

# **ELECTRICITY RENEWABLES AND INTERMITTENCY DEVELOPMENT IN LAC.**

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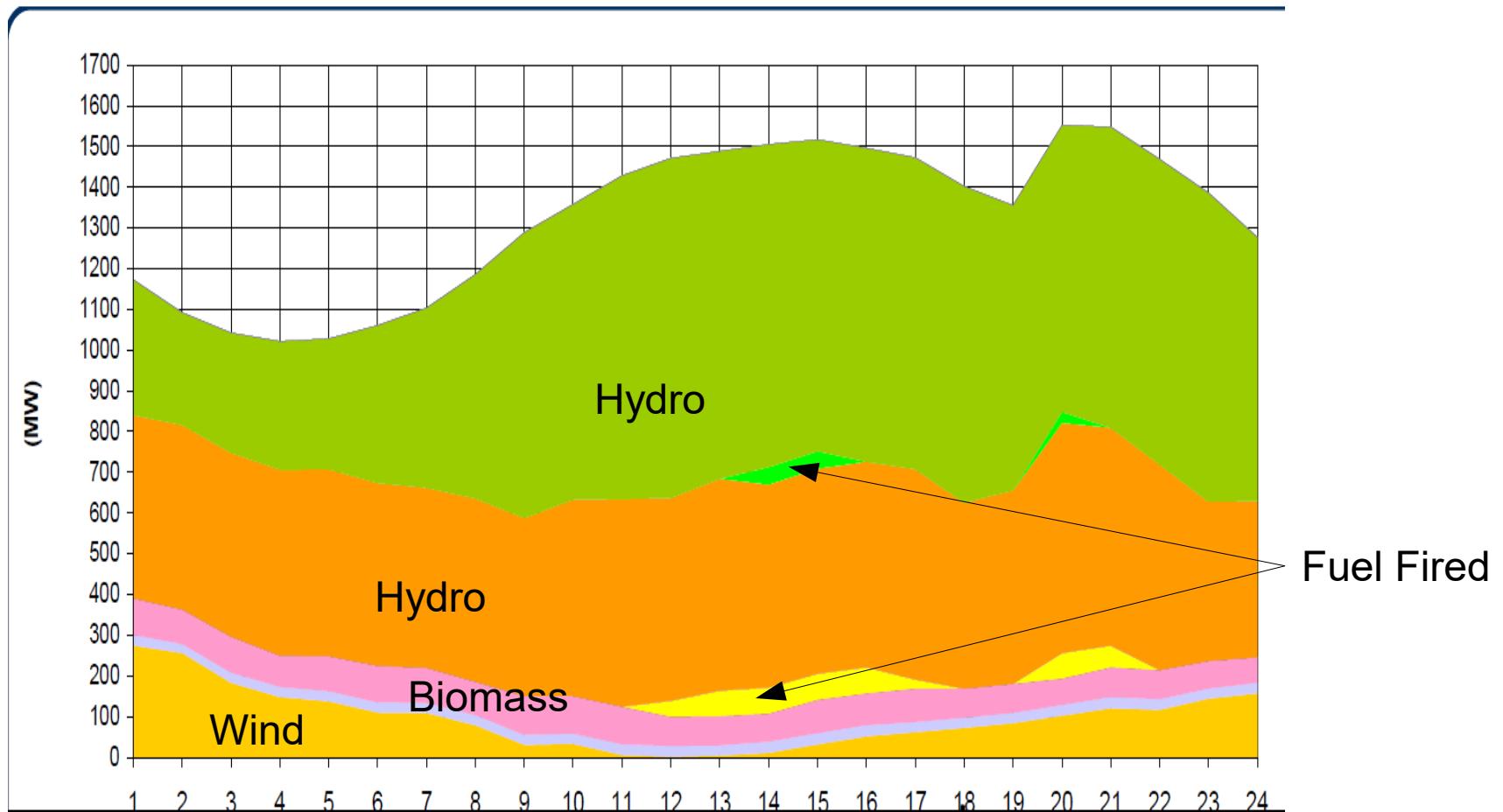


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(data from the real time executed dispatch)



# Electrical Interconnections

# Brasil

2000 MW

570 MW

A map of Argentina with major cities like Buenos Aires, Rosario, and Mendoza marked. Rivers shown include the Río Grande, Río Negro, and Uruguay River. The map also shows parts of Chile and Uruguay.

# Hydroelectric Plants

**1541 MW**

Salto Grande  
(50% UY)

945MW  
8 days

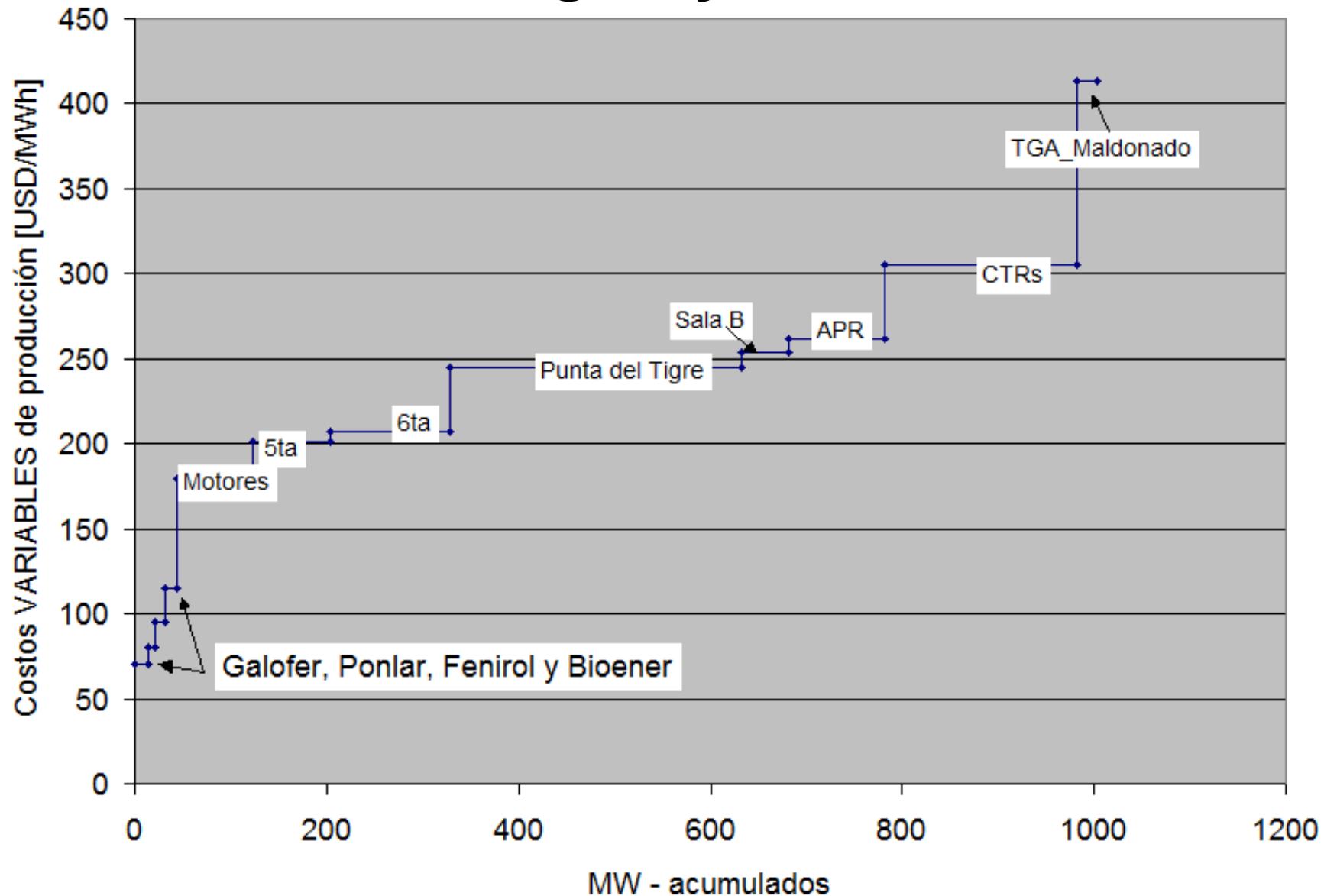
Palmar  
333MW  
22 days

Baygorria  
108MW  
3 days

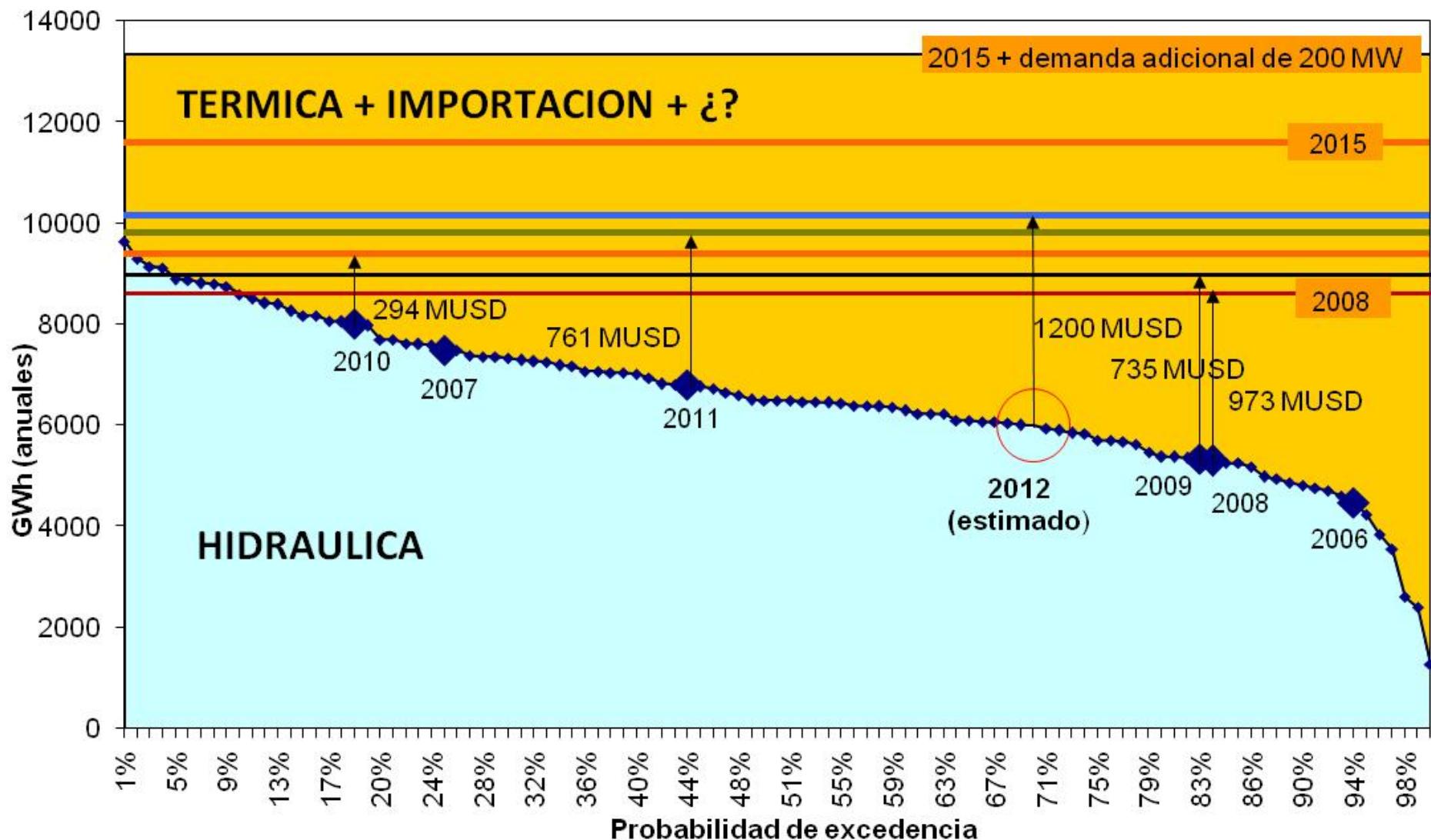
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155MW  
140 days

tropical rainfall regimen

# Fuel fired installed capacity Uruguay 2012



# Variability of hydroelectric generation. (picture drawn in 2012)



# Petroleum forecast

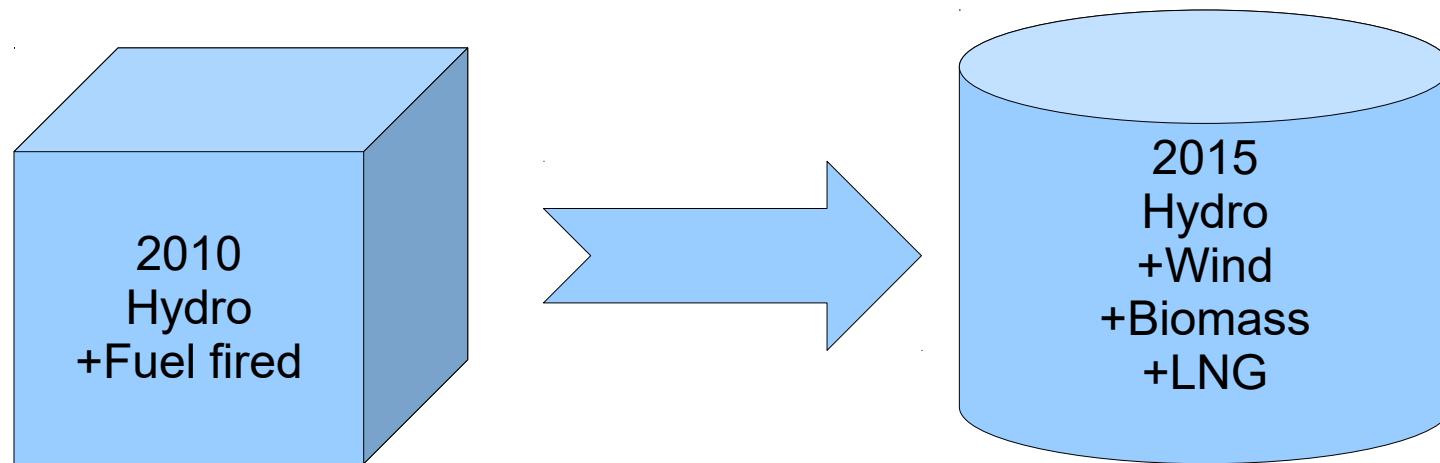
mmm .... more variability than renewables !!!

**Figure 32. World oil prices in three cases,  
1980-2035 (2008 dollars per barrel)**



# Uruguay 2010

## Changing the power generation matrix



Investment planning optimization minimizing the expected future cost & risk

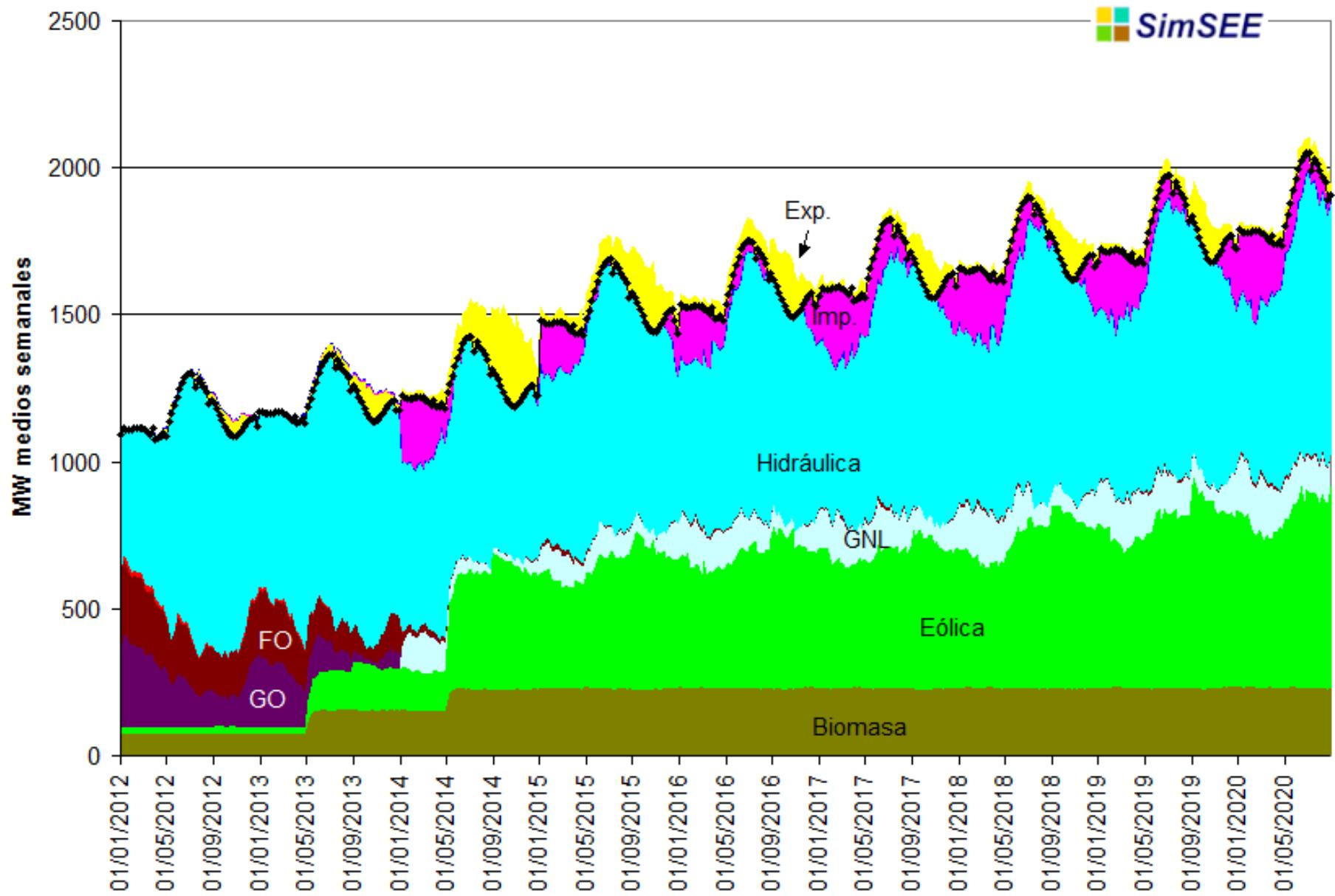
1200 MW of wind

200 MW of Biomass + Solar

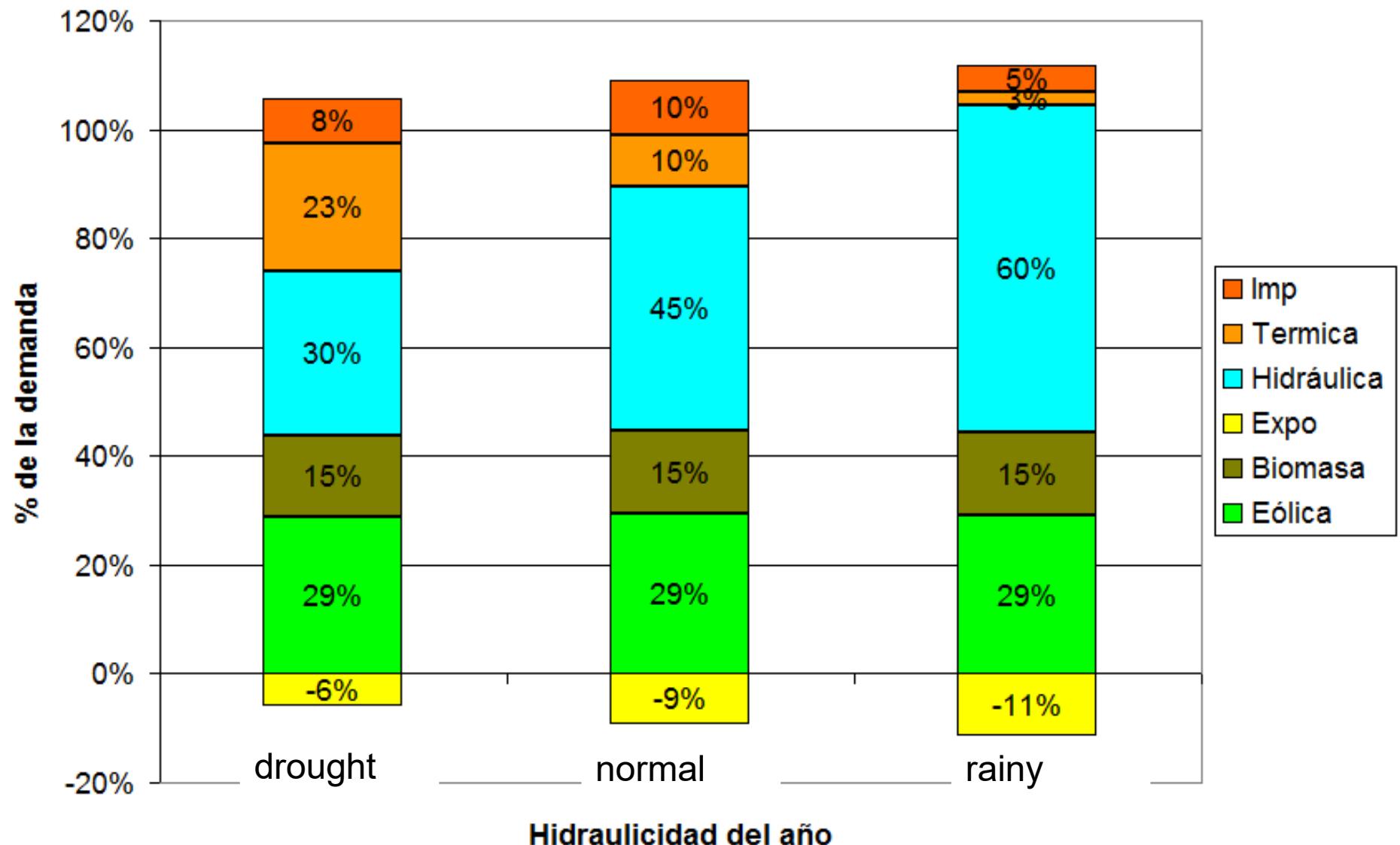
540 MW of Combined Cicle (Natural Gas)

A regasification plant of LNG

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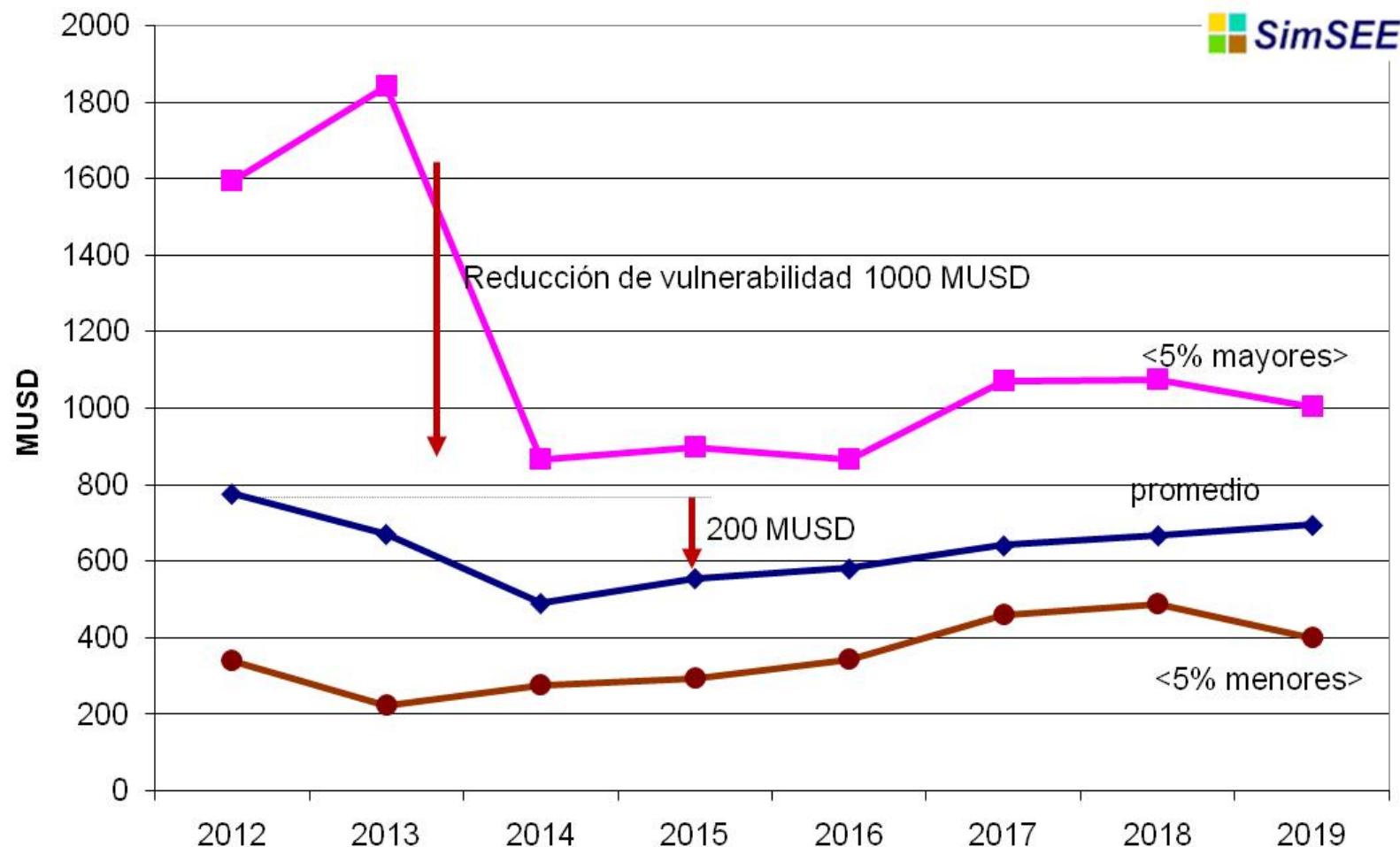


# Power generation by source depending on rainfall



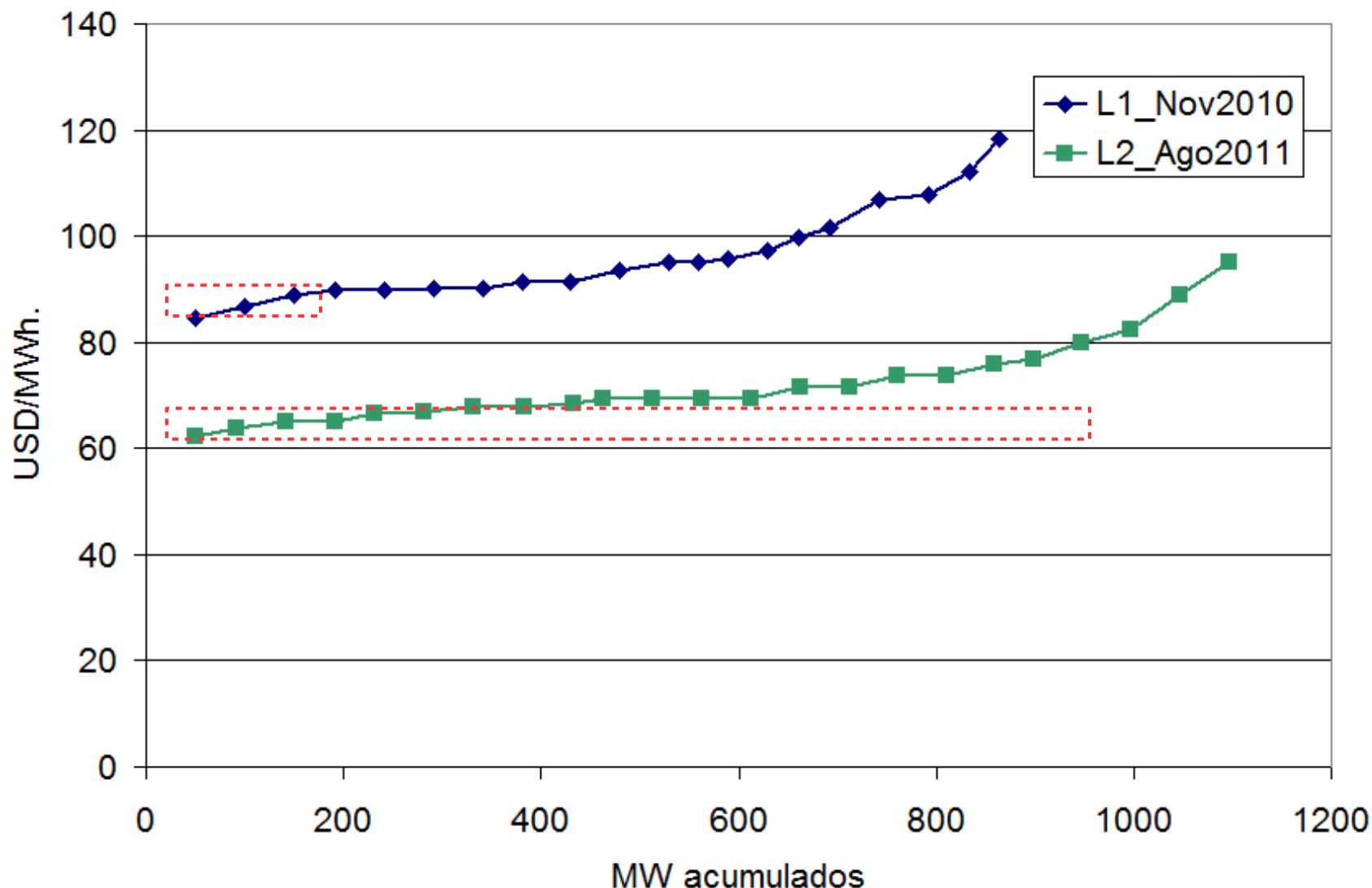
# The design – 2010-2011

CAD = Combustibles + Compras a agentes nacinales + Importación  
(dólares 2011 sin IVA).

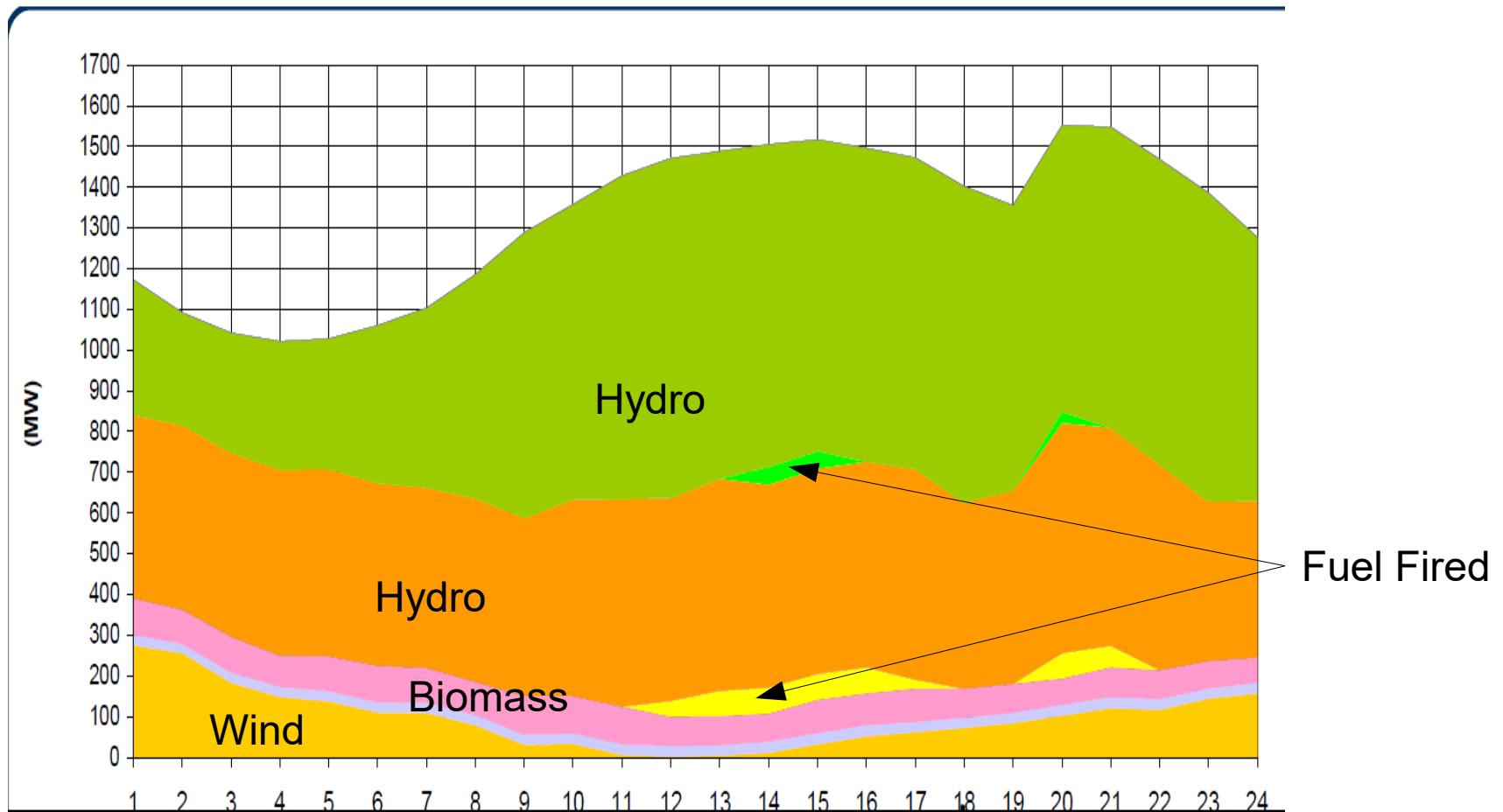


# Wind power biddings

20 years PPA, each offer is for 50 MW.



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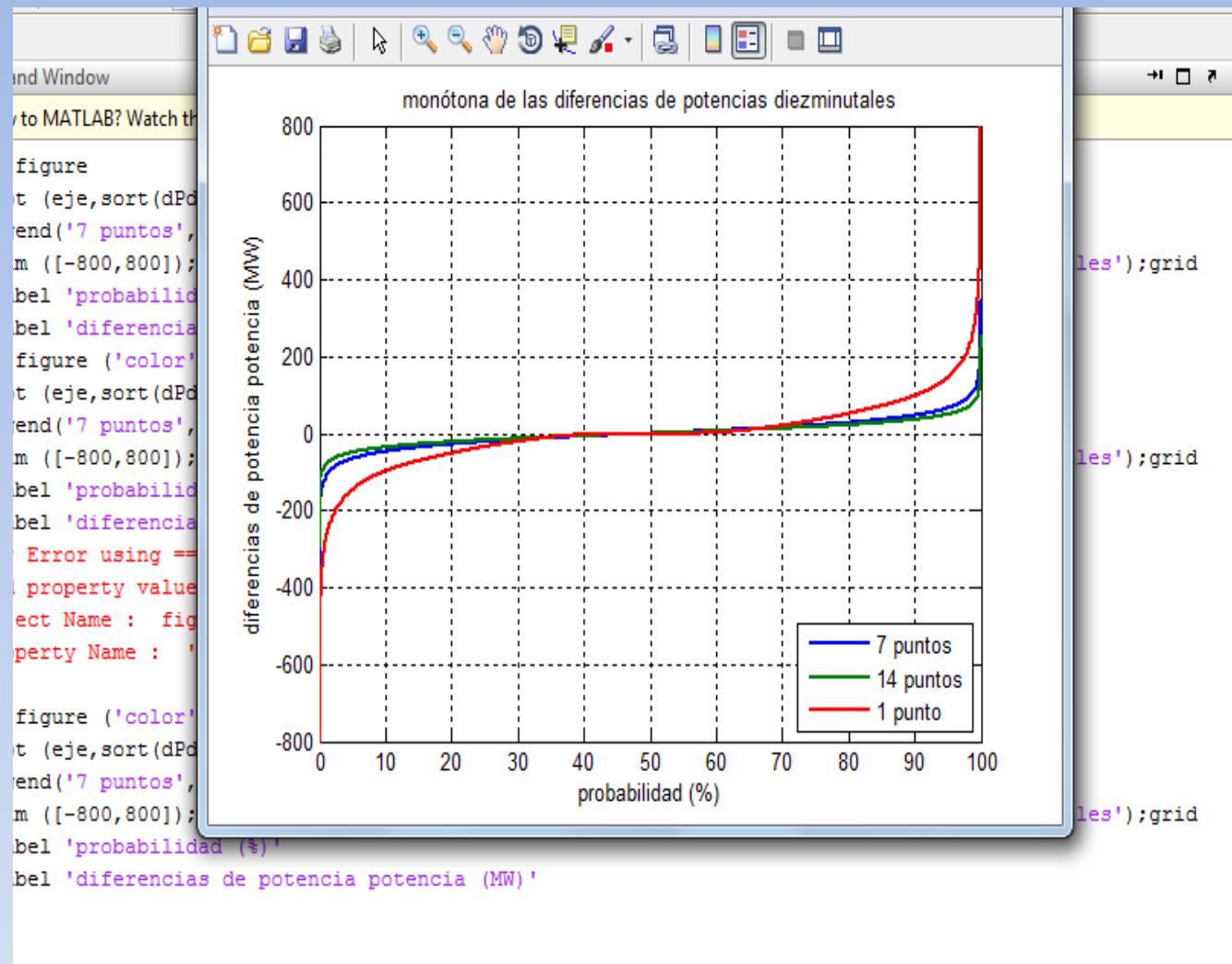
# INTERMITTENCY

different sources of variability need different filtering capabilities.

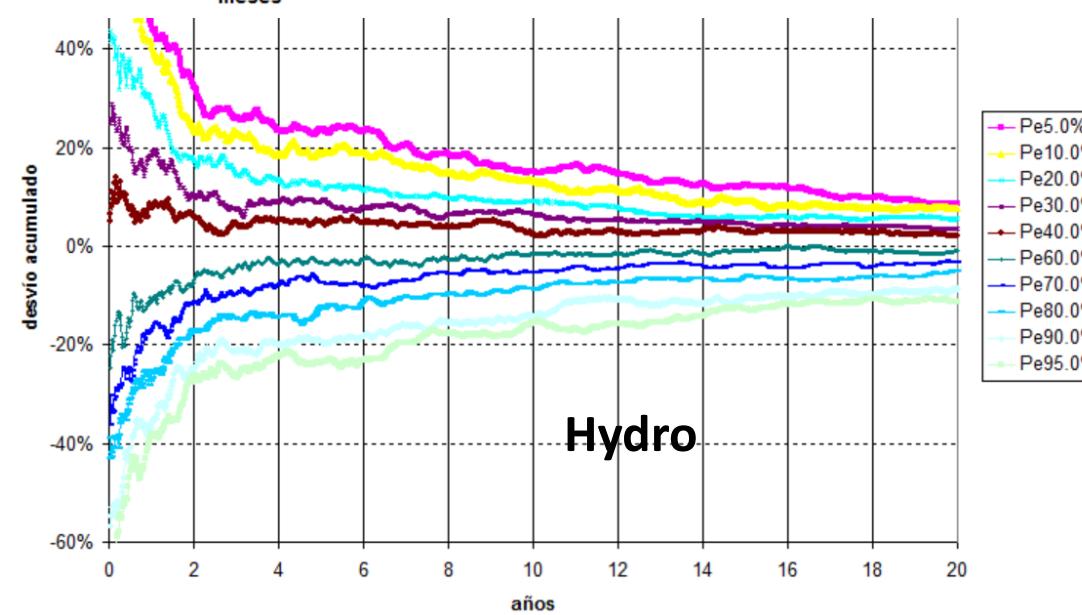
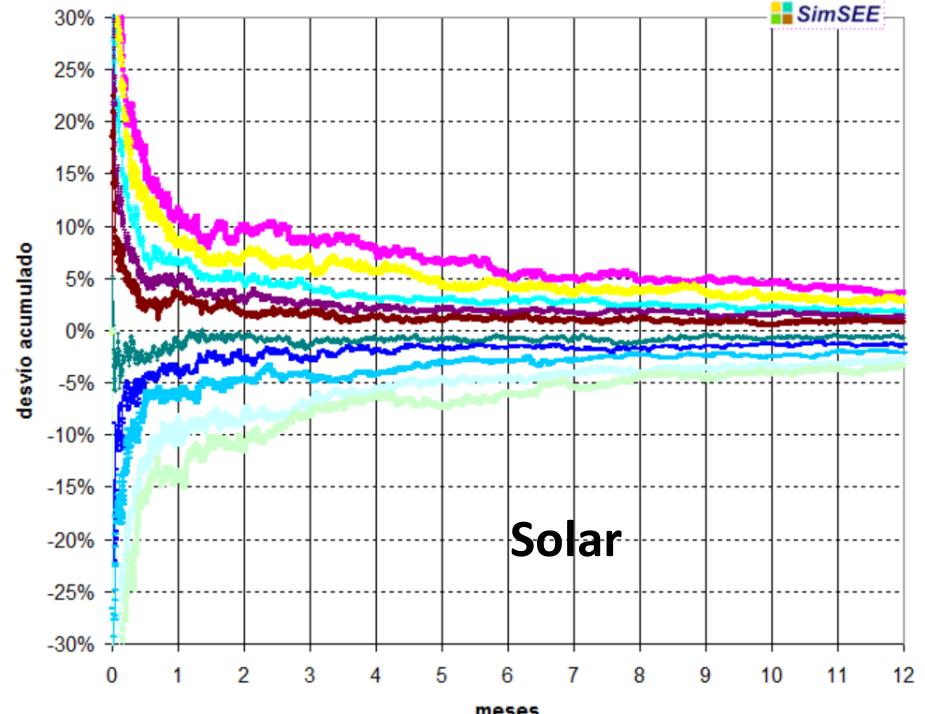
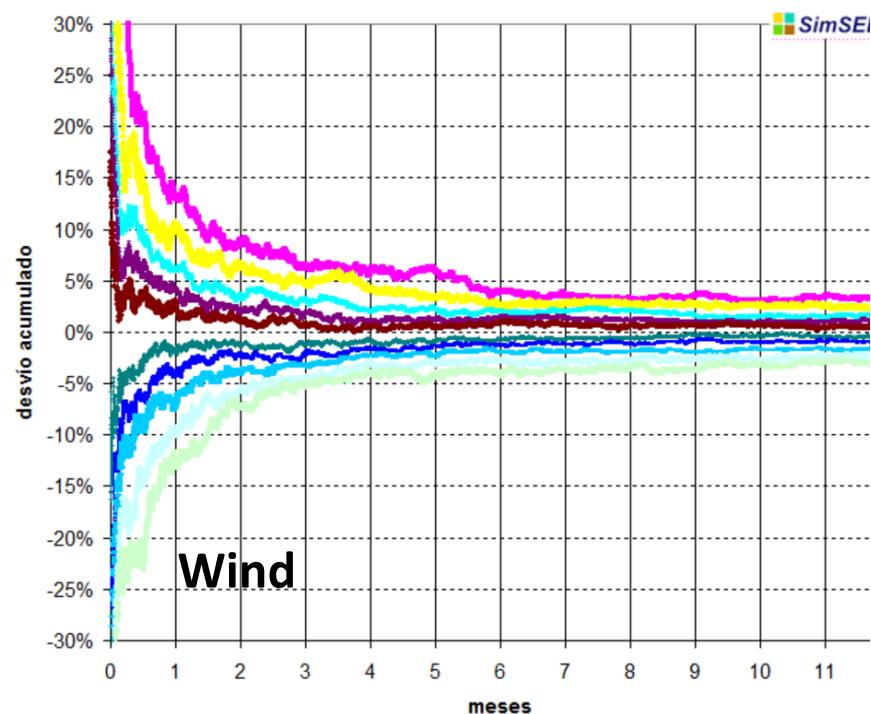


- Hydro
- Wind
- Solar

## 2- VARIABILIDAD DE MUY CORTO PLAZO (10min-1 hora)

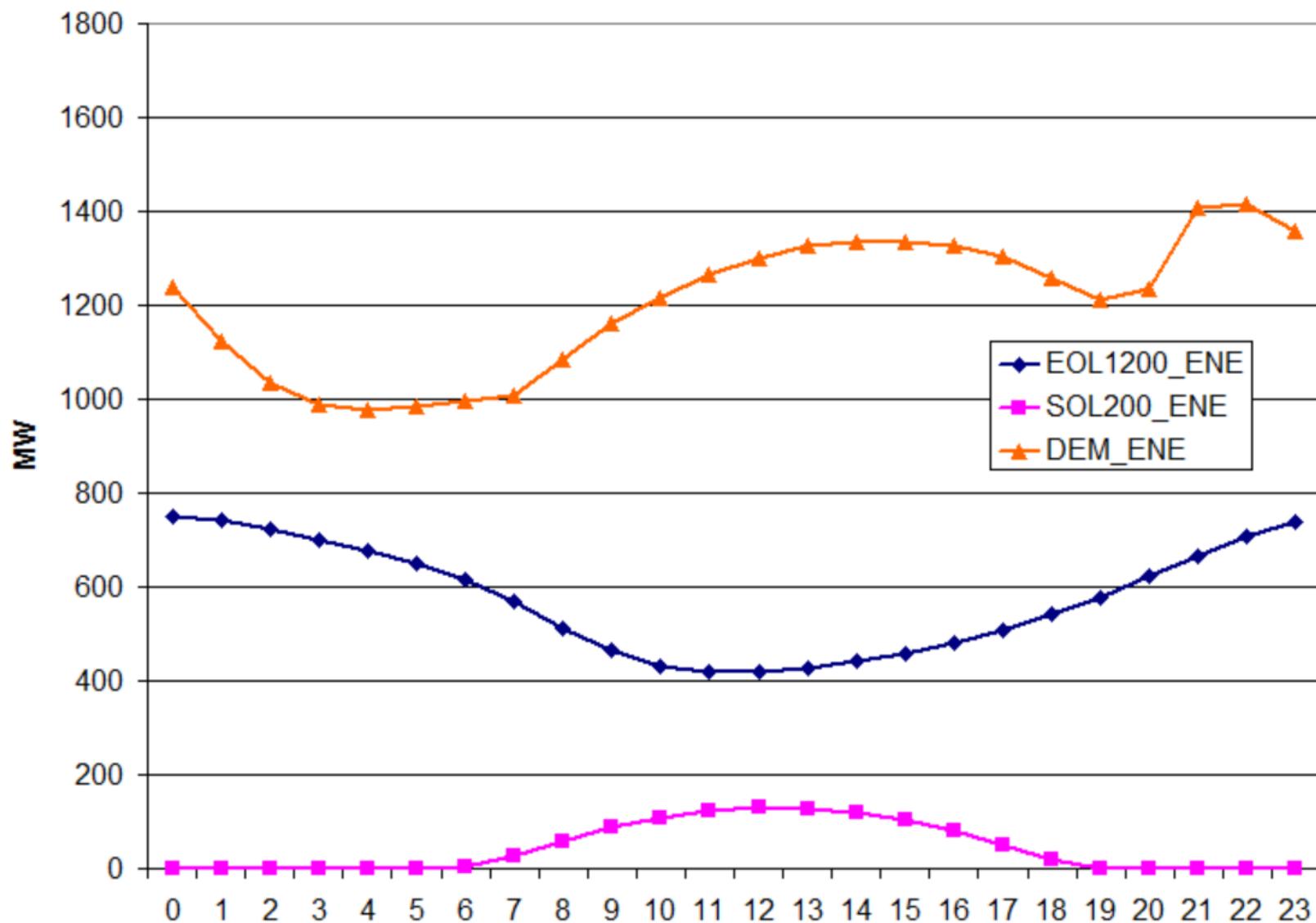


La variabilidad de la generación eólica en el cortísimo plazo (plazos de hasta 1 hora) no representa problemas de manejo para el sistema. Se observa que esta variabilidad es menor cuanto más **distribuidos** se encuentran los parques.

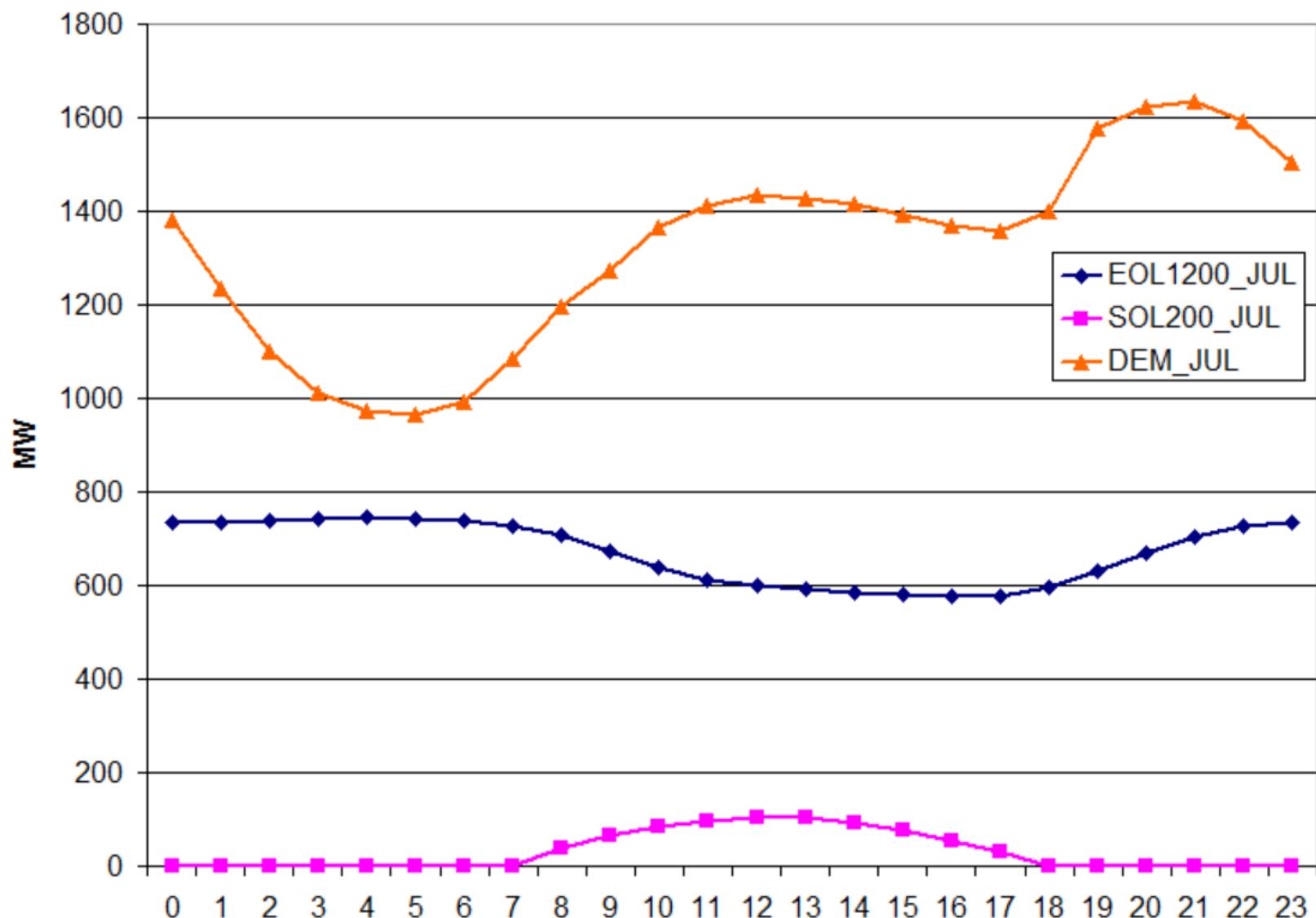


Pe5.0%  
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Pe20.0%  
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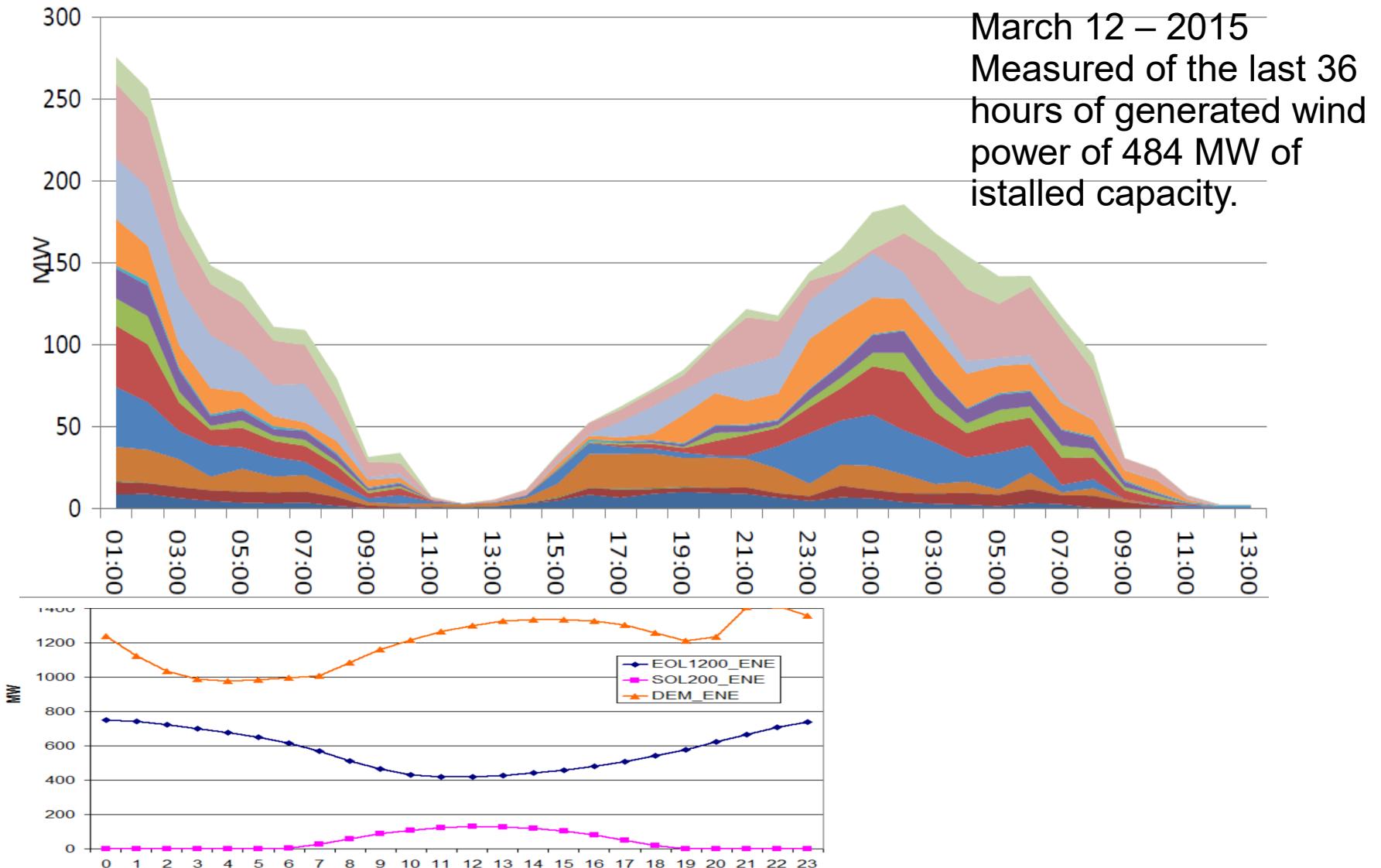
## Summer daily profile.



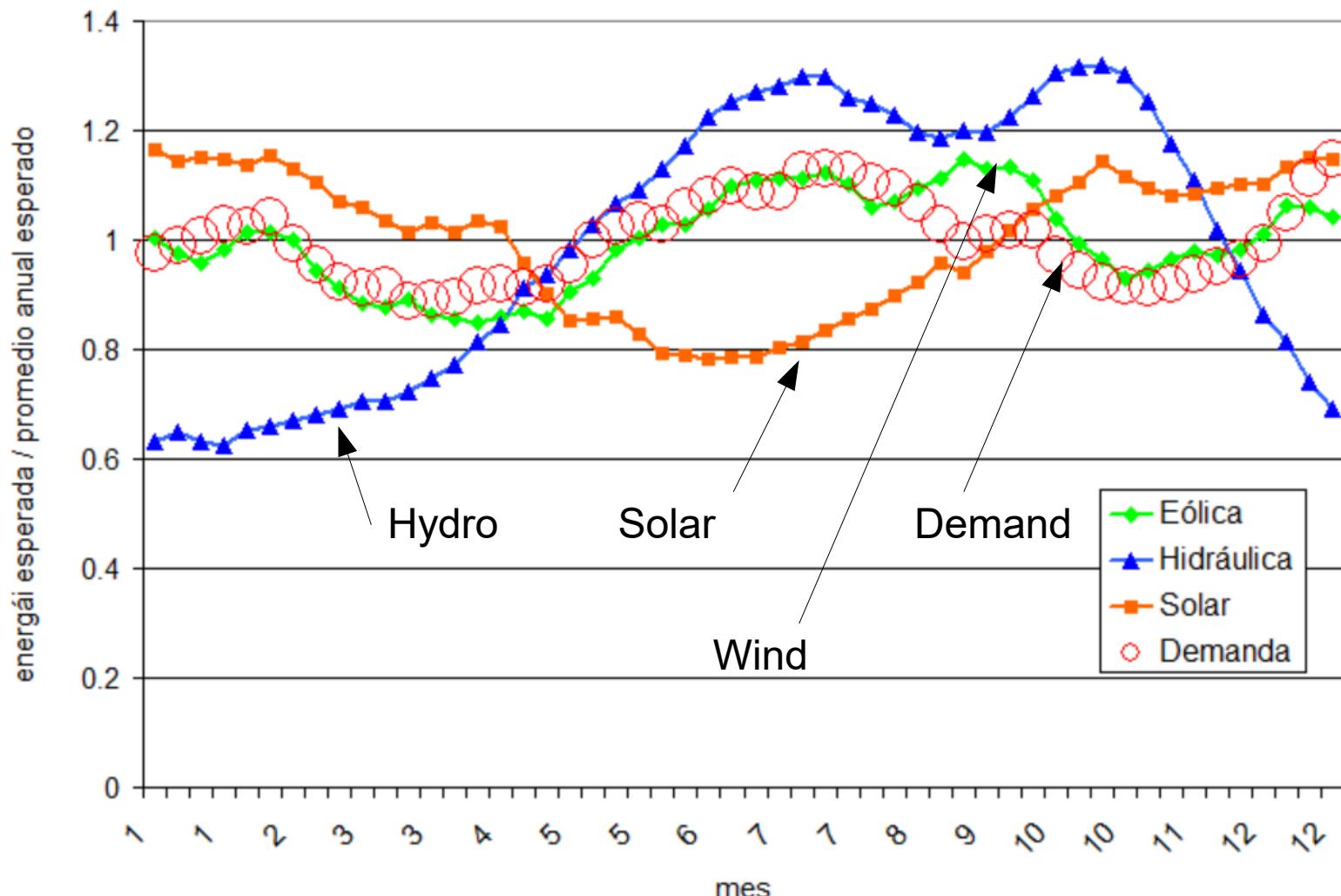
## Winter daily profile.



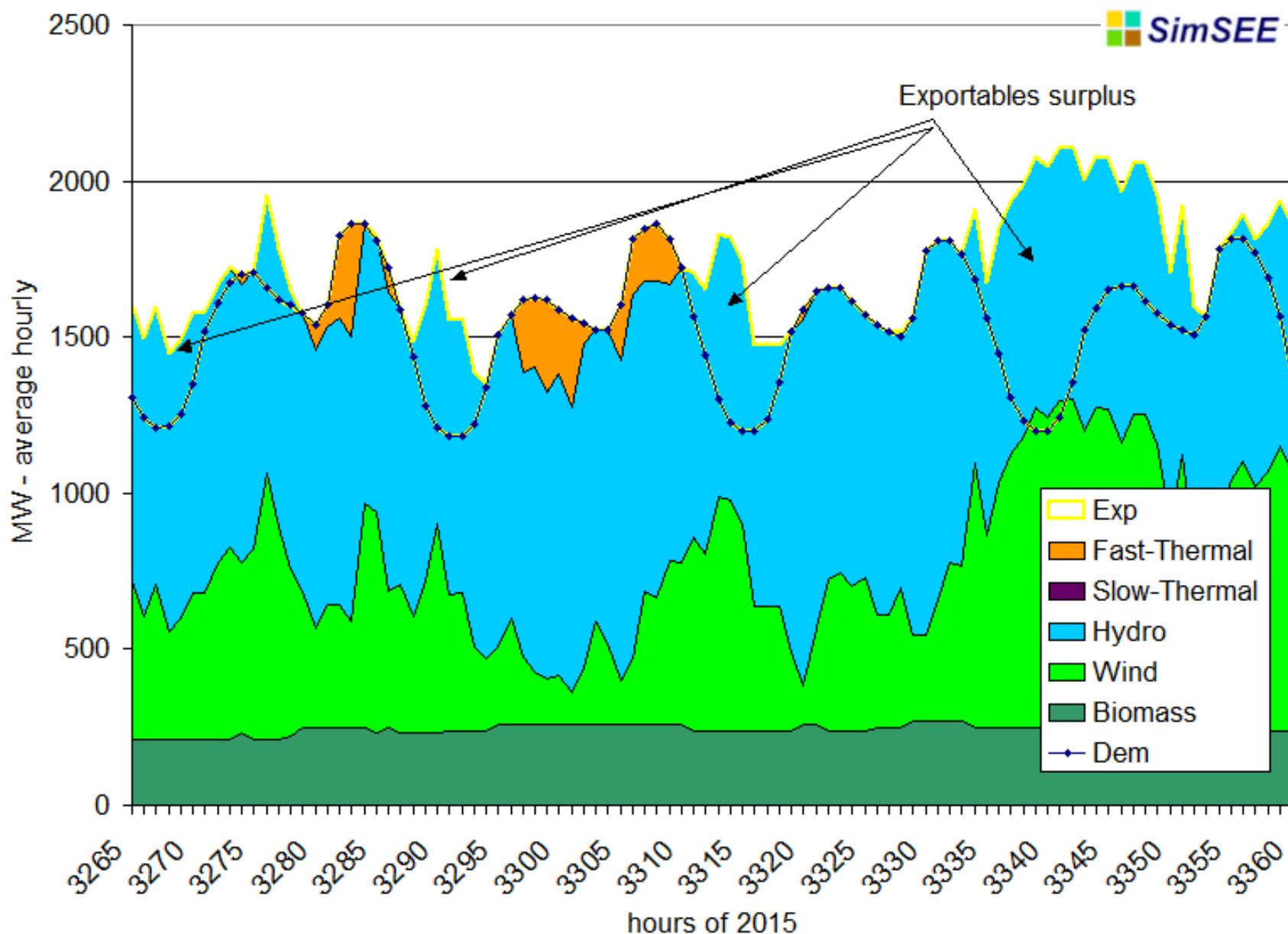
# An example of real time profile.



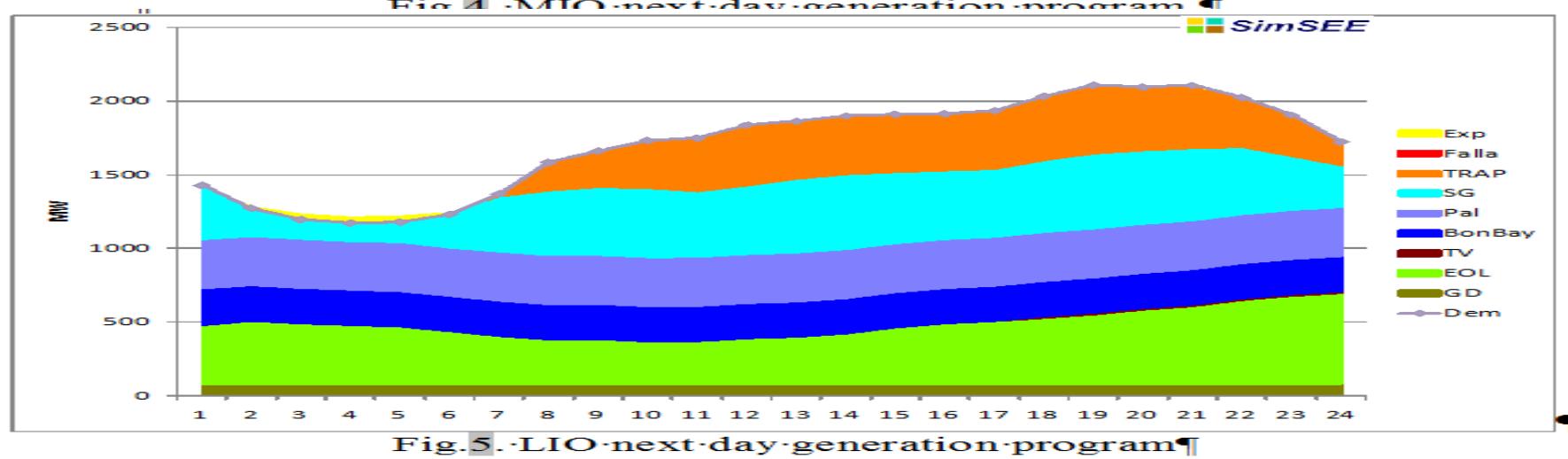
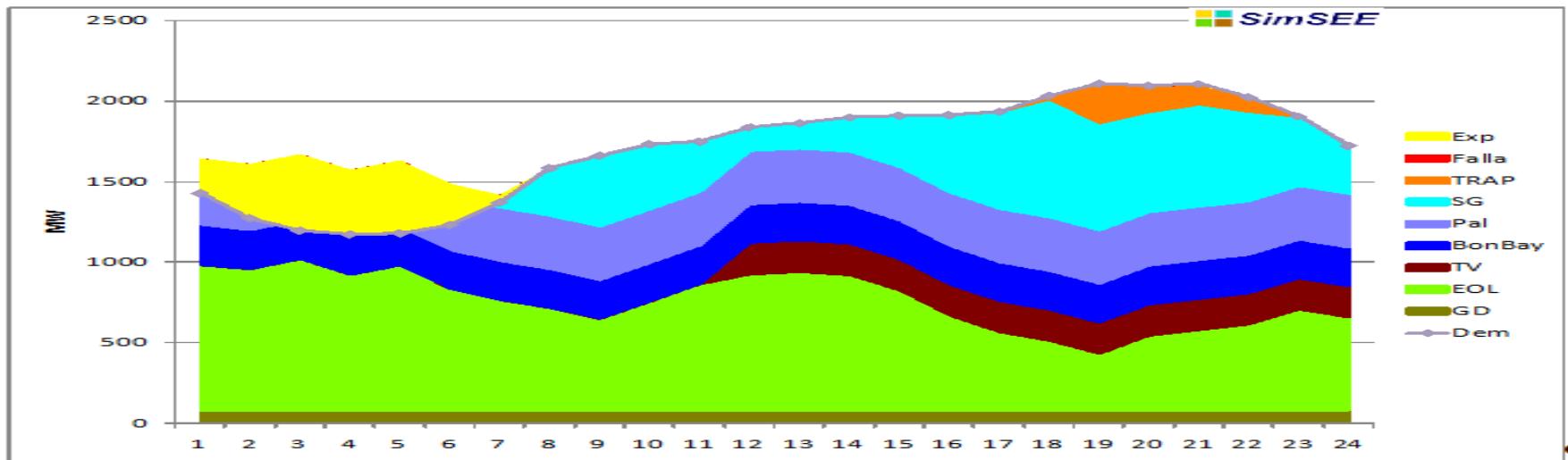
## Annual profiles in per unit of the expected daily generation.



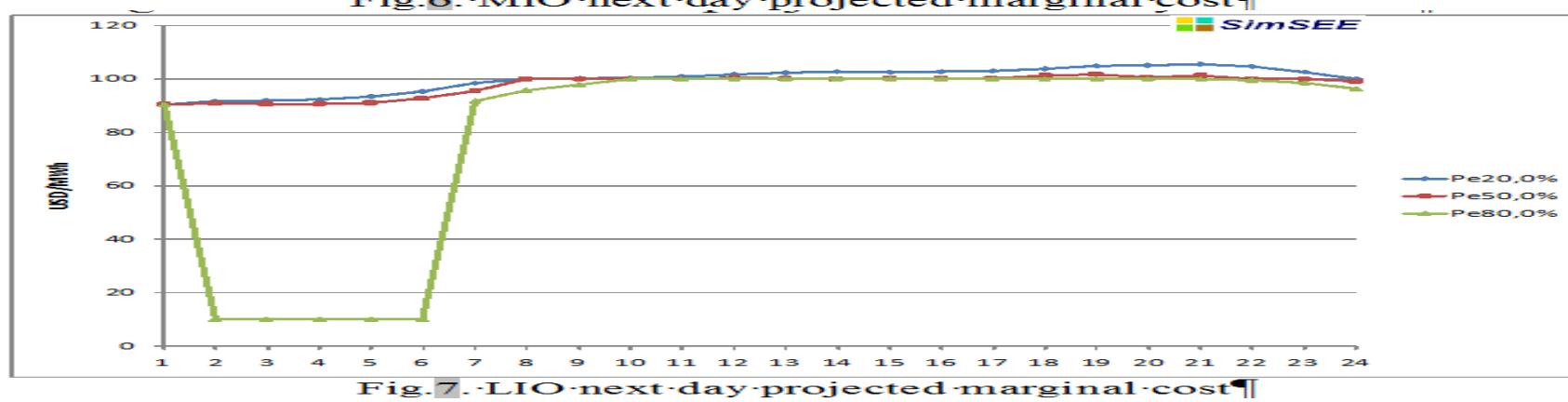
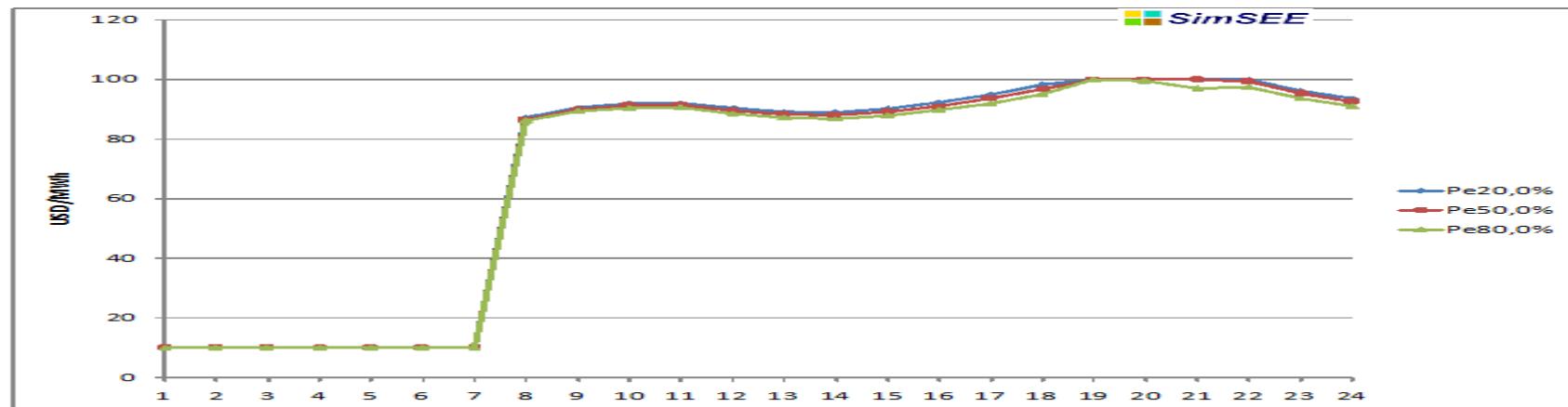
Generation by source on a specific stochastic realization  
days of springer with high values of inflows to the hydroelectric plants.



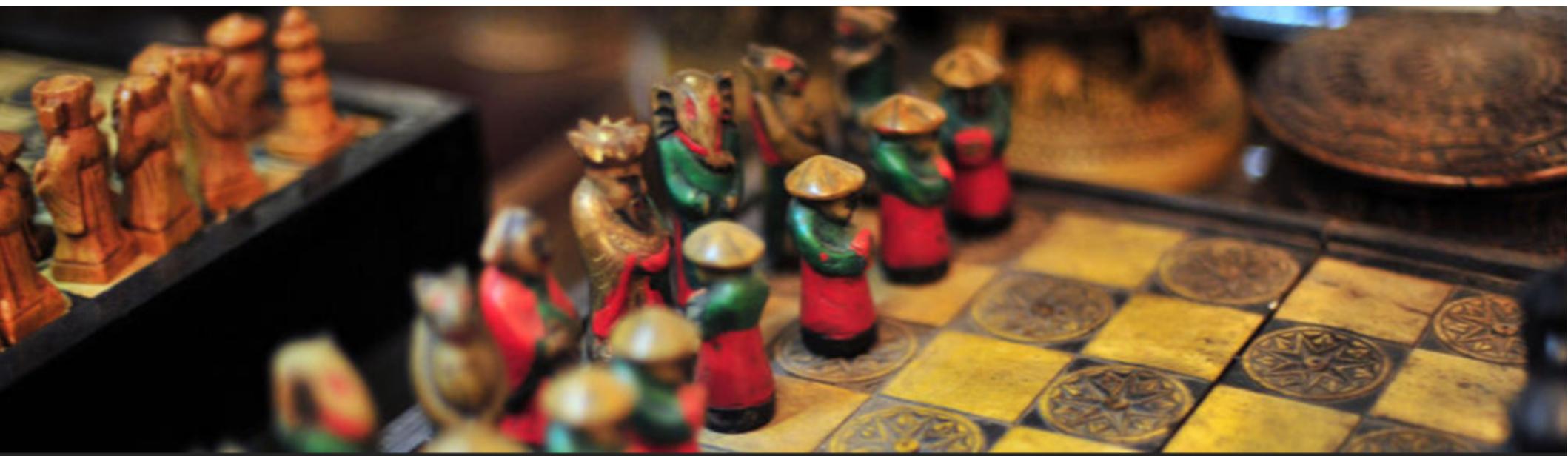
# The value of a day ahead forecast Demand, Wind and Solar



# Day ahead, Spot price forecast.



*looking to the future*  
Uruguay ->2040

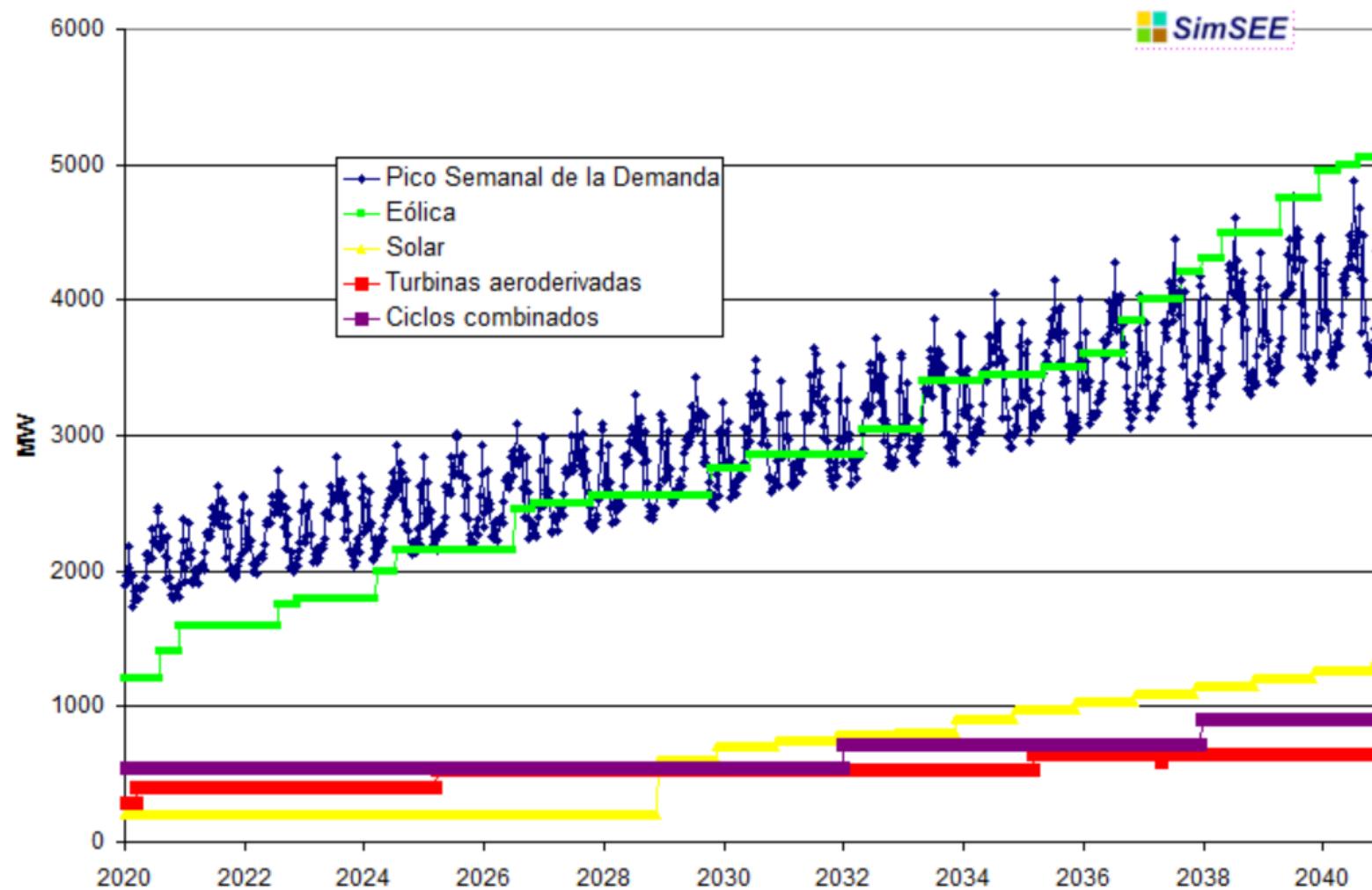


More renewable,  
• some challenges,  
• lot of opportunities

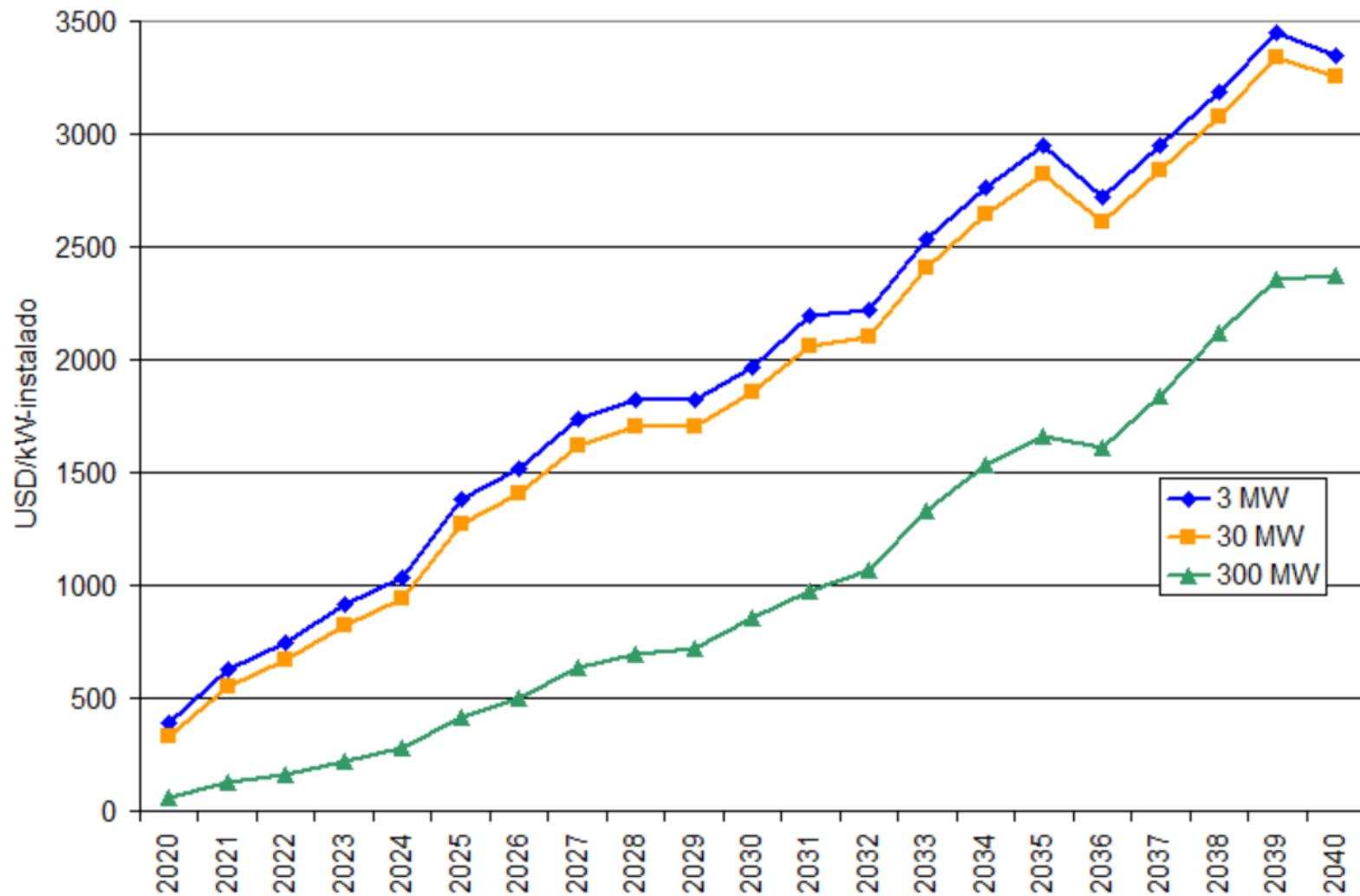
# Some challenges and lots of opportunities

- Smart grid
- Demand response in real time.
- Spot price in real time.
- New demands ( irrigation, electric-mobility)
- Export opportunities to Brazil and Argentina

# Optimal planning of the future investments in power generation. 2020 – 2040



# The value of daily filtering capacity.





Thanks for your attention!.