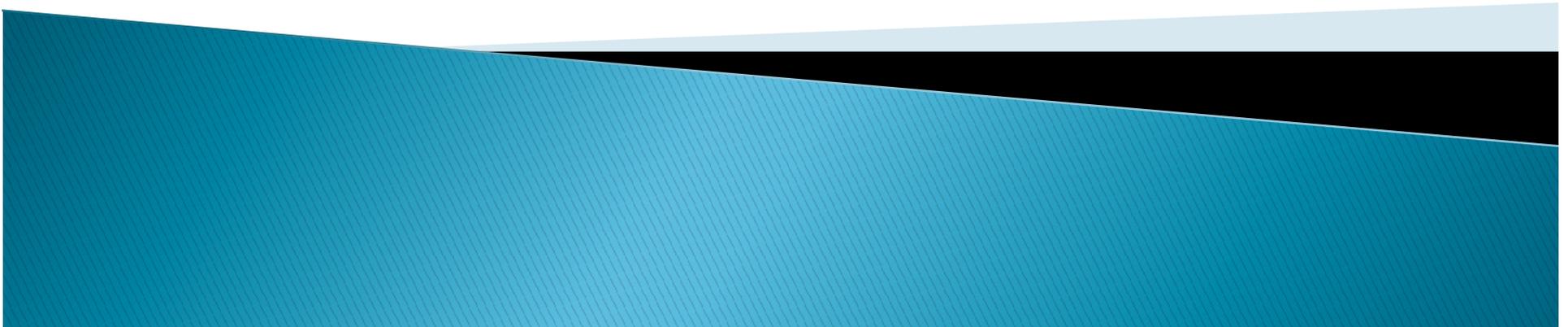


# Global Challenges in Energy India & UK

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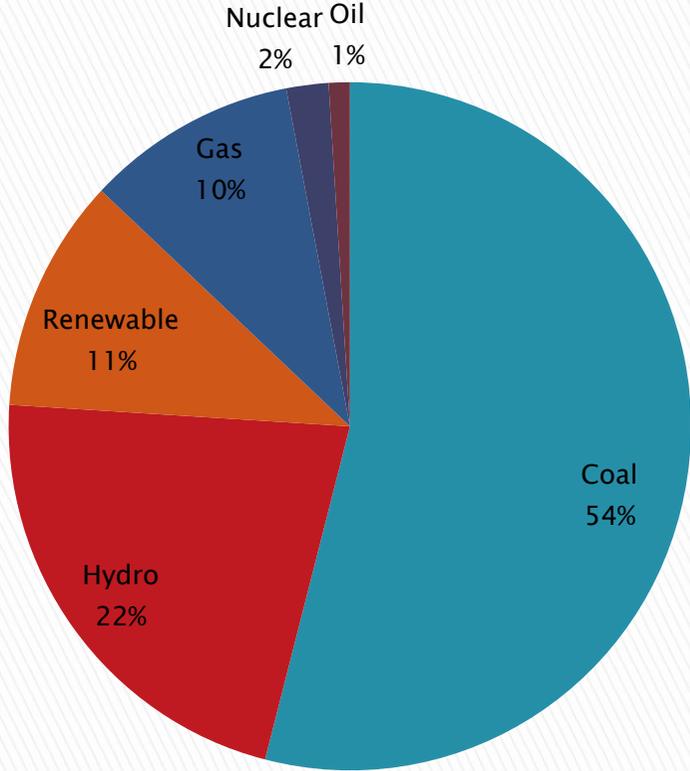


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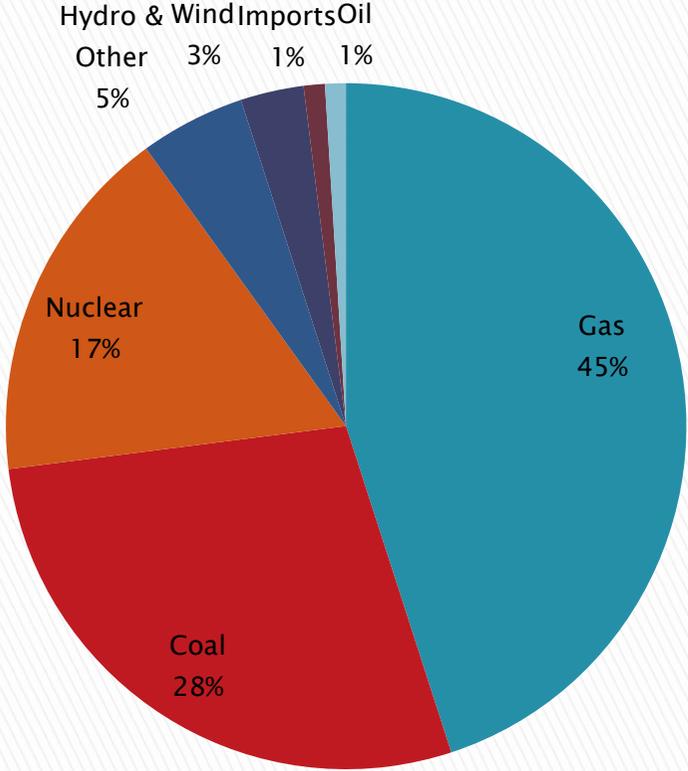
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# Current Energy Scenario



INDIA



UK

# Key Energy Issues Nationally

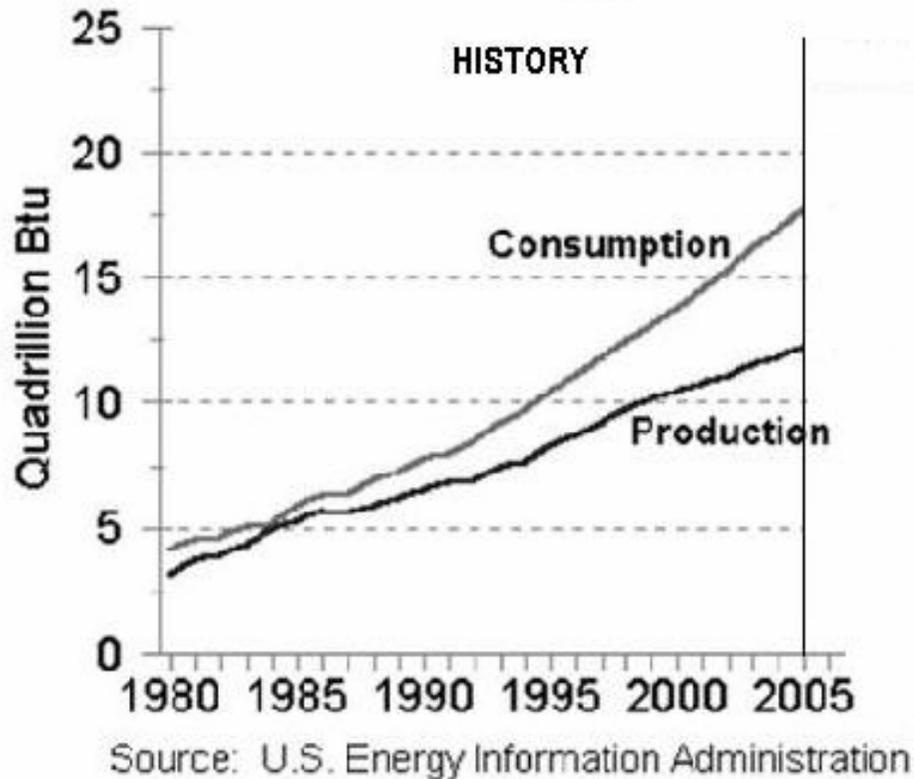
## India

- ▶ Demand Exceeds Supply
  - 'Power for All by 2012'
- ▶ Lack of Provision
  - 57% without access to electricity
- ▶ Inefficient Industrial Processes
- ▶ High CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions
- ▶ Rapidly Developing Economy
- ▶ High Population growth
- ▶ Affordability of energy

## UK

- ▶ De-commissioning of Old Power Plant
- ▶ CO<sub>2</sub> emissions targets
- ▶ Political Pressure for Energy Generation from Renewable Sources
- ▶ Energy Security
- ▶ Energy Poverty

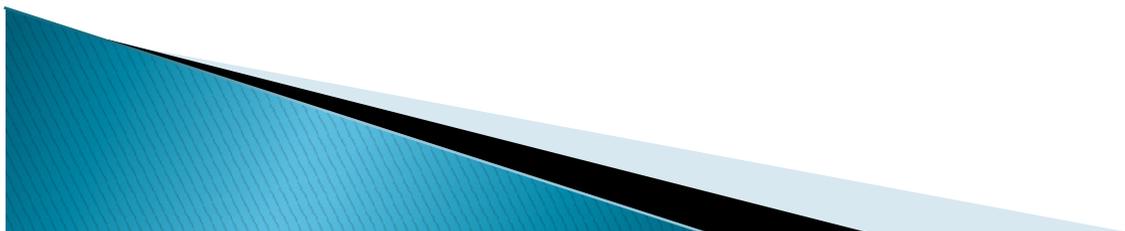
# Proposals for India



- ▶ Current generating capacity for India is insufficient to meet the demand
- ▶ Widening gap between supply and demand
- ▶ Government Target of 78,000 MW of additional capacity to provide 'Power for All by 2012' is very unlikely to be met

# Proposals for India

- ▶ Improvement of the centralised electricity generation system
  - More efficient coal power plants
  - Carbon Capture & Storage
  - More extensive network
- ▶ Increasing the use of alternative fuel sources
  - Renewables
  - Nuclear
- ▶ De-centralisation of generation for rural areas
  - Biomass Gasification
  - Solar-Thermal
  - Solar Photovoltaic
  - Hybrid Systems
- ▶ Increase in public awareness



# Proposals for India

Renewable Source	Potential Generating Capacity (MWs)
Biomass	19,500
Solar	20,000
Wind	47,000
Small Hydro	15,000
Ocean Energy	50,000

- ▶ India has a huge potential for electricity generation from renewable sources
- ▶ Total potential of 152,000 MW far greater than the current supply capability.



# Meeting India Energy gap

- ▶ 57% of Indian homes have no access to electricity
- ▶ 2.07 GW of energy gap currently
- ▶ It is estimated that an additional 3.4 GW gap of energy is expected by 2030.
- ▶ Therefore India needs a total capacity increase of 5.47GW
- ▶ If the electricity supply to rural areas is improved via this increase in supply we will see economic growth all across India



# Proposals for India

## Short term solution (<5yrs)

- ▶ Solar
- ▶ Natural gas
- ▶ Biomass
- ▶ Small hydro plant

## Long term solution (2030)

- ▶ Nuclear Plant
- ▶ Coal Plant with Carbon Capture & Storage
- ▶ Renewables
- ▶ Large hydro plant

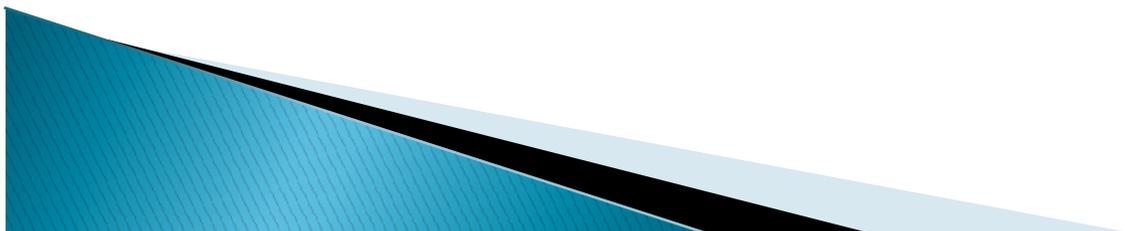
# Proposals for UK

- ▶ Loss of generating capacity through coal and nuclear plant decommissioning leaves a predicted shortfall in capacity of approximately 16 GW in 2030
- ▶ Alternative energy sources are required
  - Coal Power Plant with developed CCS
  - Combined Cycle Gas Plant (CCGT) – improved efficiency
  - New Nuclear builds
  - Renewable – biomass co-firing, wind, hydro
- ▶ Further development of technology is required in some cases



# Proposals for UK

- ▶ In rural areas intermittent energy supply and lack of gas supply create problems
- ▶ De-centralisation of energy supply in these areas could help
  - Biomass gasification
  - Solar for heat and power
  - Combined Heat and Power (CHP)

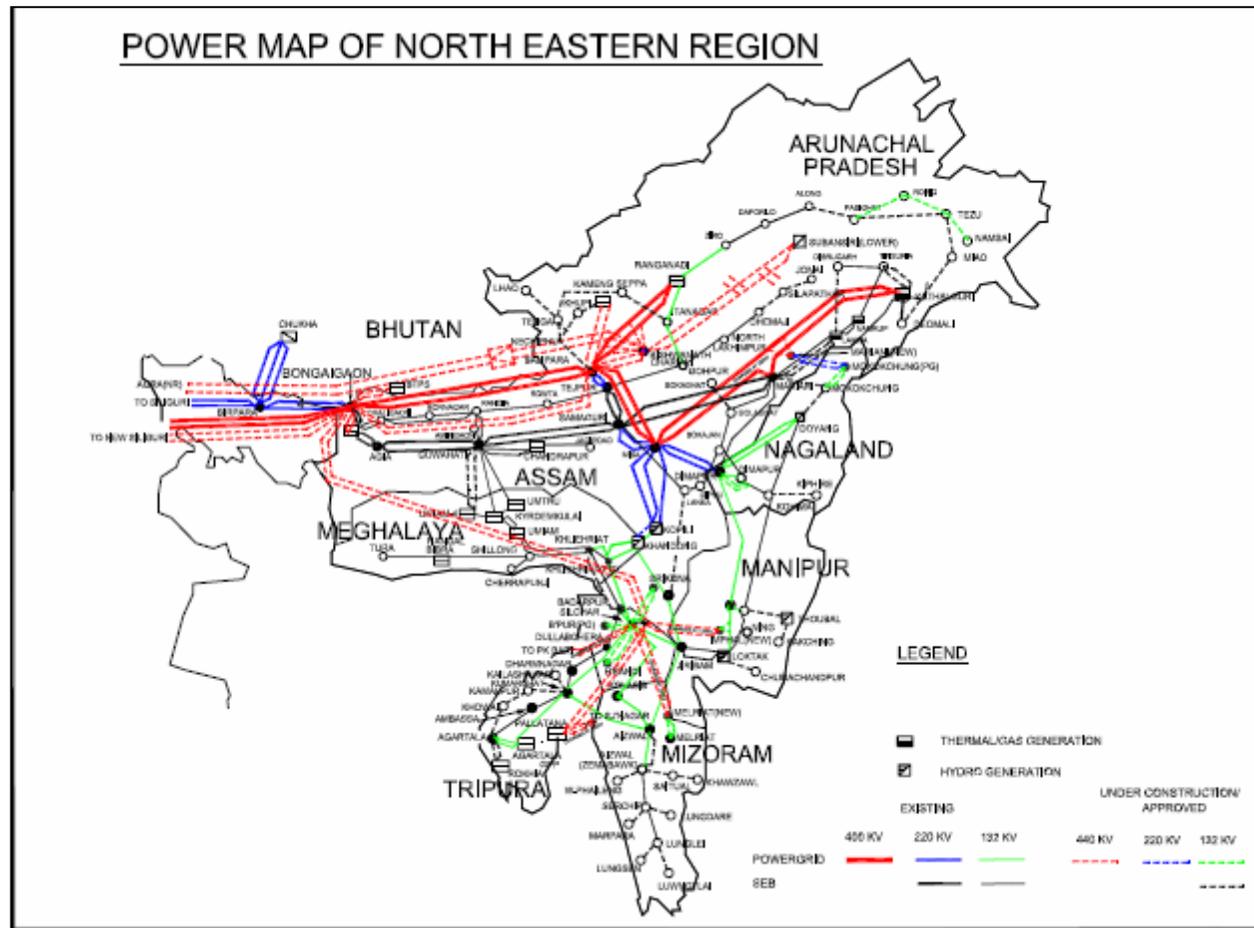


# Regional Case Study: Assam, India

- ▶ Population: 31,169,272
- ▶ The gross domestic product of Assam was estimated at Rs.  $5.78 \times 10^7$  in 2010.
- ▶ Average temperature is 30°C.
- ▶ Total installation capacity of power is 423.5 MW (31.03.2011).
- ▶ Deterioration of ecology due to deforestation to build mega hydro power plants.
- ▶ Elevated pollution with the increase in population and transportation.



# Regional Case Study: Assam, India



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## – Proposals

- ▶ Installation of
  - Micro hydal power plants
  - Solar power plants
  - Solar thermal–biomass hybrid power plants
  - Biomass gasification plants for combined heat and power
- Increase in the number of CNG powered vehicles



# Regional Case Study: Greater London, UK

- ▶ Densely populated city with an approximate population of 7.8 million in 2009
- ▶ CO<sub>2</sub> emissions were recorded at 46,400 kilo tonnes in 2009
- ▶ Total electricity demand in 2009 was 41,814 GWh
- ▶ Increasing development and population growth is likely to lead to greater demand for electricity and further carbon dioxide emissions
- ▶ Large emissions from public transport
- ▶ Location creates problems for obtaining electricity supply locally



# Regional Case Study: Greater London, UK – Proposals

- ▶ Additional supply network to cater for increased future demand
  - Import energy from other regions of the UK
  - Renewable sources where possible
- ▶ Encourage public transport to “go green” via utilisation of biofuels and electric vehicles
- ▶ Self-sufficient supply for London-based companies
  - Solar panels
  - Combined Heat and Power
- ▶ General increase in public awareness of energy savings
  - decreasing the demand through education
  - Smart Grids



# Summary

- ▶ Both India and the UK face significant energy challenges
- ▶ The scale of the energy challenges differ dramatically
  - Power for all in India
  - De-carbonisation of the energy sector for UK
- ▶ To ensure security of supply in the long-term future renewable energies will play an important role – we must start now!

