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# Electricity Markets in the Eastern Partner Countries: Potentials and Challenges from a Regional Perspective

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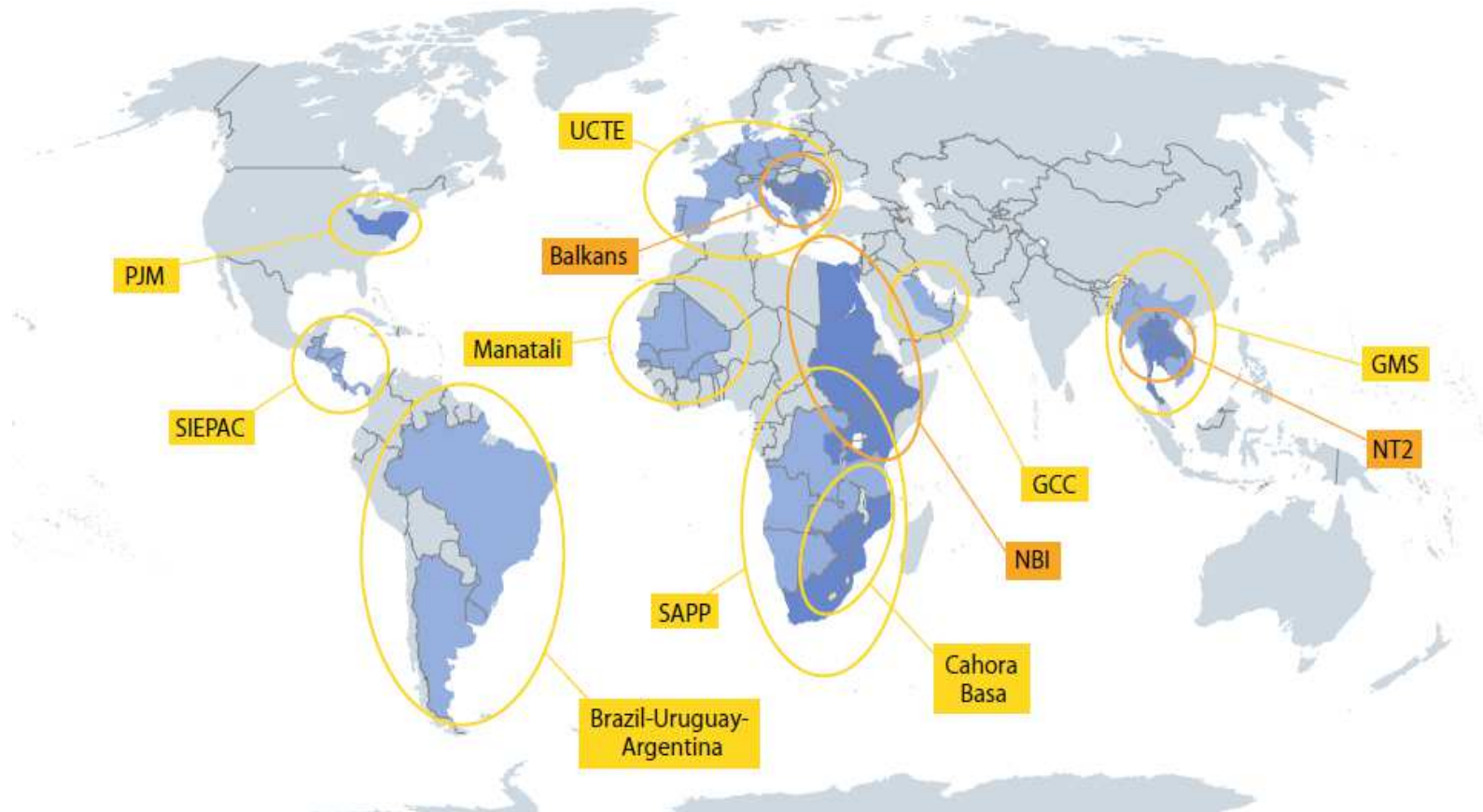
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# Regional Markets – We are not alone



Source: Regional Power Sector Integration, ESMAP, IBRD/WB, 2010



# Various degrees of integration – A work in progress



Area of Regional Cooperation	Inter-connectivity	Trading Arrangements	Harmonisation	Planning and Investment	Examples
<b>Interconnection</b>	Typically starts with 2 countries, later a wider interconnected grid	Long-term bilateral PPAs	Simple rules agreed for the operation of the interconnected system	National planning and investment	Cahora Bassa, Manantali, NT2, GMS, Argentina-Brazil, GCC
<b>Integration - Shallow</b>	Interconnected grid involving a number of neighboring countries	Long-term bilateral PPAs with short-term markets	Harmonisation of rules, grid codes and transmission tariff	Some coordination of national investments with optimised regional investment plan	SAPP, SIEPAC
<b>Integration - Deep</b>	Full synchronous operation of a multi-country interconnected system	Competition achieved through a range of markets (spot, day-ahead, transmission capacity auctions, etc.)	Regional regulatory agencies, systems and markets operators	Regional integration body empowered to required investments in agreed regional plan to be implemented	PJM, ENTSO-E (former UCTE), SEE

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# Regional Integration Benefits

Higher efficiency and (hopefully) lower environmental costs

- Efficient and environmental friendly generation replaces less efficient generation

Increase power system security

- larger systems are more robust against system contingencies if control areas are well coordinated

Increase security of supply

- primary energy sources are more diversified

Increase competition in generation and supply

- Wholesale market (increase size of the relevant market)
- Retail market (higher possibilities to choose supplier)

# Regional Integration Barriers

## Political and institutional barriers

- Political borders, national security, public opposition,
- Poor institutional structure, internal disunity, differing political systems, powerful interest groups, corruption

## Natural and technical barriers

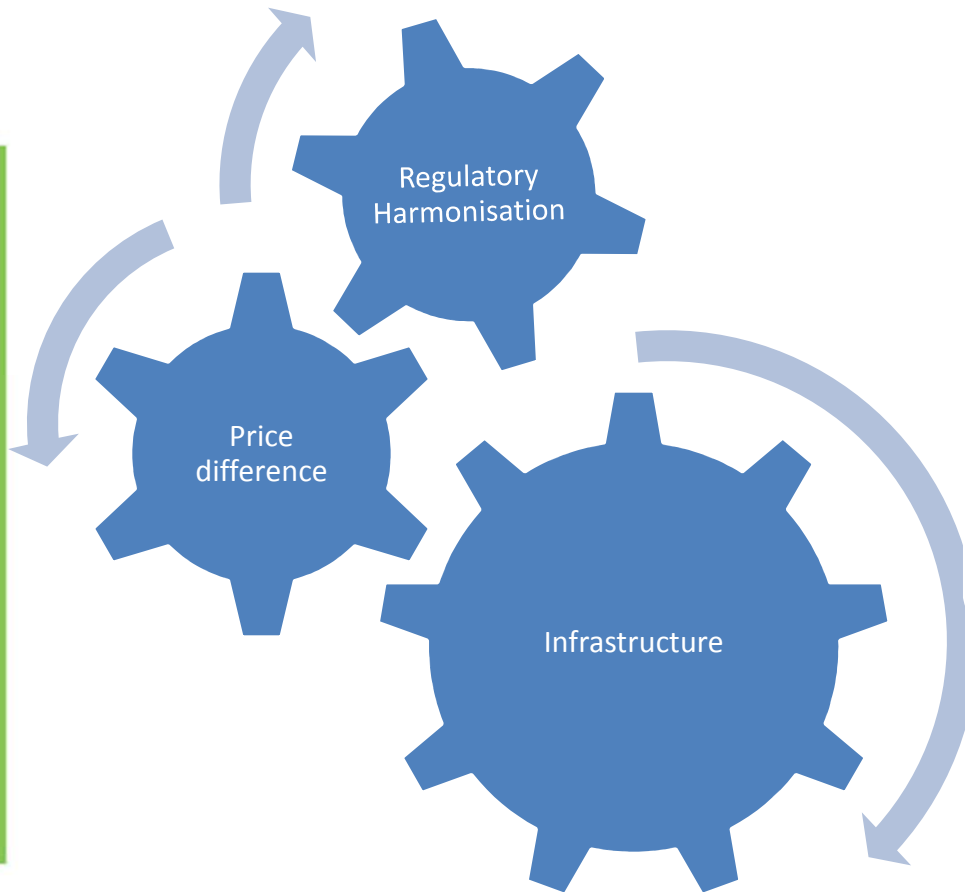
- Technical and economic feasibility of interconnection of transmission lines influenced by factors such as geography (distance, terrain)
- Barriers to trade i.e. lack of harmonisation on network access, pricing and congestion management, concentration, transparency and market structure (i.e. government restrictions, taxes & duties)

## Environmental barriers

- important in the case of hydropower projects (displacements of population and disruption of natural ecosystems) and lengthy multinational transmission projects



# Important elements to consider ...



## Infrastructure

- Generation Adequacy
- Transmission (incl. cross-border capacity)

## Price Differences

- Cost of generation
- Peak demand coincidence

## Regulatory Harmonisation (EREG 2006)

- Network operations
- Network capacity and investments
- Network access
- Transmission charging
- Market rules compatibility
- Network maintenance
- Cooperation between TSOs
- Transparency & Information exchange





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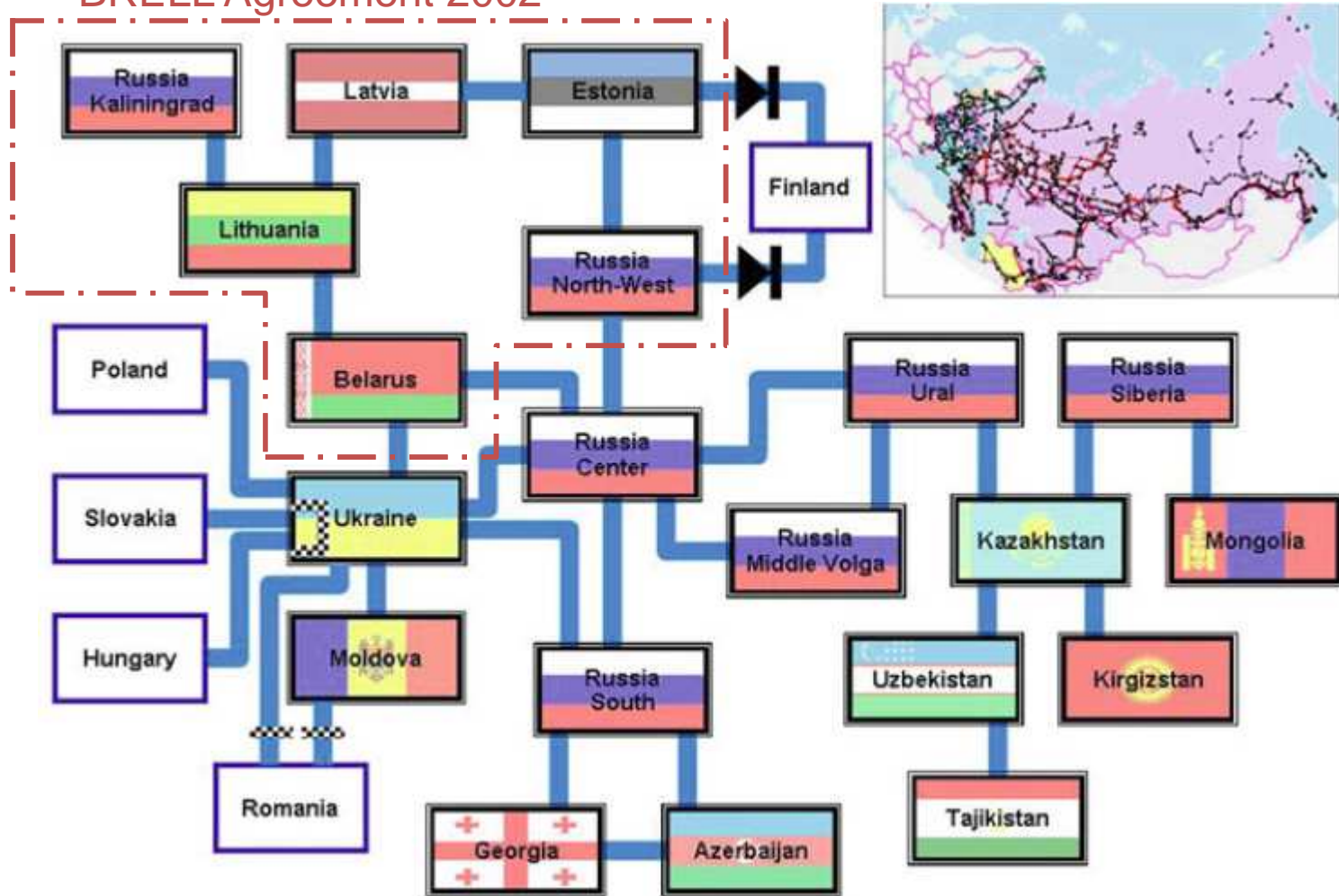


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# The structure of IPS/UPS and neighboring countries

BRELL Agreement 2002



Source: C. Rehtanz et al. 2014 & own BRELL representation

# ENTSO-E to IPS/UPS Interface tie-lines



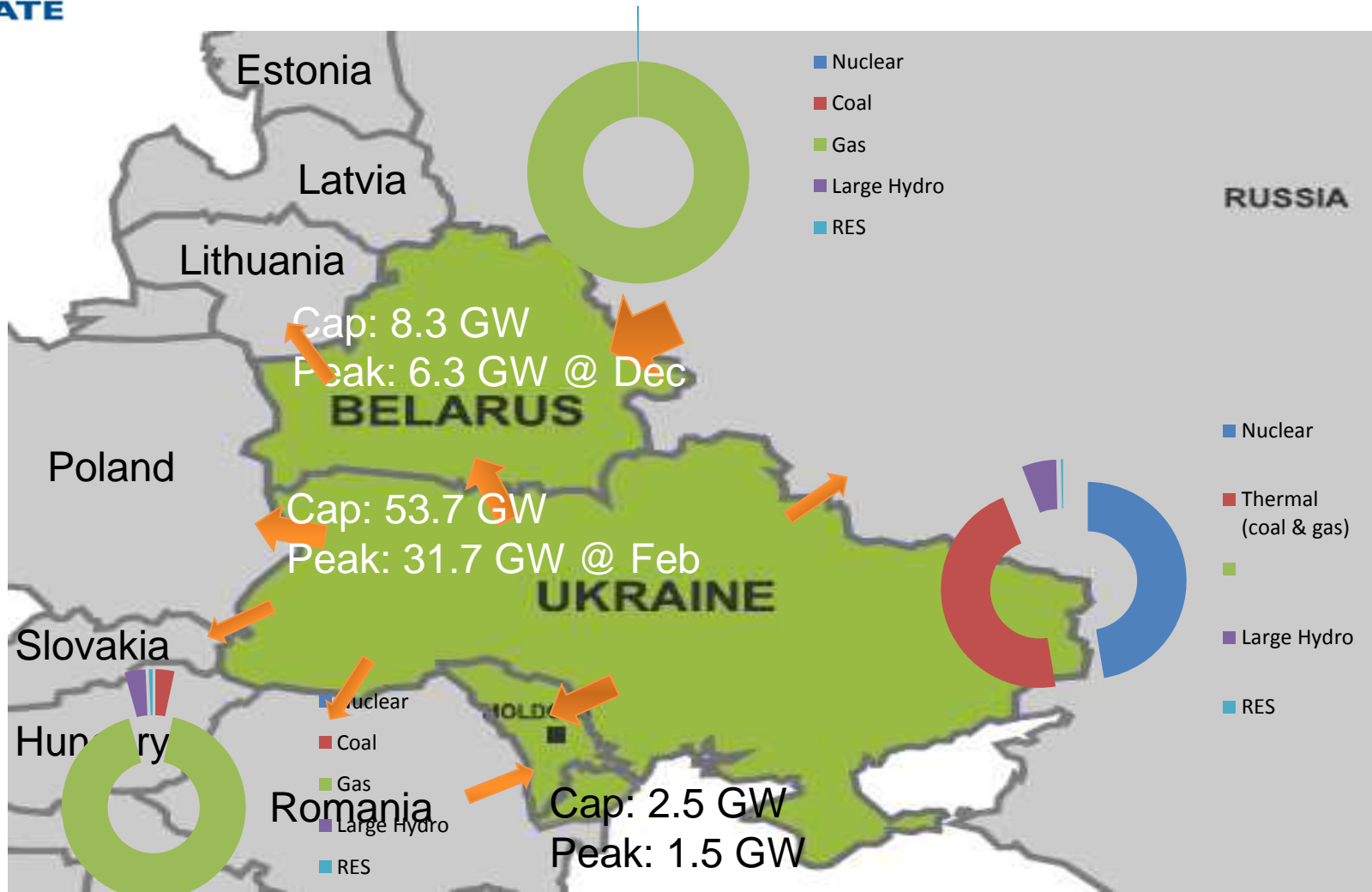
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ENTSO-E CE Substation	Country	IPS/UPS Substation	Country	Voltage (kV)
Rzeszow	Poland	Khmelnitska NPP	Ukraine	750
Vel'ke Kapusany	Slovakia	Mukachevo	Ukraine	400
Sajoszeged	Hungary	Mukachevo	Ukraine	400
Albertirsa	Hungary	Zakhidnoukrainska	Ukraine	750
Kisvarda	Hungary	Mukachevo	Ukraine	220
Tiszalok	Hungary	Mukachevo	Ukraine	220
Rosiori	Romania	Mukachevo	Ukraine	400
Isaccea	Romania	Pivdennoukrainska NPP	Ukraine	750
Isaccea	Romania	Vulkaneshty	Moldova	400
Elk	Poland	Alytus	Lithuania	400
Bialystok	Poland	Ross	Belarus	220
Zamosc	Poland	Dobrotvirska	Ukraine	220
Dobrudja	Bulgaria	Vulkanesti	Moldova	400

# Eastern Europe – Basic info



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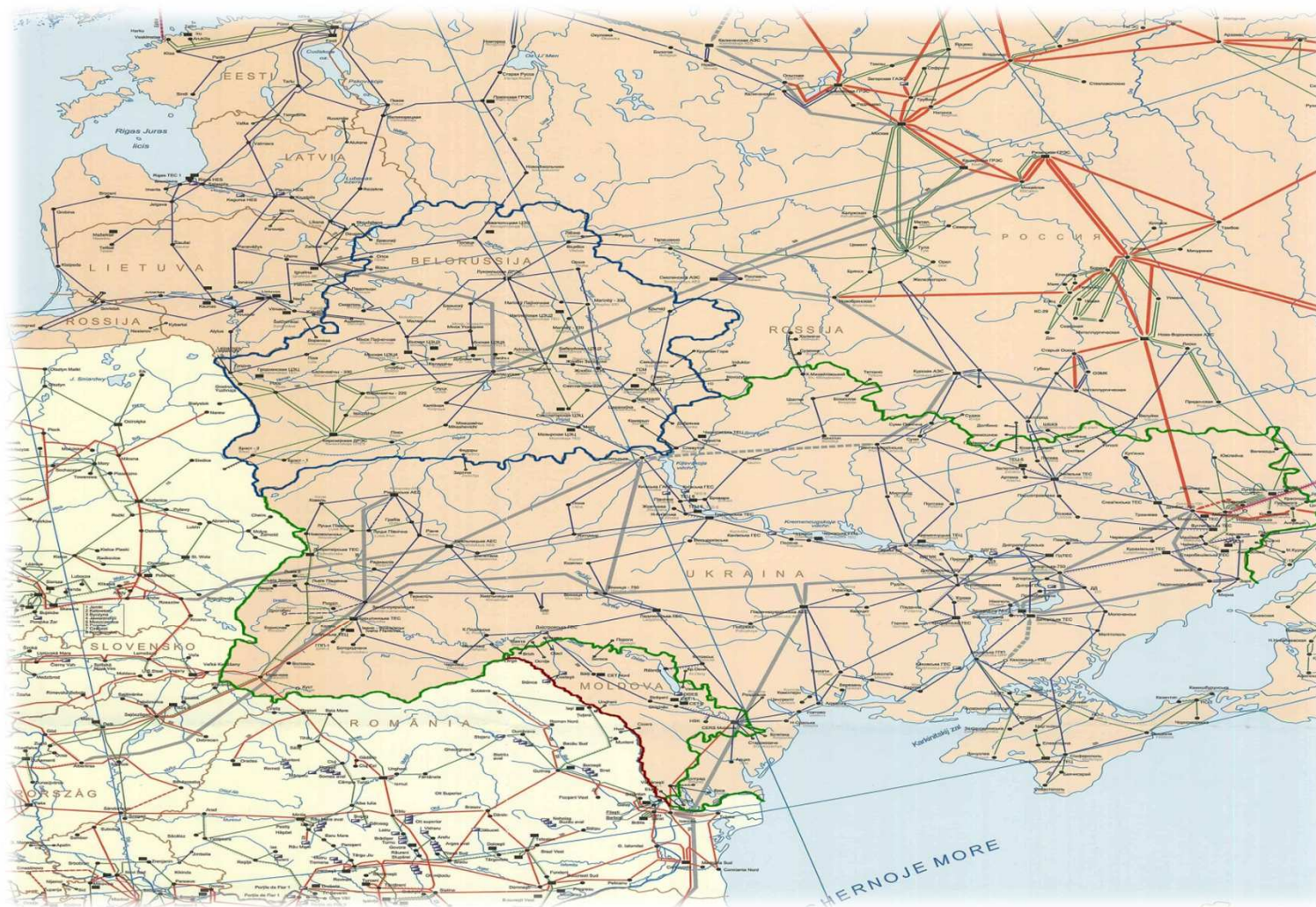
Moldova: own data/estimates



# Eastern Europe – Grid Map



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# Eastern Europe – SO & MO Functions



## Belarus

BELENERGO  
(Vertically  
Integrated)

## Ukraine

NEC  
Ukrenergo

Energorynok

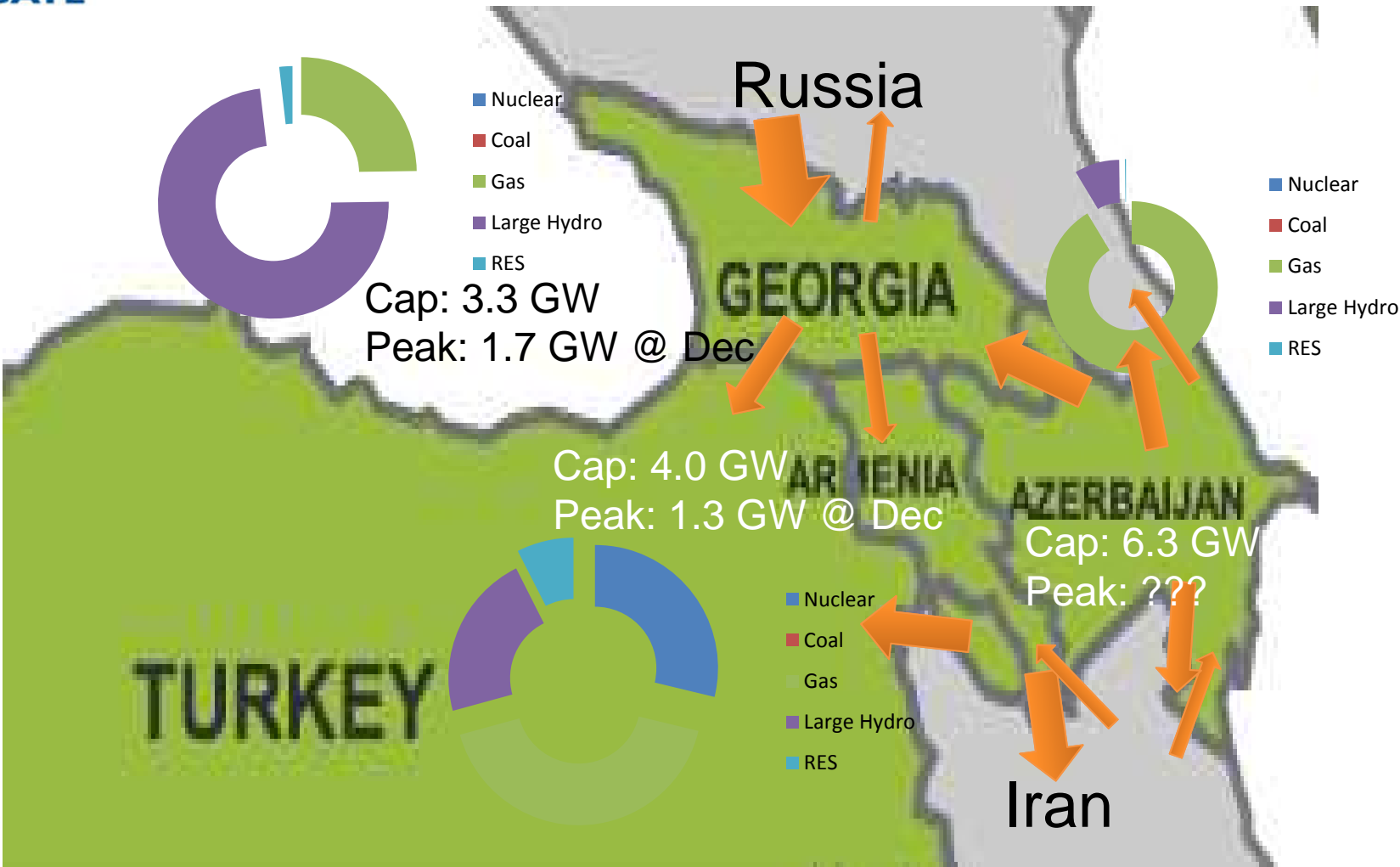
## Moldova

Moldelectrica

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# Caucasus – Basic Info



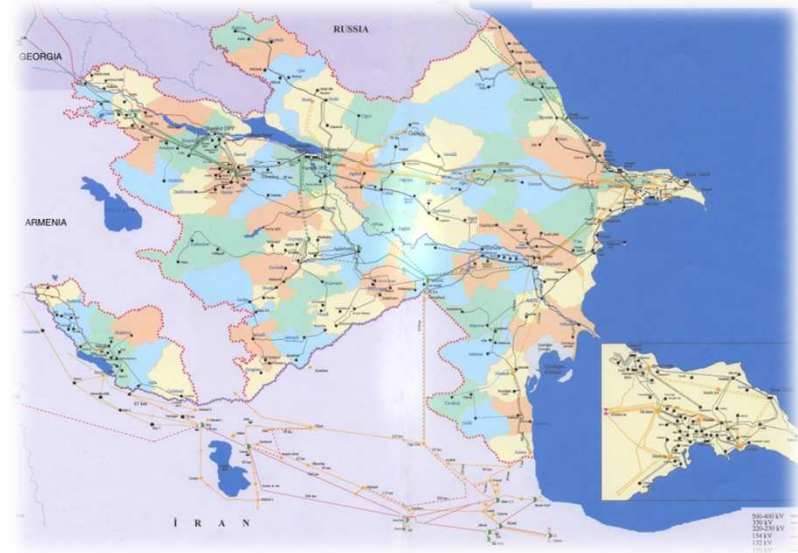
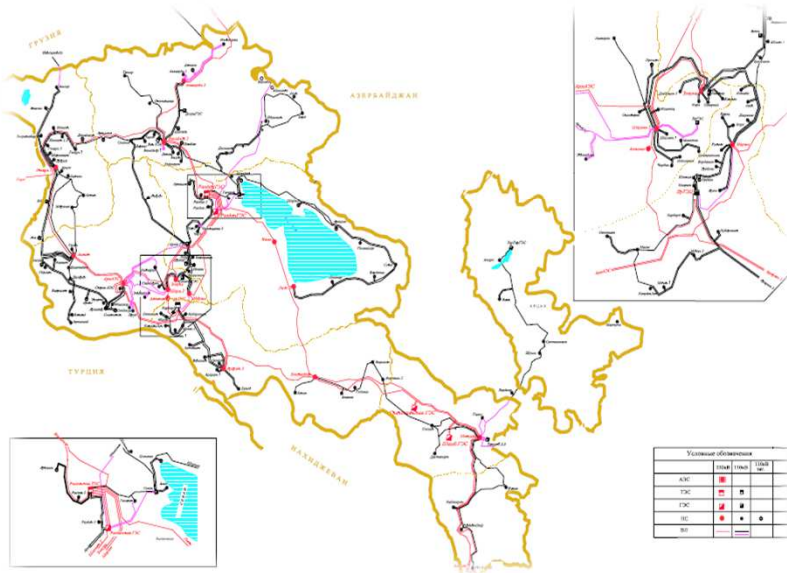
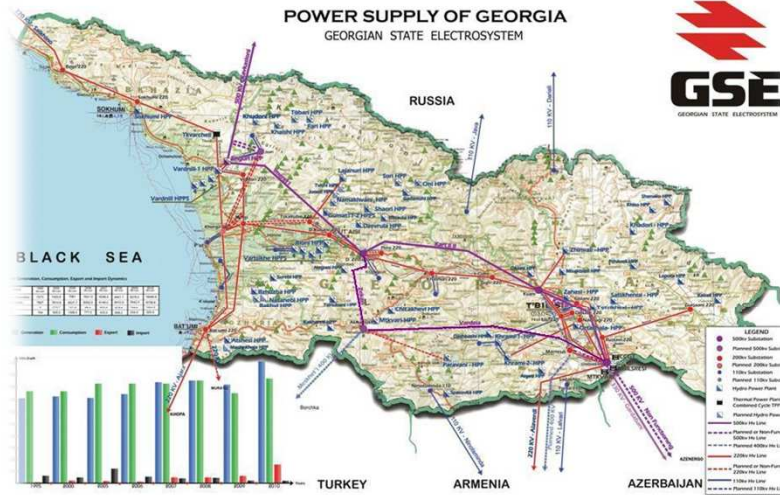
Azerbaijan: own data/estimates exc. Capacity/energy mix



# Caucasus – Grid Map(s)



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# Caucasus– SO & MO Functions



## Azerbaijan

AZERENERGY  
(Vertically  
Integrated)

## Georgia

GSE

ESCO

## Armenia

CJSC "Power  
System  
Operator"

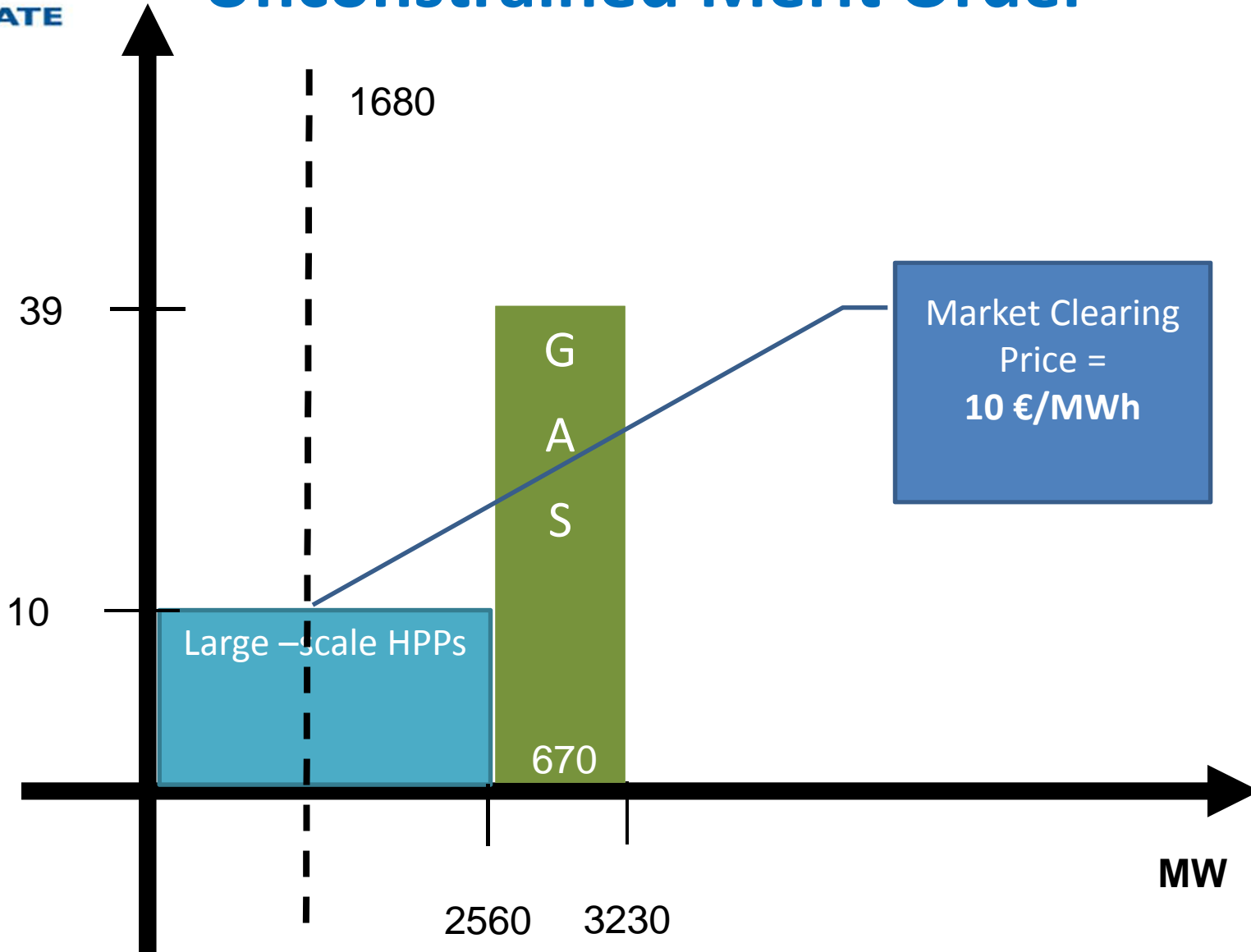
Settlement  
Center CJSC

# Caucasus Price Discovery – Georgia

## Unconstrained Merit Order



€/MWh



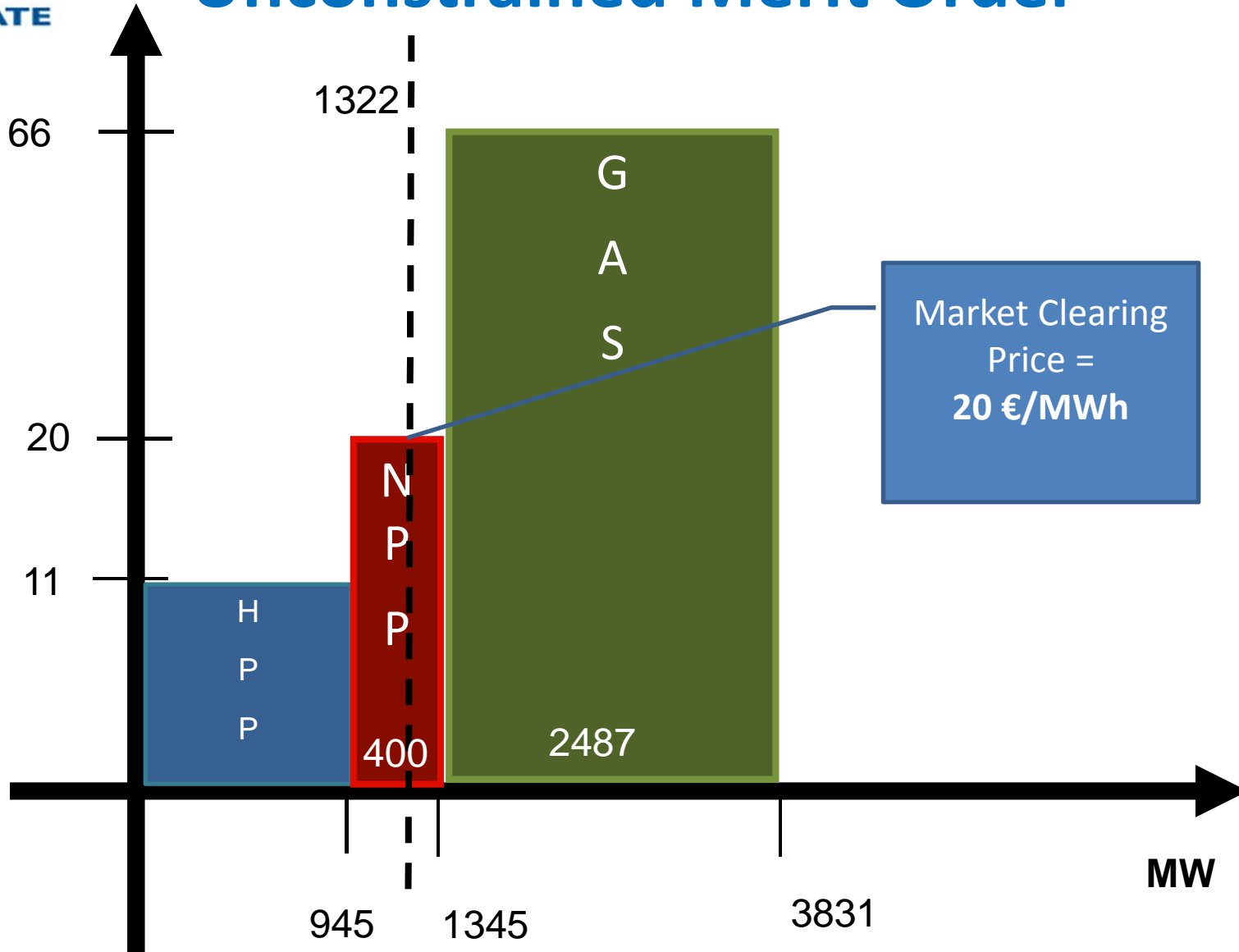


# Caucasus Price Discovery – Armenia

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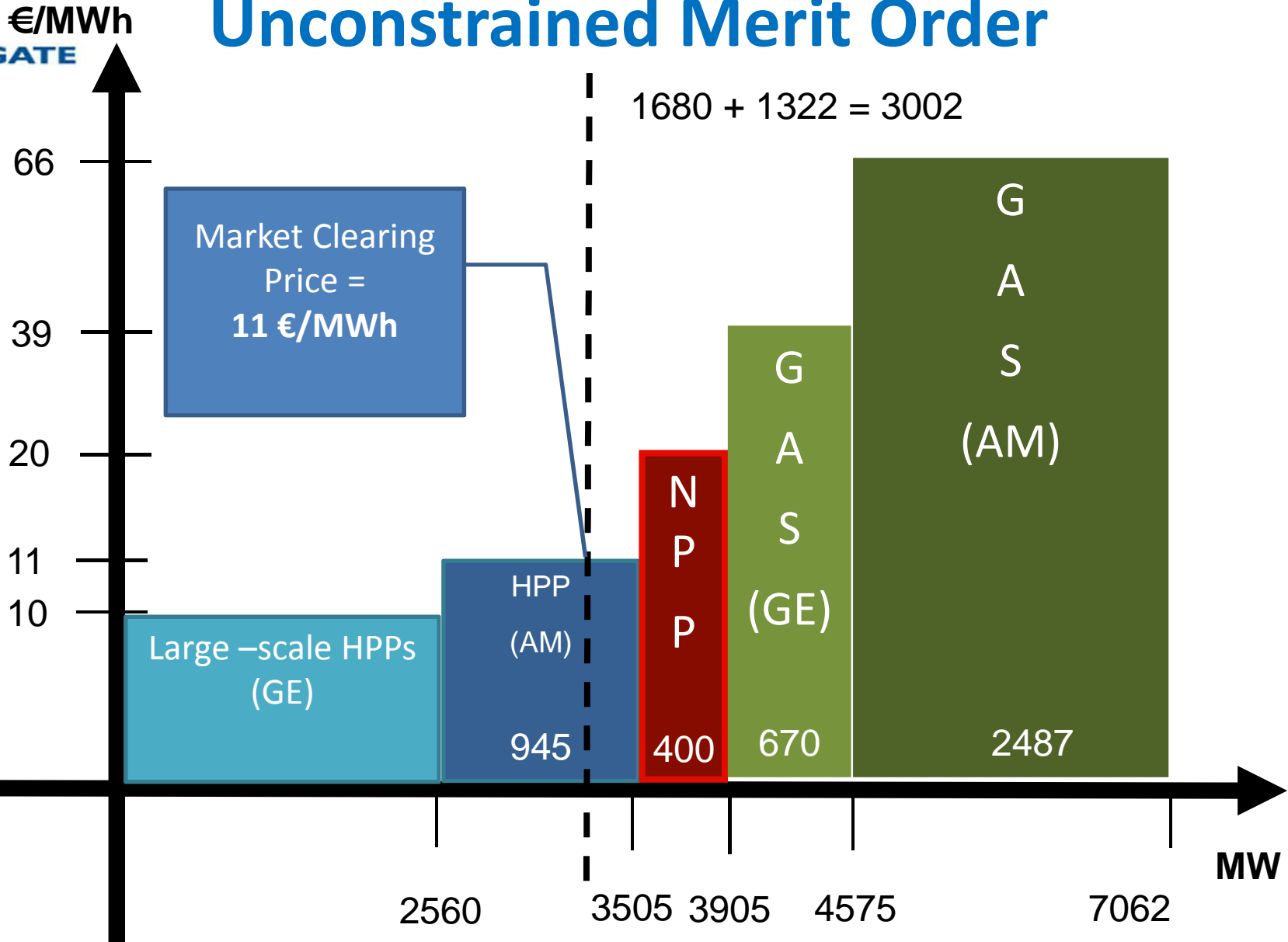


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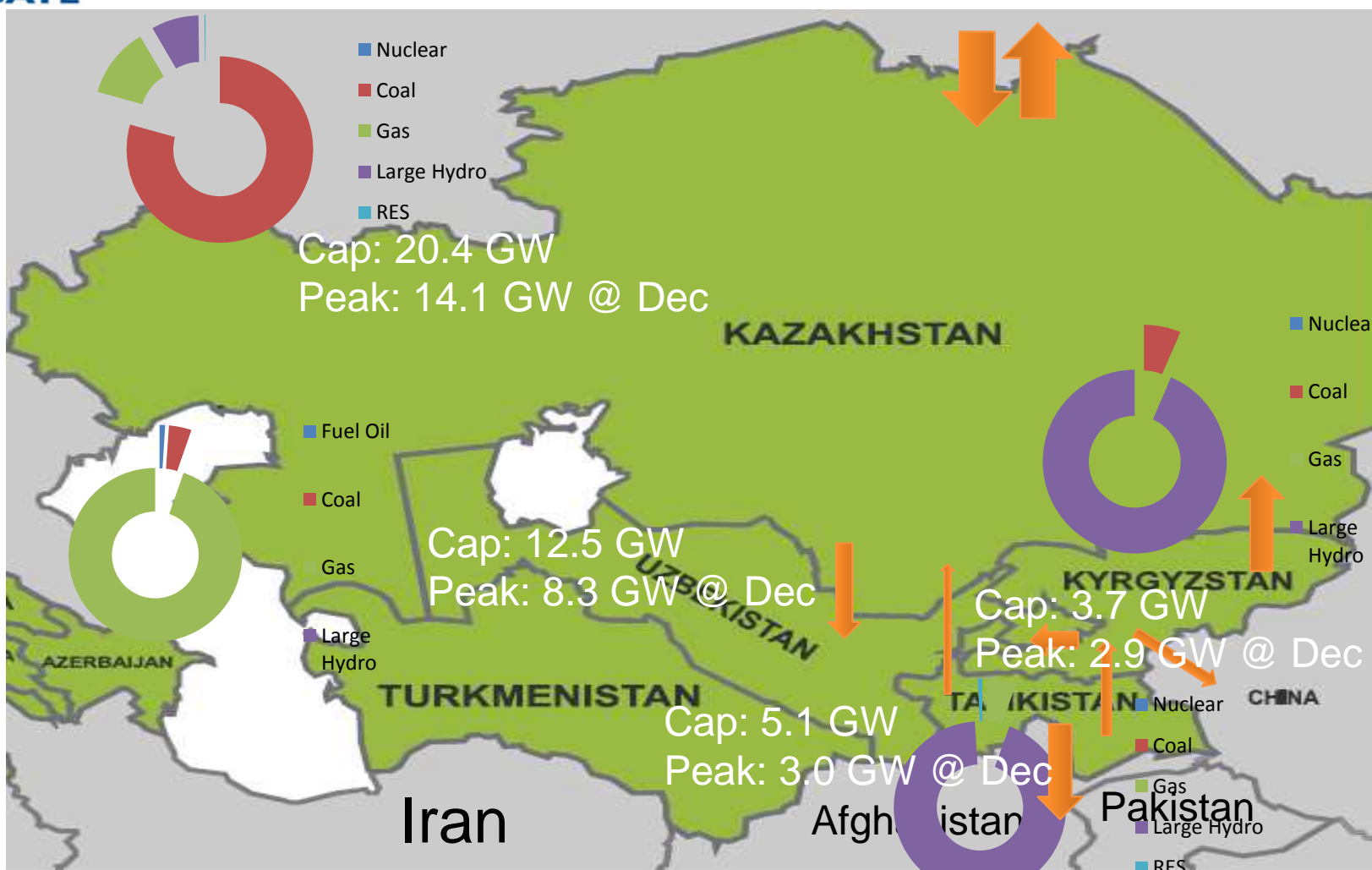
# Caucasus Price Discovery – GE/AM Unconstrained Merit Order



# Central Asia – Basic Info



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Turkmenistan: No data, Uzbekistan: technical exchanges only



# Central Asia - Grid Map



Карта-схема основных эл.сетей 220 - 500 кВ ОЭС Центральной Азии с перспективой до 2020 г.

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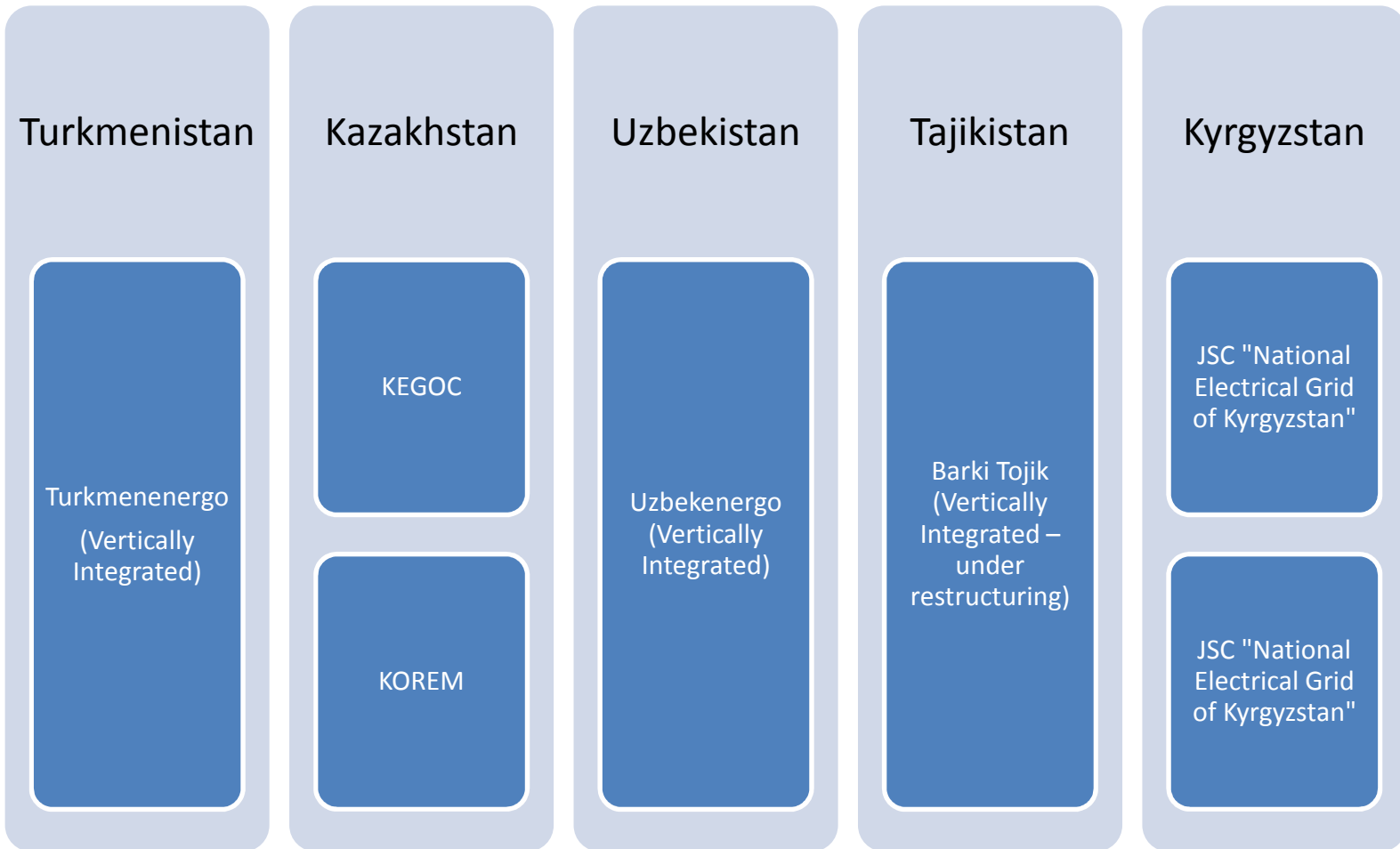
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International Organisation: Central Dispatch Centre Energia (based in Tashkent)



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# What is INOGATE?

An EU-funded programme for regional energy cooperation between the European Union and its Partner Countries in Eastern Europe, Caucasus and Central Asia



## 12 INOGATE Partner Countries:

Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Tajikistan, Turkey (O), Turkmenistan, Ukraine and Uzbekistan.



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## New ITS - Fact Box

- Project title: INOGATE Technical Secretariat (ITS)
- Budget: € 16.5 million
- Duration: 36 months (02.2012 – 01.2015)
- Partner Countries:
  - **Eastern Europe** - Belarus, Moldova, Ukraine,
  - **Caucasus** - Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia
  - **Central Asia** - Kyrgyzstan, Turkmenistan, Kazakhstan, Uzbekistan, Tajikistan
- Four Project Components (A,B,C,D)



# New ITS - Project Components

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## A - Coordination

- ITS operation
- Communication Strategy
- Investments policy
- Monitoring
- 18%

## B – Electricity & Gas

- **Regulation & Markets**
- **Standards**
- **Cross-border trading**
- **Gas streams efficiency**
- **34%**

## C- Sustainable Energy

- RES
- EE
- 24%

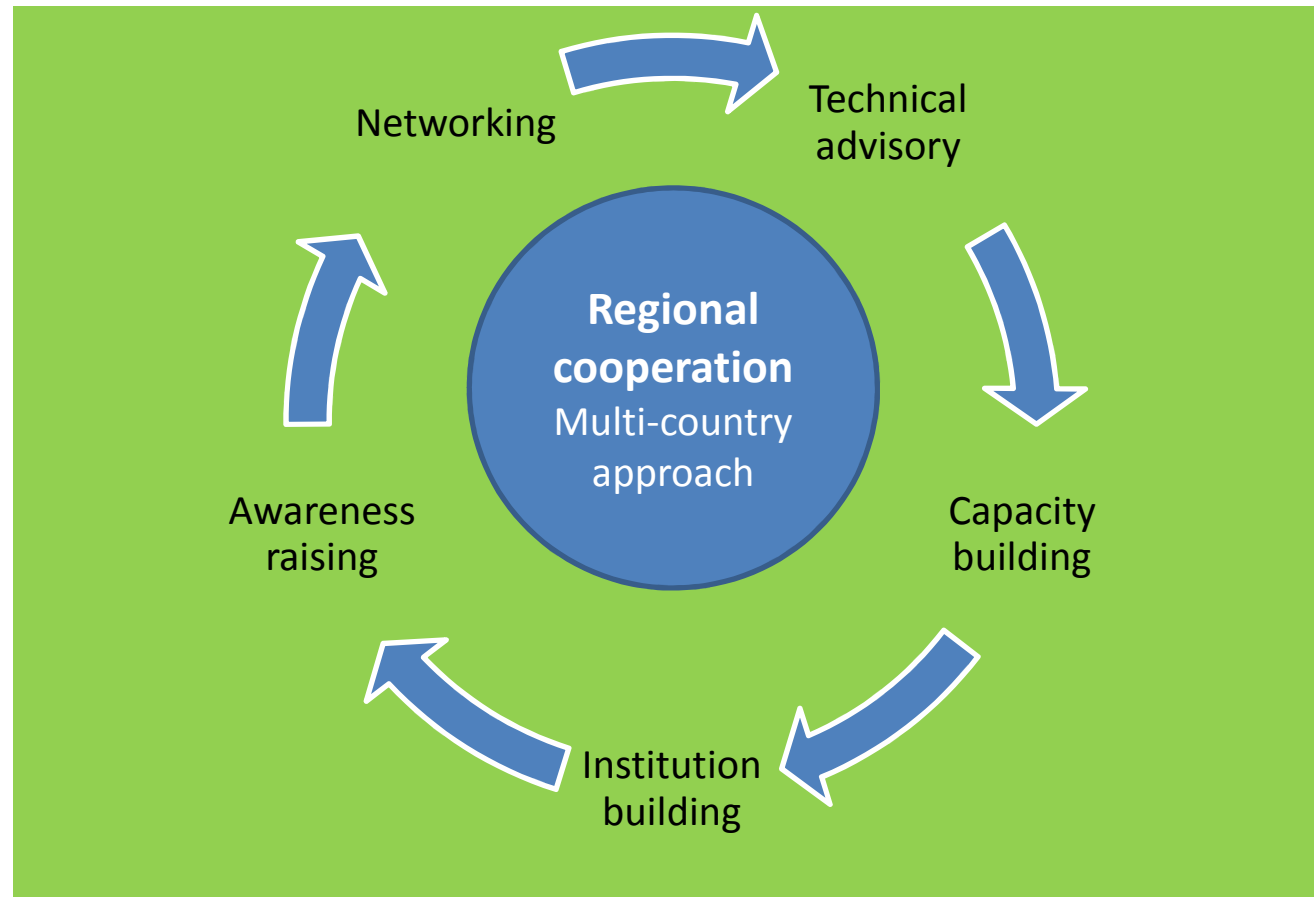
## D – Energy Statistics

- Energy Statistics
- Energy balances
- 24%





# Types of assistance provided





# Technical Experts Groups in PCs

## TEG 1: Energy Markets & Infrastructure

Team 1: Energy Policy

Team 2: Tariffs & Regulation

Team 3: Licensing, Markets and Monitoring

Team 4: Cross-border trade Electricity

Team 5: Cross-border trade Gas

Team 6: Gas infrastructure

## TEG 2: Standardisation (Electricity & Gas)

Team 1: Standardisation policy, Technical regulations

Team 2: Gas standards

Team 3: Electricity standards

- Participate to events/capacity building activities
- Discuss needs for further study
- Shape ITS work-programme
- Review and evaluate project outputs
- Provide support to national decision-makers

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# Support to a framework improving energy cross border trade and cooperation

## Activities

Legal framework analysis of cross-border trade

Capacity Gap Analysis, Capacity Building Strategy for TSO/operators

Promotion of cooperation between TSOs

Promotion of cooperation TSOs & ENTSO/E, ENTSO/G.

## Deliverables

- Seminars
- study tours
- Studies
- Reports
- AHEF

## Results to be achieved

- Cross border cooperation **opportunities and benefits** as well as EU best practices are showcased to the PCs
- **Obstacles to trade** in regional markets identified and ways of mitigation discussed and “fed-in” to AHEF
- **TSOs** advised on **improvement** of technical, operational and financial **competences**.
- Cross-boarder trade **communication** among PCs is improved
- A “**process**” for the creation of regional markets is being initiated and sustained



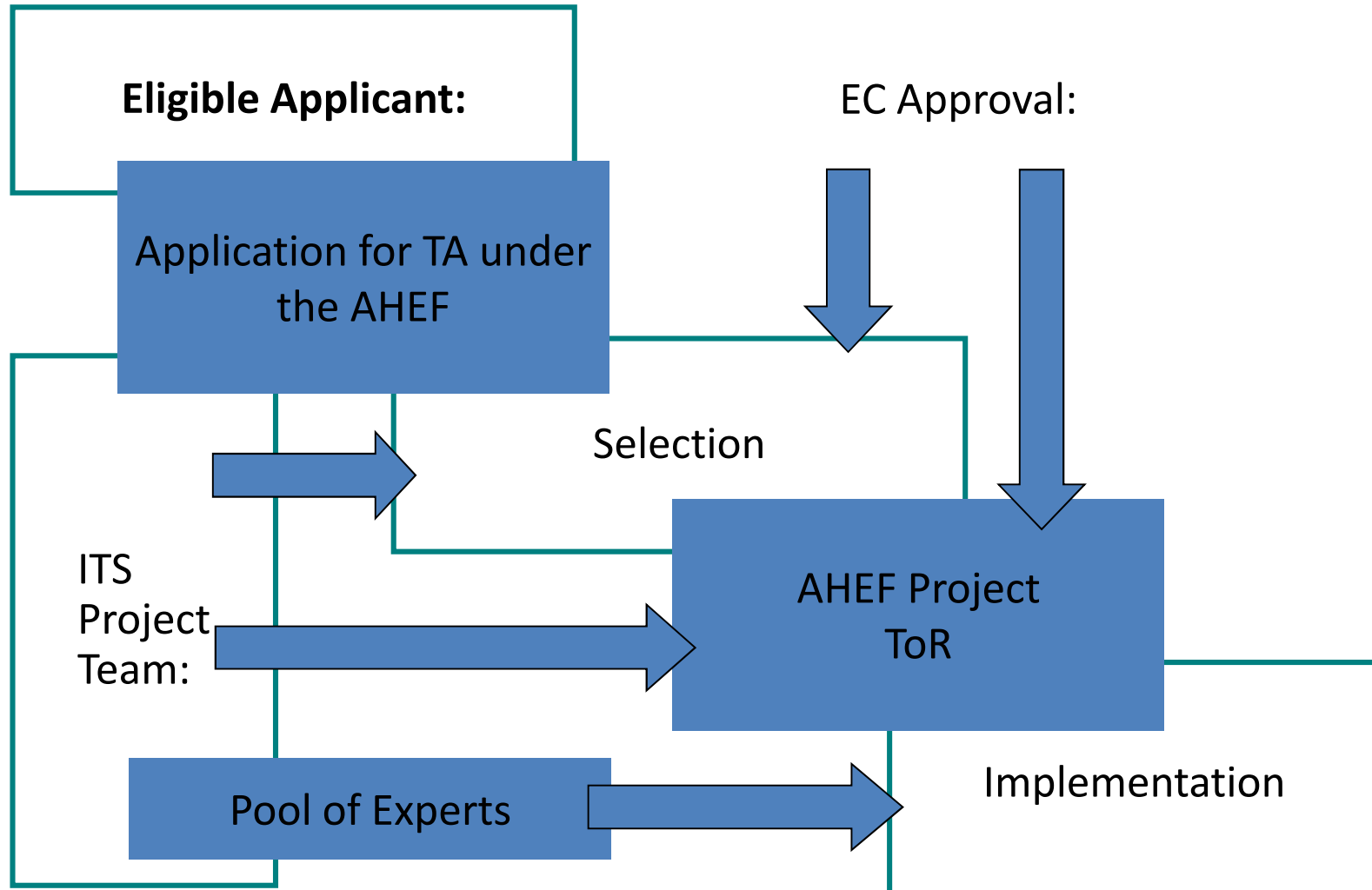
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# Ad-Hoc Expert Facility: How AHEF works ?



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# Case A: AGT AHEF

## Azerbaijan (Azerenerji)

- An assessment of export potential
- Legal, Regulatory & Commercial modalities for CBT

## Georgia (GSE)

- Review and compare current GSE transmission planning procedures and tools with those exercised in the EU

## Turkey (TEIAS) - **Observer**

- Participate and follow the discussions between GSE and Azerenerji in a view of strengthening electricity trading
- Propose the milestones in a sequence of steps (sort of a Roadmap) aiming to an increased cooperation of the AGT systems



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## Case B: Kazakhstan AHEF

Central Dispatch Centre Energia (International Organization based in Tashkent, Uzbekistan) -  
**Observer**

Ministry of Industry and New Technologies

KOREM  
(Kazakh Market Operator)

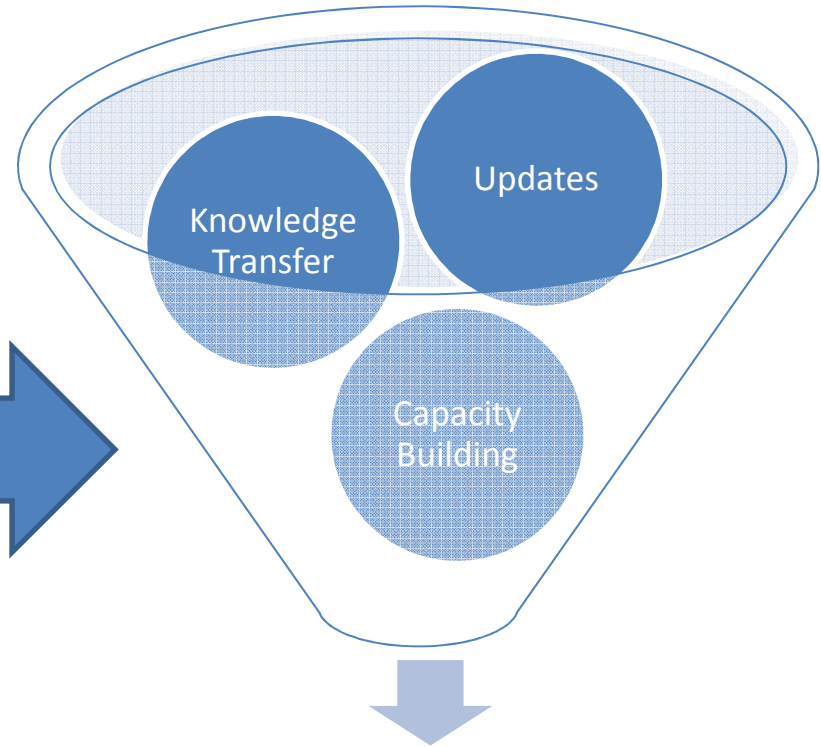
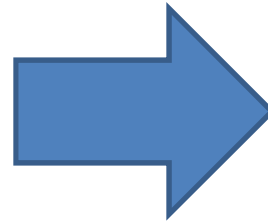
Electricity Sector Reform Options

Impact of Sector Reforms and on electricity prices

Market Model & Capacity Market



# Part of the CBT AHEFs: Regional Events



Future actions

# Info & Networking: The New INOGATE Web Portal

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