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# Overview of the Power Sector in Viet Nam

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#### **Characteristics of VIE Power Sector (1/2)**

- 34 GW system (2014); historical growth > 10%
- Electrification rate 98%
- Per capita consumption approx 1,000 kWh
- T&D system loss 8.9%
- High SAIDI 3,000~6,000 mins or more (unreliable data)
- Dominance of SOEs with EVN owning 60% of generation assets (3 GENCOs & JSCs); Other energy SOEs 16%
- EVN subsidiaries: NPT, 5 PCs, NLDC, EPTC, etc.
- Retail tariff ¢7.5/kWh < ¢9.2/kWh LRMC; TOU for industry
- Weak financial position of EVN

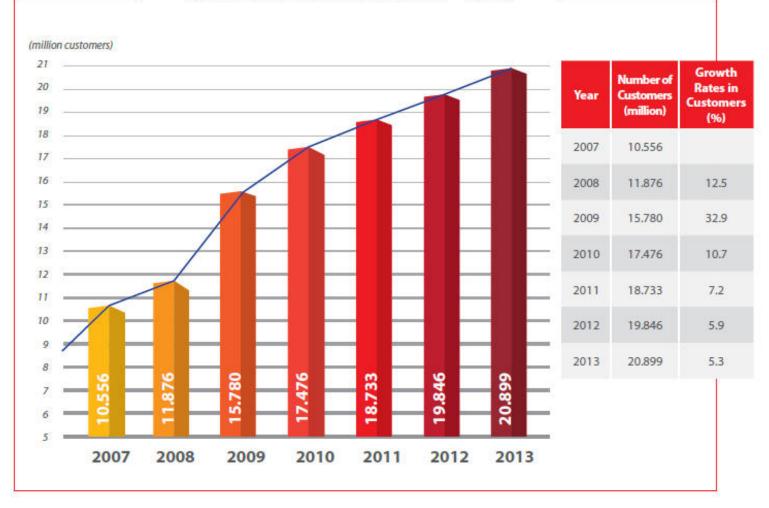
#### **Characteristics of VIE Power Sector (2/2)**

- Large hydro share (40%); affected by hydrology
- Coal thermal is 23% (2014) but expected to grow
- Gas thermal delayed due to slow gas field exploitation
- Slow RE investment Wind FIT ¢7.8/kWh

- Ongoing power sector reform
  - VCGM implemented since July 2012
  - VWEM planned to be piloted starting end-2015
  - Retail market to be introduced after 2022

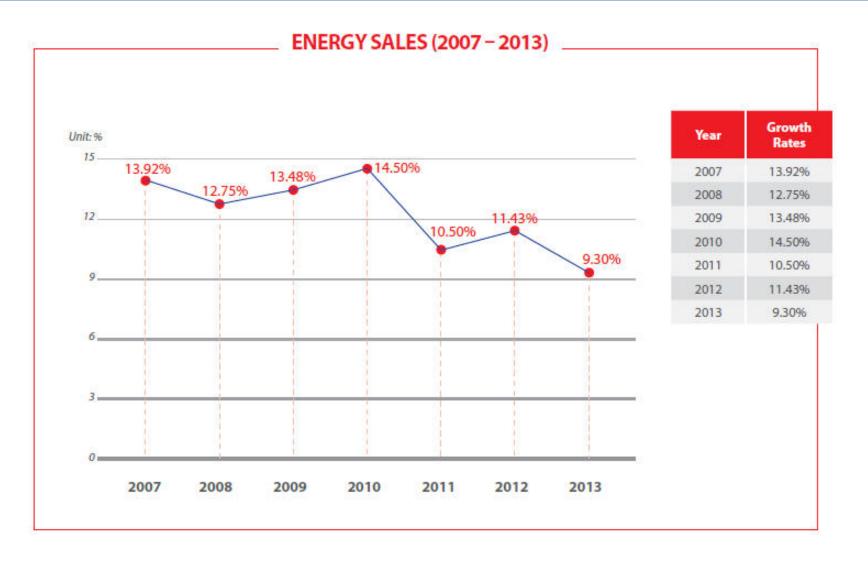
#### **Number of Customers**

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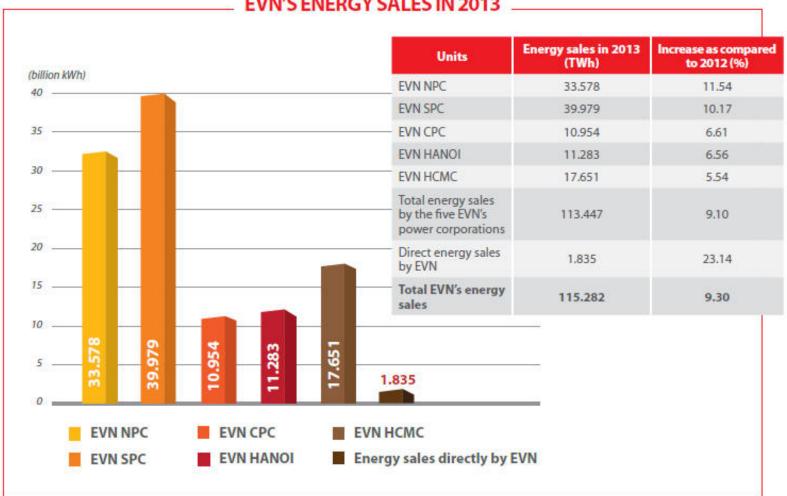
Source: EVN, Annual Report 2012-2013

#### **Energy Sales - Trend**



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#### Energy Sales - 2013

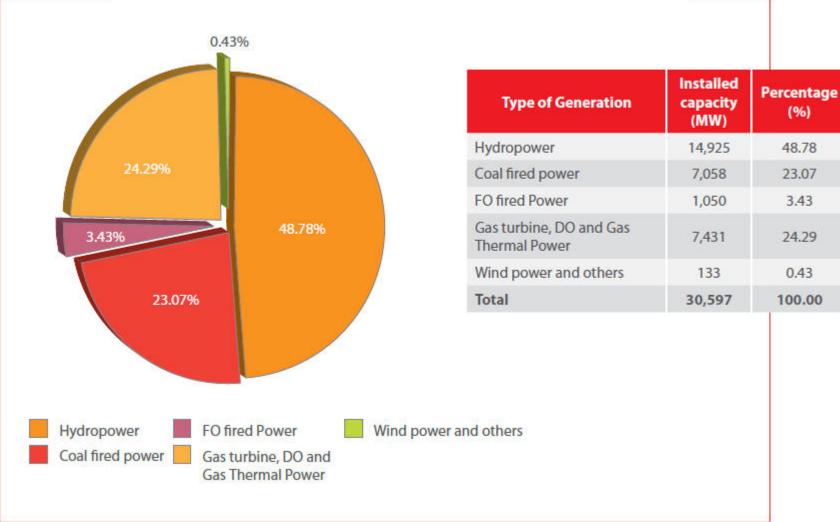


#### EVN'S ENERGY SALES IN 2013

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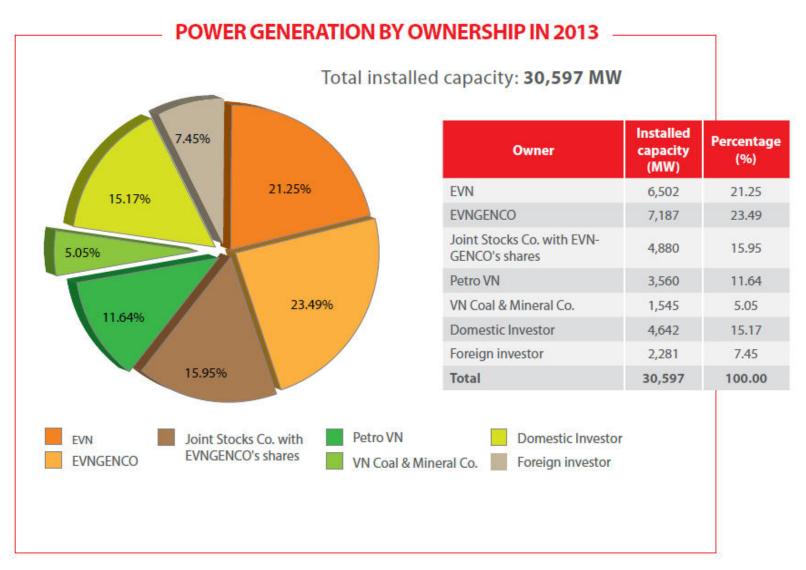
### **Power Generation by Type**

#### **POWER GENERATION BY INSTALLED CAPACITY IN 2013**



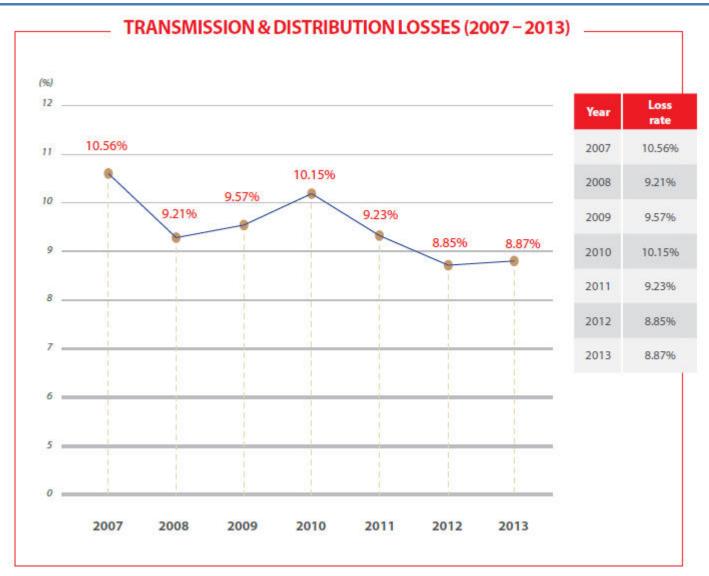
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### **Power Generation by Ownership**



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#### **System Losses**



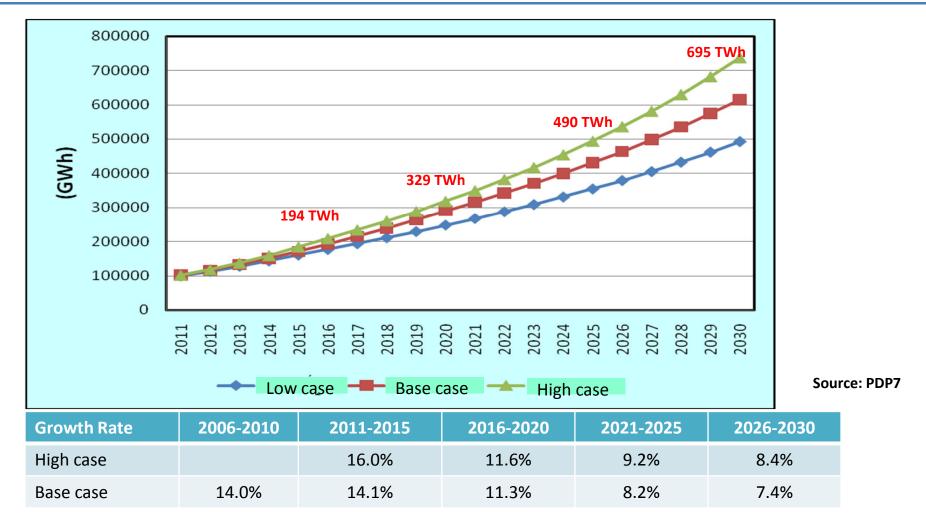
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#### **Outlook of VIE Power Sector (1/2)**

- Robust demand growth projected at 10.5 7.5% (2016-2030) based on informal updated-PDP7
- Approx. half of generation investment expected to be private investment
- Large hydro site already developed except PSHPP
- Coal thermal to increase: 23% (2014)  $\rightarrow$  60% (2030)
- Depleting indigenous coal coal import starting 2015/2016
- No clear strategy to introduce super-critical, USC
- High expectations for coal thermal BOTs but slow

#### **Outlook of VIE Power Sector (2/2)**

- Delayed gas development, but hopes for Blue Whale
- Modest RE target; slow EE implementation
- Nuclear delayed legal/reg framework, human res.
- PSHPP planned viewed in conjunction with nuclear
- Huge investment needs priority for low upfront cost
- Smart grid road map (PM Decision 1670-QĐ/TTg) approved 8 Nov 2012:
  - 2013-'16: SCADA/EMS > 110 kV; Pilot AMI; Reg. Framework
  - 2017-'22: SCADA/DMS < 110 kV; AMI; Distributed Gen</p>
  - 2023~: SCADA/DMS; AMI; Distributed Gen for Retail Market

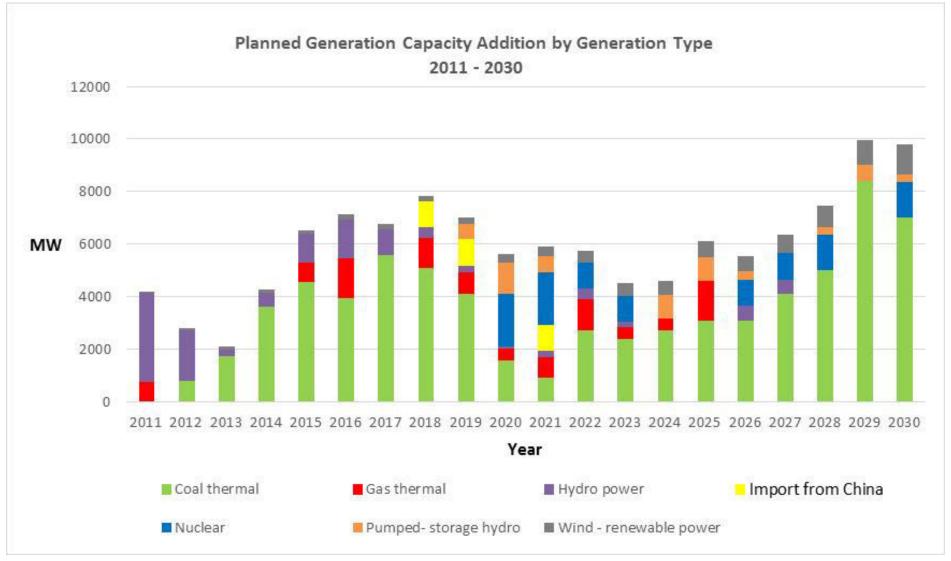


PDP7 (2011) being updated: Demand growth expected to be adjusted downwards based on slower GDP growth projection.

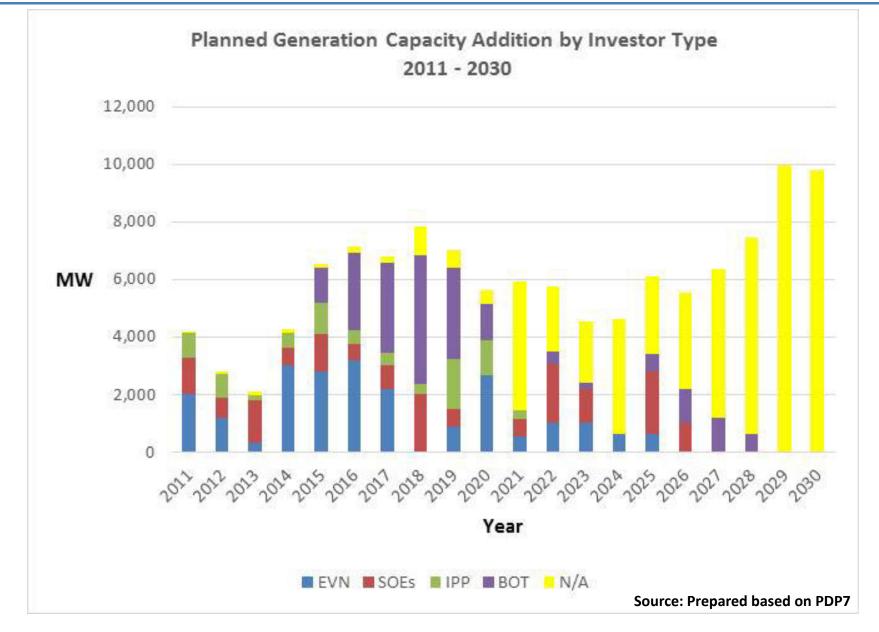
Capacity Addition for Period 2010 – 2030 (Base Case) Source:					Source: PDP7
	<u>2010</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2025</u>	<u>2030</u>
Generation (GWh)	100,900	194,300	329,400	489,600	695,100
Peak Demand (MW)	16,048	30,803	52,040	77,084	110,215
Installed Cap. (MW)	19,937	43,547	70,560	101,195	146,395
Of which:					
Hydro PP & PSPP (MW/%)	7,726 38.8%	14,351 33.0%	17,455 24.7%	19,925 19.7%	21,125 14.4%
Oil & Gas TPP (MW/%)	7,703 38.6%	10,582 24.3%	13,625 17.3%	17,465 17.3%	17,465 11.9%
Coal TPP (MW/%)	3,231 16.2%	15,365 35.3%	32,385 45.9%	45,040 44.5%	77,160 <b>52.7%</b>
Import (MW/%)	750 3.8%	1,073 2.5%	1,839 2.6%	4,609 4.6%	6,359 4.3%
Renewable Energy (MW/%)	527 2.6%	2,176 5.0%	4,256 <b>6.0%</b>	8,156 8.1%	13,586 9.3%
Nuclear power (MW/%)	-	-	1,000 1.4%	6,000 5.9%	10,700 7.3%

#### <u>34 GW today</u>: Hydro 40%; Coal 28%.

Peak demand expected to be adjusted to 62 MW in 2020.



Source: Prepared based on PDP7



#### Grid development – Additional Capacity

	2011-2015	2016-2020	2021-2025	2026-2030
500kV Substations (MVA)	17,100	26,750	24,400	20,400
220kV Substations (MVA)	35,863	39,063	42,775	53,250
500kV Trans. lines (Km)	3,833	4,539	2,234	2,724
220kV Trans. lines (Km)	10,637	5,305	5,552	5,020

Grid development plan is also being updated.

\$ billion

	2011-2020	Per year	2021-2030	Per year	2011-2030	Per year
Whole system	48.8	4.9	75.0	7.5	123.8	6.2
Generation	32.5	3.3	49.1	4.9	81.6	4.1
Grid	16.3	1.6	25.9	2.6	42.2	2.1

Source: PDP7

Despite downward adjustment, investment in 2021-2030 still expected to be around \$7 billion a year.

## **Renewable Energy**

Sources	Status and Tariff Structure		
Small hydro (< 30 MW)	<ul> <li>1,670 MW developed</li> <li>Avoided-cost tariff (average about US cent 5/kWh)</li> </ul>		
Wind Power	<ul> <li>52 MW developed; 48 registered sites</li> <li>FIT established (US cent 7.8/kWh – being revised)</li> </ul>		
Biomass	<ul><li>150 MW developed (mainly bagasse)</li><li>FIT US cent 5.8/kWh (cogen)</li></ul>		
Waste to Energy	<ul> <li>2.4 MW developed</li> <li>FIT US cent 7.28/kWh (landfill), US cent 10.05 (incineration)</li> </ul>		
Solar	<ul><li>Pilots (about 4 MW) developed.</li><li>FIT not established</li></ul>		

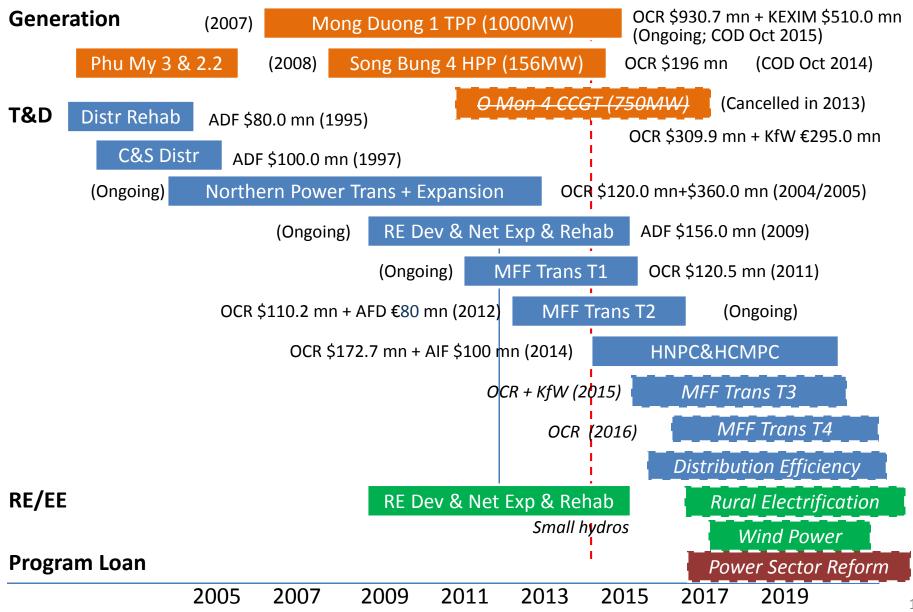
Source: GDE/MOIT

Slow, gradual development. No RE Law, no RE M/P.

FIT is a good start, but low.

Also, issue with EVN's off-take risk (for foreign investors).

#### **ADB-funded Projects - Investments**



#### **Points of Discussion – Areas of Partnership**

- What are the appropriate technologies applicable for countries like Viet Nam (e.g. high growth, low tariff)?
  - AMI, DAS/DMS, DSR, FACTS, HTLS conductors, amorphous transformers, RE, super critical/USC boilers...
- How can we advance from piloting to scaling-up and mainstreaming?
  - Awareness, policy, legal/reg framework, incentives, price/tariff signals, financial products...
- What do you (governments, utilities, technology providers) expect from ADB and how can we can partner up?

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