



Plenary Talk

Moving towards new energy era

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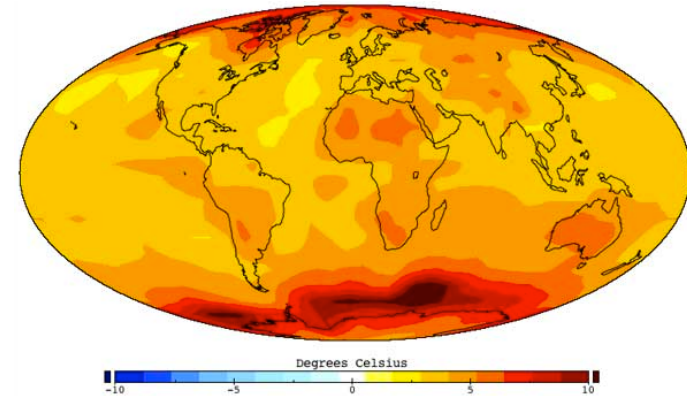
- **EU energy strategy - 2020, 2030, 2050**
- **Challenges in electricity markets**
- **Modeling for optimum large scale integration of RES**
- **Sustainable energy strategies for UAE**

EU energy strategy

2020, 2030, 2050

Future energy systems

- **Climate change**

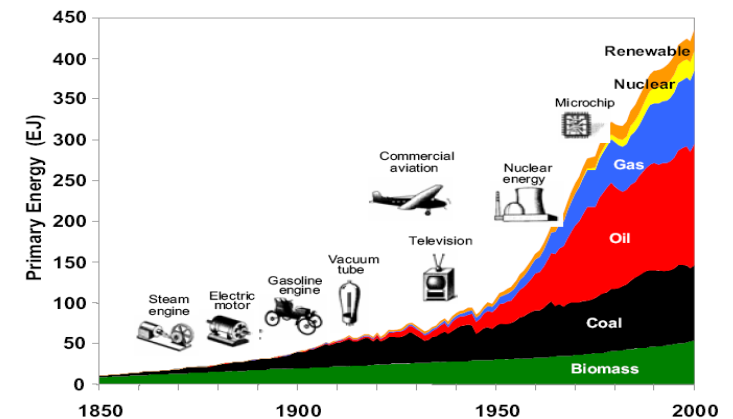


- **Third industrial revolution**

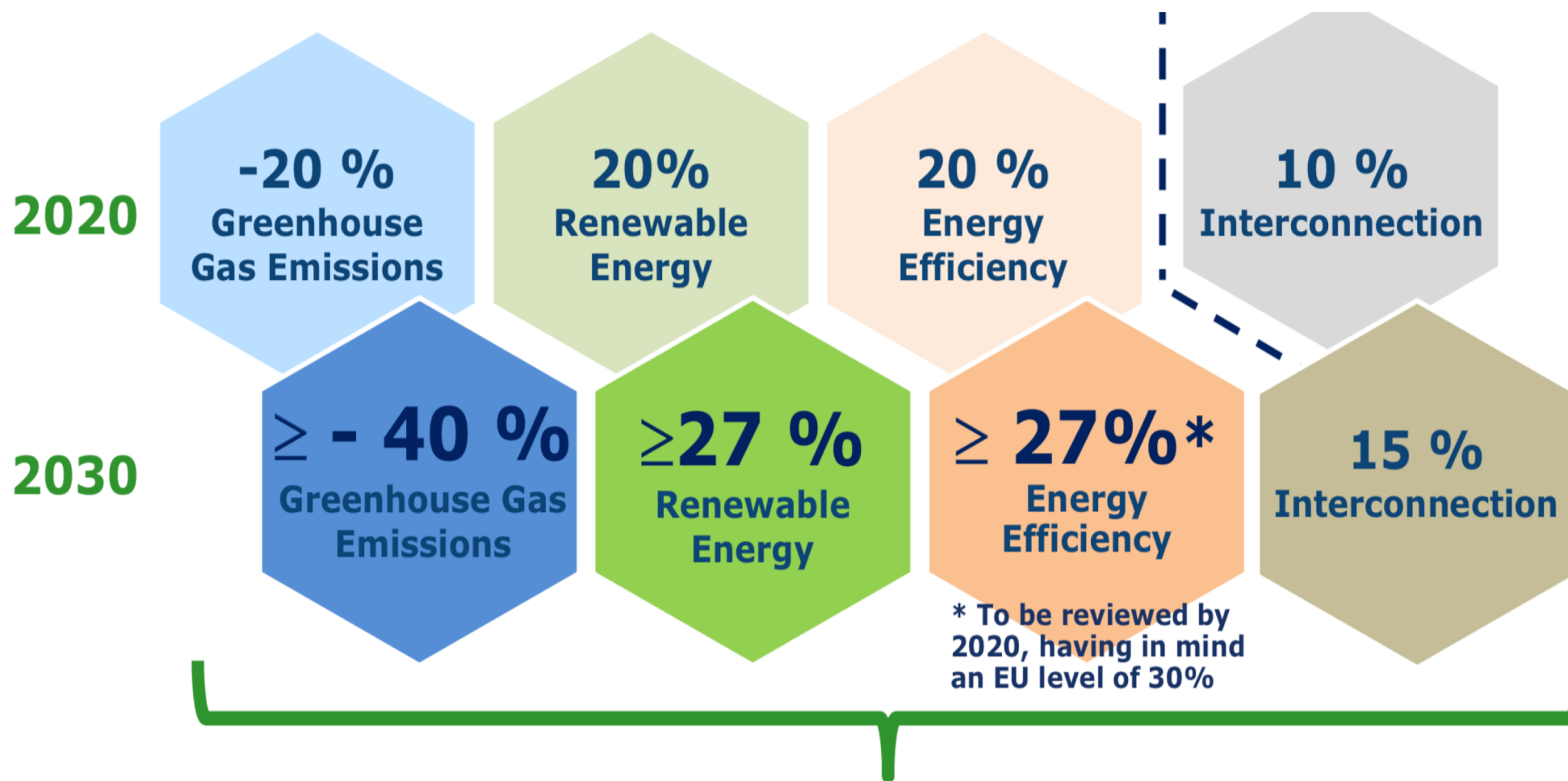
- **Future energy economics**

EU energy objectives

- **greenhouse gas reduction**
- **sustainable production and consumption**
- **competition in electricity and natural gas markets**
- **security of supply**



EU medium and long term targets



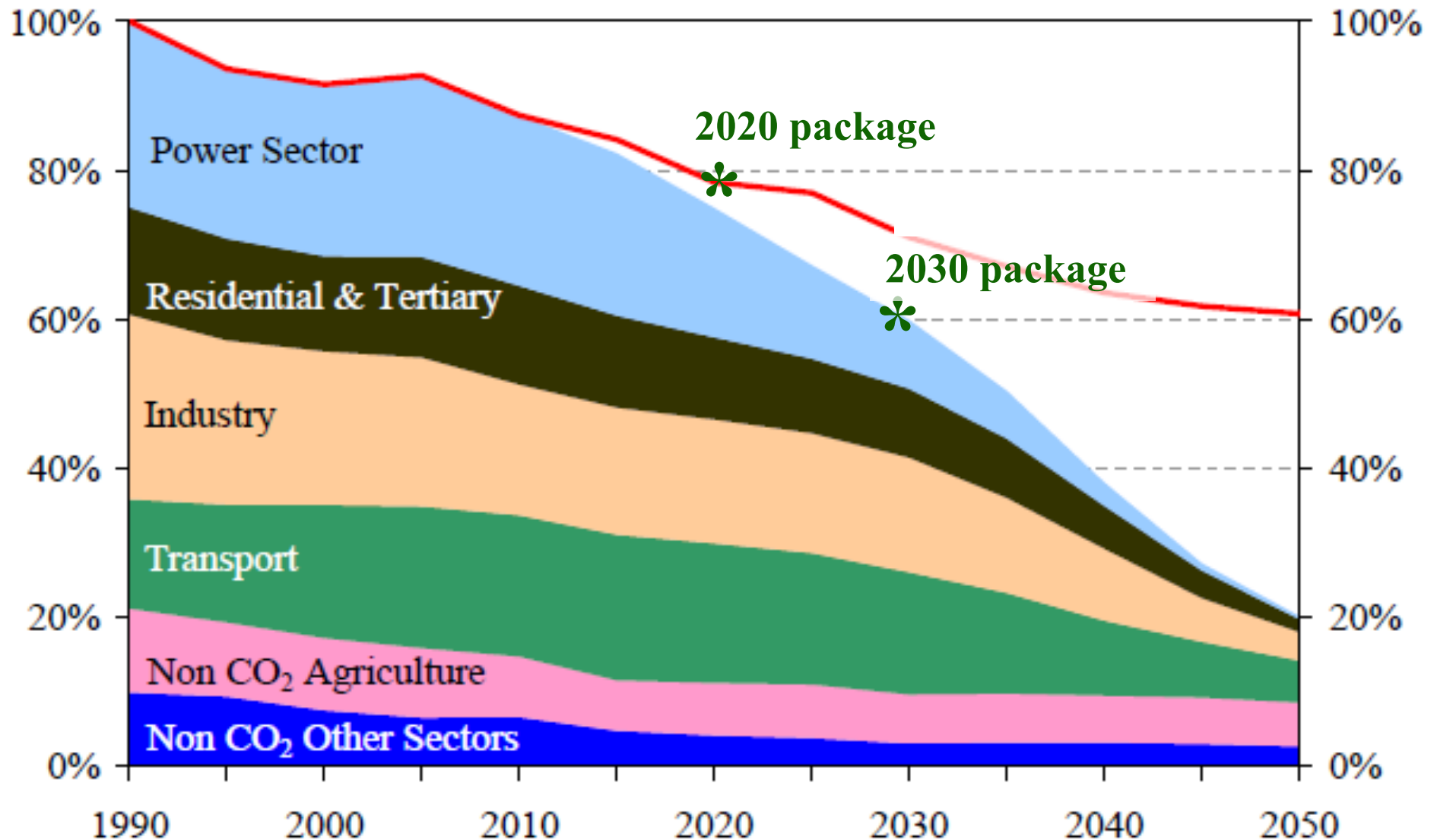
New governance system + indicators

2050

-80%

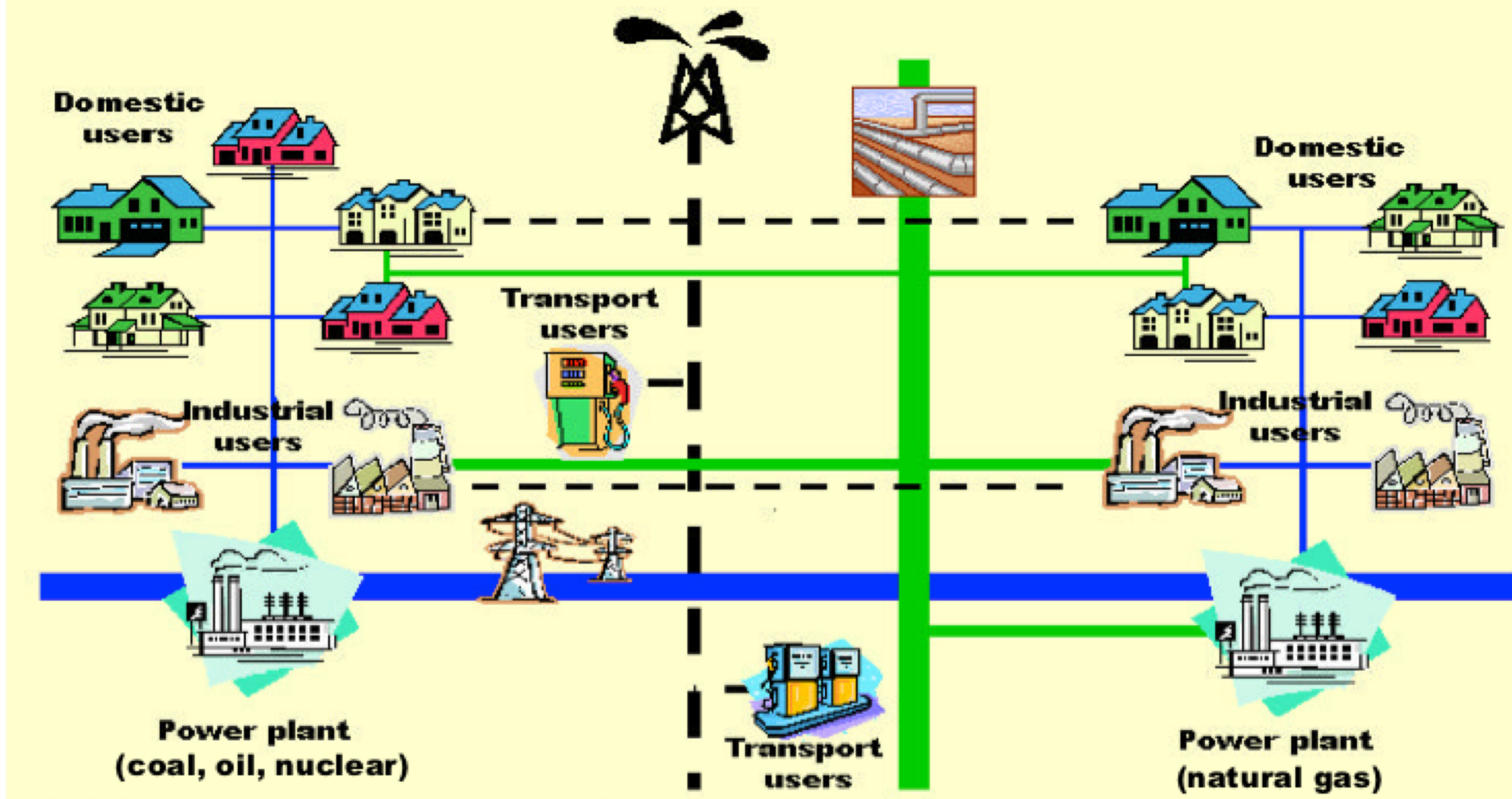
Greenhouse Gas Emissions

EU reduction in greenhouse gas emissions



Current energy system

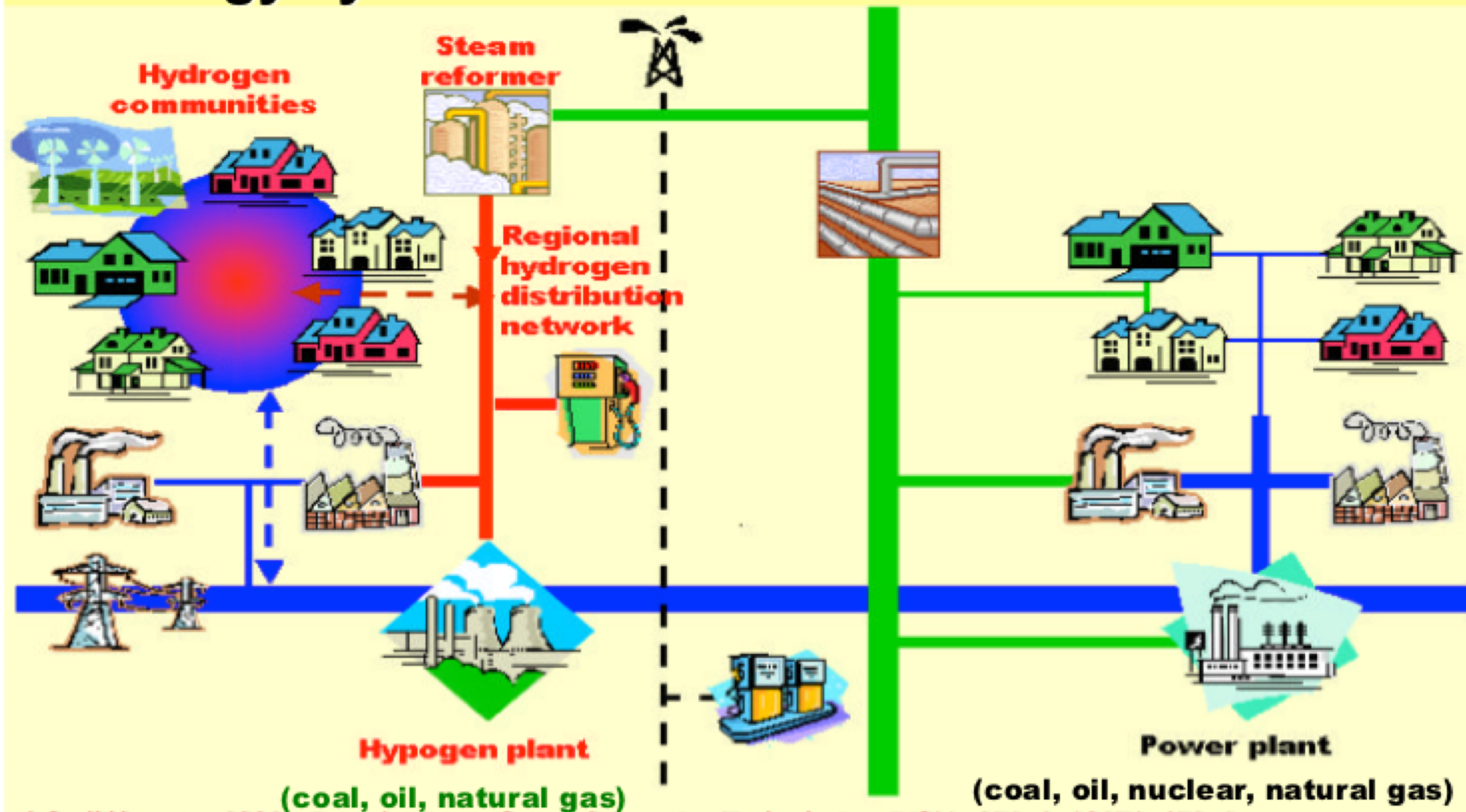
EU energy system today*



* Poulikkas A., 2009, *Introduction to Power Generation Technologies*, ISBN: 978-1-60876-472-3

Future energy systems (optimistic scenario)

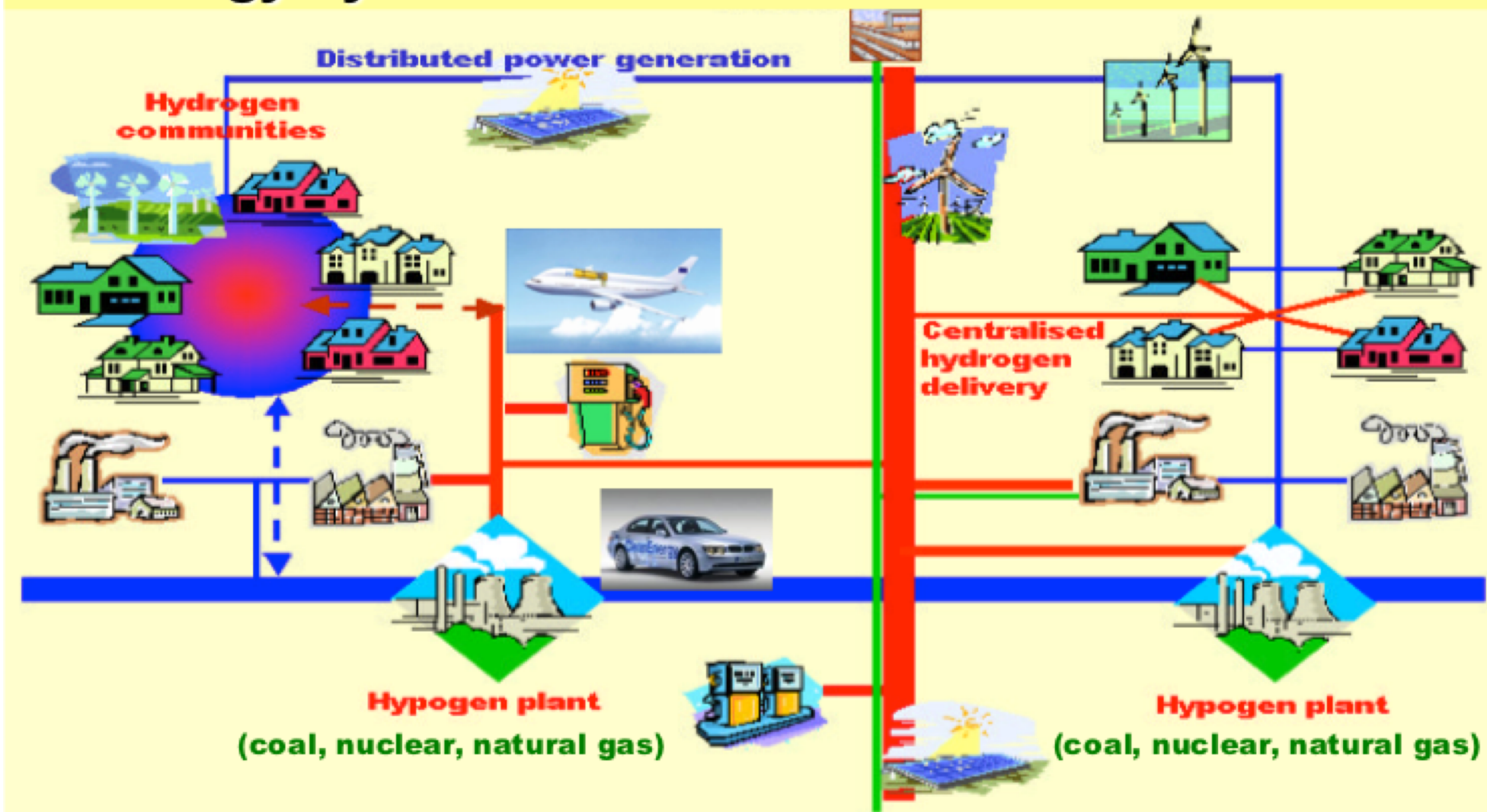
EU energy system in 2020-30*



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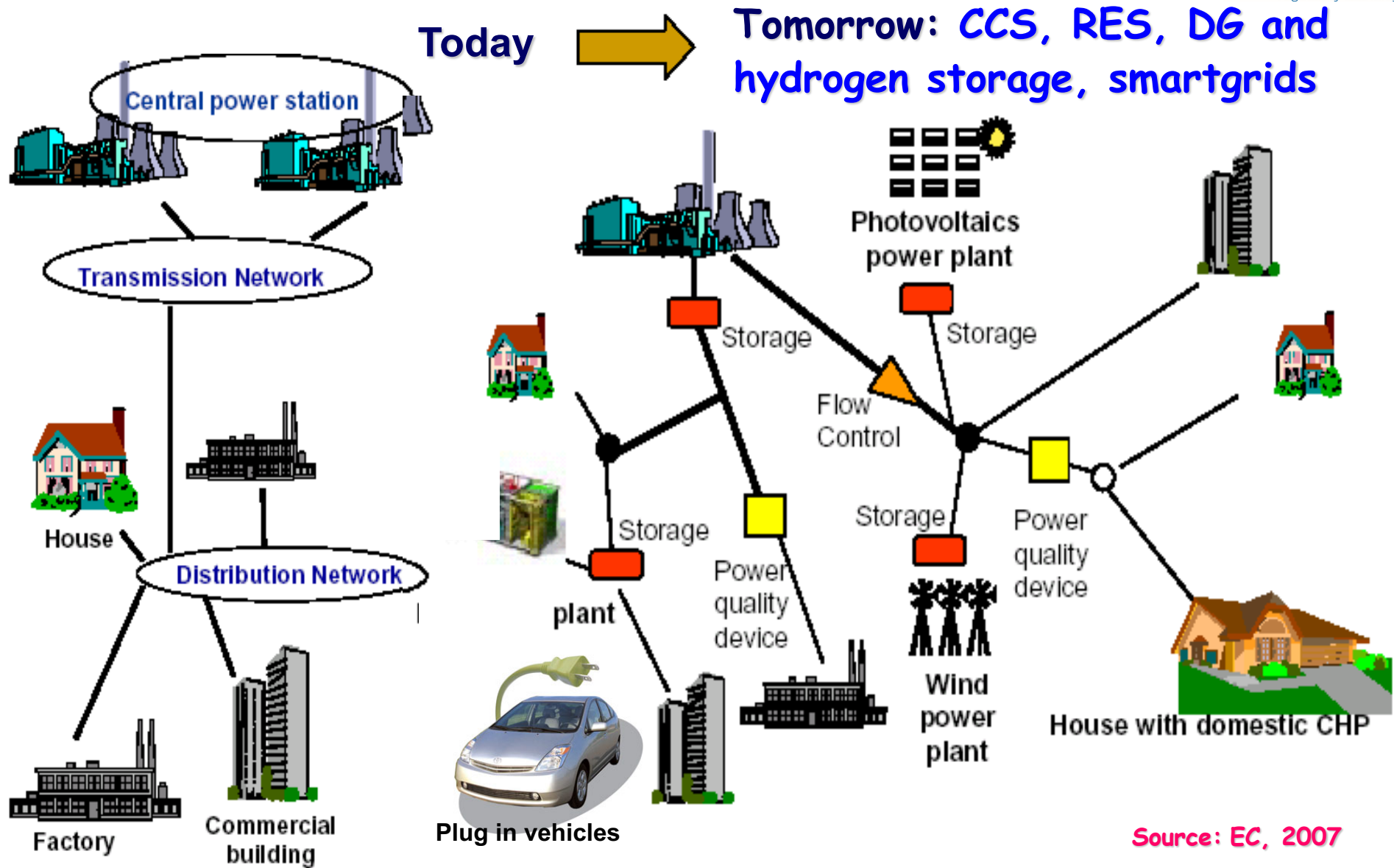
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EU energy system in 2040-50*



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Future power systems



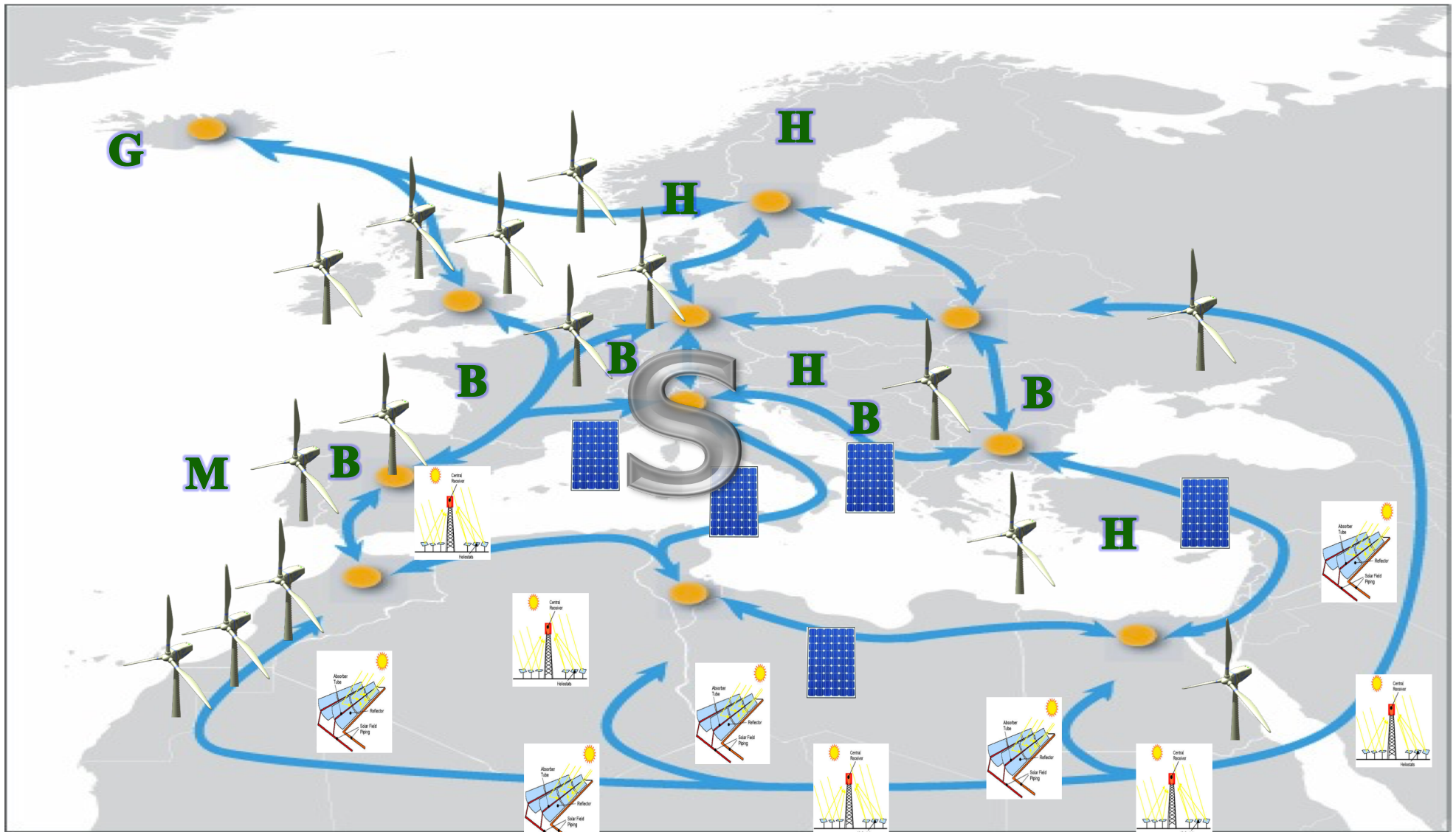
Source: EC, 2007

End goal – the smart future



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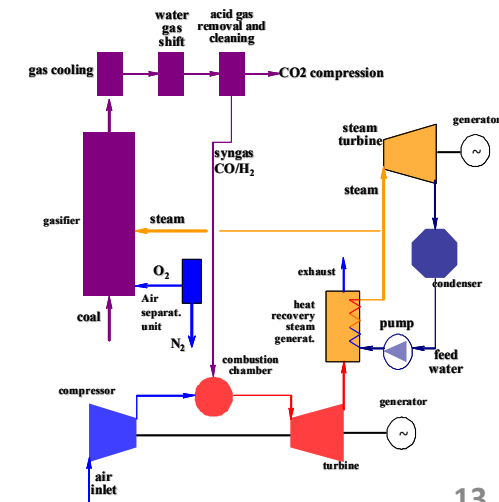
The Super Smart Grid after 2050* (may allow for 100% RES)



* Poulikkas A., 2013, *Sustainable Energy Development for Cyprus*, ISBN: 978-9963-7355-3-2

Long term EU energy strategy (2050)

- A vision of carbon free EU
- Main ingredients of future sustainable energy systems:
 - Large scale integration of renewable energy sources
 - Distributed generation
 - Carbon capture and storage
 - Smartgrids
 - Electric vehicles
 - Storage devices
 - Hydrogen



Need to develop advanced simulation tools, new sustainable technologies and infrastructure !!

Challenges in electricity markets

Electricity market complexities*

- **Energy market**
- **Power market (flow of energy)**
- **Ancillary services market**
 - **Reserve (spinning, cold, primary, etc.)**
 - **Voltage regulation**
 - **Frequency regulation, etc.**

* Poullikkas A., 2016, *Fundamentals of Energy Regulation*, ISBN: 978-9963-7355-8-7

Electricity markets current issues

- **Electricity markets open to competition**
 - Increase in technologies efficiency
 - Reduce energy generation costs
- **Protection of the environment**
 - Reduce primary emissions
 - Reduce greenhouse gas emissions
 - Develop alternative technologies

Electricity market functions

- **Generation** (competition)



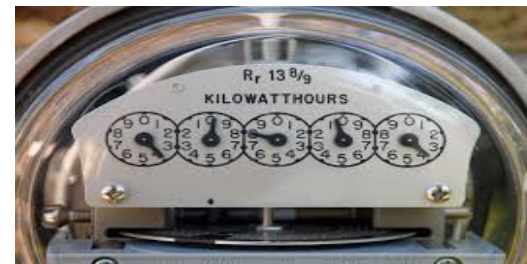
- **Transmission** (monopoly)



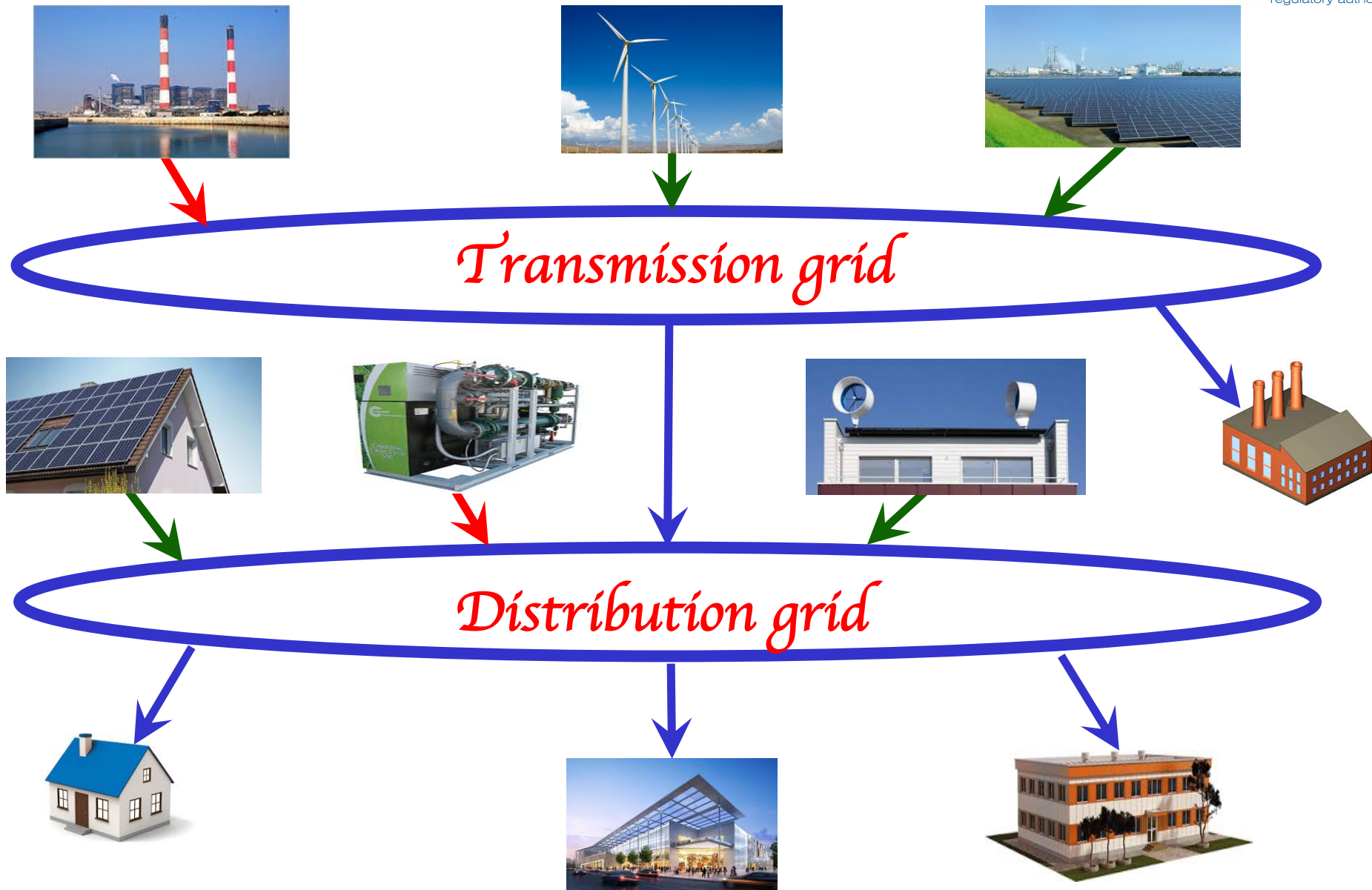
- **Distribution** (monopoly)



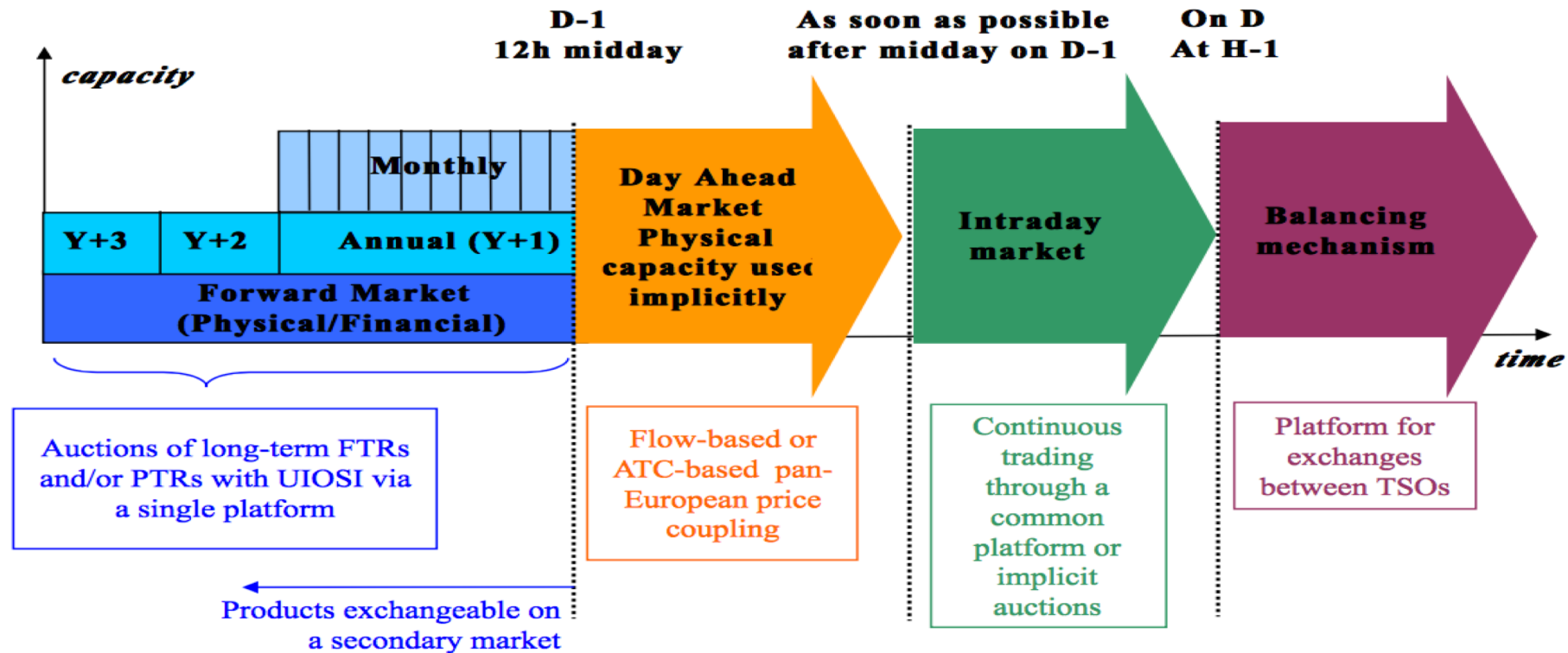
- **Supply** (competition)



Competition vs monopoly

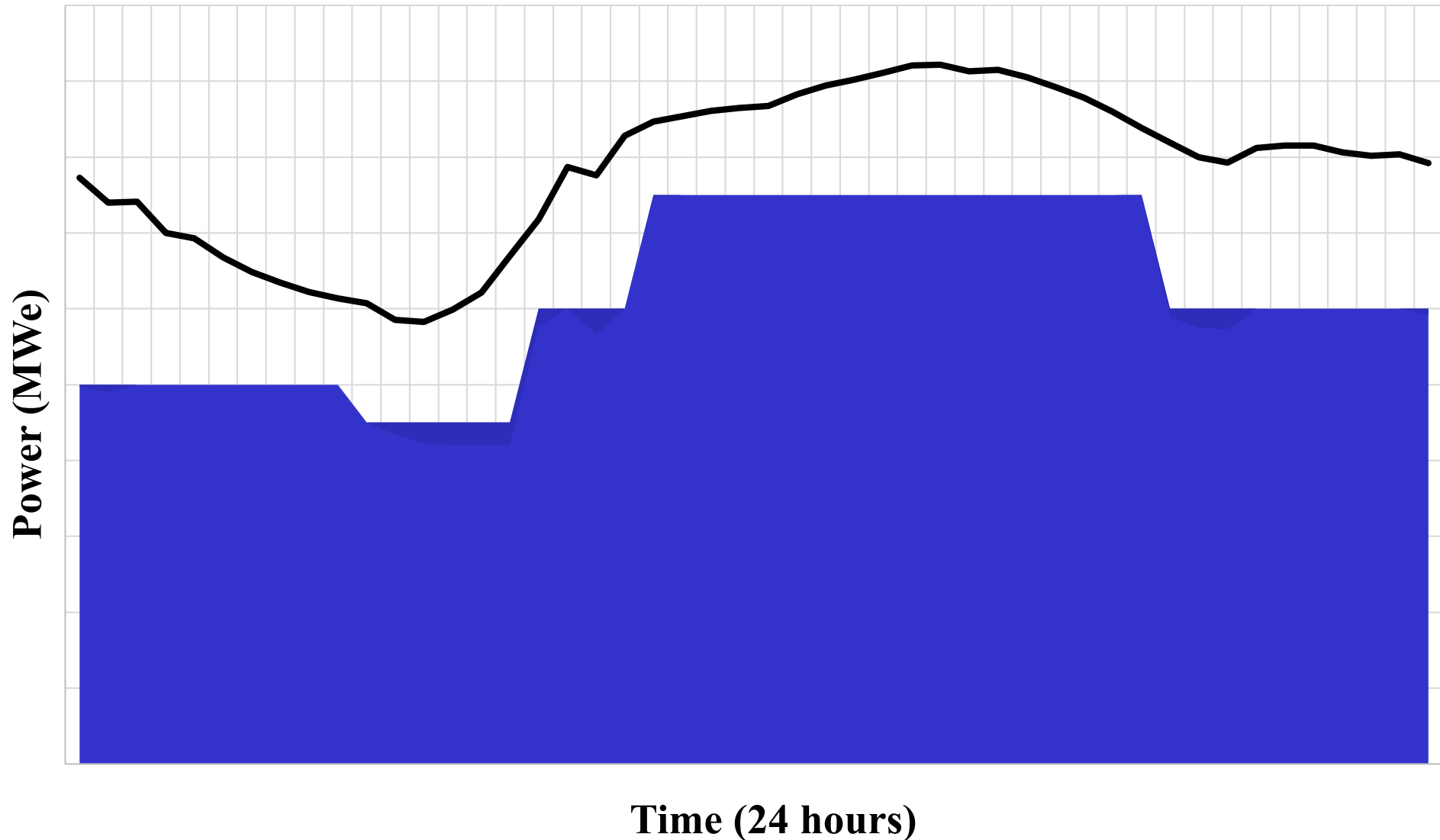


EU electricity market target model



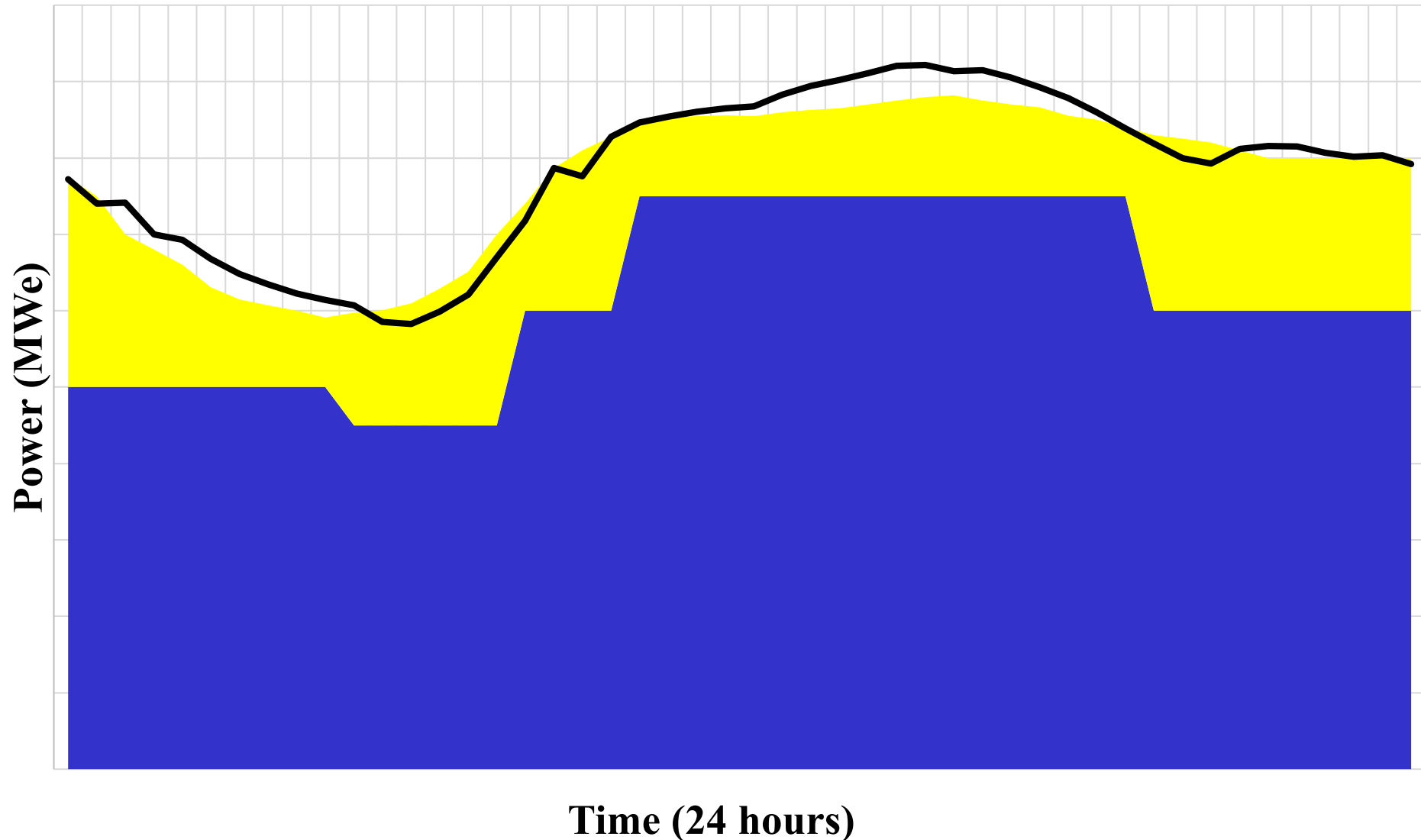
Electricity market operation

- Forward market



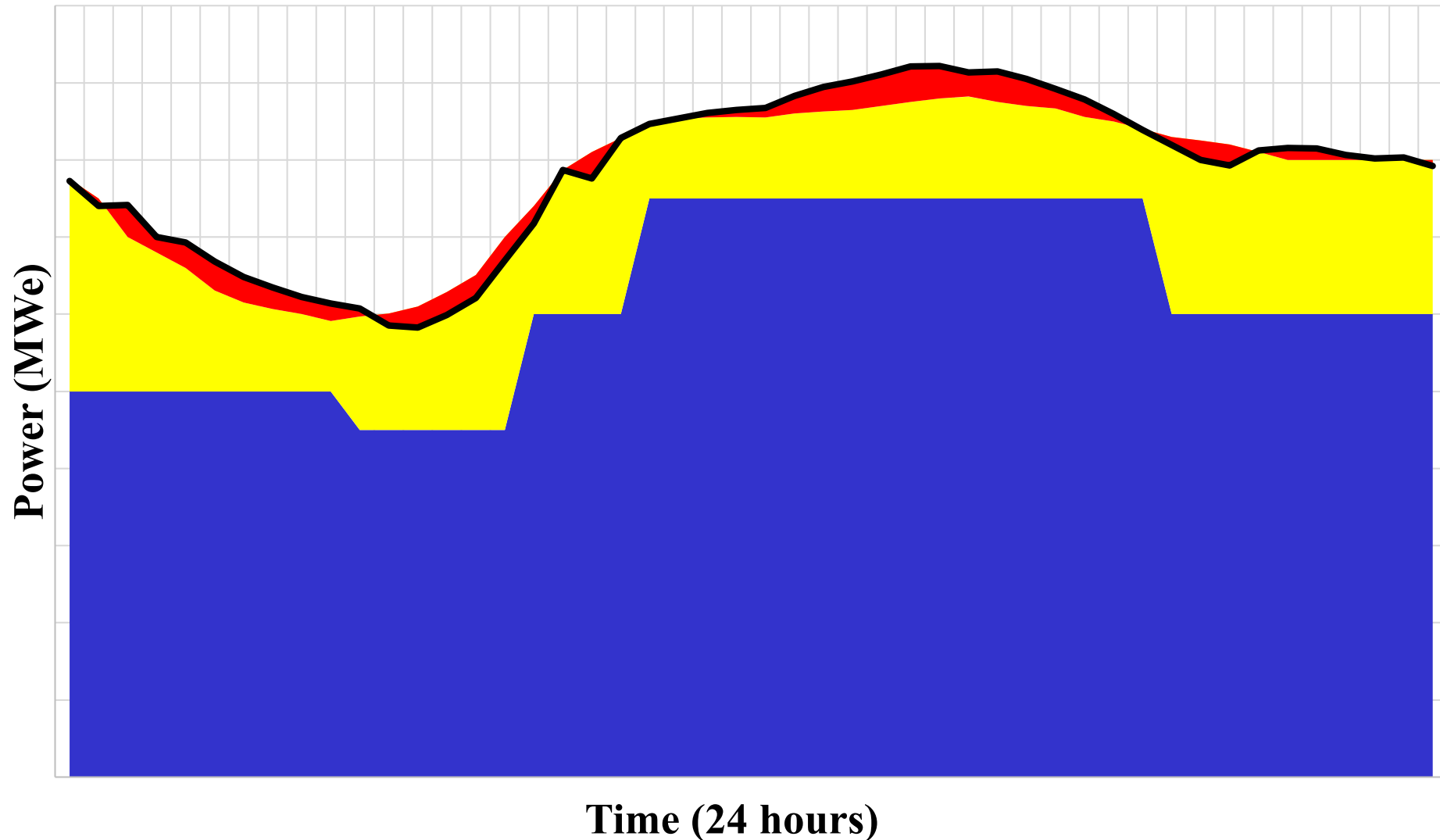
Electricity market operation

- Forward market + Day ahead market



Electricity market operation

- Forward market + Day ahead market + Balancing market



Modeling for optimum large scale integration of RES

The problem

The need

- **Large scale integration of RES**
 - **e.g., EU RES targets by 2020, 2030**

Main objective

- **Assessment of the increase (or benefit) in the cost of electricity of a given power generation system at different RES-E penetration levels**

Model capabilities

- Use of unit commitment algorithms
- Energy mix
- Cost or benefit in the cost of electricity
- Price of feed in tariffs
- Green tax

Important factors

- **Fuel avoidance cost:** by increasing RES-E penetration fuel consumption reduced
- **CO₂ avoidance cost:** by increasing RES-E penetration CO₂ emissions reduced
- **Conventional power system operating cost:** by increasing RES-E penetration the conventional power system operating cost is increased due to the increased requirements of conventional reserve capacity

Objective function*

- **Minimizing total cost**

$$\min C = \min \sum_{i=1}^n x_i (c_i)$$

- **satisfy constraints**

$$P_{D(t)} = \sum_i I_{(i,t)} P_{(i,t)}$$

$$P_{g,\min(i)} \leq P_{(i,t)} \leq P_{g,\max(i)}$$

$$R_{O(t)} \leq \sum_i r_{o(i,t)} I_{(i,t)} \quad r_{o(i,t)} = \begin{cases} q_i, & \text{if unit } i \text{ is OFF} \\ r_{s(i,t)}, & \text{if unit } i \text{ is ON} \end{cases}$$

$$R_{S(t)} \leq \sum_i r_{s(i,t)} I_{(i,t)} \quad r_{s(i,t)} = \min[10MSR_i, P_{g,\max(i)} - P_{(i,t)}]$$

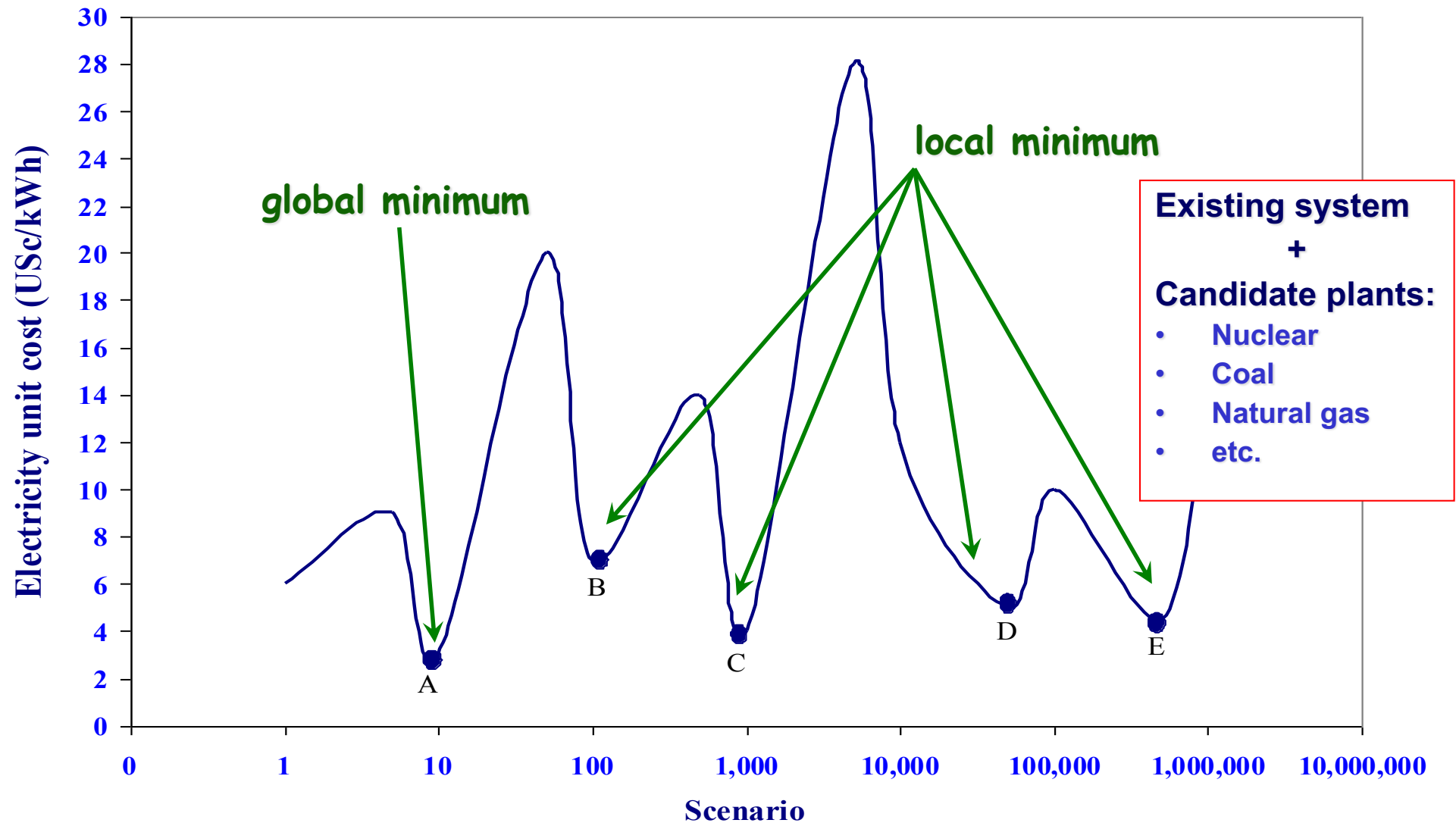
$$\sum_i \sum_t C_{ei} [P_{(i,t)} I_{(i,t)}] + S_{e(i,t)} \leq E_{\max}$$

$$-P_{km}^{\max} \leq P_{km(t)} = f[\mathbf{B}_{(t)}, \varphi_{(t)}] \leq P_{km}^{\max}$$

- **Load demand**
- **Unit capacity**
- **Available capacity**
- **Reserve margin**
- **Spinning reserve**
- **Fuel constraints**
- **Environmental constraints**
- **Power transmission constraints, etc**

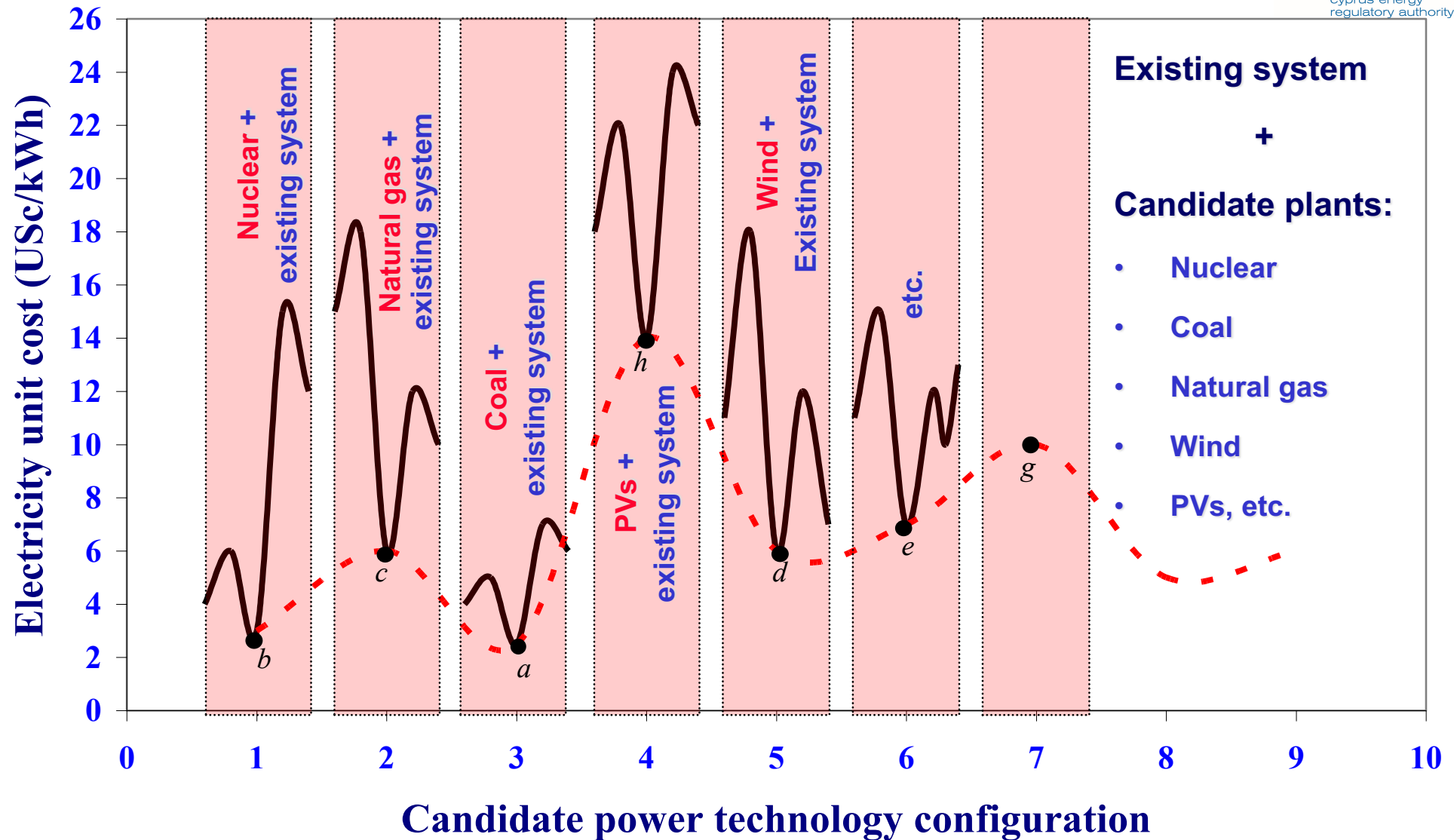
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Typical shape of objective function*



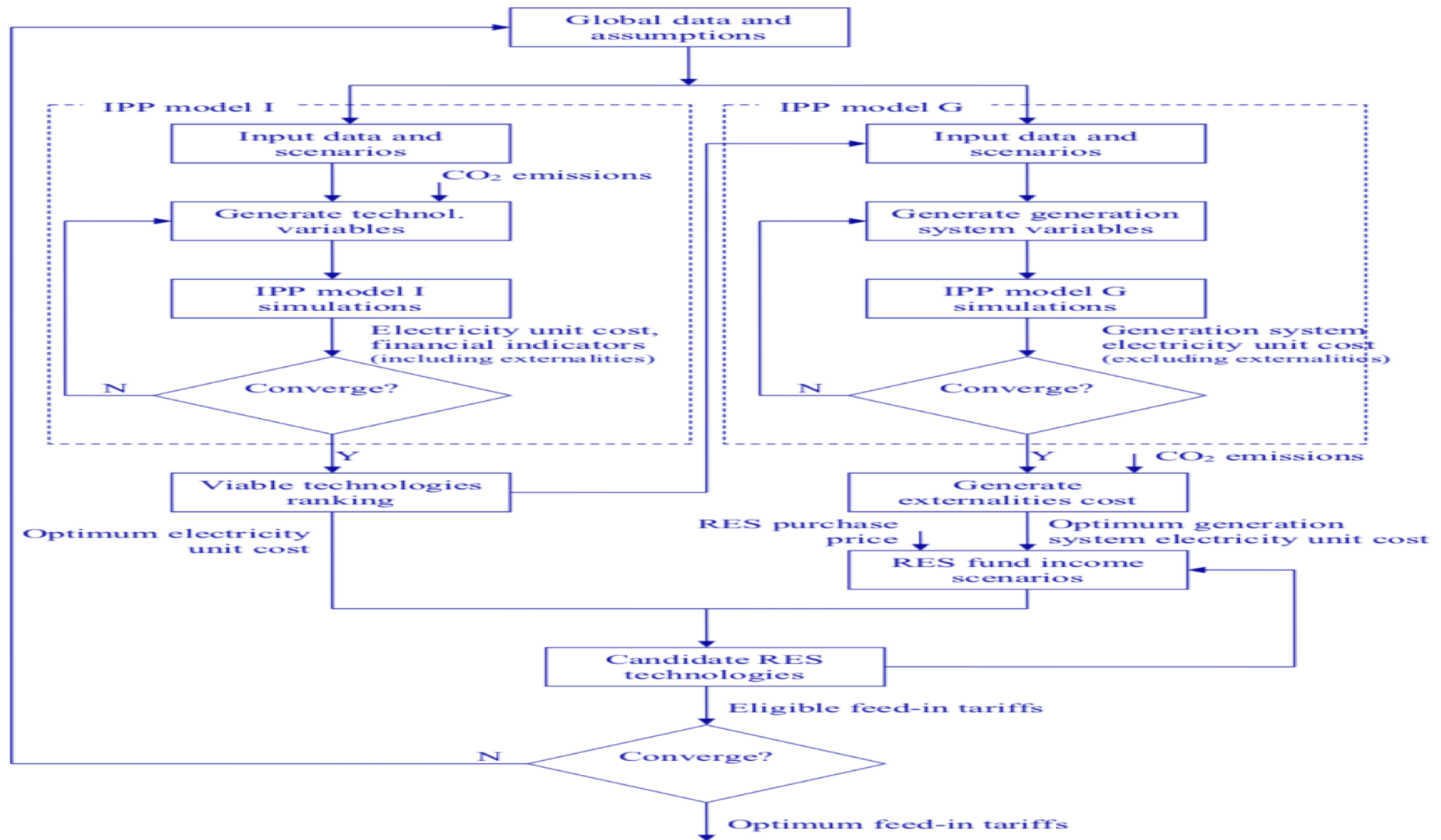
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Decouple optimization technique*



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Optimization model*



* Poullikkas A., Kourtis G., Hadjipaschalis I., 2011, "A hybrid model for the optimum integration of renewable technologies in power generation systems", *Energy Policy*.

Decoupled objective function*

$$\min\left(\frac{\partial c}{\partial k}\right) = \min \left\{ \frac{\sum_{j=0}^N \left[\frac{\partial C_{Cj}}{\partial k} + \frac{\partial C_{Fj}}{\partial k} + \frac{\partial C_{OMFj}}{\partial k} + \frac{\partial C_{OMVj}}{\partial k} \right]}{(1+i)^j} \right\} \left\{ \sum_{j=0}^N \left[\frac{\partial P_j}{\partial k} \right] \right\}$$

Capital (\$) **Fuel (\$)** **Fixed O&M (\$)** **Variable O&M (\$)**

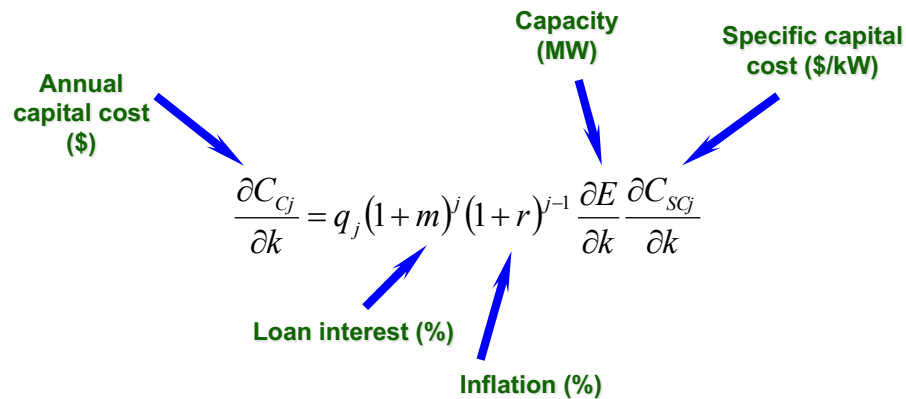
Electricity unit cost (\$c/kWh)

Energy (kWh)

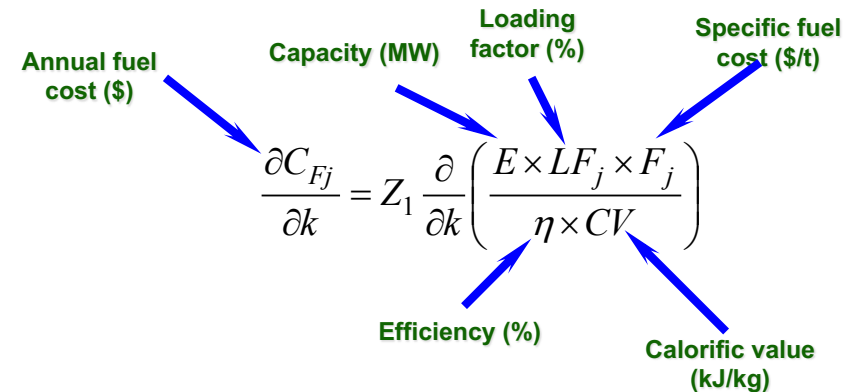
* Poulikkas A., IPP algorithm version 2.1, User manual, © 2000-2006.

Primary objective functions*

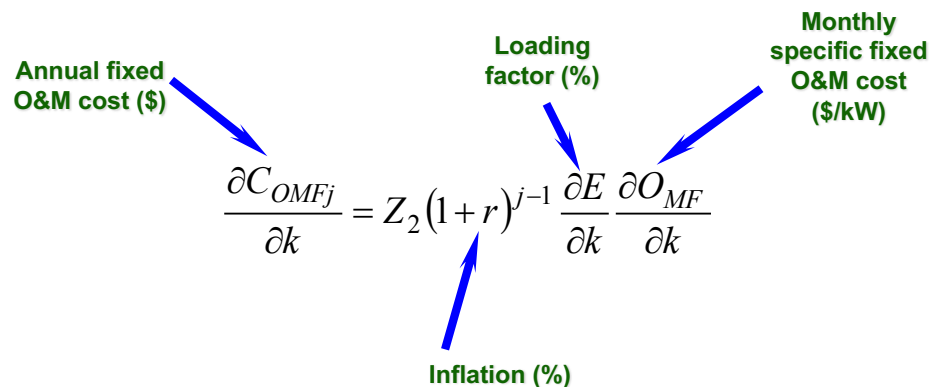
• Capital cost function*



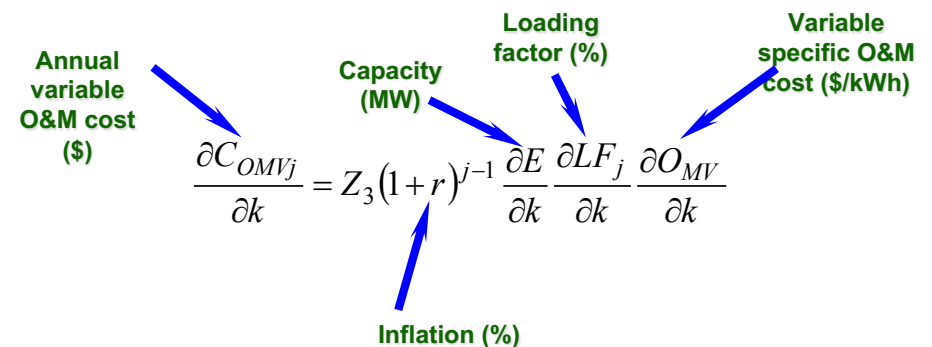
• Fuel cost function*



• Fixed O&M cost function*



• Variable O&M cost function*



* Poullikkas A., 2001, "A technology selection algorithm for independent power producers", *The Electricity Journal*.

Environmental indicator functions*

- SO₂, NO_x and dust environmental indicator function

$$\frac{\partial U_{w_j}}{\partial k} = \frac{\frac{\partial FI_j}{\partial k} \frac{\partial S_{w_j}}{\partial k} \frac{\partial G}{\partial k}}{1000}$$

Environmental indicator (g/kWh) points to $\frac{\partial U_{w_j}}{\partial k}$

Emission limit value (Nm³/kg) points to $\frac{\partial S_{w_j}}{\partial k}$

Exhaust gases specific volume (Nm³/kg) points to $\frac{\partial G}{\partial k}$

Fuel consumption indicator (kg/kWh) points to $\frac{\partial FI_j}{\partial k}$

$$\frac{\partial FI_j}{\partial k} = \frac{\partial}{\partial k} \left(\frac{360}{\eta \times CV} \right)$$

- CO₂ environmental indicator function*

$$\frac{\partial U_{CO_2,j}}{\partial k} = \frac{440}{12} \frac{\partial FI_j}{\partial k} \frac{\partial X}{\partial k} \frac{\partial X_o}{\partial k}$$

Environmental indicator (g/kWh) points to $\frac{\partial U_{CO_2,j}}{\partial k}$

Fuel carbon content (%) points to $\frac{\partial X}{\partial k}$

Oxidation factor (%) points to $\frac{\partial X_o}{\partial k}$

Fuel consumption indicator (kg/kWh) points to $\frac{\partial FI_j}{\partial k}$

$$\frac{\partial FI_j}{\partial k} = \frac{\partial}{\partial k} \left(\frac{360}{\eta \times CV} \right)$$

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CCS cost functions*

• CO₂ capture cost function

$$CCS_{capture} = \frac{\frac{\partial c}{\partial k} - \frac{\partial c}{\partial(k-1)}}{\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial k} \frac{\partial U_{CO_2}}{\partial k}}$$

CO₂ capture cost (US\$/tonne CO₂)
 Electricity unit cost of candidate technology with CCS (USc/kWh)
 Electricity unit cost of candidate technology without CCS (USc/kWh)
 CO₂ capture efficiency (%)
 CO₂ emissions of candidate technology with CCS (g/kWh)

• CO₂ avoidance cost function

$$CCS_{avoidance} = \frac{\frac{\partial c}{\partial k} - \frac{\partial c}{\partial(k-1)}}{\frac{\partial U_{CO_2}}{\partial(k-1)} - \left[\frac{\partial U_{CO_2}}{\partial k} \left(1 - \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial k} \right) \right]}$$

CO₂ avoidance cost (US\$/tonne CO₂)
 Electricity unit cost of candidate technology with CCS (USc/kWh)
 Electricity unit cost of candidate technology without CCS (USc/kWh)
 CO₂ emissions of candidate technology without CCS (g/kWh)
 CO₂ emissions of candidate technology with CCS (g/kWh)
 CO₂ capture efficiency (%)

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* Hadjipaschalis I., Christou C., Poullikkas A., 2007, “Assessment of future sustainable power technologies with carbon capture and storage”, *International Journal of Emerging Electric Power Systems*.

RES cost functions*

Wind functions*

$$\frac{\partial P}{\partial k} = \sum_{j=1}^N \left[\frac{\partial c_p}{\partial k} \frac{\partial n_m}{\partial k} \frac{\partial n_e}{\partial k} \frac{P_w}{\partial k} \right]$$

Production (kWh) → $\frac{\partial P}{\partial k}$

Coefficient of performance (%) → $\frac{\partial c_p}{\partial k}$

Efficiency (%) → $\frac{\partial n_e}{\partial k}$

Wind potential (kW) → $\frac{P_w}{\partial k}$

Efficiency (%) → $\frac{\partial n_m}{\partial k}$

PV functions**

$$\frac{\partial P}{\partial k} = \sum_{j=1}^N \left[\frac{\partial I_j}{\partial k} \frac{\partial A}{\partial k} \frac{\partial n}{\partial k} \right]$$

Production (kWh) → $\frac{\partial P}{\partial k}$

Solar potential (kWh/m²) → $\frac{\partial I_j}{\partial k}$

Efficiency (%) → $\frac{\partial n}{\partial k}$

Area (m²) → $\frac{\partial A}{\partial k}$

CSP functions***

$$\frac{\partial P}{\partial k} = \sum_{j=1}^N \left[\frac{\partial I_j}{\partial k} \frac{\partial A}{\partial k} \frac{\partial n_a}{\partial k} \frac{\partial n_s}{\partial k} \right]$$

Production (kWh) → $\frac{\partial P}{\partial k}$

Solar potential (kWh/m²) → $\frac{\partial I_j}{\partial k}$

Efficiency (%) → $\frac{\partial n_s}{\partial k}$

Area (m²) → $\frac{\partial A}{\partial k}$

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Minimisation procedure*

Set of equations*

$$\min c = \min \frac{\partial}{\partial k} \left[\begin{array}{c} \left(\frac{A_1 + A_2 + A_3 + A_4}{A_5} \right)_1 \\ \left(\frac{A_1 + A_2 + A_3 + A_4}{A_5} \right)_2 \\ \left(\frac{A_1 + A_2 + A_3 + A_4}{A_5} \right)_3 \\ \left(\frac{A_1 + A_2 + A_3 + A_4}{A_5} \right)_4 \\ \dots \\ \left(\frac{A_1 + A_2 + A_3 + A_4}{A_5} \right)_k \end{array} \right]$$

← Candidate technology 1 + existing system
 ← Candidate technology 2 + existing system
 ← Candidate technology 3 + existing system
 ← Candidate technology 4 + existing system

 ← Candidate technology k + existing system

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Sustainable energy strategies for UAE

Main objective

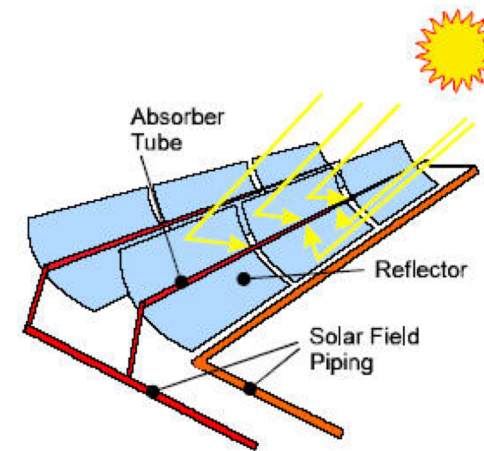
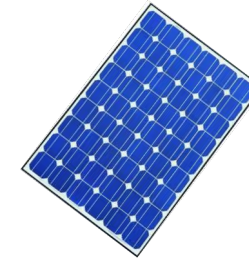
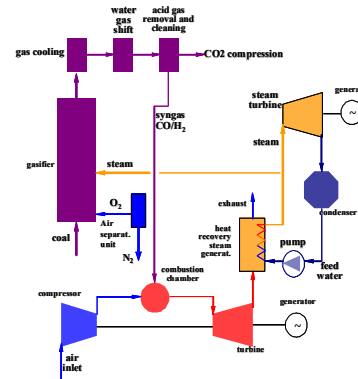
Investigate the viability of

sustainable technologies

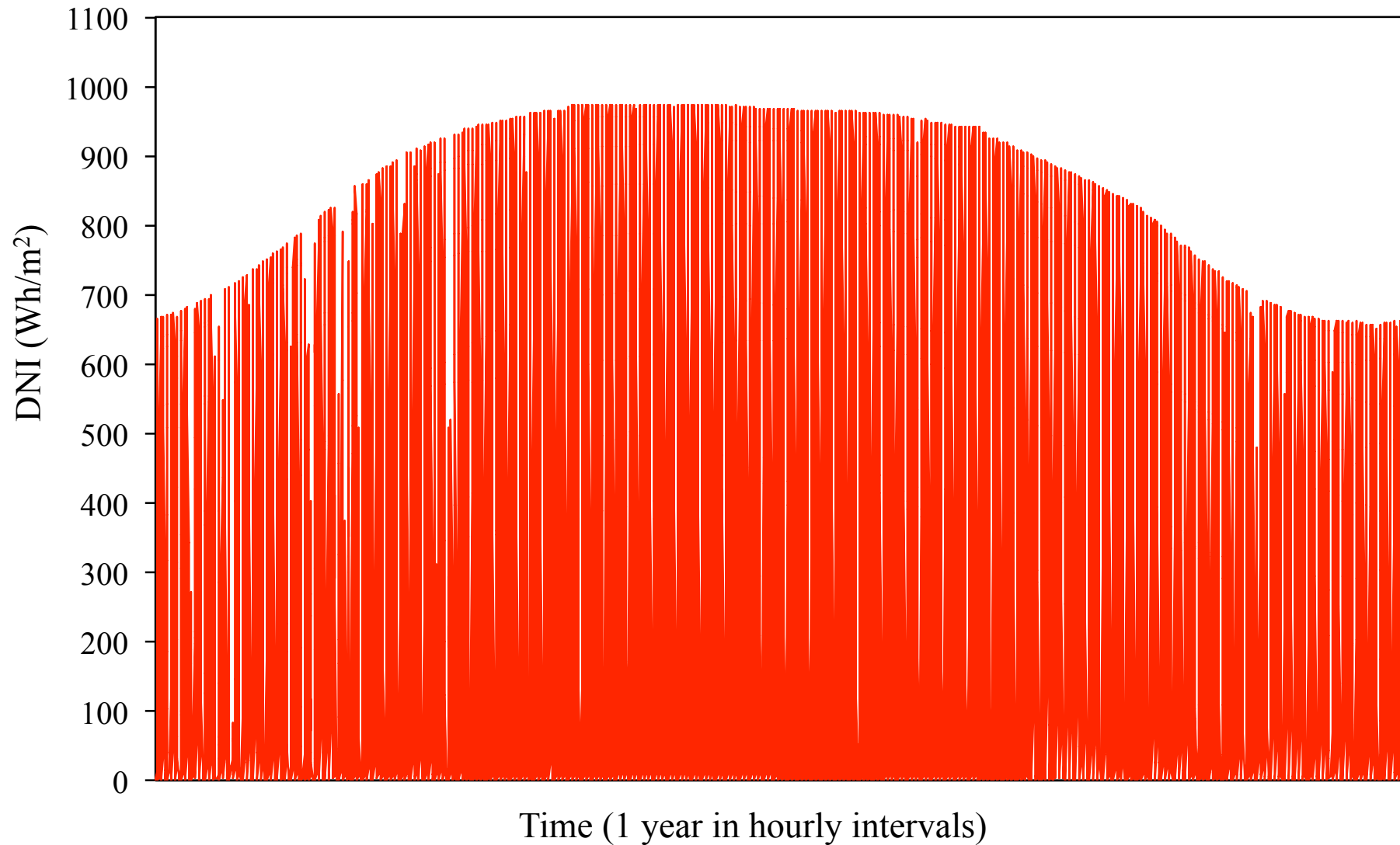
for power generation in UAE

Sustainable power generation technologies considered

- 250MWe natural gas combined cycle technology with
 - post-combustion CCS
 - pre-combustion CCS
- 50MWp PV systems
- 50MW wind parks
- 50MWe parabolic trough CSP technology with
 - no thermal storage
 - 4.5h thermal storage
 - 9.5h thermal storage
 - 14.5h thermal storage
 - 24/7 operation

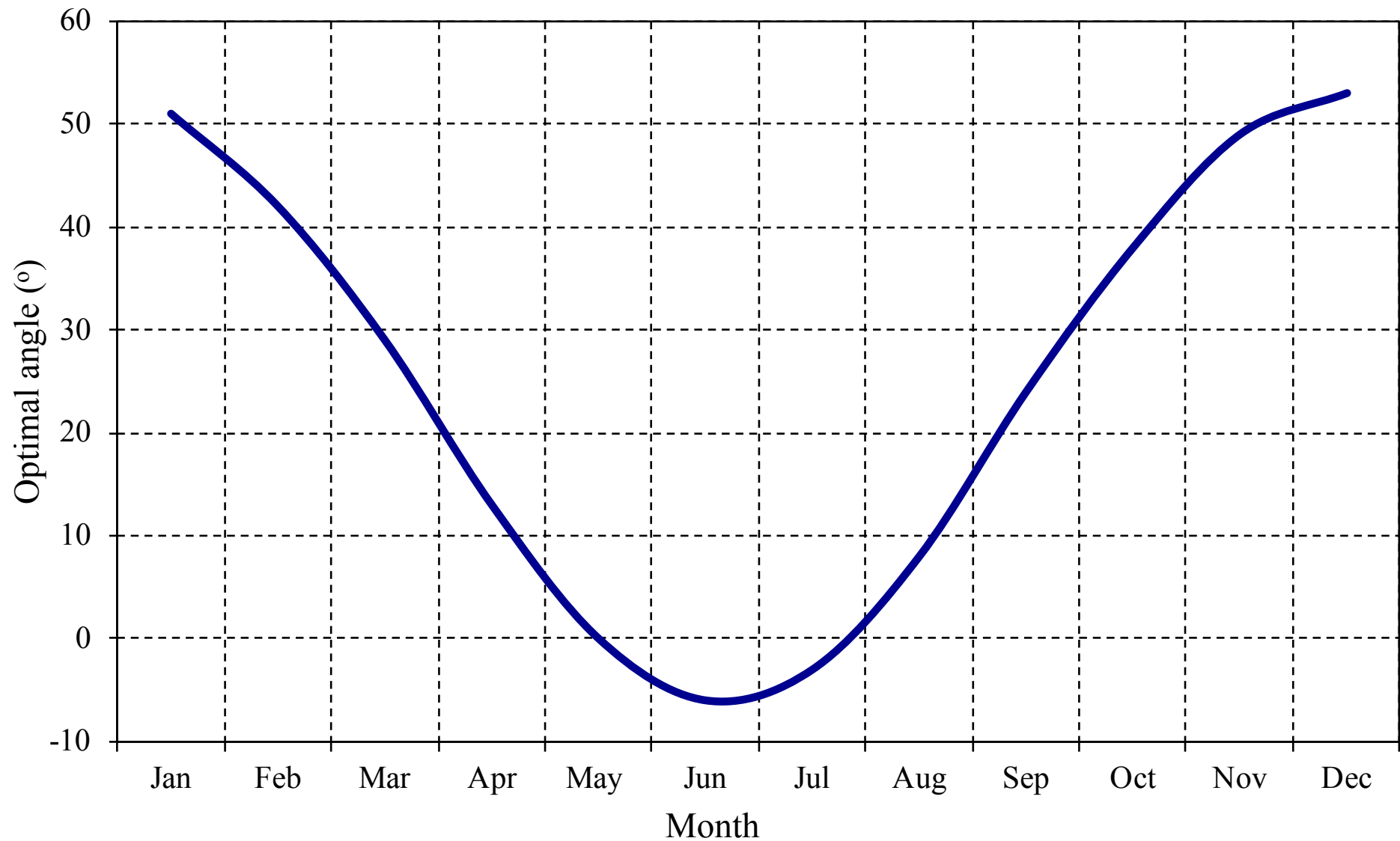


Annual solar potential* (2106kWh/m²)



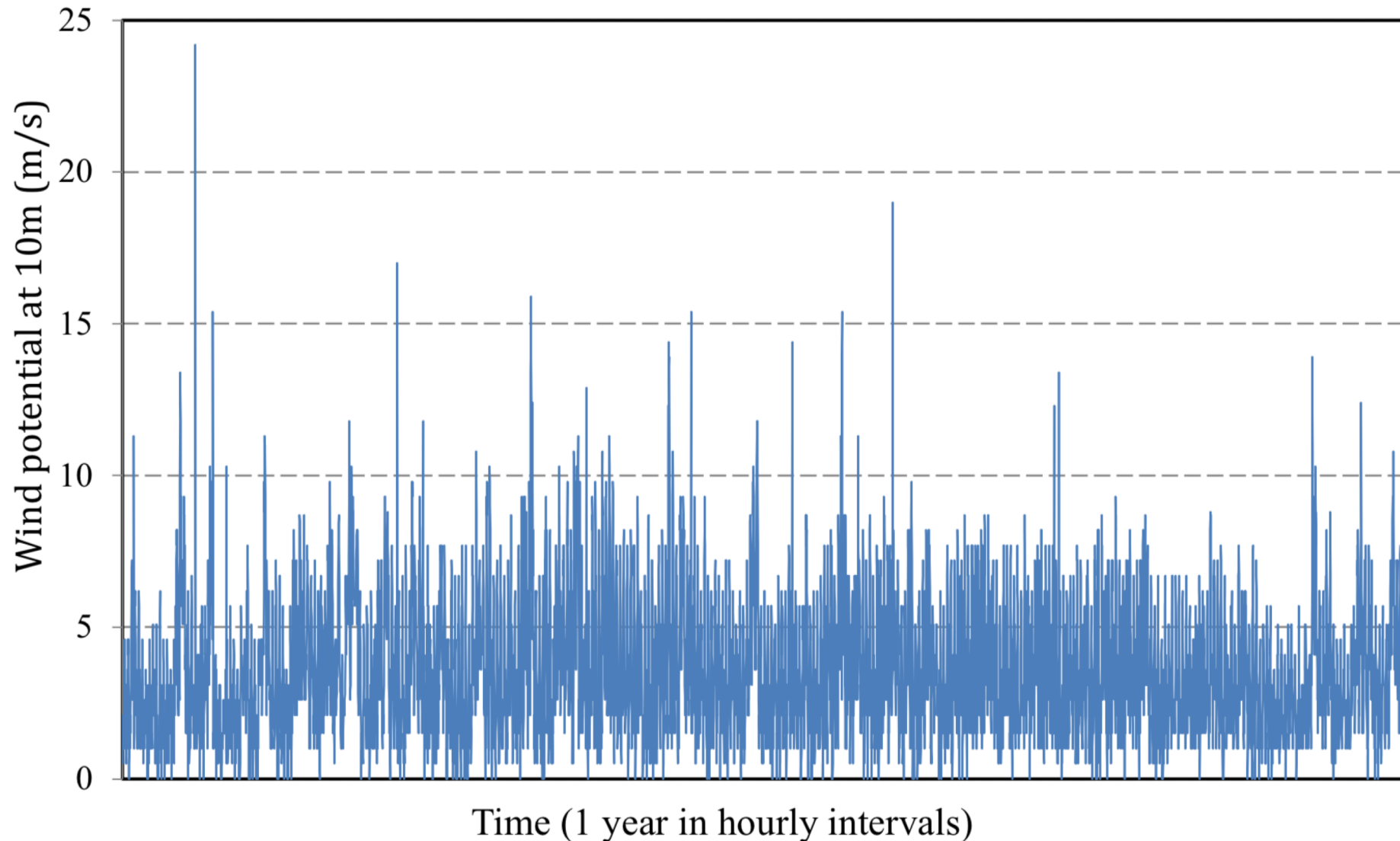
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Monthly optimal solar angle*



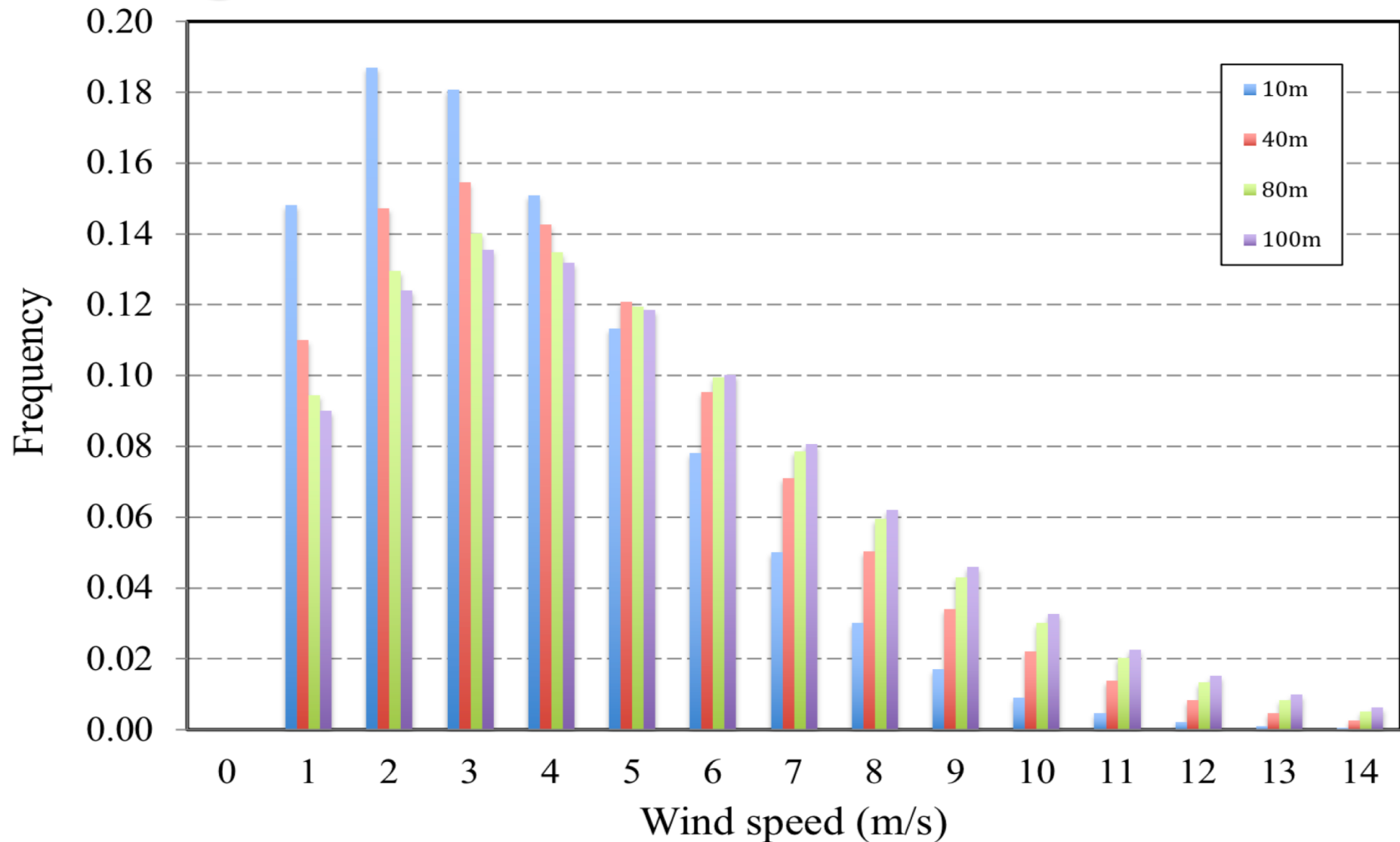
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Hourly wind potential for the year of 2011*



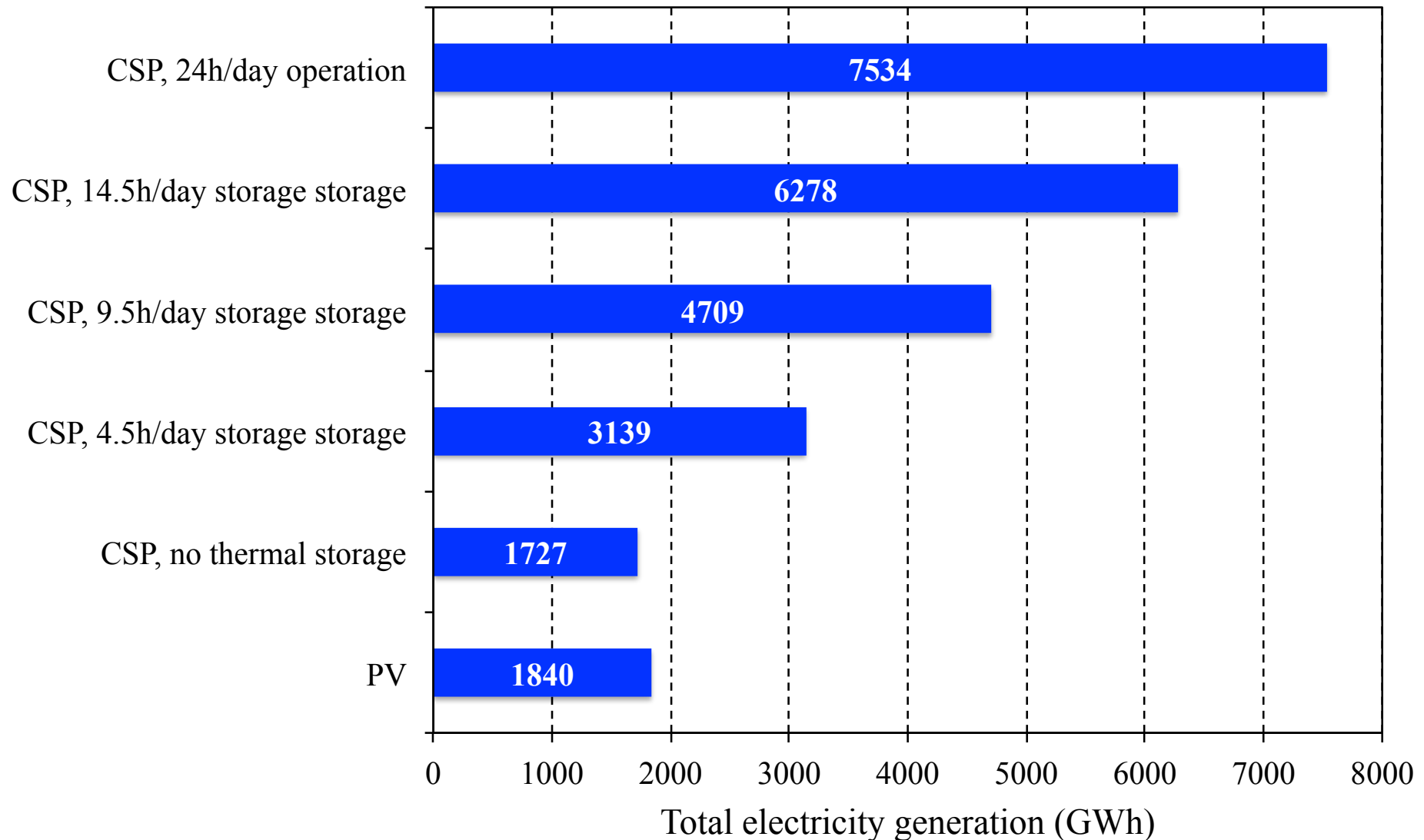
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Weibull curve distribution at different hub heights*



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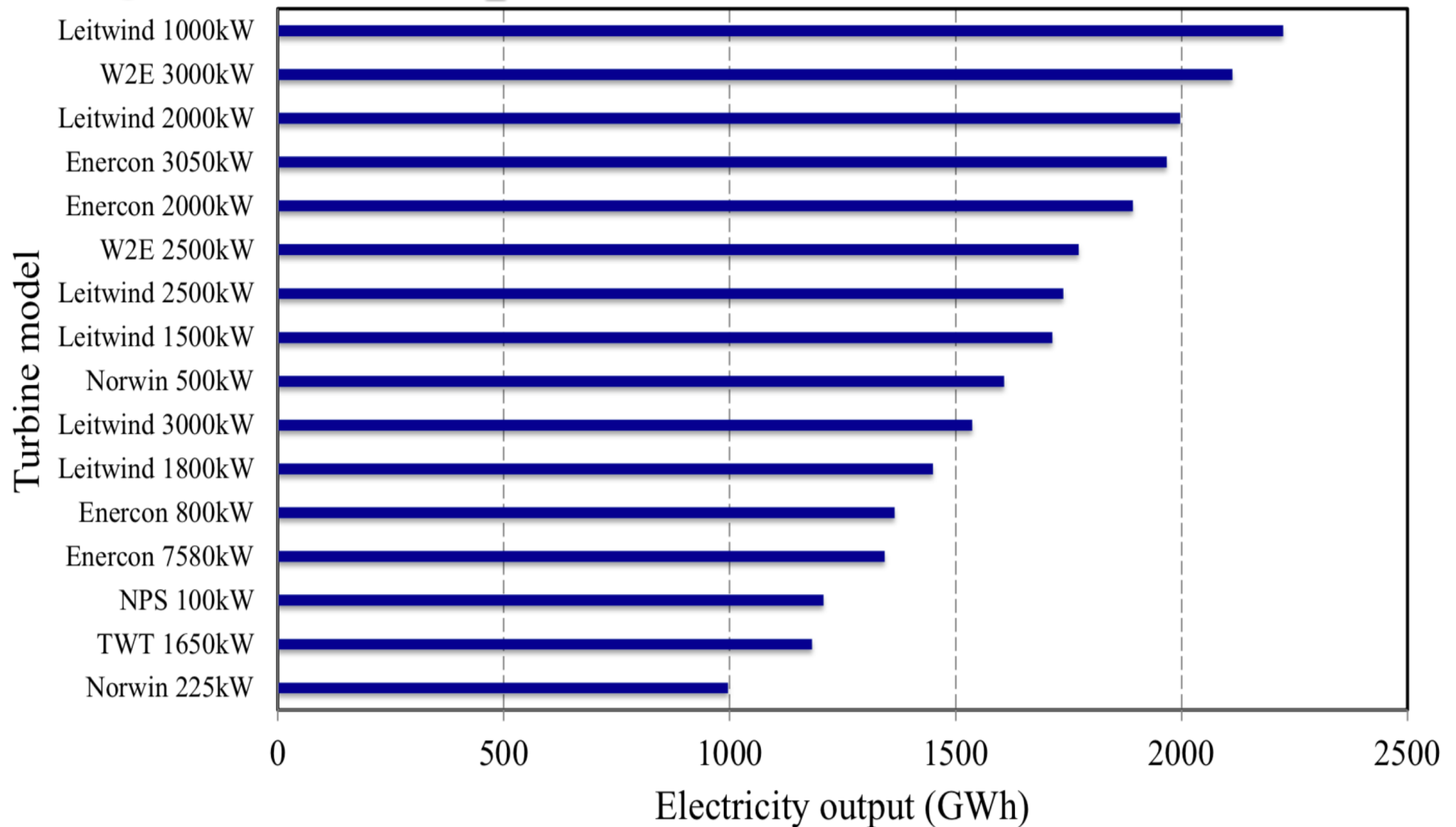
Total electricity generation for 50MW (20y)*



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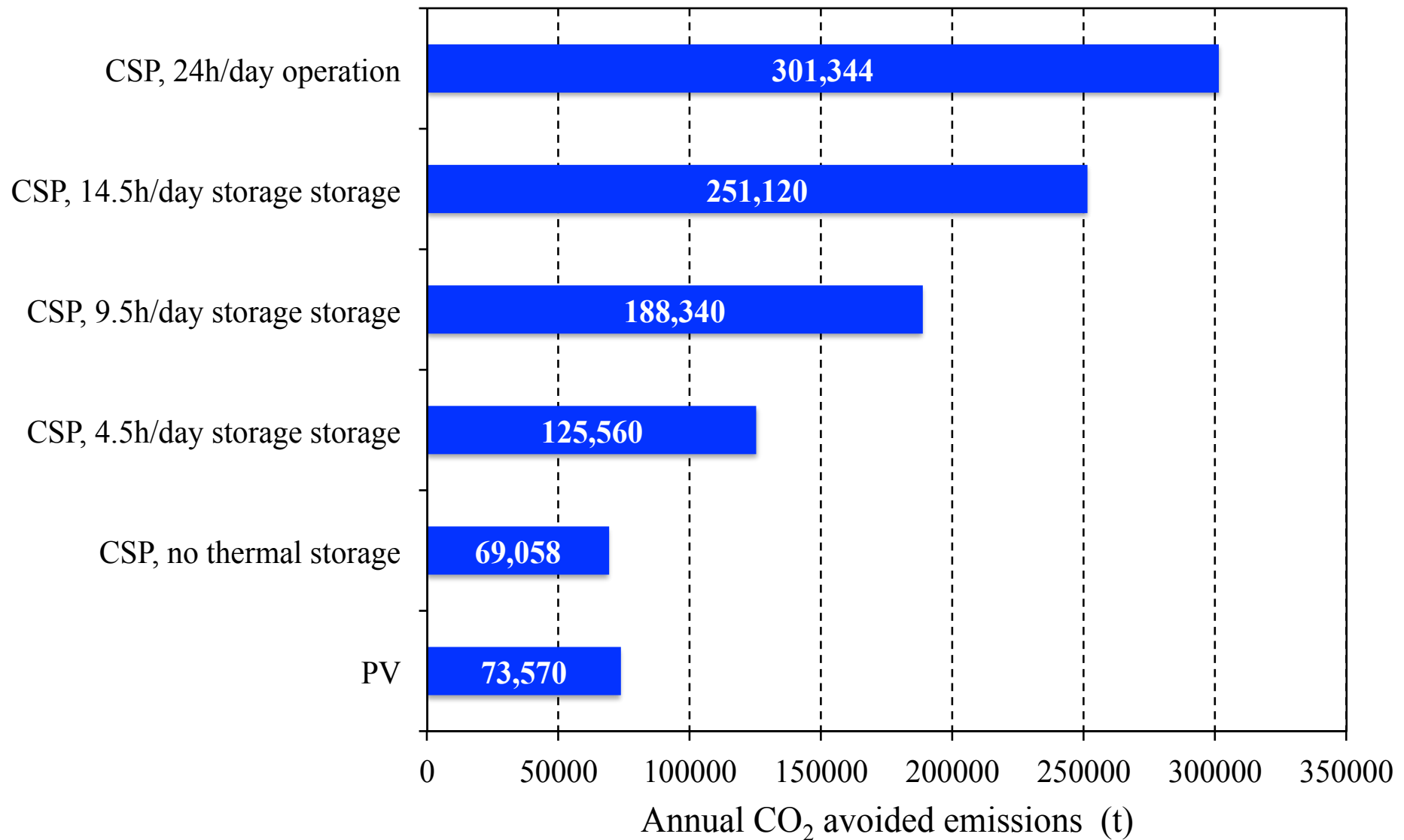
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Total electricity production for 20 years for 50MW wind parks*



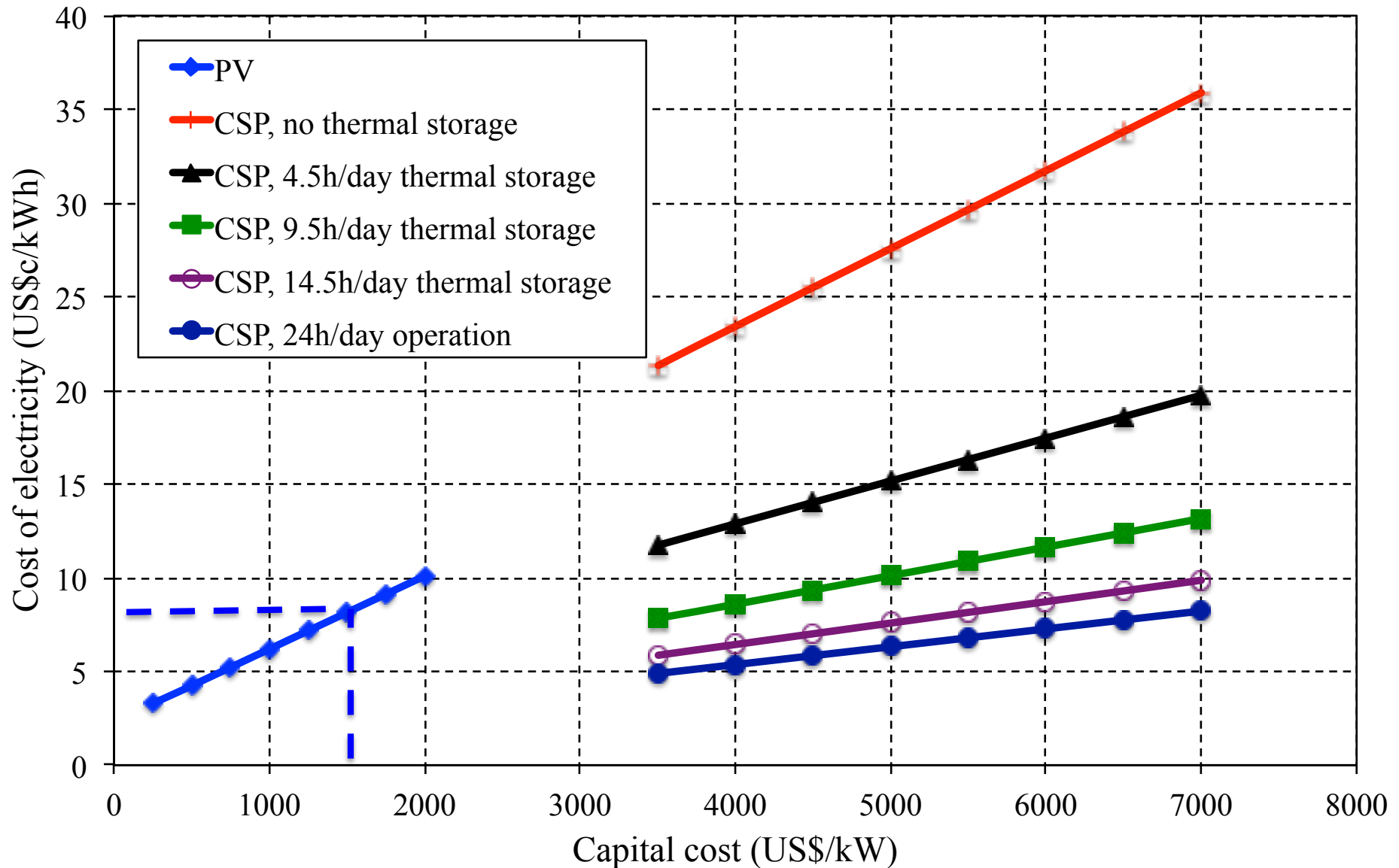
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Annual CO₂ avoided emissions*



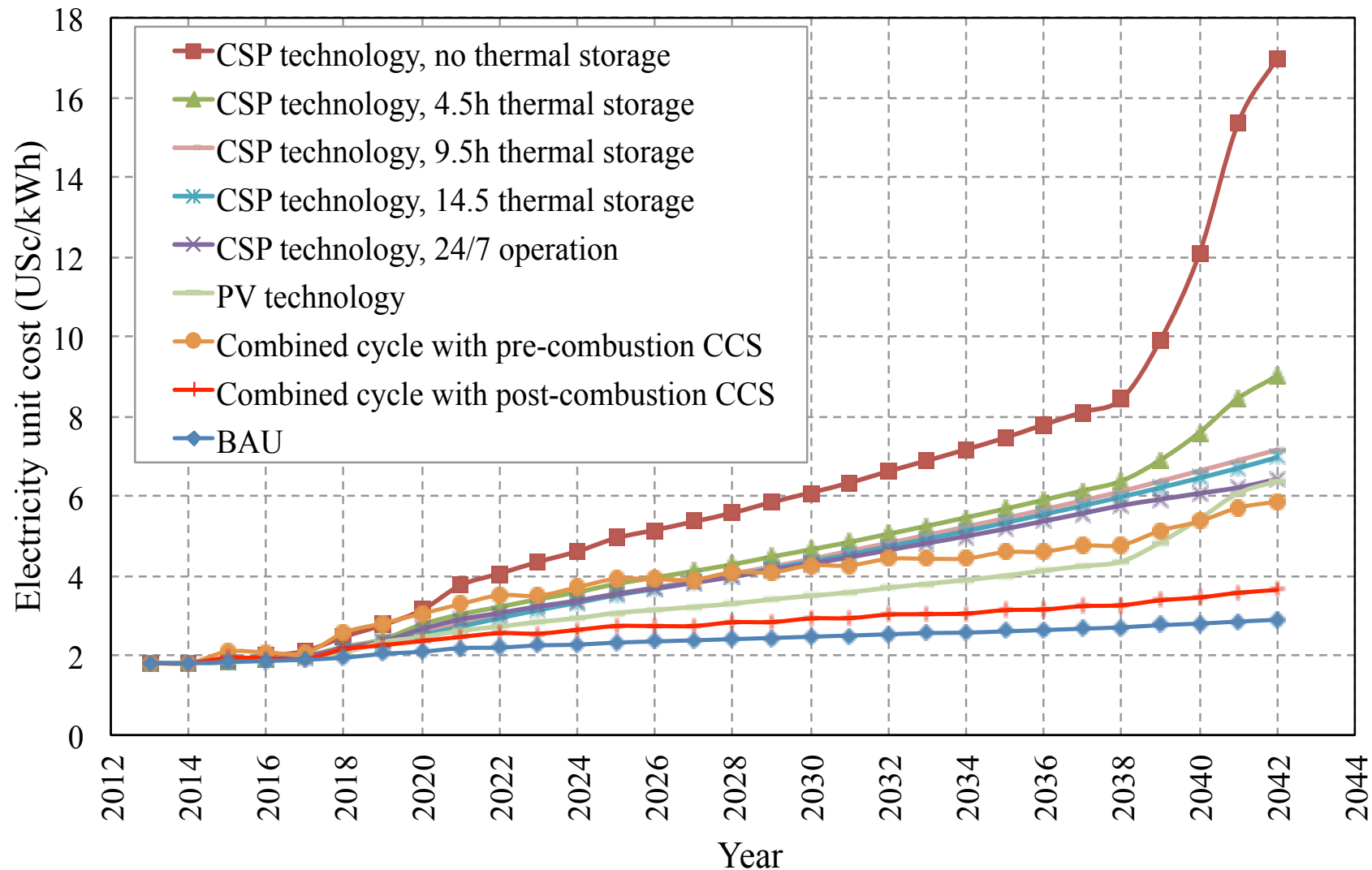
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Cost of electricity parametric curves*



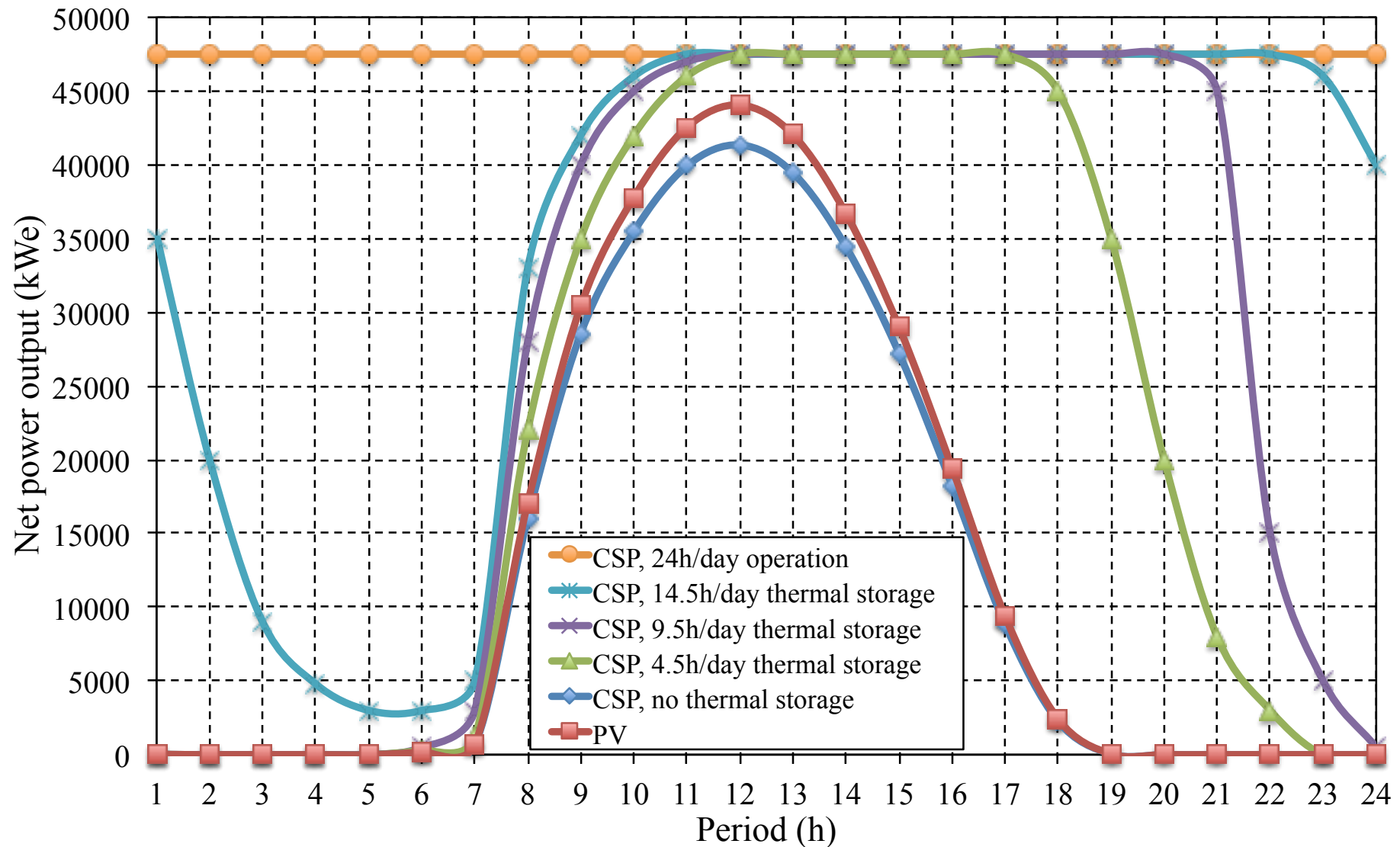
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Generation system annual electricity unit cost* (in real prices)



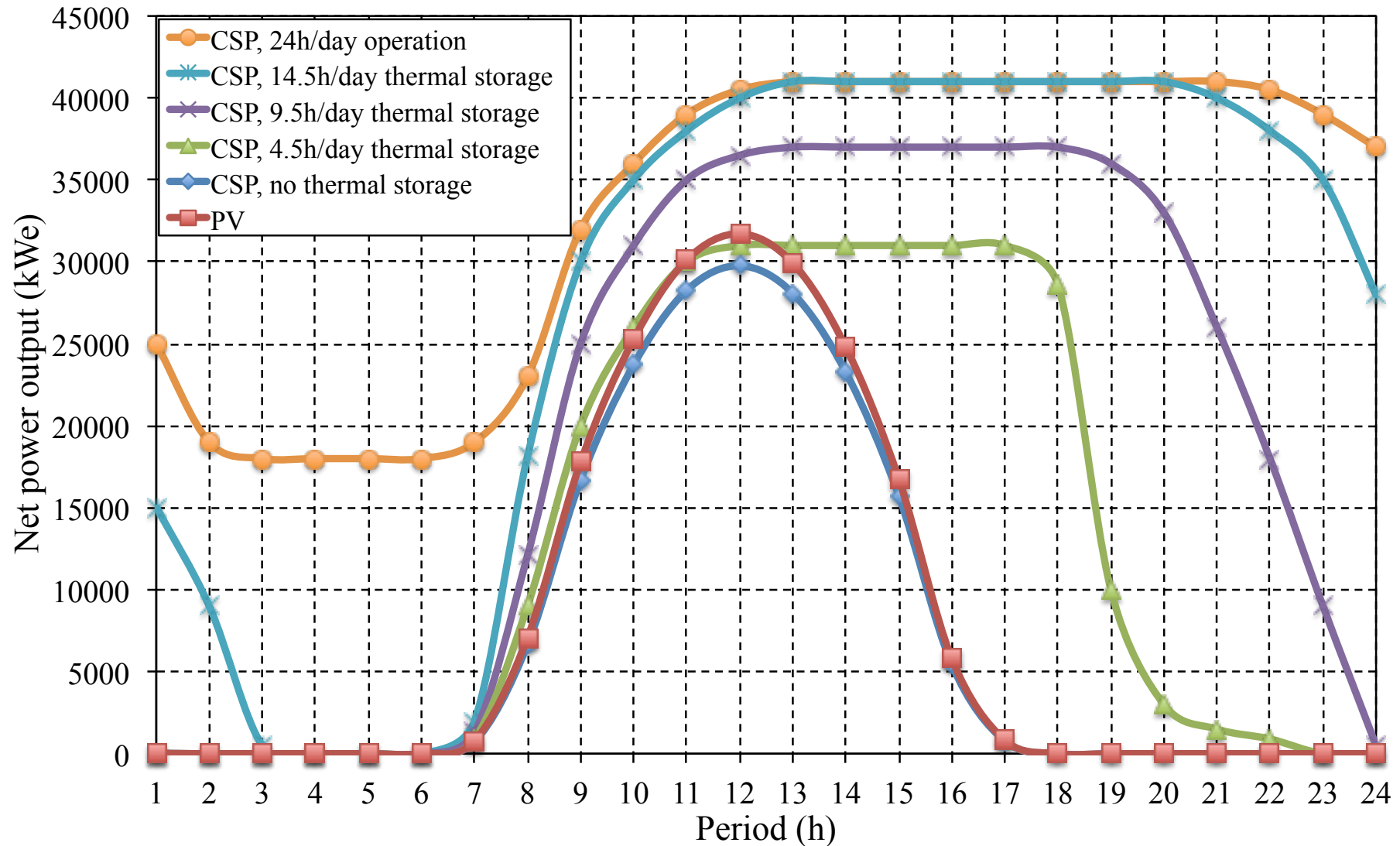
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Typical net power output profile during summer*



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Typical net power output profile during winter*



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Next steps

First steps towards the development of UAE sustainable energy strategy

- Horizon up to 2060
- Integration of sustainable technologies*
- Use of net-metering for domestic PV systems**
- Use of auctioning schemes for new power capacity
- Use of hydrogen after 2030
- Hydrogen production***
 - Nuclear power
 - Solar technologies

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