



Electricity Overview

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Key Electricity trends



Key concepts

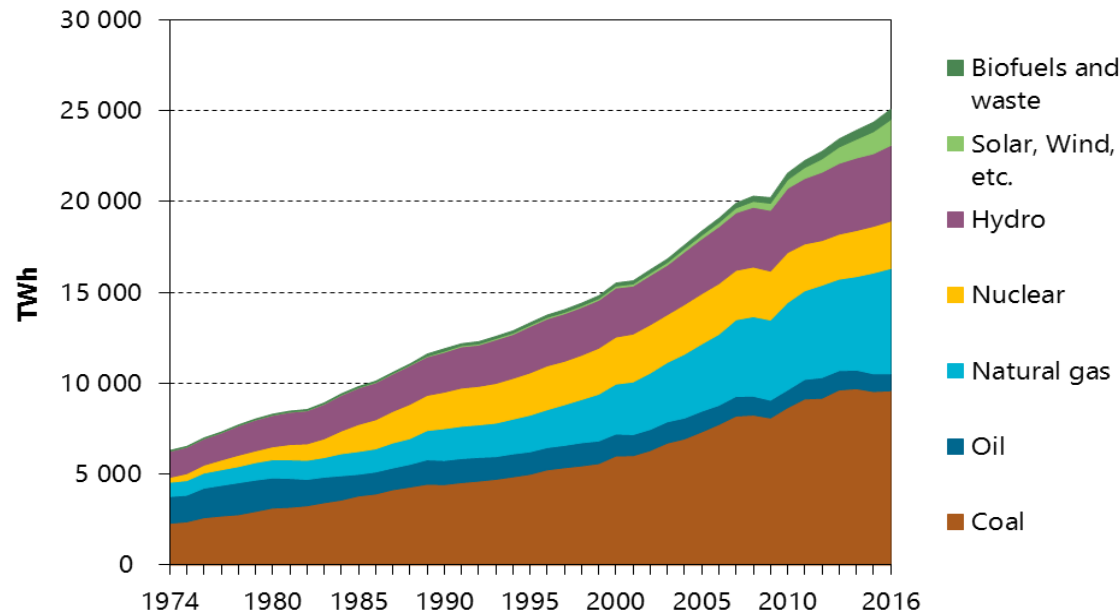


Key points for exercises



Key Electricity trends

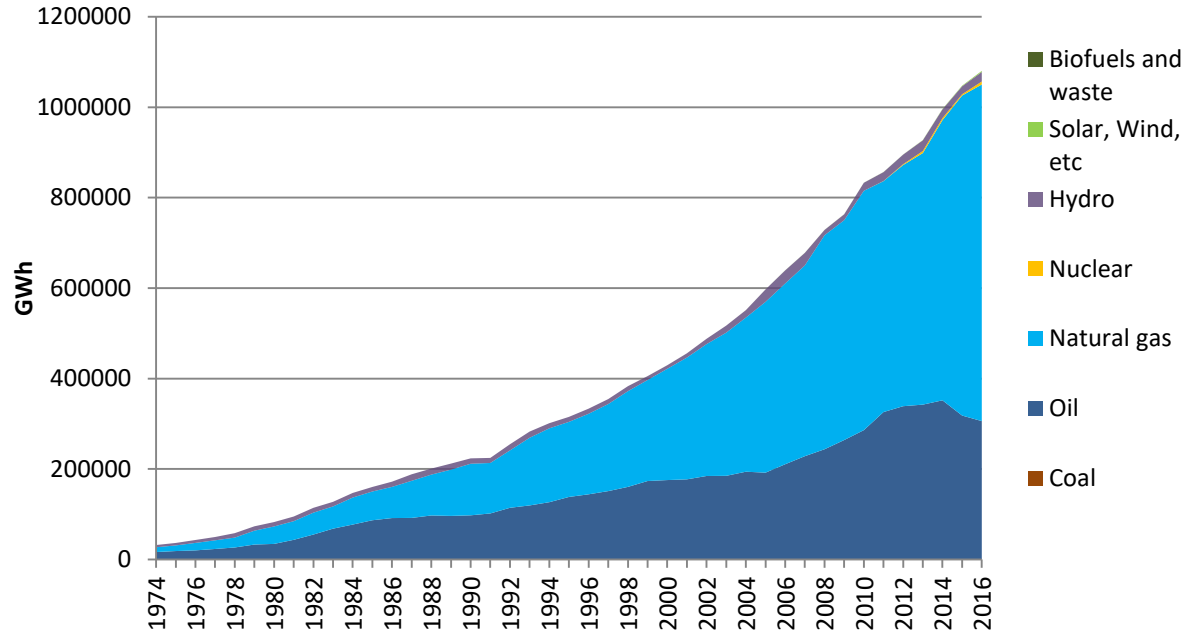
World Electricity Production by Source



Since 1974:

- 4X increase in global electricity production
- Lower share of Oil
- Lower share of Hydro
- Higher share of Natural Gas
- Higher share of Nuclear
- Higher share of Solar & Wind

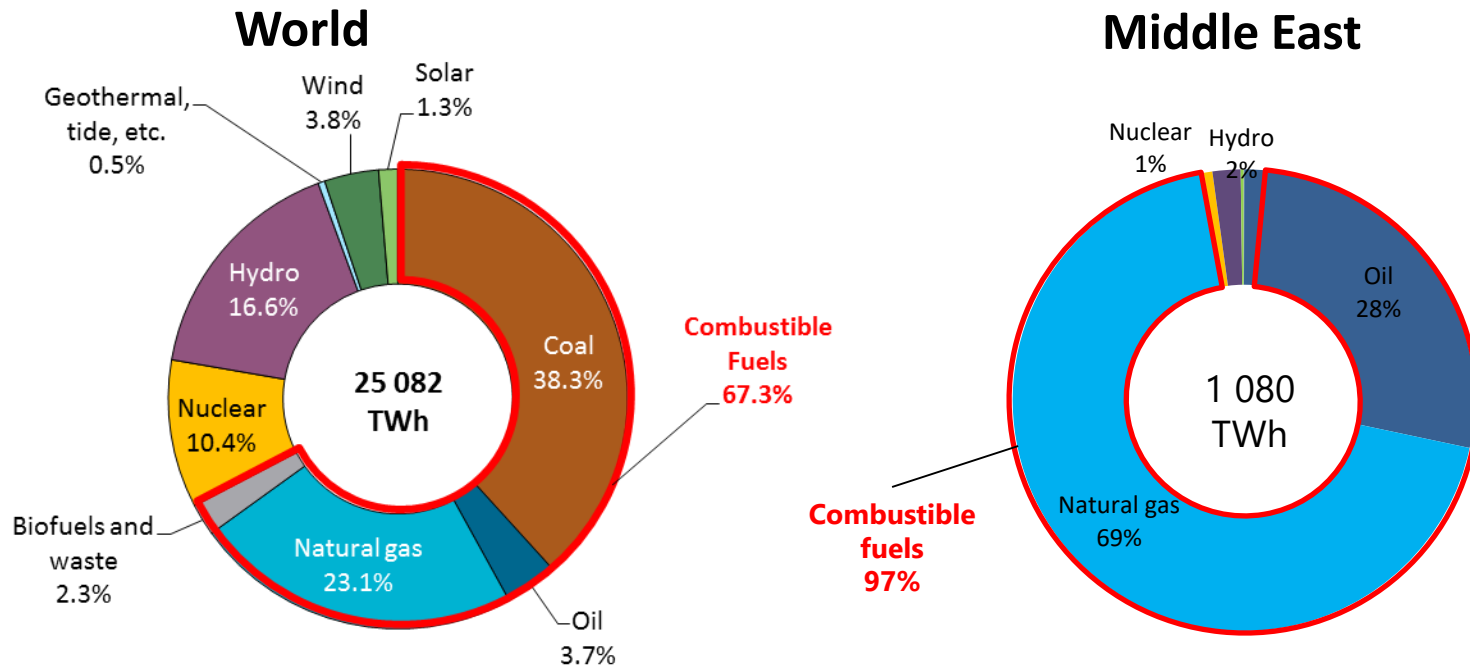
Middle East Electricity Production by Source



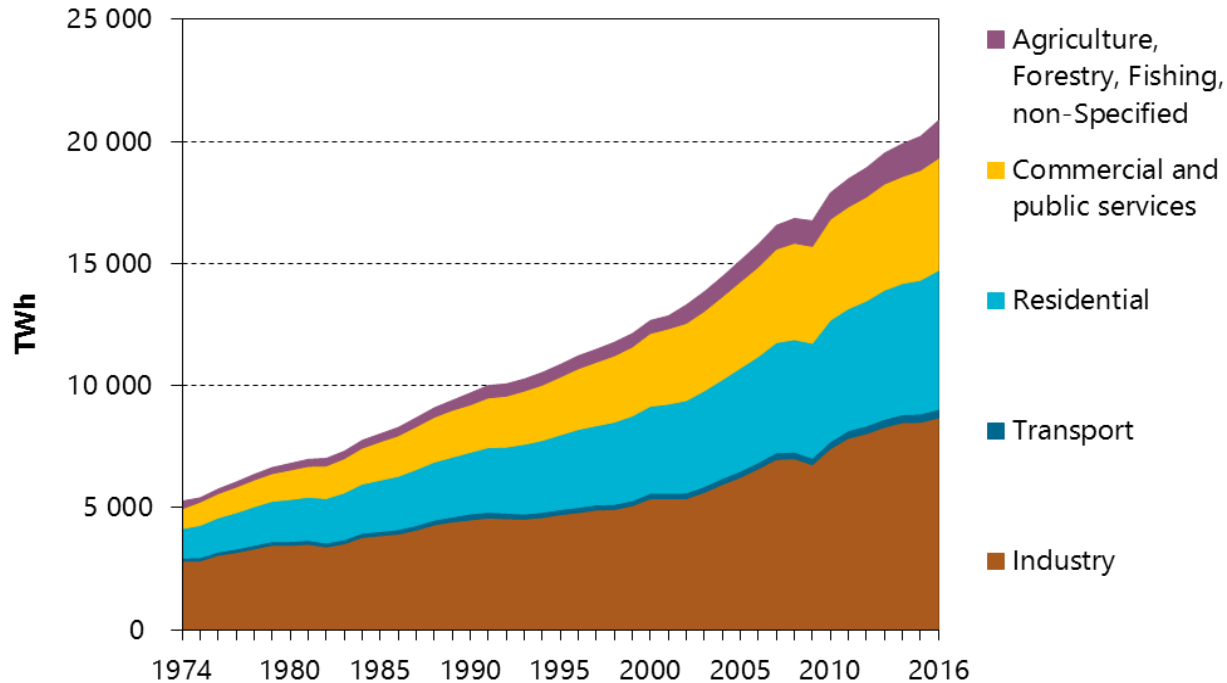
Since 1974:

- More than 30X increase in electricity production.
- 70X increase in electricity production from gas.
- Hydro and other renewables account for 2% of electricity production.

Electricity Production by Source: World and Middle East (2016)



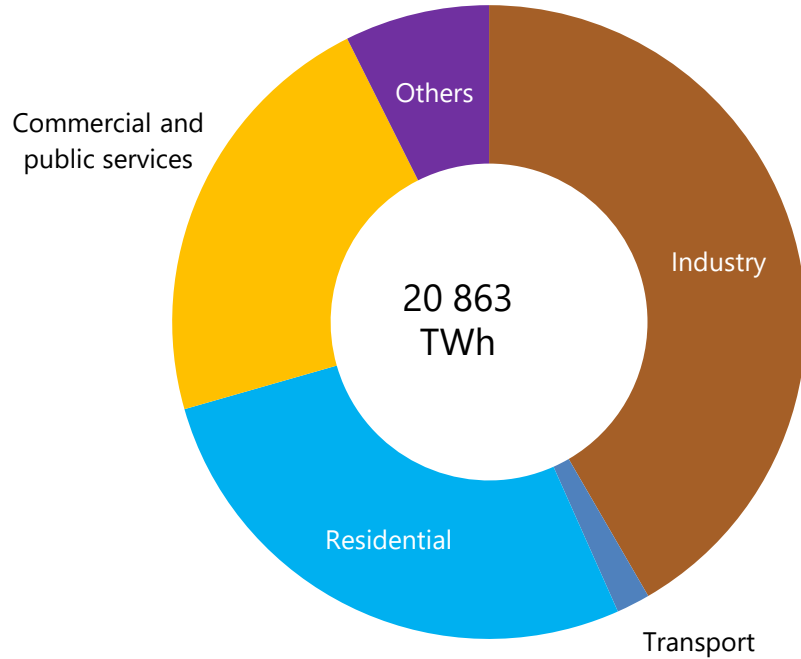
World Electricity Consumption by Sector (2016)



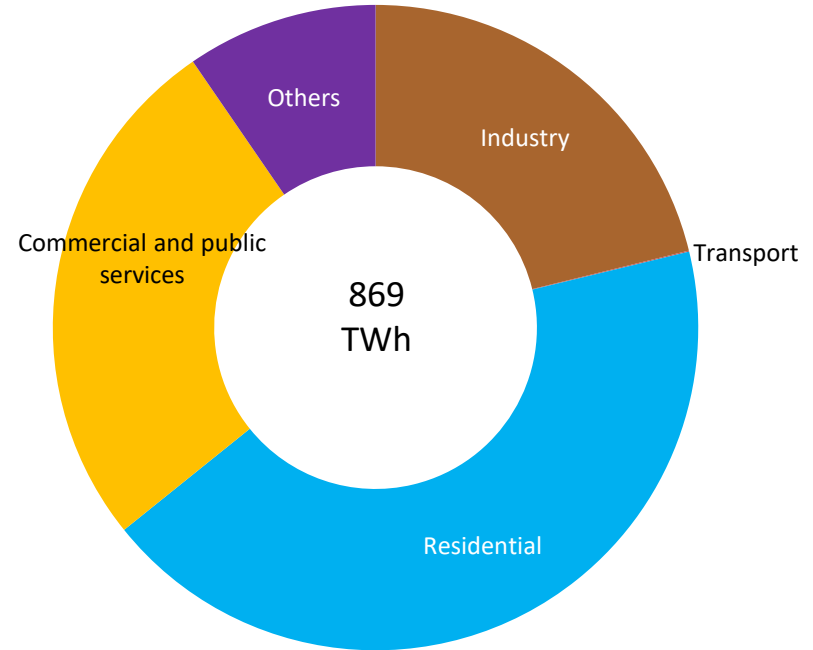
- Electricity consumption has increased 4x since 1974
- Industry remains the largest consuming sector
- However, the Residential and Commercial sectors are increasing their share of consumption

Electricity Consumption by Sector: World and Middle East (2016)

World



Middle East





Key concepts

Electricity is produced as both primary and secondary energy

Primary



Hydro



Solar PV



Wind



Tide/Wave

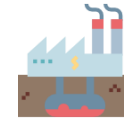
Secondary



Combustible
Fuels



Nuclear



Geothermal



Solar Thermal
(Concentrated solar power)

Main Activity Producer

Generate electricity / heat for third parties as a primary activity.



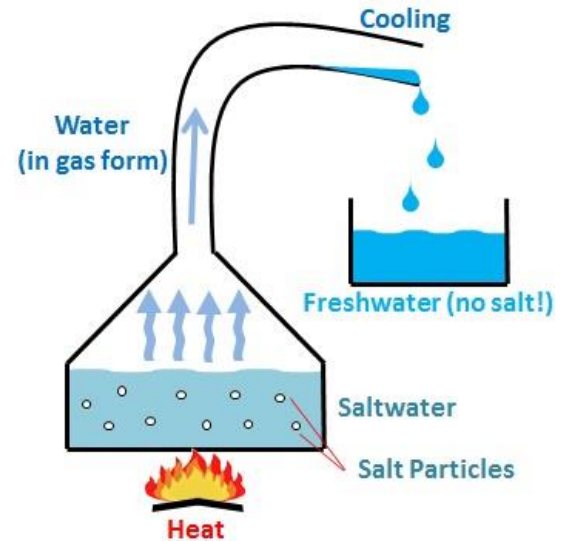
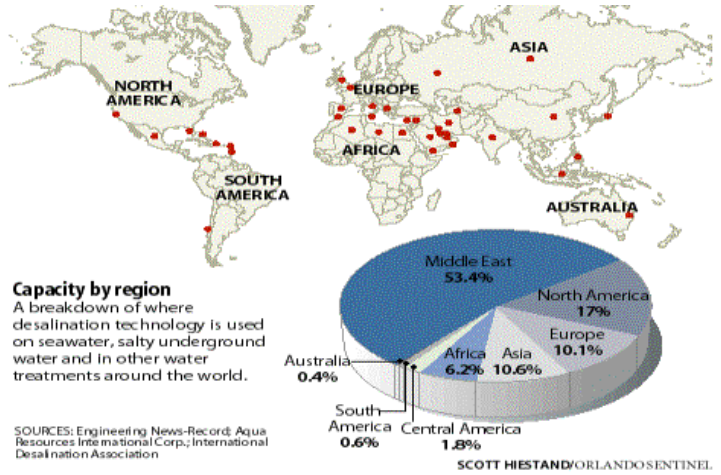
Autoproducer

Generate electricity / heat wholly or partly for their own use as an activity which supports their primary activity.



- Desalination is electricity and heat intensive.
- Commonly, electricity and water desalination are considered in the same industry.
- Statistics can be readily available through cogeneration authority.

Major desalination plants worldwide



**Electricity
Only**

Generate electricity only



**Heat
Only**

Generate heat only



**Combined
Heat and
Power (CHP)**

Generate both electricity and heat simultaneously





**Main Activity
Producer**



Autoproducer



**Electricity
Only**

Report all production

Report all production



**Heat
Only**

Report all production

Report **heat SOLD only***



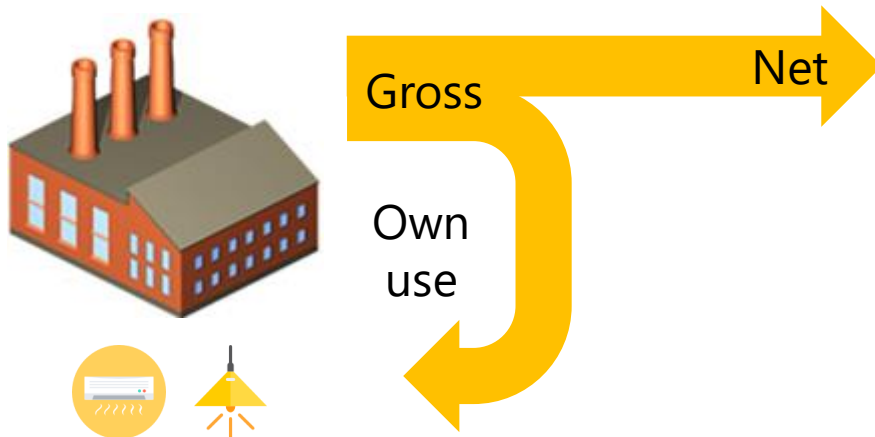
CHP

Report all production

Report all electricity production
Report **heat SOLD only***

*Only report fuel inputs related to heat sold

- **Gross Production:** All electricity / heat produced
- **Own Use:** Amount consumed to support plant operations
- **Net Production:** Electricity / heat distributed





**Main Activity
Producer**



Autoproducer



**Electricity
Only**

Gross – Own Use = Net

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**Heat
Only**

Gross – Own Use = Net

Assume Gross = Net



CHP

Gross – Own Use = Net

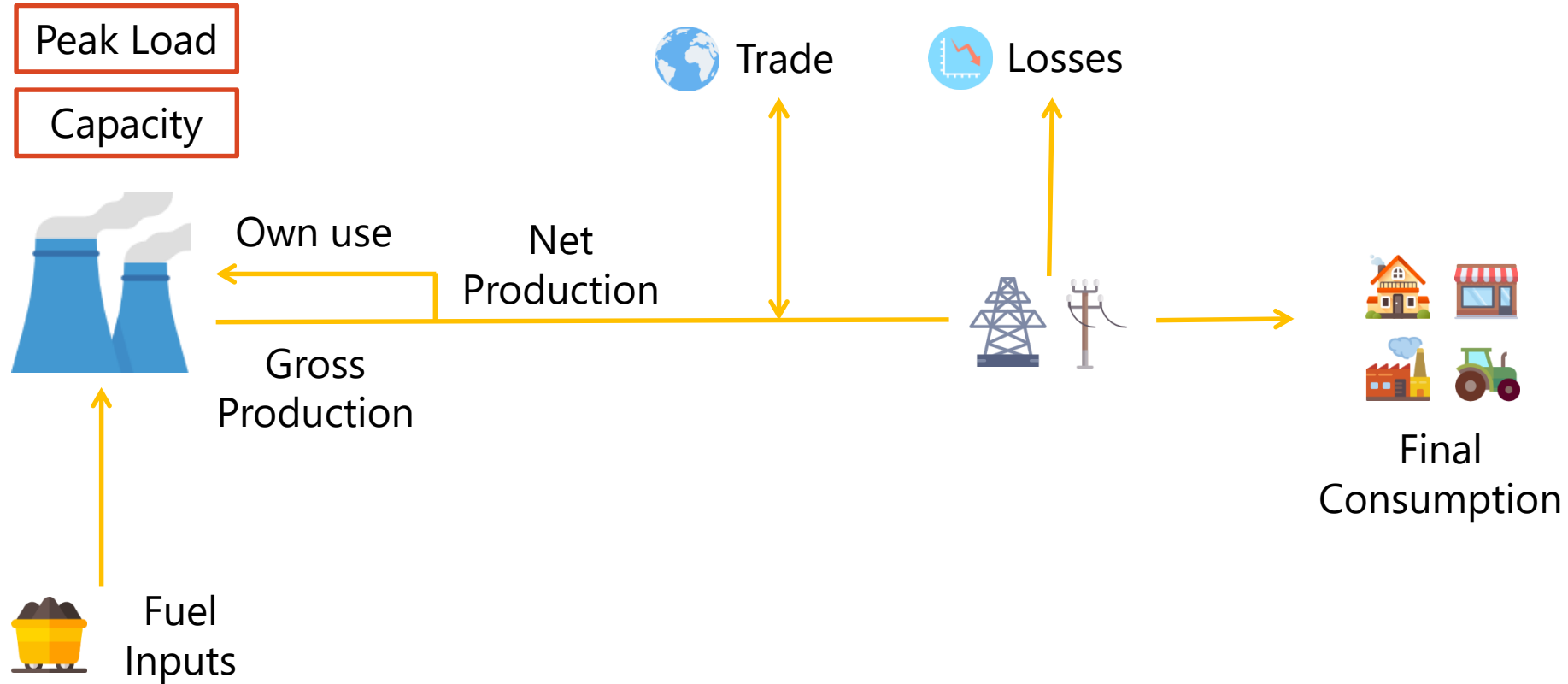
Electricity: Gross – Own Use = Net
Heat: Assume Gross = Net

Supply & Demand



Peak Load

Capacity



Transmission and Distribution Losses



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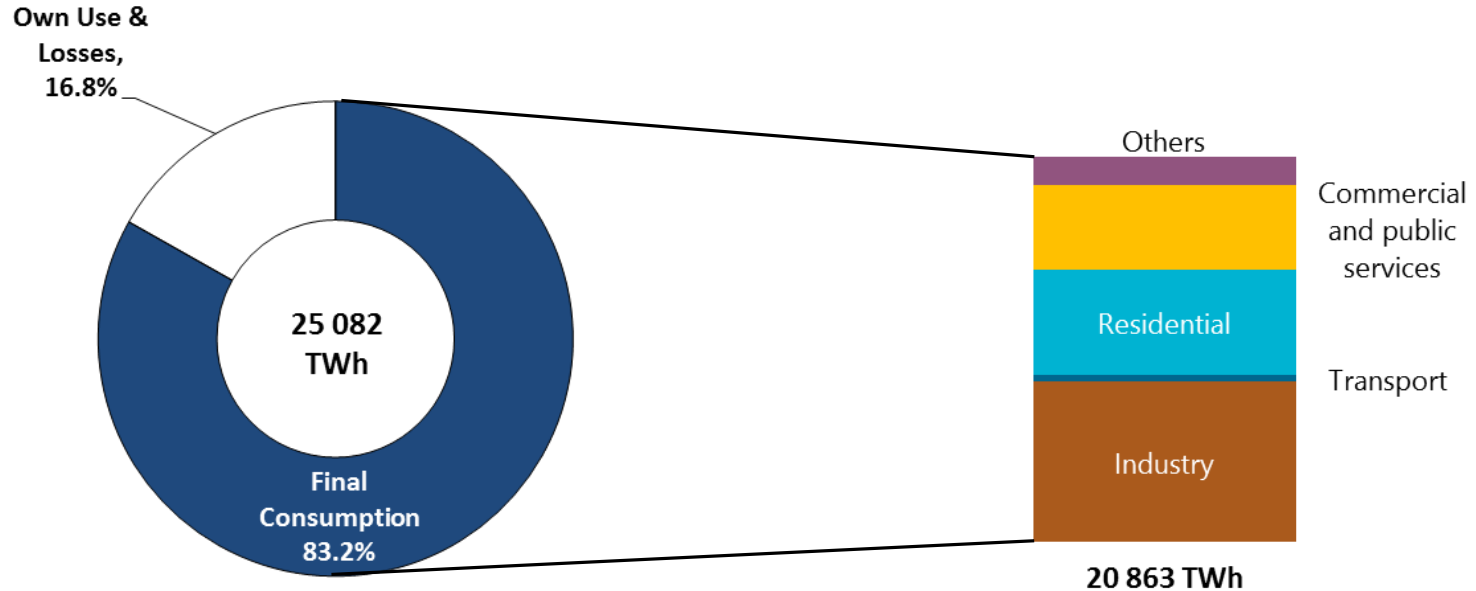
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Gross production vs Final consumption (2016)

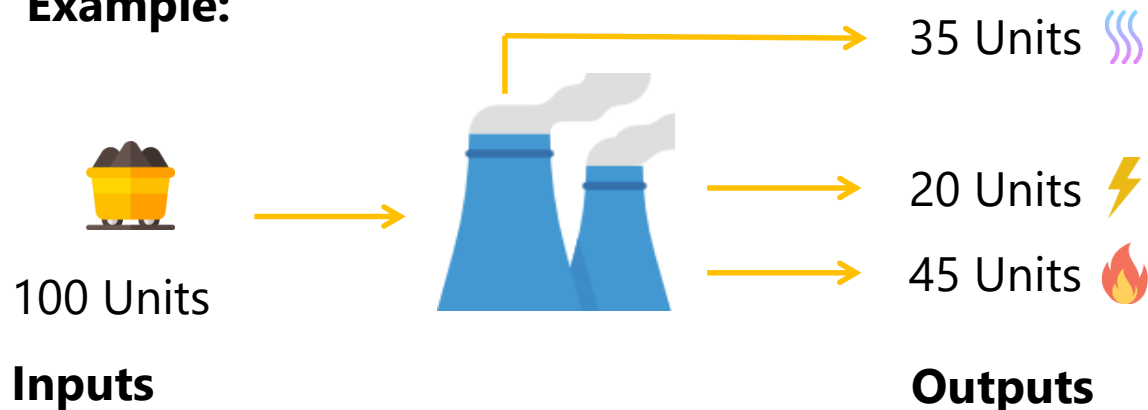


The difference between Gross production and final consumption is due to **Own Use** and **Transmission and Distribution losses**

Efficiency = Output / Input (NCV)

- It is always < 100 %
- It differs by fuel / technology
- It must be calculated in energy units

Example:



$$\text{Efficiency} = (20 + 45) / 100 = 65\%$$

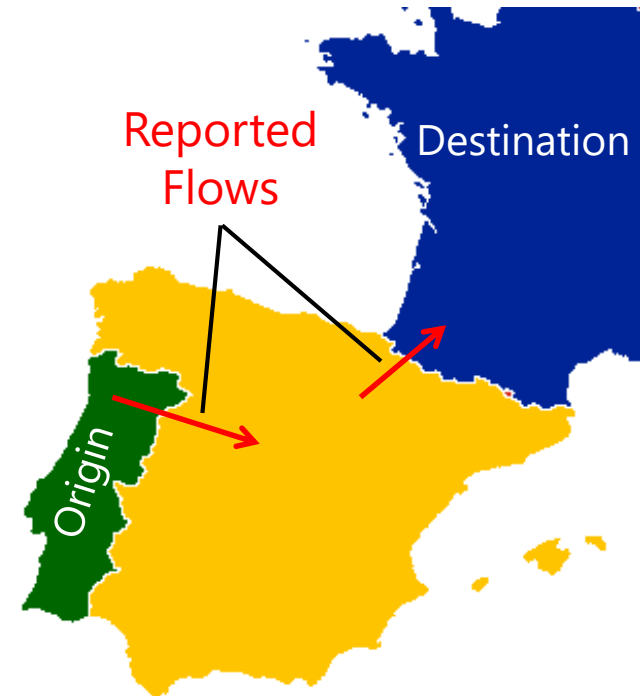
Unlike other fuels, trade of electricity and heat:

- Is reported on the basis of borders crossed, **NOT** origin and destination.
- Includes all trade, including transit.

Example:

Exports of electricity from Portugal to France transiting through Spain, would be reported as:

- Portugal: Exports to Spain
- Spain: Imports from Portugal and Exports to France
- France: Imports from Spain



Power = **Energy / Time**

1 Watt = 1 Joule / second

In 1 hour: 1 Watt of Power consumes 3 600 Joules of energy
For convenience, this amount is known as a watt hour (Wh)

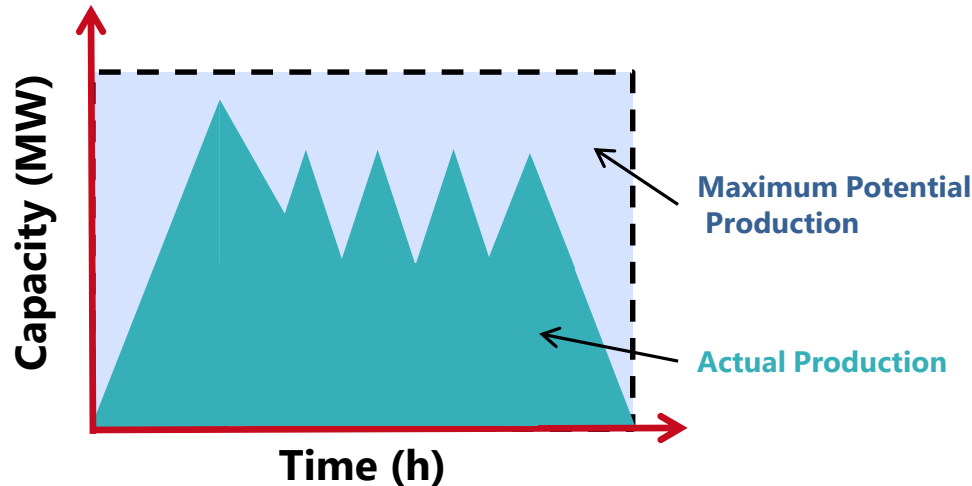
i.e. 1 Watt hour = 3600 Joules

Key point: Watts are units of power

Watt hours are units of energy

Net maximum capacity is the maximum potential power that can be supplied with at the point of outlet, with all plant running, on 31 December.

$$\text{Capacity Factor} = \frac{\text{Actual Production}}{\text{Maximum Potential Production}} = \frac{\text{Actual Production}}{\text{Capacity} \times \text{Time}}$$



Capacity Factor:

- Is a useful check
- Should be $\leq 100\%$
- Has different expected values depending on the technology e.g. Solar PV vs. Nuclear



Key points for reporting electricity & heat data

Looking at IEA Joint Questionnaire

8 Tables

covering

- Electricity and heat data generation by:

- 47 individual fuels
- type of producer
- type of plant/unit

- Consumption data by sector

- Technical information on electrical systems

2008		MAIN ACTIVITY PRODUCER PLANTS			AUTOPRODUCER PLANTS			TOTAL	
Menu		ELECTRICITY (TWh)	CHP (TWh)	HEAT (TWh)	ELECTRICITY (TWh)	CHP (TWh)	HEAT (TWh)	ELECTRICITY (TWh)	HEAT (TWh)
Electricity	1	55 394	0	0	1 227	2 857	0	56 621	2 857
Nuclear	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hydro	3	25 772	0	0	421	0	0	26 193	0
Geothermal	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Solar	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wind	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coal	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oil	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gas	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Heat from Chemical Sources	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Sources	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

1 & 2
Gross & net generation

2008		ELECTRICITY DEMAND			HEAT (TWh)		
Menu		ELECTRICITY (TWh)	CHP (TWh)	HEAT (TWh)	ELECTRICITY (TWh)	CHP (TWh)	HEAT (TWh)
Electricity	1	55 394	0	0	0	0	0
Heat	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Industry	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transport	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Buildings	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	6	0	0	0	0	0	0

3 & 4
Supply & consumption

2016		ELECTRICITY PLANTS		CHP PLANTS	TOTAL
Menu		A	B	C	
Total net production	1	4 306	0	0	4 306
Energy sector	2	1 074	0	0	1 074
Coal mines	3	0	0	0	0
Oil and gas extraction	4	0	0	0	0
Patent fuel plants (Energy)	5	0	0	0	0
Coke ovens (Energy)	6	0	0	0	0
BKB / PB plants (Energy)	7	0	0	0	0
Gas works (Energy)	8	0	0	0	0
Blast furnaces (Energy)	9	0	0	0	0
Oil refineries	10	0	0	0	0
Coal liquefaction plants (Energy)	11	0	0	0	0
Liquefaction (LNG) / Regasification plants	12	0	0	0	0
Gasification plants for biogas	13	0	0	0	0
Gas-to-liquids (GTL) plants (Energy)	14	0	0	0	0

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Autoproducers

2016		MAIN ACTIVITY PRODUCER PLANTS			AUTOPRODUCER PLANTS			TOTAL	
Menu		ELECTRICITY	CHP	HEAT	ELECTRICITY	CHP	HEAT	ELECTRICITY	HEAT
Electricity	1	55 394	0	0	1 227	2 857	0	56 621	2 857
Heat	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Industry	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transport	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Buildings	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Combustible fuel breakdown

2016		NET MAXIMUM ELECTRICAL CAPACITY AND PEAK LOAD	
Menu		NET MAXIMUM ELECTRICAL CAPACITY (MW)	PEAK LOAD (MW)
Total capacity	1	10 100	1 300
Operating capacity	2	10 100	1 300
Available capacity	3	10 100	1 300
Other	4	0	0

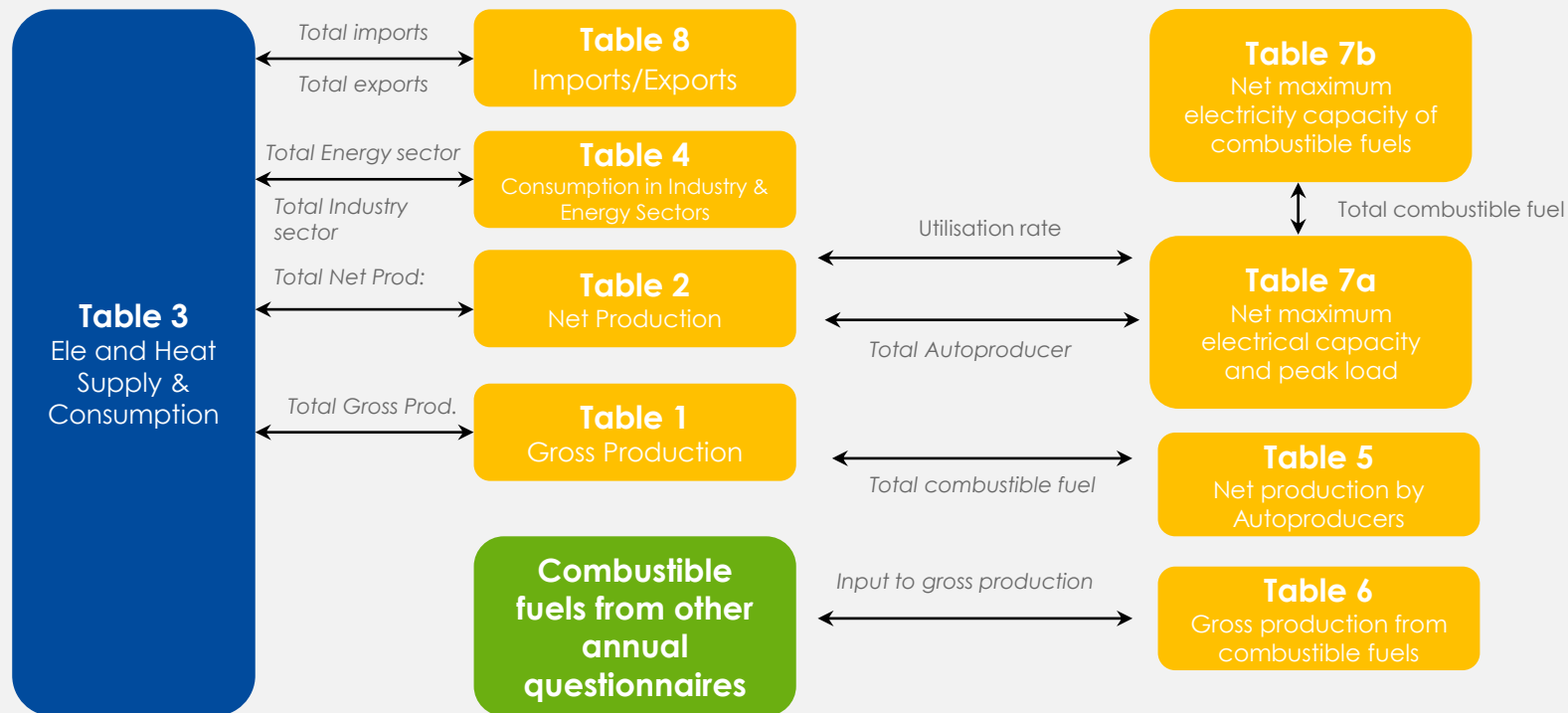
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Electrical capacities

TABLE 8. IMPORTS BY ORIGIN AND EXPORTS BY DESTINATION OF ELECTRICITY AND HEAT

2016		ELECTRICITY (TWh)		HEAT (TWh)	
Menu		IMPORTS A	EXPORTS B	IMPORTS C	EXPORTS D
Albania	1	0	0	0	0
Argentina	2	0	0	0	0
Armenia	3	0	0	0	0
Austria	4	0	0	0	0
Azerbaijan	5	0	0	0	0
Belarus	6	0	0	0	0
Belgium	7	0	0	0	0
Bolivia	8	0	0	0	0
Bosnia and Herzegovina	9	0	0	0	0
Bulgaria	10	0	0	0	0
Canada	11	0	0	0	0
China	12	0	0	0	0

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Imports & Exports

Tables/Questionnaire relations in Electricity and Heat Questionnaire



Exercise 1: Net electricity and heat production

Menu	MAIN ACTIVITY PRODUCER PLANTS			AUTOPRODUCER PLANTS			TOTAL	
	ELECTRICITY (ONLY)	CHP	HEAT (ONLY)	ELECTRICITY (ONLY)	CHP	HEAT (ONLY)	MAIN ACTIVITY PRODUCER	AUTOPRODUCER
ELECTRICITY UNIT: GWh (10 ⁶ kWh)	A	B	C	D	E	F	G(=A+B+C)	H(=D+E+F)
Electricity	1	55 394	226	1 227	2 857		55 620	4 084
Nuclear	2						0	0
Hydro	3	23 772		421			23 772	421
<i>Pumped Hydro</i>	4						0	0
Geothermal	5						0	0
Solar	6							0
Tide, Wave and Ocean	7							0
Wind	8	38					38	0
Combustible Fuels	9	31 584	226	806	2 857		31 810	3 663
Heat from Chemical Sources	10							0
Other Sources	11							0
HEAT Unit: TJ								
Heat	12		0	0				0
Nuclear	13						0	0
Geothermal	14						0	0
Solar	15						0	0
Combustible Fuels	16						0	0
Heat Pumps	17						0	0
Electric Boilers	18						0	0
Heat from Chemical Sources	19							0
Other Sources	20						0	0

Type of Plant

Type of Producer

Details on the type of combustible fuel are also collected.

Sources of electricity and heat

Exercise 1: Net electricity and heat production

Example:

- A power plant is using natural gas and is producing 5000 GWh of electricity
- A hydro power plant is producing 20 GWh of electricity
- A waste recycling facility uses waste to produce 45 GWh of electricity

TABLE 2. NET ELECTRICITY AND HEAT PRODUCTION : (TRANSFORMATION SECTOR)

2015		MAIN ACTIVITY PRODUCER PLANTS			AUTOPRODUCER PLANTS			TOTAL	
		ELECTRICITY (ONLY)	CHP	HEAT (ONLY)	ELECTRICITY (ONLY)	CHP	HEAT (ONLY)	MAIN ACTIVITY PRODUCER	AUTOPRODUCER
ELECTRICITY UNIT: GWh (10 ⁶ kWh)		A	B	C	D	E	F	G(=A+B+C)	H(=D+E+F)
Electricity	a	5 020	0		45	0		5 020	45
Nuclear	b							0	0
Hydro	c	20						20	0
<i>Pumped Hydro</i>	d							0	0
Geothermal	e							0	0
Solar	f							0	0
Tide, Wave and Ocean	g							0	0
Wind	h							0	0
Combustible Fuels	i	5 000			45			5 000	45
Heat from Chemical Sources	l								0
Other Sources	m							0	0

Exercise 2: Gross electricity and heat production from combustible fuels 1/2

2008				MAIN ACTIVITY PRODUCER PLANTS		
Menu			UNITS	ELECTRICITY (ONLY)	CHP	HEAT (ONLY)
FUELS				A	B	C
ANTHRACITE	Fuel input	1	10 ³ t			
	Fuel input	2	TJ (NCV)			
	Elec. prod.	3	GWh			
	Heat prod.	4	TJ			

For each combustible fuel:

INPUT shall:

- be reported both in natural (e.g. ktons) and energy units (e.g. TJ)
- match INPUT given in the other AQs. Check it!

$$\text{INPUT (TJ)} = \text{INPUT (ktons)} \times \text{NCV (TJ/ktons)}$$

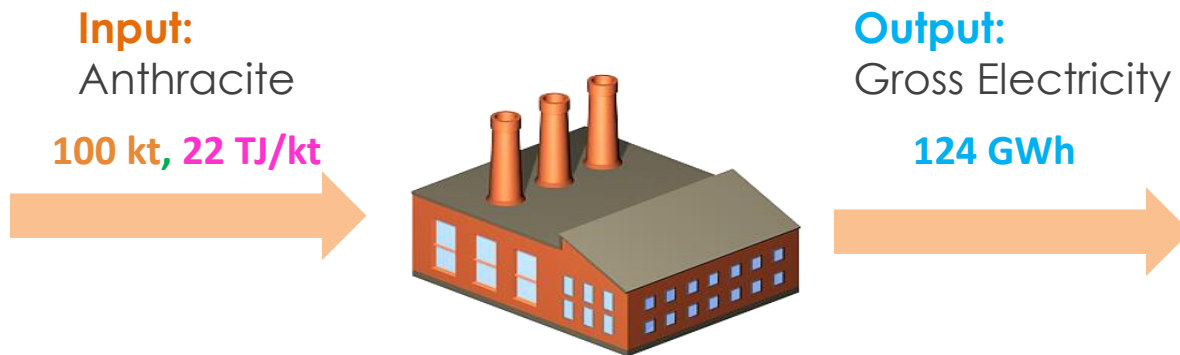
NCV shall:

- be in reference ranges for a given fuel (reliability)
- match NCVs given in the other AQs

Note: See more on CVs in “Fundamentals of Energy Statistics”-presentation, pages 9-11

Exercise 2: Gross electricity and heat production from combustible fuels 2/2

2008				MAIN ACTIVITY PRODUCER PLANTS		
Menu				ELECTRICITY (ONLY)	CHP	HEAT (ONLY)
FUELS			UNITS	A	B	C
ANTHRACITE	Fuel input	1	10 ³ t			
	Fuel input	2	TJ (NCV)			
	Elec. prod.	3	GWh			
	Heat prod.	4	TJ			



$$\text{Efficiency} = \frac{124 \text{ GWh} * 3.6 \text{ (TJ/GWh)}}{100\text{kt} * 22\text{(TJ/kt)}} = 20.3\%$$

Exercise 3: Electricity trade

Example: Exports of 1000 GWh electricity from Portugal to France transiting through Spain, would be reported as:

- Portugal: Exports 1000GWh to Spain
- Spain: Imports 1000GWh from Portugal and Exports 1000GWh to France
- France: Imports 1000GWh from Spain

IMPORTS BY ORIGIN AND EXPORTS BY DESTINATION					
Portugal					
2015		Report Electricity in Columns A and B (Unit = GWh)		Report Heat in Columns C and D (Unit = TJ)	
		IMPORTS A	EXPORTS B	IMPORTS C	EXPORTS D
Albania	1				
Armenia	2				
Austria	3				
Finland	16				
France	17	1 000			
Slovak Republic	44				
Slovenia	45				
Spain	46				
Sweden	47				

IMPORTS BY ORIGIN AND EXPORTS BY DESTINATION					
Spain					
2015		Report Electricity in Columns A and B (Unit = GWh)		Report Heat in Columns C and D (Unit = TJ)	
		IMPORTS A	EXPORTS B	IMPORTS C	EXPORTS D
Denmark	14				
Estonia	15				
Finland	16				
France	17		1 000		
Norway	38				
Poland	39				
Portugal	40	1 000			
Romania	41				
Russian Federation	42				

IMPORTS BY ORIGIN AND EXPORTS BY DESTINATION					
France					
2015		Report Electricity in Columns A and B (Unit = GWh)		Report Heat in Columns C and D (Unit = TJ)	
		IMPORTS A	EXPORTS B	IMPORTS C	EXPORTS D
Poland	39				
Portugal	40				
Romania	41				
Russian Federation	42				
Serbia	43				
Slovak Republic	44				
Slovenia	45				
Spain	46	1 000			
Sweden	47				

Exercise 4. Net maximum electrical capacity



$$\text{Capacity Factor} = \frac{\text{Actual Production}}{\text{Maximum Potential Production}} = \frac{\text{Actual Production}}{\text{Capacity} \times \text{Time}}$$

Example: A power plant using natural gas has nameplate electricity **capacity 1300MW** and **produces 4500GWh** of net electricity.

- We calculate first the maximum potential electricity production as: **Capacity x Time = 1300 MW *365*24/1000= 11388 GWh**
- We divide the net electricity that is produced by the plant with the maximum potential electricity production as: **4500 GWh/11388 GWh=39.5%**
- Capacity factor **39.5%**

- **Main activity producers** generate electricity/heat as **primary activity** vs **Autoproducers** generate electricity/heat as an **additional activity** (partly or wholly for their own use).
- For electricity: **Net production = Gross production - Own use**
- For Heat:
 - Main activity: **Net production = Gross production - Own use**
 - Autoproducers: **Net production = Gross production**
- **Generation efficiency = Output / Input (NCV)** and should always be **<100**
- **Capacity factor = Actual production / Maximum potential production**
 - **Maximum potential production = Capacity * 24 (hours) * 365 (days)**

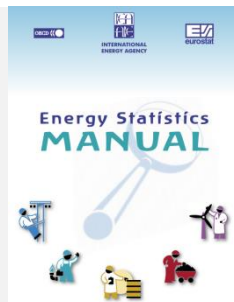
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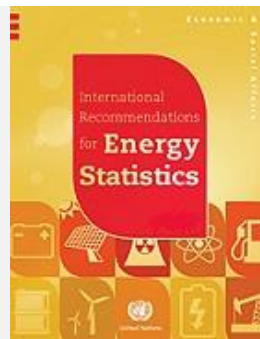
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