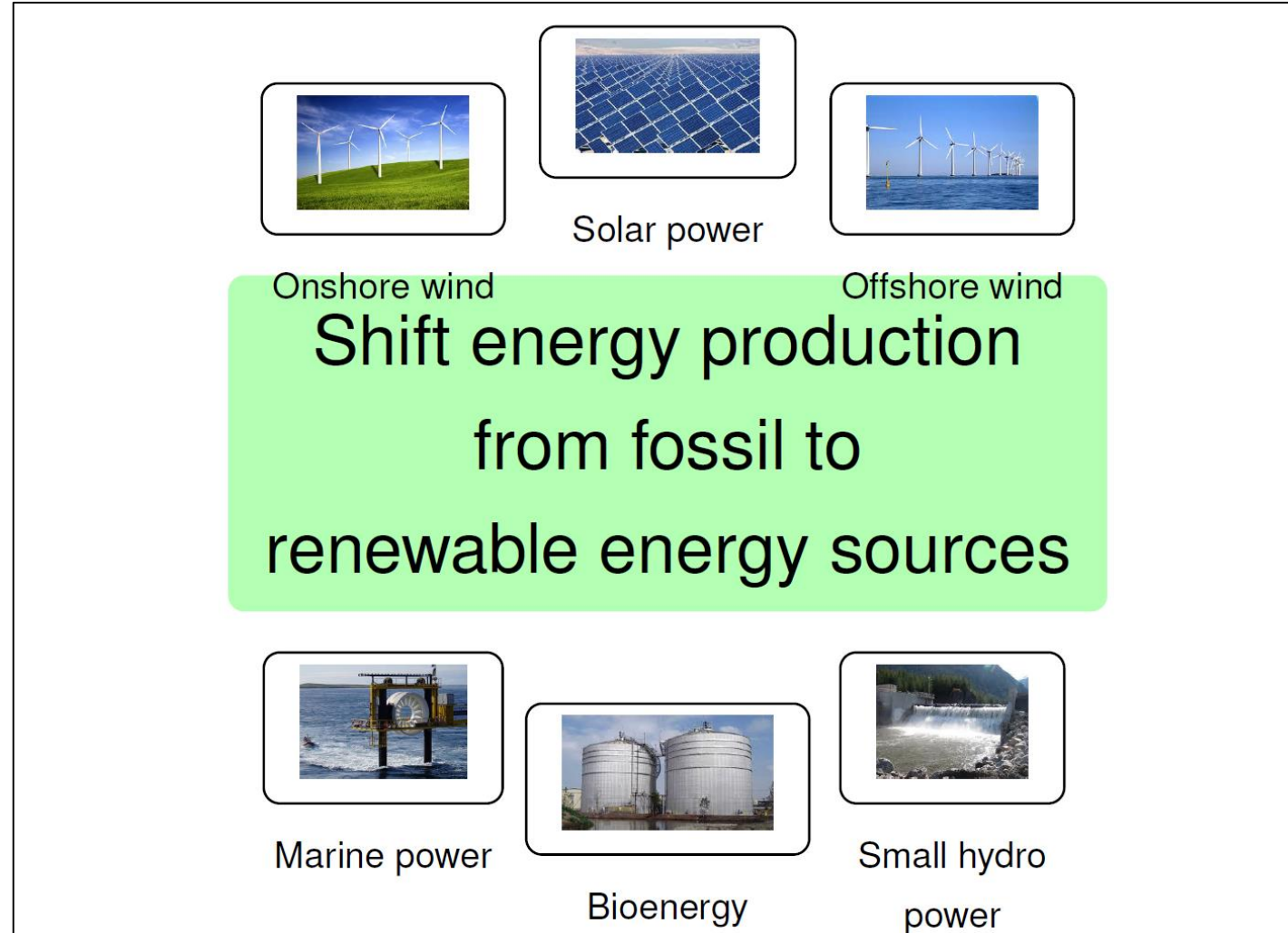
- Do it safely (don't kill anyone)
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Why is it hard to do these?

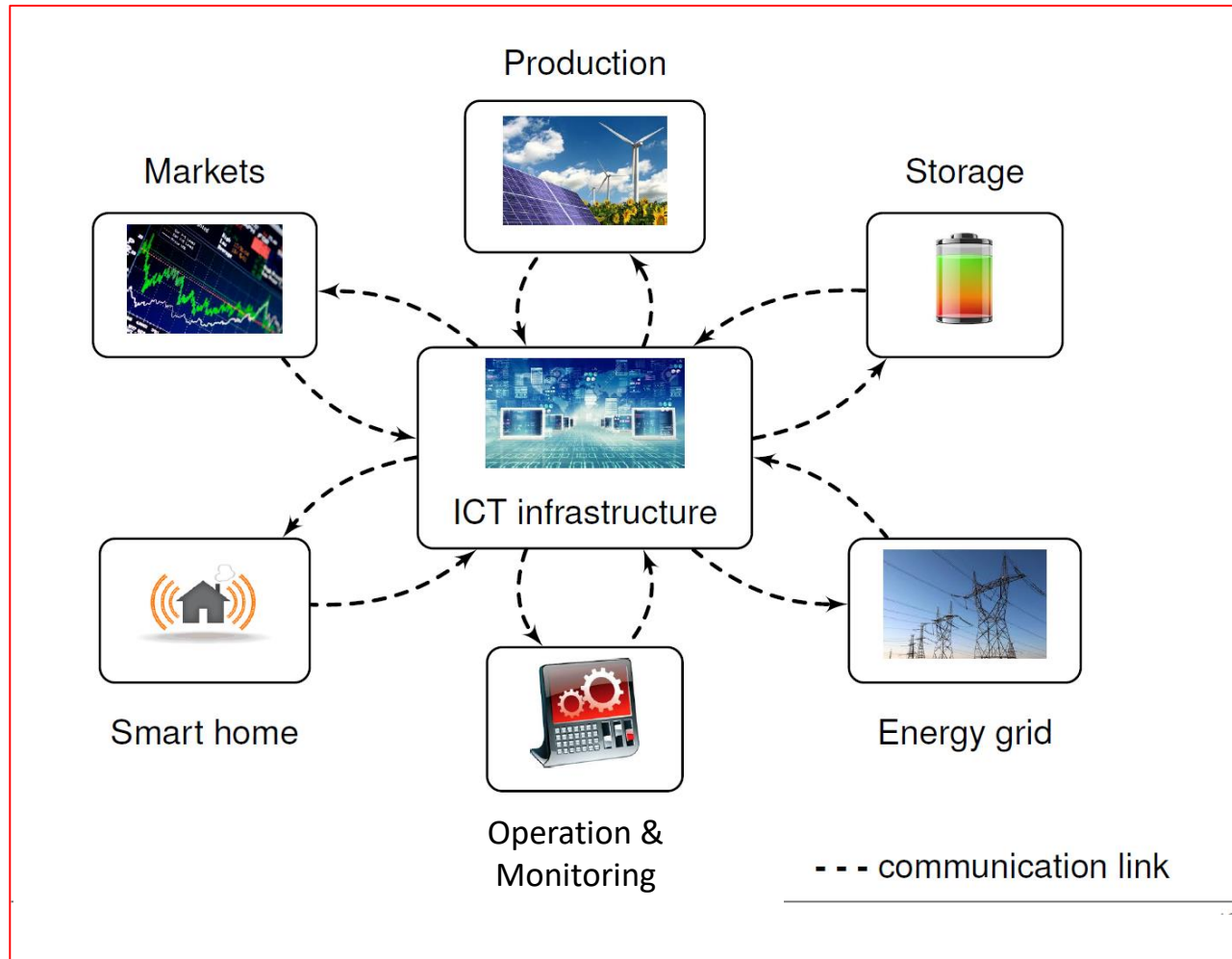


- World's largest and most complex engineered systems
  - Modern industrialized societies heavily rely on use and steady supply of electric energy
  - Power systems are expected to be very reliable
  - Even a single failure can have catastrophic consequences for society!
  - In addition: power systems continuously subjected to large variety of disturbances and contingencies (lighting, hurricanes, human errors,...)
- Rather complex and sophisticated industrial processes behind electric energy supply!

# More challenges are introduced by the Integration of Renewable Energy Systems (RES)



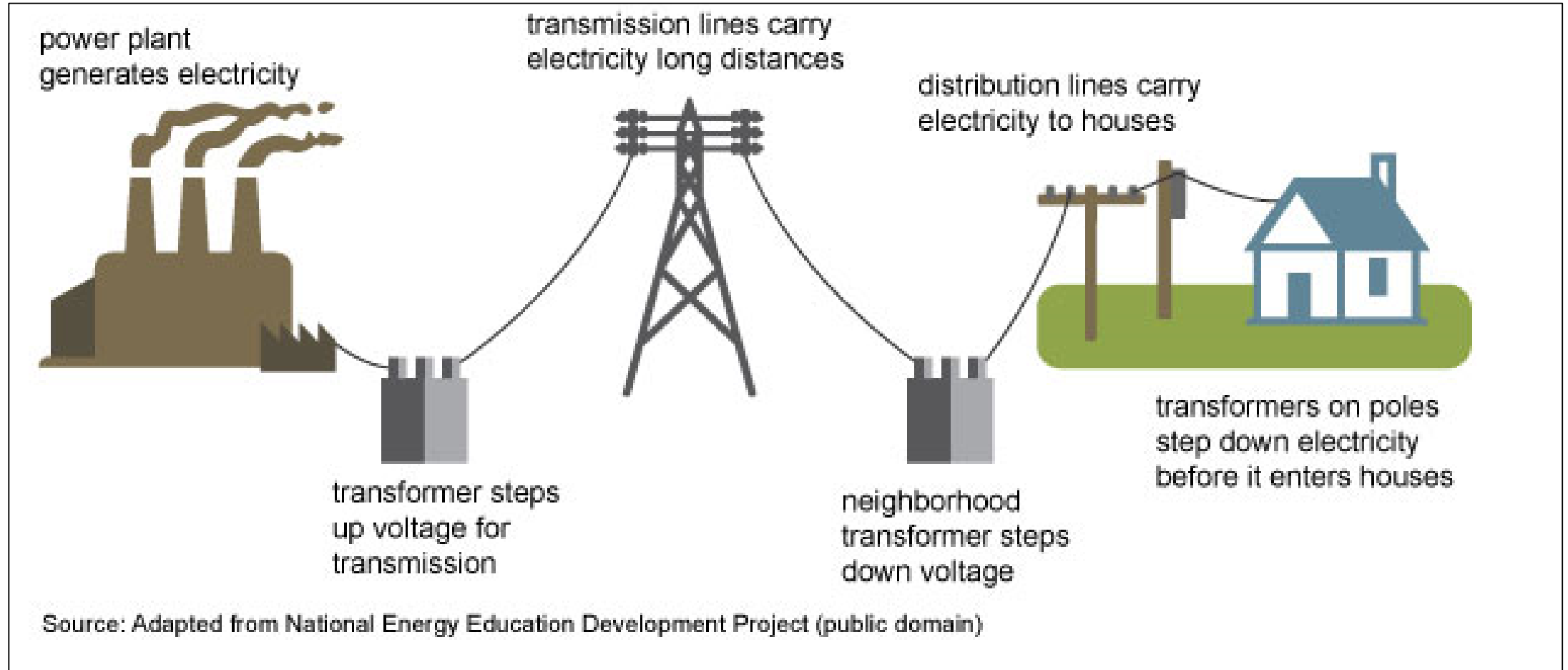
# Current and Future Power Systems: More controllable & observable



- Key ingredients: ICT, renewables, flexible operation & consumption
  - Many challenging open questions
  - Large investments (EU-wide 500 billion euros by around 2020)
- ⇒ Plenty of exciting & interdisciplinary opportunities



# Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electricity: The basics



# Conventional Generation in Cyprus



ΣΥΝΟΛΙΚΗ ΕΓΚΑΤΕΣΤΗΜΕΝΗ ΚΑΙ ΑΝΑΜΕΝΟΜΕΝΗ ΔΙΑΘΕΣΙΜΗ ΣΥΜΒΑΤΙΚΗ ΙΣΧΥΣ (MW)  
ΑΥΓΟΥΣΤΟΣ 2020

Ηλεκτροπαραγωγός Σταθμός	Εγκαταστάσεις			Μονάδες Εσωτερικής Καύσης	Ολική Ικανότητα Παραγωγής Ισχύος	
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Μονής	–	–	4 x 37,5 = 150		150	128
Δεκέλειας	–	6 x 60 = 360	–	2 x 50 = 100	460	367
Βασιλικού	2 x 220 = 440	3 x 130 = 390	1 x 37,5 = 37,5	–	868	702
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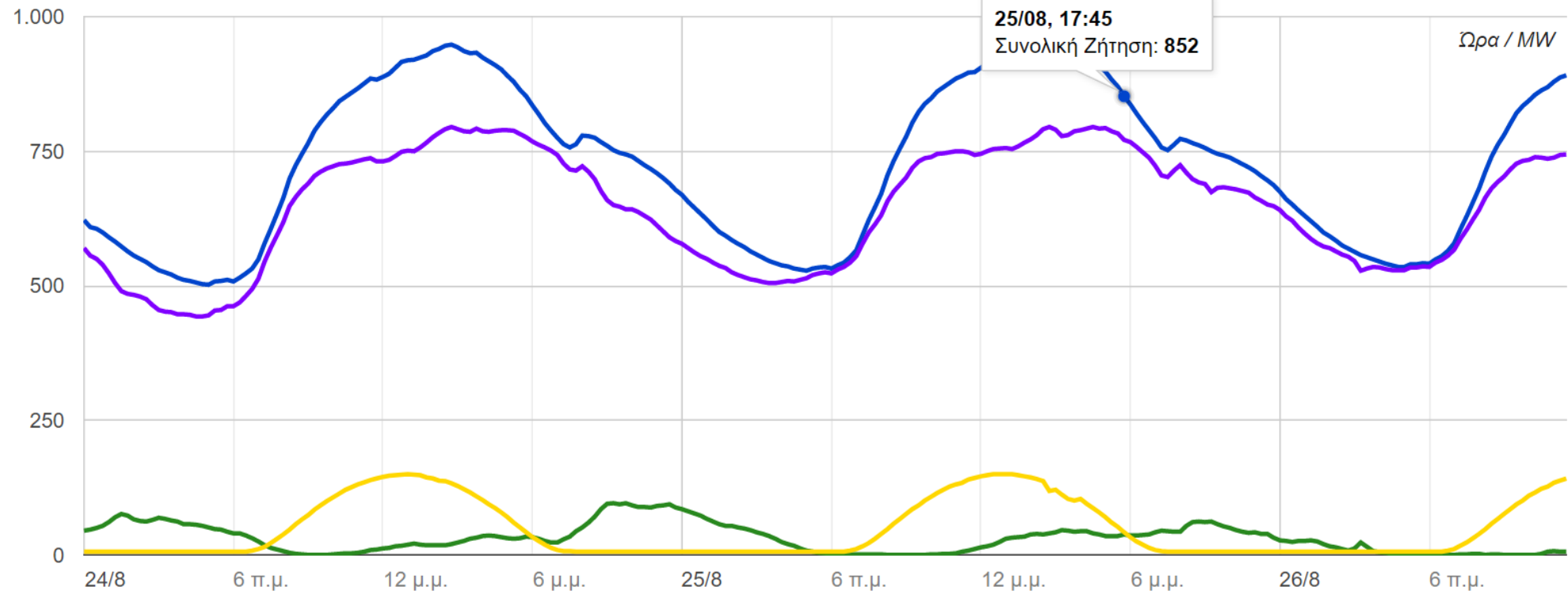
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# Αρχείο Ημερήσιας Παραγωγής Ηλεκτρικού Συστήματος (MW)



## ΣΗΜΕΙΩΣΗ:

- Η συνολική ζήτηση του ηλεκτρικού συστήματος ικανοποιείται από την συμβατική, την αιολική και τη διεσπαρμένη παραγωγή



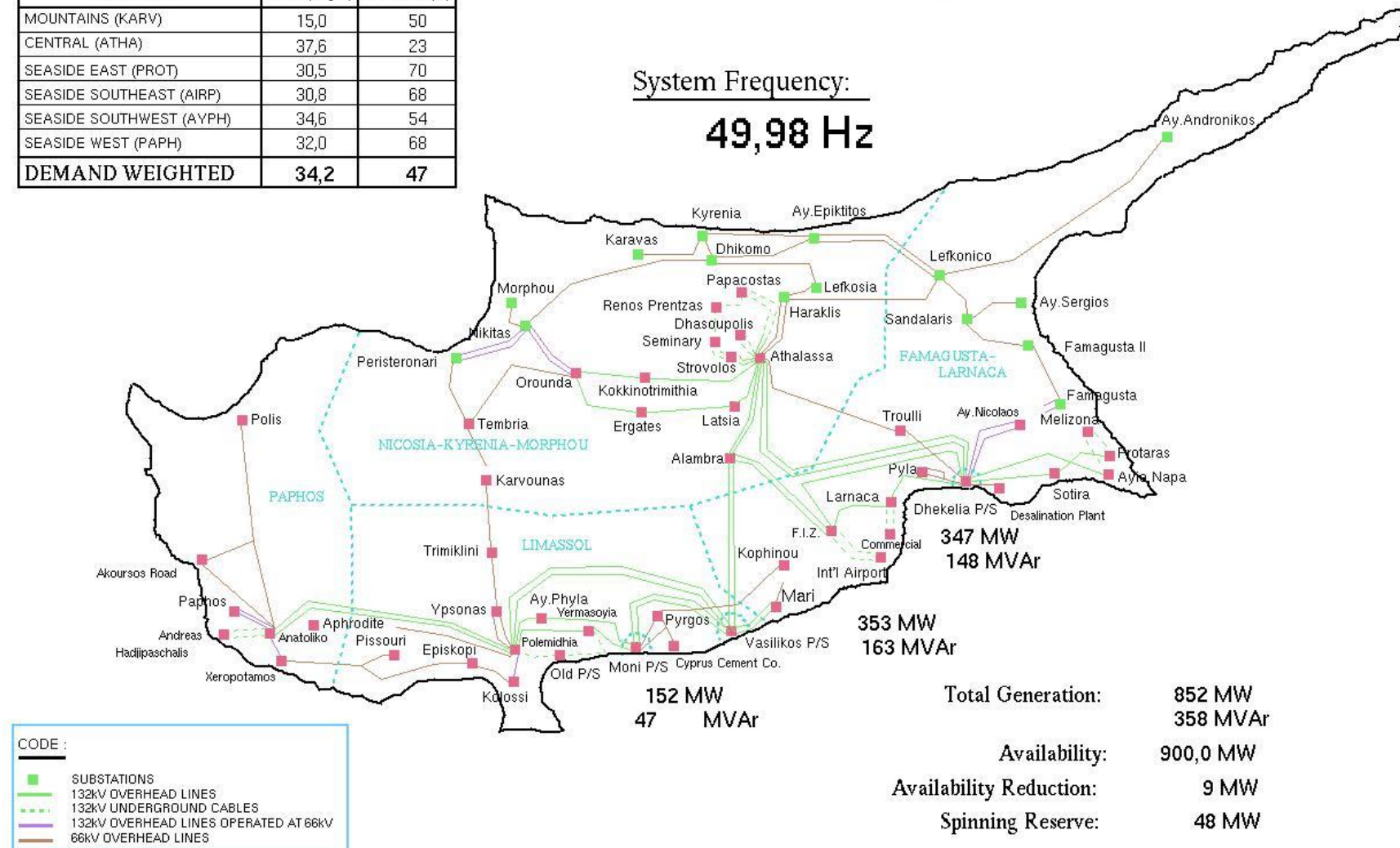
# Transmission System of Cyprus

WEATHER	TEMP.(deg.C)	HUMIDITY(%)
MOUNTAINS (KARV)	15,0	50
CENTRAL (ATHA)	37,6	23
SEASIDE EAST (PROT)	30,5	70
SEASIDE SOUTHEAST (AIRP)	30,8	68
SEASIDE SOUTHWEST (AYPH)	34,6	54
SEASIDE WEST (PAPH)	32,0	68
DEMAND WEIGHTED	34,2	47

## POWER SYSTEM OVERVIEW

System Frequency:

**49,98 Hz**



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# Transmission System of Cyprus



## THE CYPRUS TRANSMISSION SYSTEM

Transmission Substations: 62

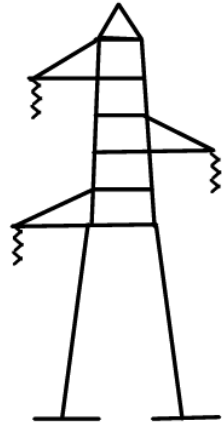
Primary Substations: 9

Overhead Lines: 1150 km

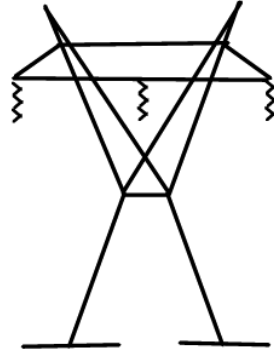
Underground Cables: 212 km



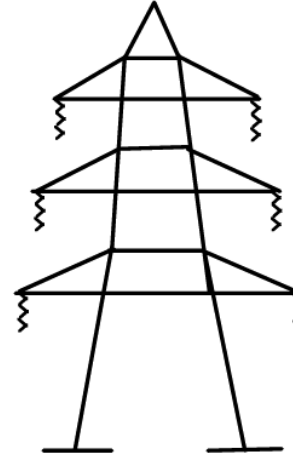
# General Characteristics – Poles & Towers



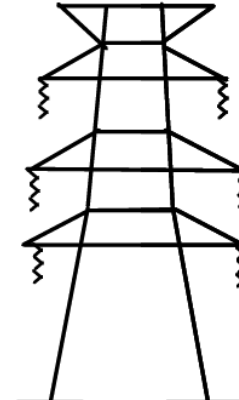
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Single earth wire*



*Single circuit  
double earth wire*



*Double circuit  
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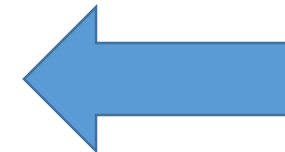
*Double circuit  
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*Typical tower outlines*

**Suspension Tower**

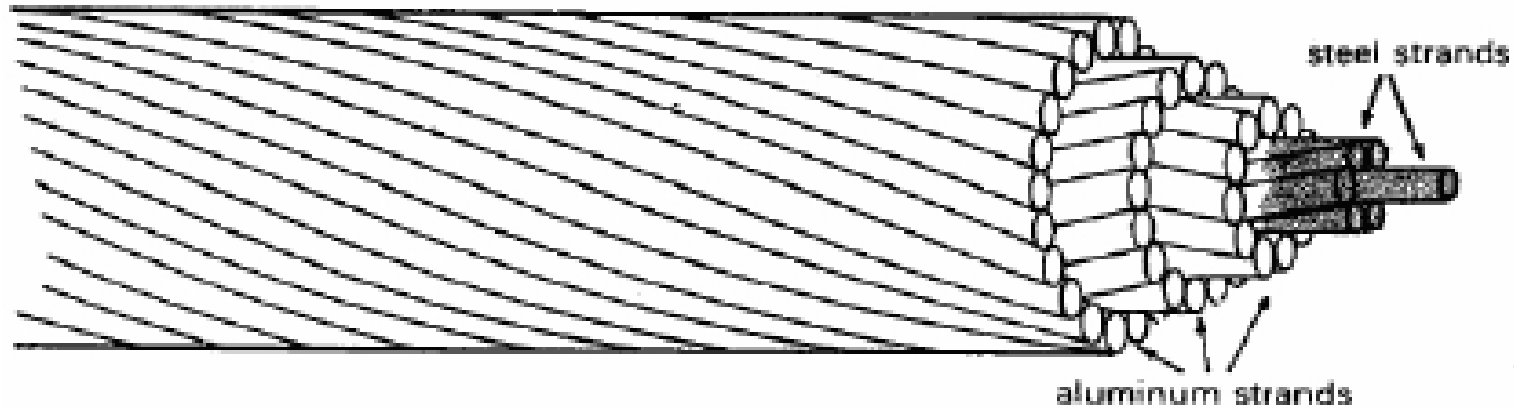


**Tension Tower**




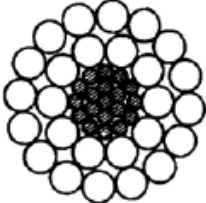
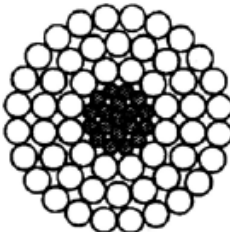





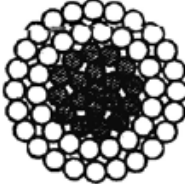


# General Characteristics – Conductors



- ACSR –Aluminium Conductor Steel Reinforced
- AAAC –All Aluminium Alloy Conductors
- AACSR–Aluminium Alloy Conductors Steel Reinforced
- ACAR–Aluminium Conductor Alloy Reinforced

# General Characteristics – Conductors

Parameter	Importance			
Relative conductivity (%)	Minimises resistive losses. High value desired.			
Mass resistivity at 20°C ( $\Omega\text{kg/km}$ )	Provides good resistance for low mass. Low value desired.	6Al./1St.	26Al./19St.	54Al./19St.
Density ( $\text{kg/m}^3$ )	System mass. Low value desired.			
Resistance Temperature Coefficient ( $^{\circ}\text{C}^{-1}$ )	Change in resistance as a function of temperature. Low value desired.	7Al./1St.		
Coefficient of linear expansion ( $^{\circ}\text{C}^{-1}$ )	Partly determines sag as conductors thermally expand. Low value desired.			
Ultimate tensile stress ( $\text{MN/m}^2$ )	Imposes maximum tension that can be imposed on conductor and therefore important for sag. High value desired.	8Al./1St.	18Al./1St.	
Modulus of elasticity ( $\text{MN/m}^2$ )	Determines expansion of conductor under normal load. High value desired.			
		6Al./7St.	18Al./19St.	42Al./19St.

Code name	Stranding pattern	Al area ( $\text{mm}^2$ )	Steel area ( $\text{mm}^2$ )	Diameter (mm)	Mass (kg/km)	Breaking load (kN)	Resistance ( $\Omega/\text{km}$ )
Horse	12/7/2.79	73.4	42.8	14.0	538	61.2	0.3936
Lynx	30/7/2.79	183.4	42.8	19.5	842	79.8	0.1441
Zebra	54/7/3.18	429.9	55.6	28.6	1621	131.9	0.0674
Dove	26/3.72 + 7/2.89	282.0	45.9	23.6	1137	99.9	0.1024

# Conductor Bundles

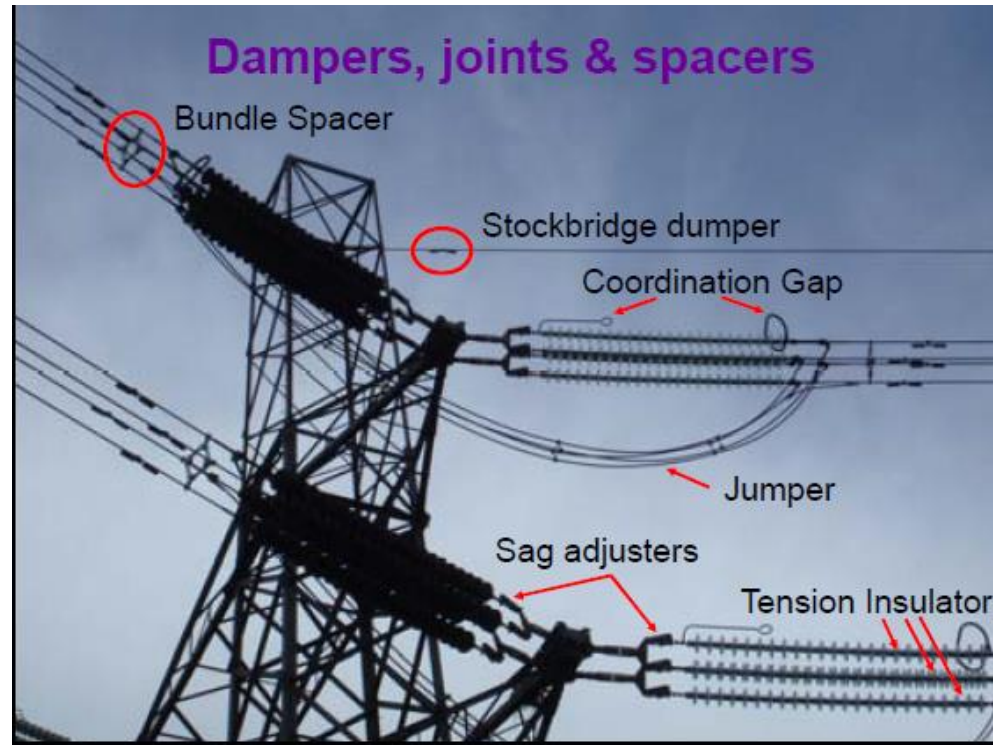




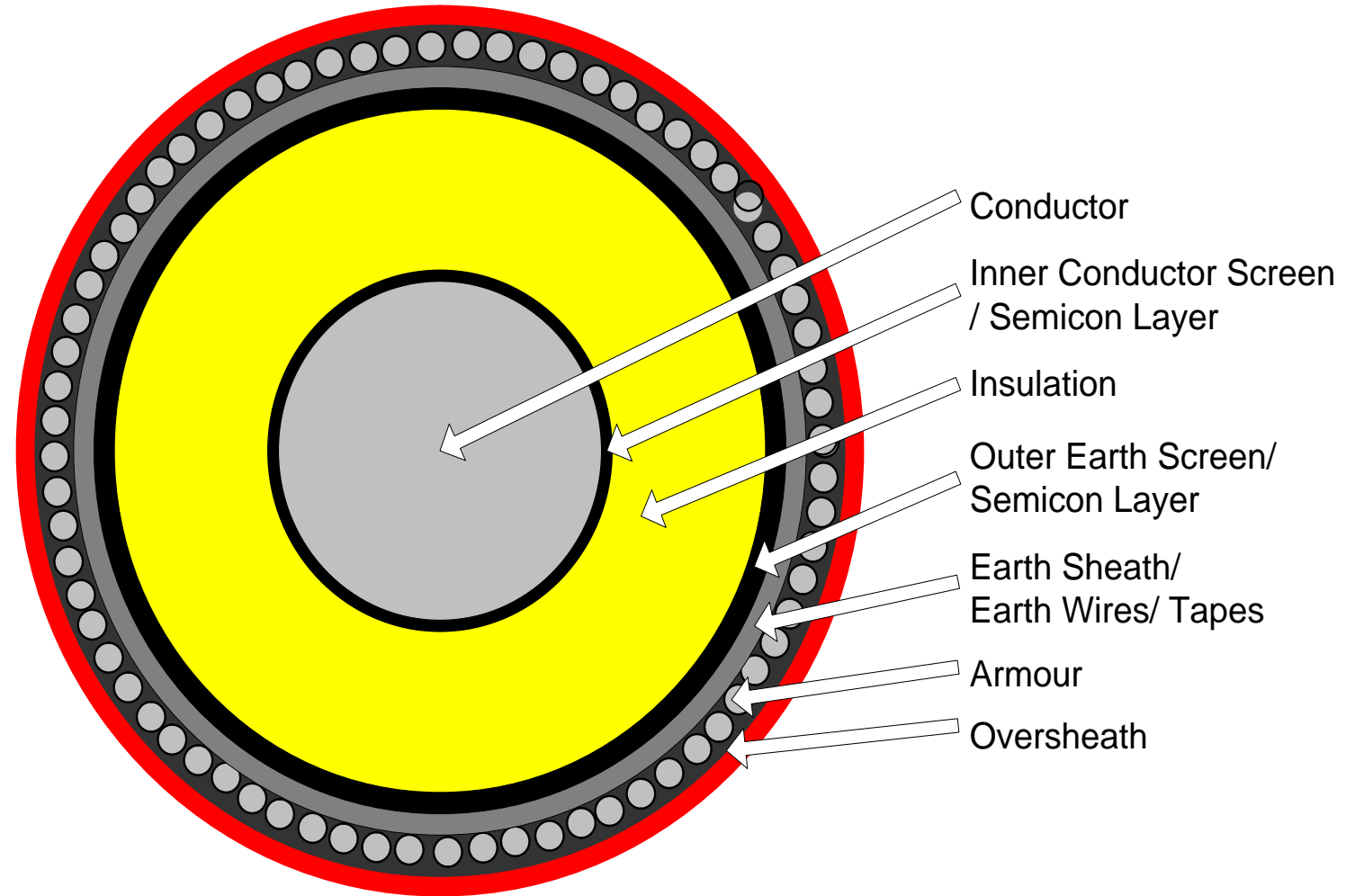
# Clamps, Dampers and Joints



← Overhead line Stockbridge damper



# Power Cable Components





# Power Cable Installation

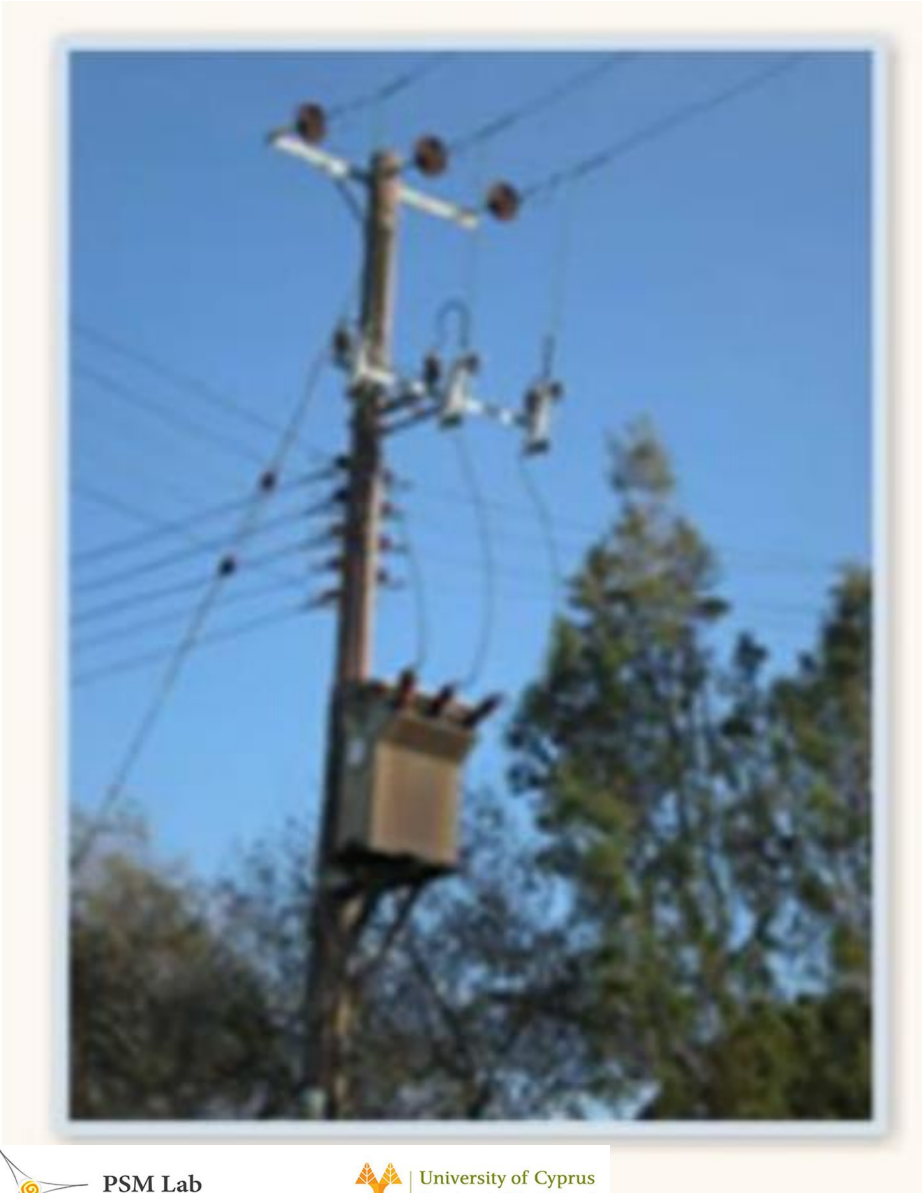




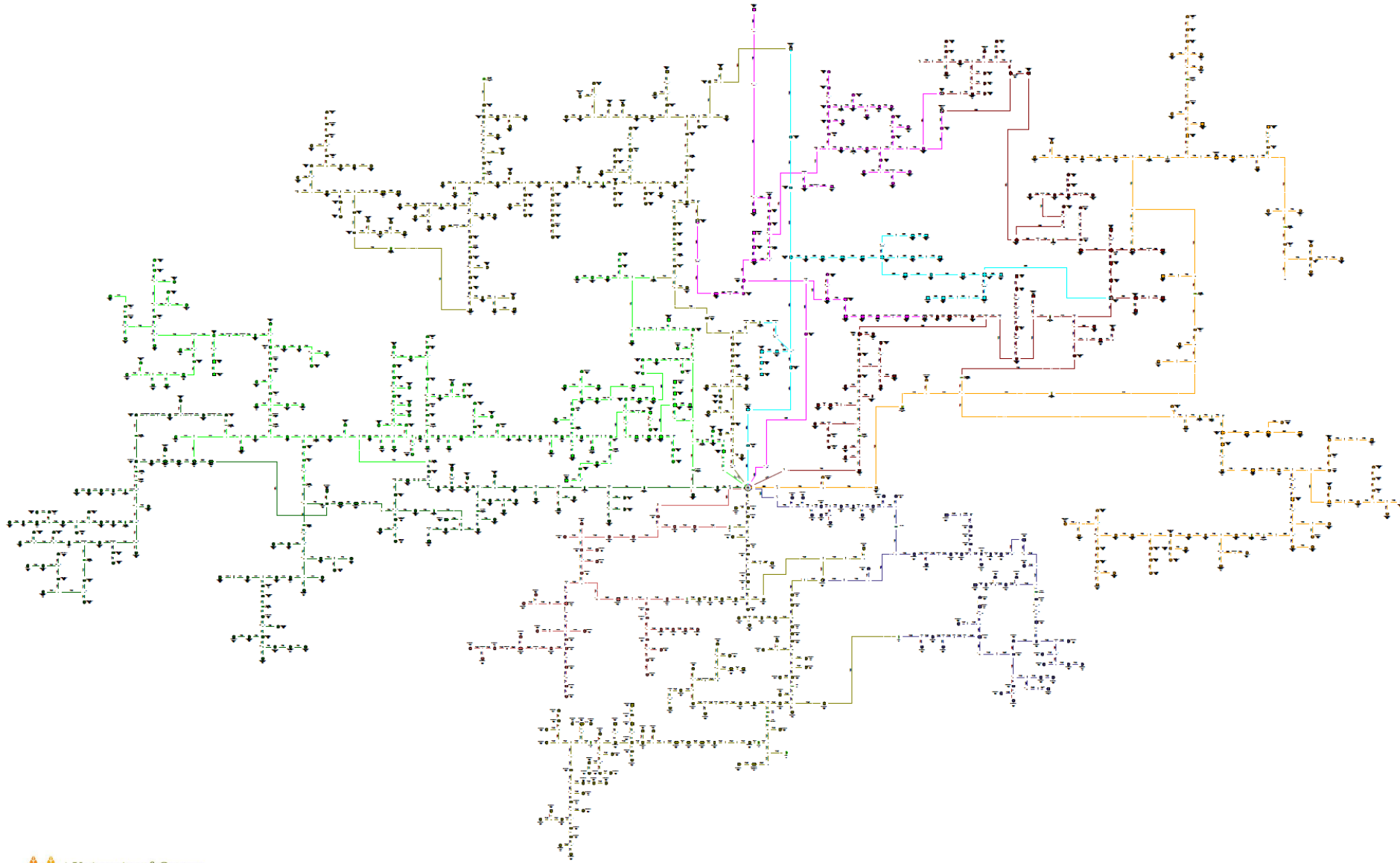
# OHL Vs. Cables

Disadvantages	Advantages
More expensive than an equivalent overhead line circuit (especially at EHV levels)	No visual impact except that which occurs during installation
The time to repair a cable fault is generally longer than the time to repair an overhead line fault (fault location, excavation and jointing can take time)	Provide relatively reliable circuits as they are not exposed to lightning or affected by wind borne debris
Difficulty relating to installation in already crowded rights of way	Protected from vandalism

# Distribution – Medium voltage (11 kV to 0.4 kV )



# Example of MV network at ALAMBRA – DIgSILENT model

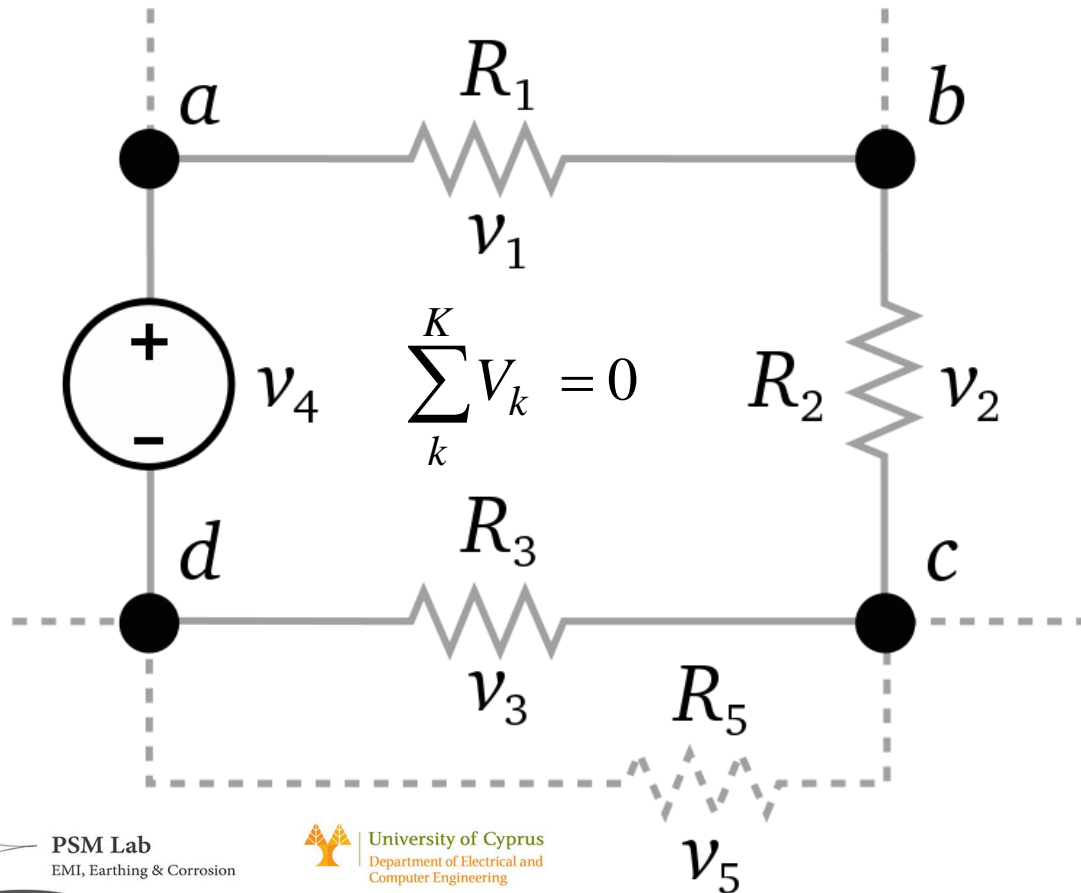




# KVL and KCL

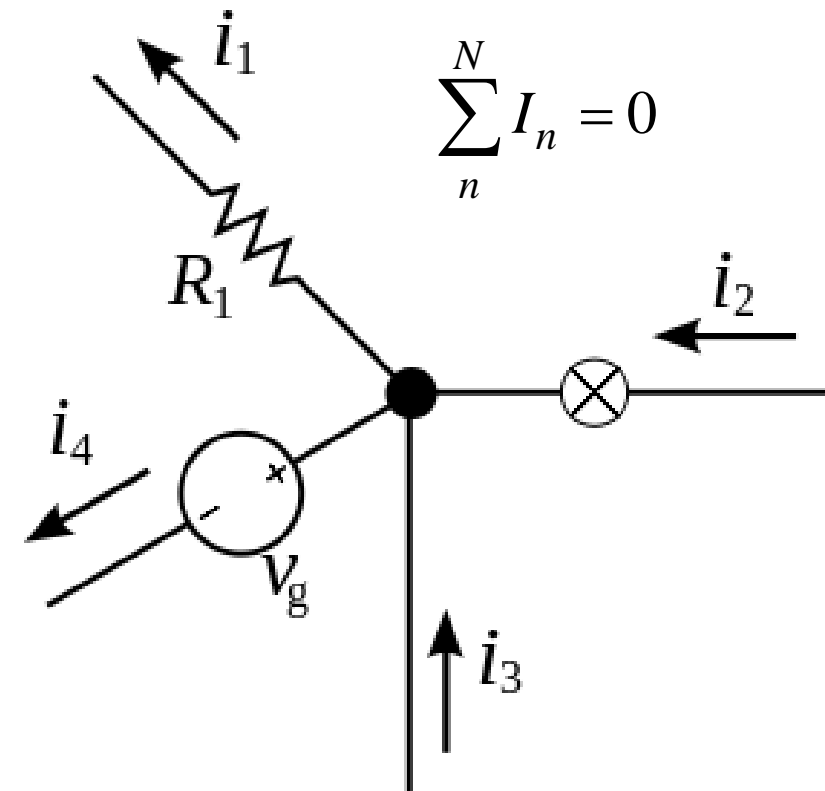
KVL:

*The directed sum of the electrical potential differences (voltage) around any closed loop is zero*

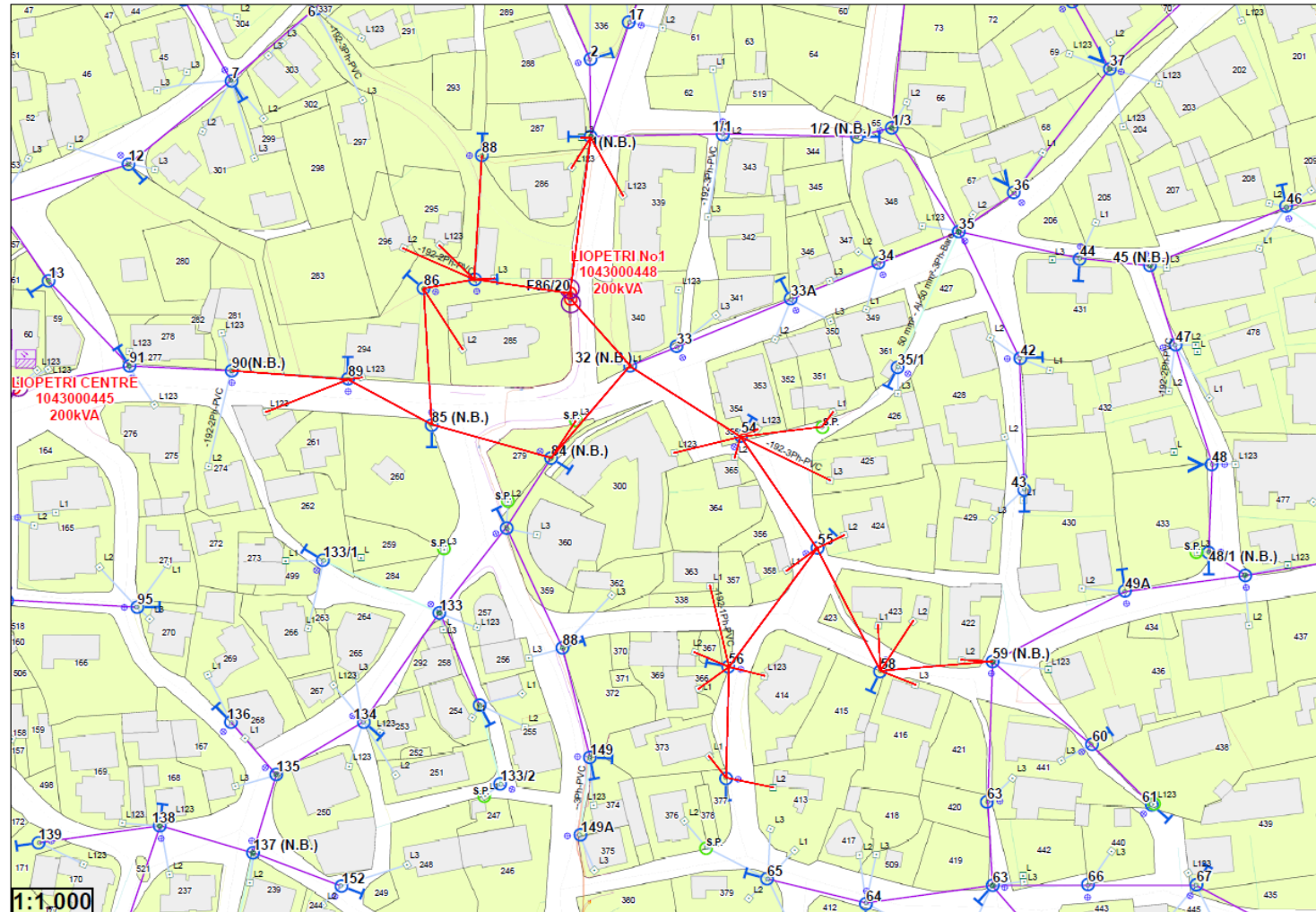


KCL:

*The algebraic sum of currents in a network of conductors meeting at a node is zero*



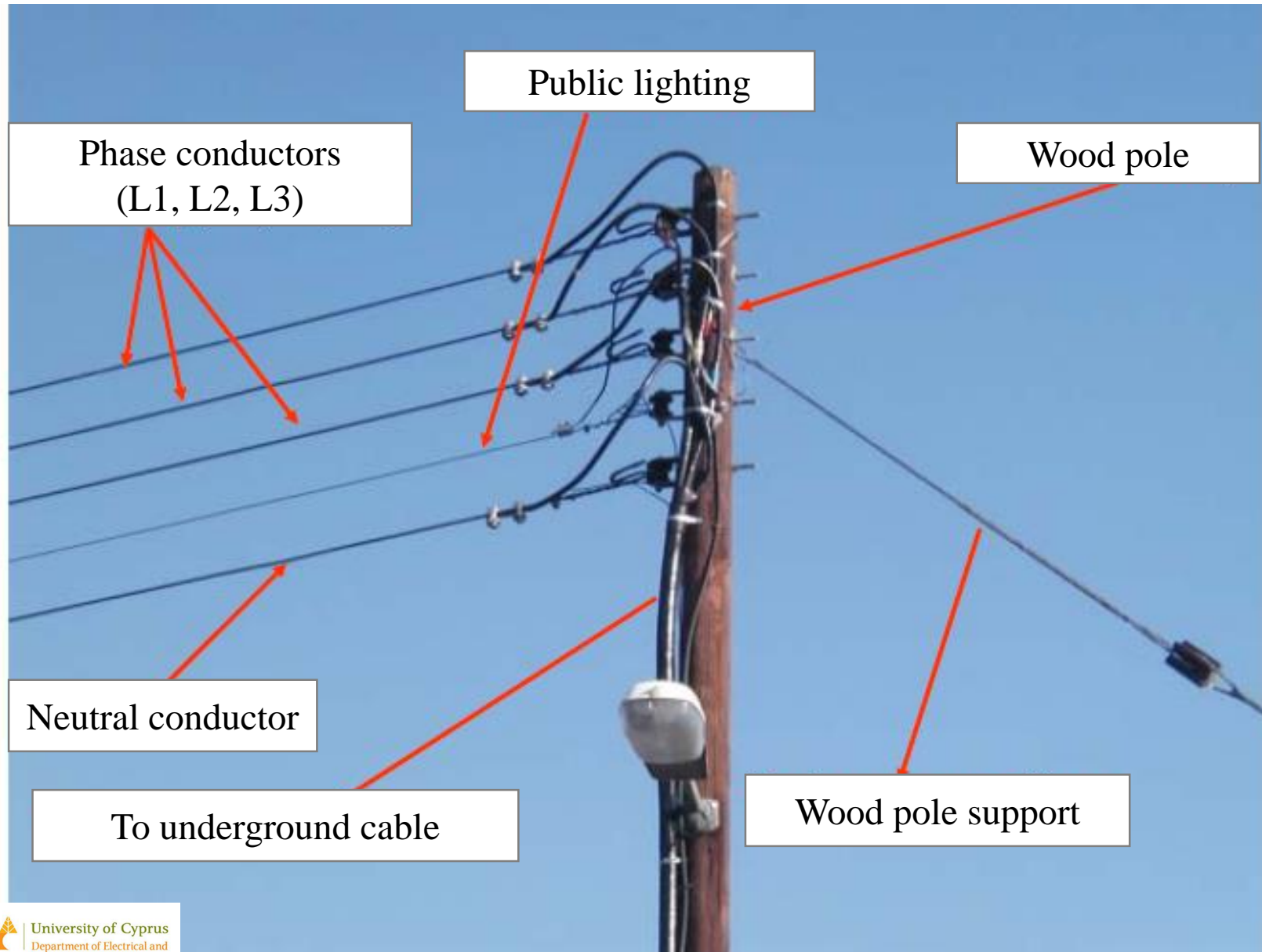
# Example of LV network at Liopetri Centre – ArcGIS



Service points	26
Total number of customers	52
Residential customers	23
Commercial customers	29

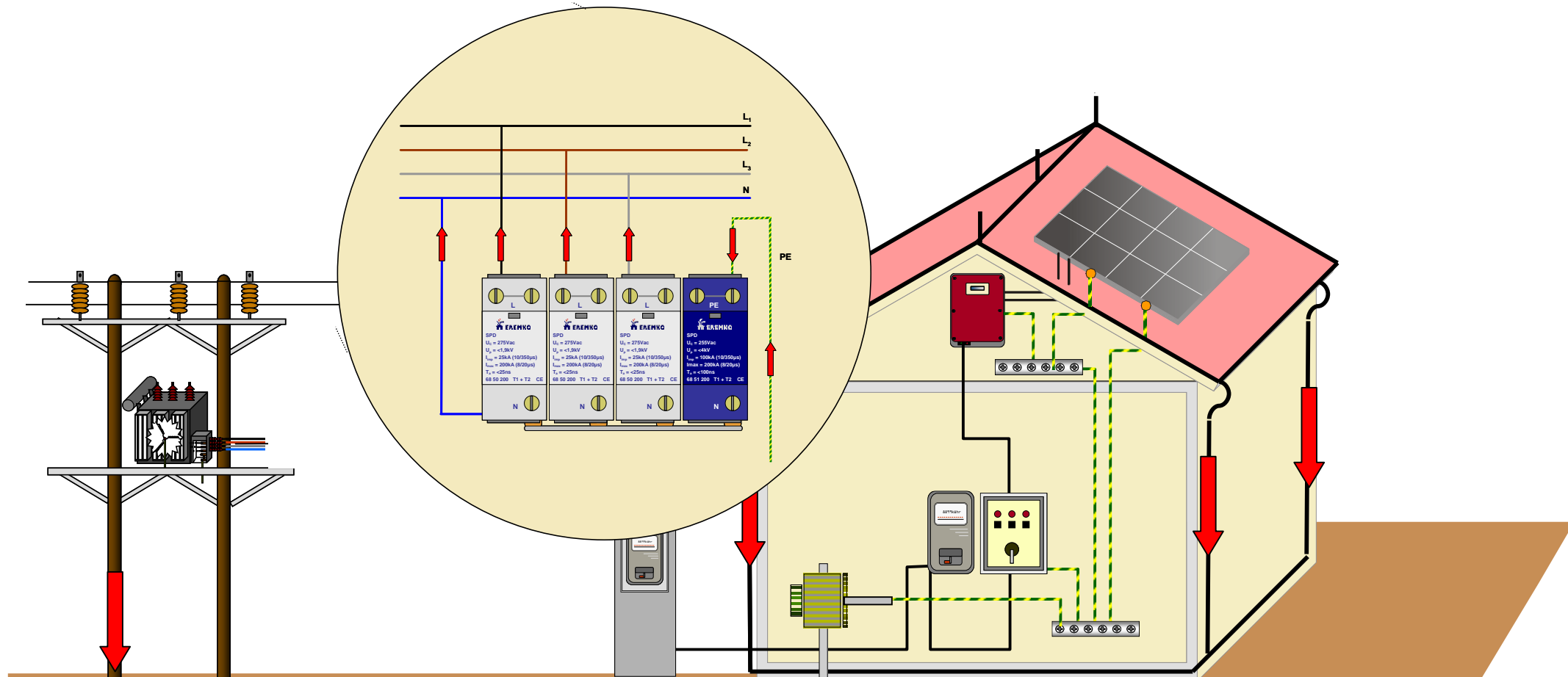
✓ ArcGIS software (available to EAC) is used as a very effective off-line tool that can facilitate the visualization of LV networks (that are not monitored on a real-time basis)

# Distribution – Low voltage (<1 kV)





# Electricity Supply at Domestic Level

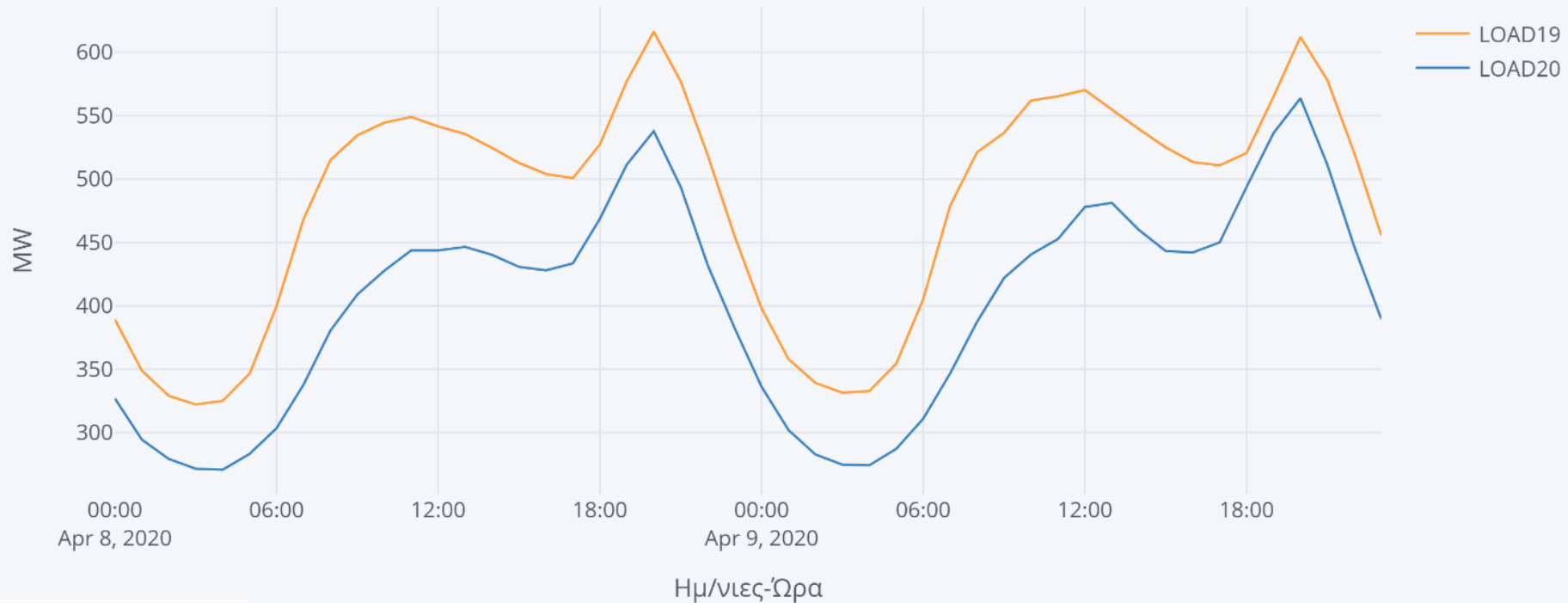


# Auxiliary slides – Energy consumption and profiles

Η επίδραση του κορονοϊού στην ενεργειακή συμπεριφορά των Κυπρίων

<https://www.cut.ac.cy/news/article/?contentId=254240>

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