



# Renewable Energy Solutions for the Manufacturing Industries in Ghana

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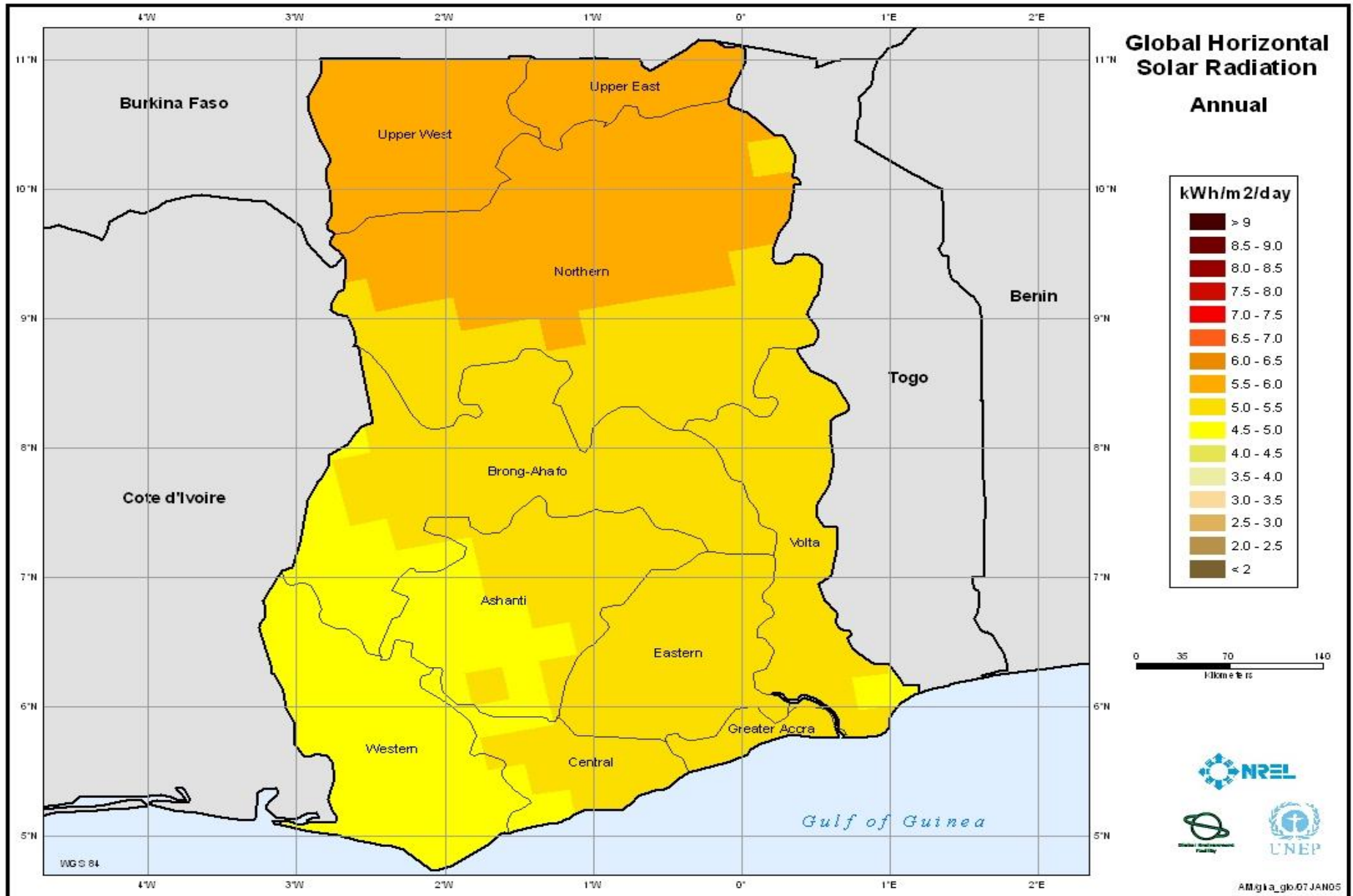
- ❑ Landmass - 238,535km<sup>2</sup>
- ❑ Boundaries - Ivory Coast (West), Burkina Faso (North), Togo (East) and Gulf of Guinea (South)
- ❑ GDP - 42.69Billion USD (2016)
- ❑ GDP per Capita - 1,513 USD (2016)
- ❑ Population - 27million
- ❑ Traditional Exports - Cocoa Beans, Mineral Ore, Timber Logs, Fresh Fish and Fresh Yam
- ❑ Non Traditional Exports - All other exports except the above



# A BRIEF ON GHANA<sup>3</sup>

□ Installed Capacity	-	4,400MW
□ Conventional Power	-	4,370MW
✓ Hydro	-	1,550MW
✓ Thermal	-	2,790MW
□ Renewable Energy	-	23MW

# SOLAR RESOURCE MAP FOR GHANA



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# GHANA'S POWER SECTOR (Before Reforms)



Ministry of Energy



**VOLTA RIVER AUTHORITY**

**Generation**

Generating Station



Generating Step Up Transformer

**Transmission**

Transmission Lines

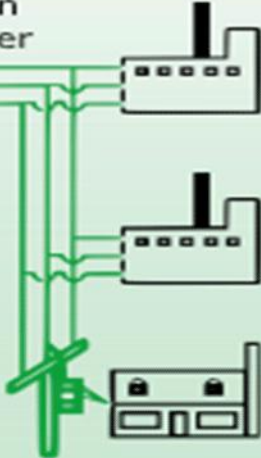


Transmission Customer



**Distribution**

Substation Step Down Transformer



Industrial Customer

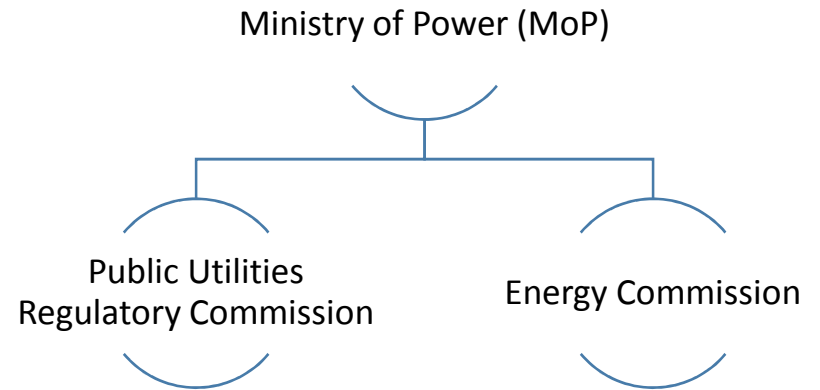
Commercial Customer

Residential Customer



# GHANA'S POWER SECTOR AFTER REFORMS

- LI 1934
- LI 1935
- LI 1937
- RE Act 832



## VRA + IPPs



Generation

Generating Station



Generating Step Up Transformer



Transmission

Transmission Lines



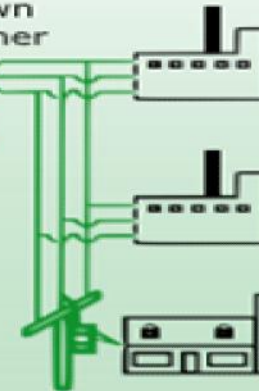
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## ECG + NEDCo + EPC



Distribution

Substation Step Down Transformer



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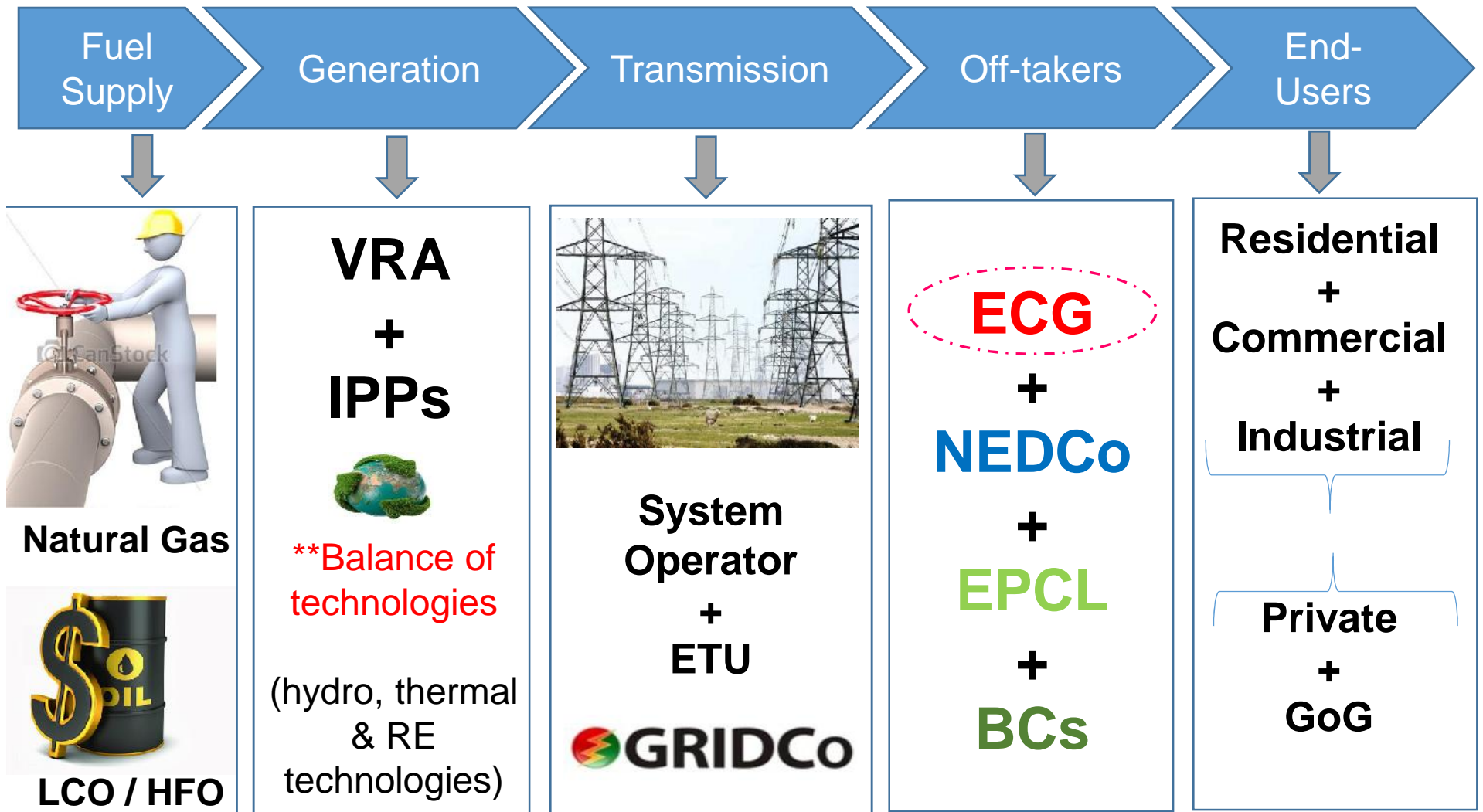


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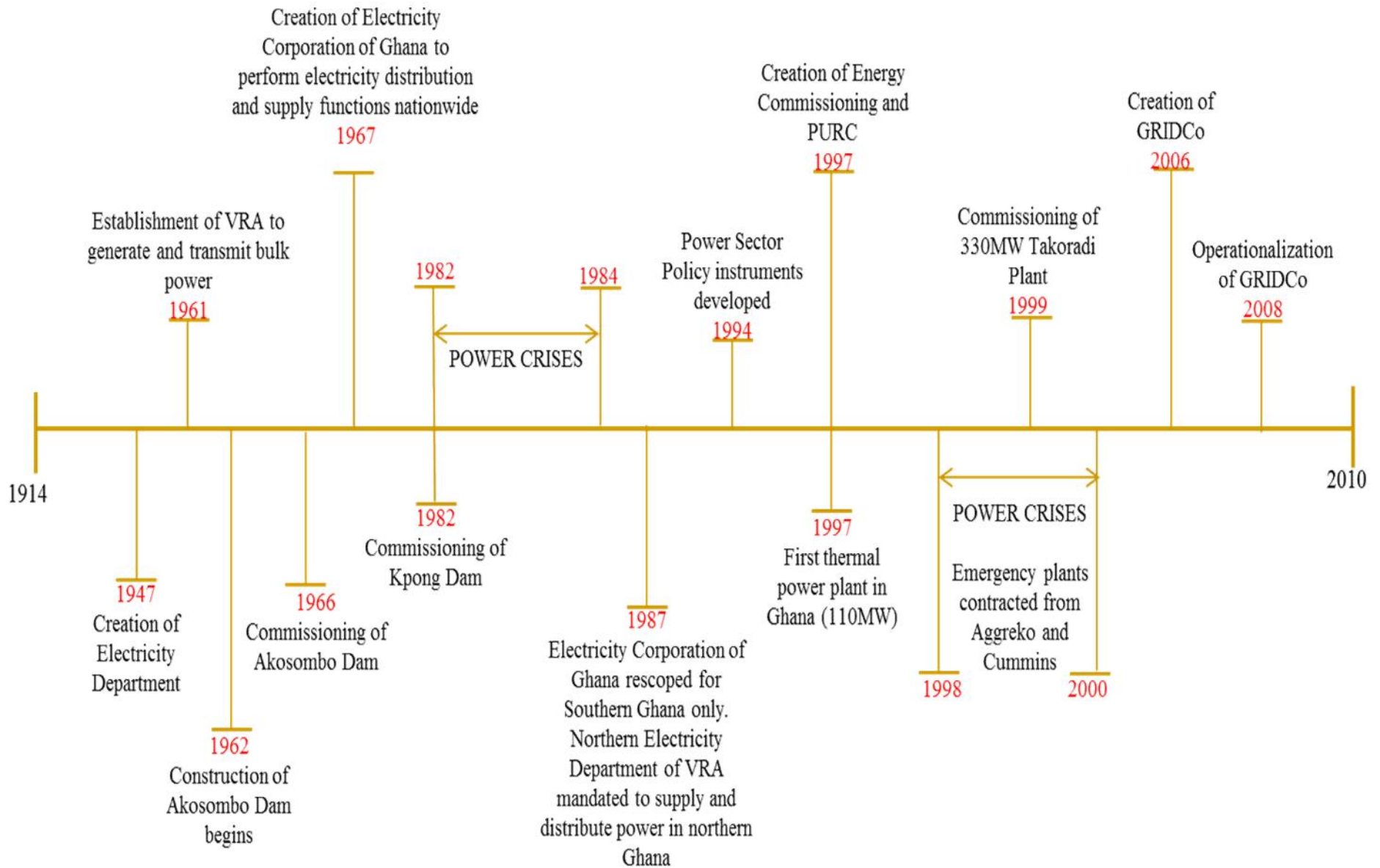
# ELECTRICITY GENERATION & SUPPLY CHAIN



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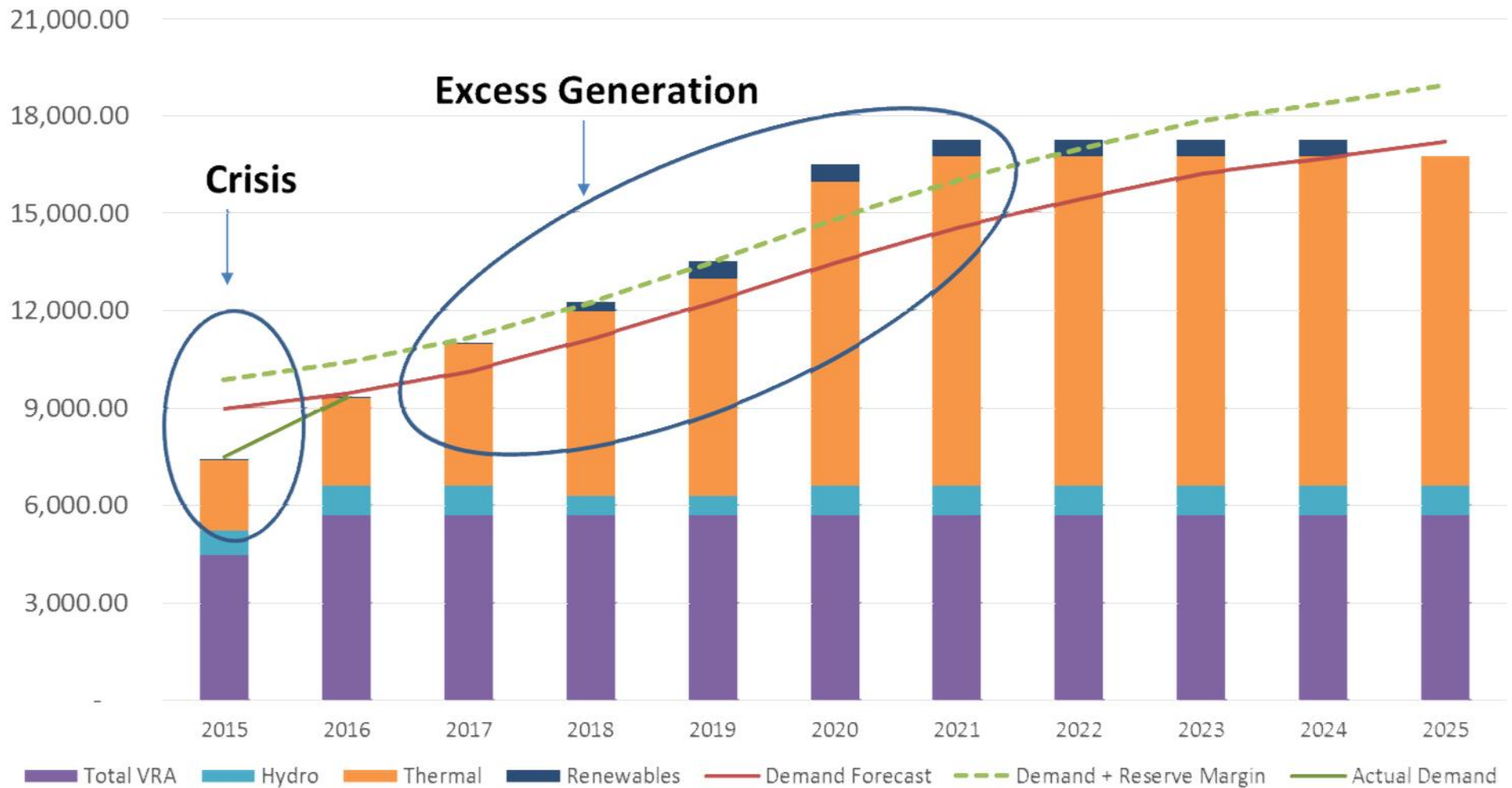
## GHANA'S POWER GENERATION CAPACITY AND POWER PRODUCTION

PLANT TYPE	PLANT NAME	INSTALLED CAPACITY (MW)	DEPENDABLE CAPACITY (MW)	PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL DEPENDABLE CAPACITY (%)
HYDRO	Akosombo	1,020	375	22.5%
	Kpong	160	105	
	Bui GS	400	180	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1,580</b>	<b>660</b>	
THERMAL	T1	330	300	76.9%
	T2	330	320	
	TT1PP	126	100	
	KTPP	200	180	
	Sunon-Asogli (Phase 1)	200	180	
	Sunon Asogli Phase II Project	360	300	
	MRP	80	40	
	TT2PP	50	30	
	CENIT Power Plant	106	100	
	VRA/AMERI Energy Power	250	230	
	Karpower Barge-1	450	215	
	Aksa Enerji	250	220	
	Trojan I	18	12	
	Trojan II	40	32	
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,790</b>	<b>2,259</b>		
RENEWABLES	VRA Solar Power Plant-Phase 1	2.5	2.5	0.6%
	BXC Solar	20	16	
	Safisana	0.1	0.1	
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>19</b>	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>4,392</b>	<b>2,938</b>	<b>100%</b>
	<i>Peak Demand (MW)</i>		<b>2,329</b>	
	<i>Difference / Shortfall or Excess</i>		<b>609</b>	



# ENERGY BALANCE (2015-2025)

## DEMAND AND SUPPLY ANALYSIS (GWh)



# OPERATIONAL PROJECTS

## ☐ 20MW Solar Power Plant installed at Winneba

- The largest in W/A
- 2.5MW Solar Farm in Northern Ghana
- Construction of Additional 20MW has began

## ☐ 0.1MW Bio-Gas Plant at Ashaiman, Tema

## ☐ Pilot Implementation of 0.5MW Tidal Project at Ada

- Project to be scaled up to 10MW
- Highly Competitive tariff of US Cents 10/kWh

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# PROJECT EXPECTATIONS

- ❑ 150MW wind power project
- ❑ 100MW of solar
- ❑ 80MW of biomass
- ❑ 10MW of wave (pilot underway)

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# STATUS OF RE POLICIES & NEXT STEPS

## □ RE Law and Associated Policies

### ✓ RE Purchase Obligations (REPOs)

- ✓ 10% of total electricity consumption shall emanate from REs
- ✓ What are the technology mix envisaged
- ✓ Technology caps introduced

### ✓ Implementation of FiTs

- ✓ Adherence to the published rates
- ✓ 10year versus 20year guaranteed FiT issue requires resolution
- ✓ What are the forms of credit enhancements
- ✓ Are subsidies required to make projects work?



# STATUS OF RE POLICIES & NEXT STEPS

## ❑ Net Metering Code

- ✓ Approved by the regulators to encourage own generation & roof top solars
- ✓ Two way meters now available
- ✓ Framework under discussion
- ✓ Industry could benefit from it
- ✓ Scheme requires careful thinking to avoid adverse impact of power distribution
  - ❖ Energy for own use
  - ❖ Energy for Energy?
  - ❖ Are tariffs required?

## ❑ RE Code

- ✓ Under full implementation
- ✓ Supporting the role of IPPs



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# OPTIONS FOR DECENTRALIZED ENERGY SUPPLY<sup>1</sup>

## □ Microgrids

- ✓ A feasible solution to be explored
- ✓ Off-grid solutions to power supply

## □ Storage systems

- ✓ Recent technologies and innovation
- ✓ To create reliability

## □ Issues

- ✓ Legislation and regulatory framework
  - Clarity policy (who should benefit)
  - Sustainability



# OPTIONS FOR DECENTRALIZED ENERGY SUPPLY<sup>2</sup>

- ❑ Unbundling of electricity rates
  - ✓ Wires business (capacity charge)
  - ✓ Energy Charge (flow through)
  
- ❑ Electricity Consumption Pattern (Load Duration Curve)
  - ✓ Can time of use help reshape it?
  
- ❑ Partnerships are very much encouraged
  - ✓ Capacity building
  - ✓ Technology drive



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# CONCLUSION

Ghana is preparing for .....

To embrace meaningful solutions to electricity supply through

✓ Clean energy

✓ Price competitiveness and sustainability

Industry is being encouraged to .....

Take advantage of these opportunities

✓ To support Ghana's development in renewable energy

✓ And help to strengthen the electricity market for national growth and stability





**THANK YOU**